

Last pitch easy but on bad rock, careful not to dislodge too many rocks as they collect right on the approach way below...Descent from the normalweg to the Elferhaus (30min ca)



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50m, III – no BH

The exit pitch, easy but on loose rock, this is partially in common with MaTom as it aims at the same upper area. Roped or not roped, make sure you dislodge the least amount of gravel while walking out (and with your rope dragging). The rocks are funneling toward the approach of the route.

40m, VII – 5 BH

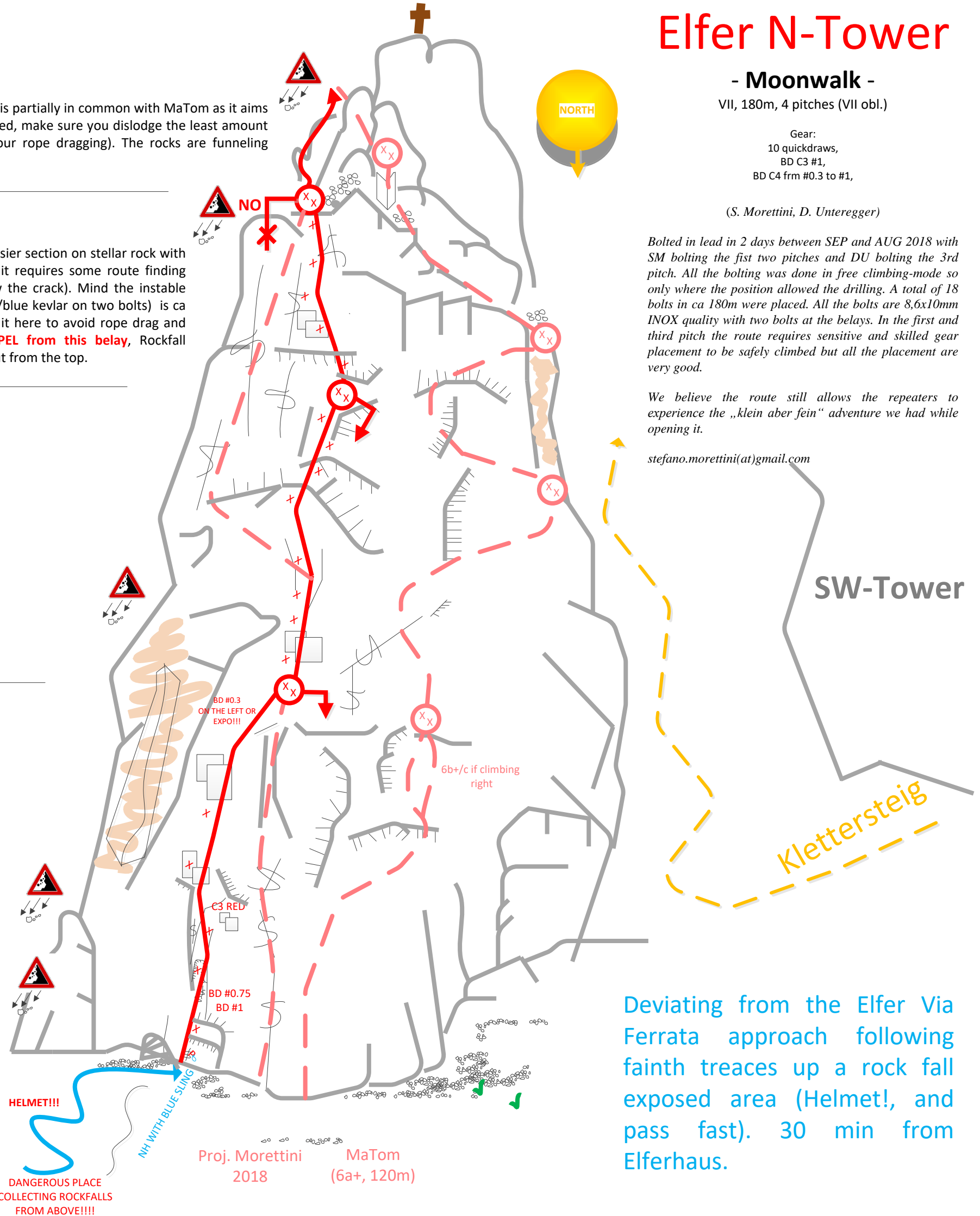
Powerful start to exit the belay then an easier section on stellar rock with good handholds. Well protected at first, it requires some route finding and placement on the upper part (follow the crack). Mind the instable blocks on the upper exit. The belay (black/blue kevlar on two bolts) is ca 6m left of the one of MaTom, we bolted it here to avoid rope drag and rock dislodgement. **Please do NOT RAPPEL from this belay**, Rockfall danger. If you are here it is easier to get out from the top.

30m, VII – 8 BH

This pitch does not take any decent extra gear but the placed bolts (8) suffice to have decent protection throught the pitch. However, due to the distance between the bolts no A0 possible. Airy and nice dance on good crimps and side holds with a combination of technical moves and powerful short boulder sections. Mind your footwork ;-).

35m, VI - 6 BH

Pitch requiring some skills in protecting, particularly on the upper section the bolts are quite sparse and the protection possibilities scarce. Mandatory for having decent pro are a *BD C3 red* and a *BD C4 0,3*. Without these the route becomes Expo!
Other than the above this pitch is spectacular for the grade and on very good rock



Elfer N-Tower

- Moonwalk -

VII, 180m, 4 pitches (VII obl.)

Gear:
10 quickdraws,
BD C3 #1,
BD C4 frm #0.3 to #1,

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Bolted in lead in 2 days between SEP and AUG 2018 with SM bolting the first two pitches and DU bolting the 3rd pitch. All the bolting was done in free climbing-mode so only where the position allowed the drilling. A total of 18 bolts in ca 180m were placed. All the bolts are 8,6x10mm INOX quality with two bolts at the belays. In the first and third pitch the route requires sensitive and skilled gear placement to be safely climbed but all the placement are very good.

We believe the route still allows the repeaters to experience the „klein aber fein“ adventure we had while opening it.

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Deviating from the Elfer Via Ferrata approach following faint traces up a rock fall exposed area (Helmet!, and pass fast). 30 min from Elferhaus.