

## Monastery of San Juan de Ortega



In the 12th century, San Juan de Ortega (Juan de Quintanaortuño), a disciple of Santo Domingo de la Calzada, devoted himself to repairing the path for pilgrims and founded the monastery to provide accommodation for them in the Montes de Oca (De Oca mountains). He established a community of Canon Regulars and he is buried in the monastery, in a beautiful Romanesque tomb, to which Isabel la Católica added a mausoleum.

The equinoccial light phenomenon: twice a year, the light comes in trough the ogee of one of the windows and illuminates the Romanesque capital of La Anunciación (the Annunciation).

### HISTORICAL DATA

<b>Architecture:</b>	Religious architecture
<b>Construction:</b>	Monastery / Convent
<b>Predominant styles:</b>	- Romanesque - Gothic
<b>Historical Period:</b>	Middle Ages

### WHEN TO VISIT IT?

#### Opening hours

Free

**Observations:** Telephone: 947569913 635742060

This portal is not responsible for possible changes in the schedules and rates reflected

## Monastery of San Juan de Ortega

### ADDRESS AND MAP LOCATION

- **Postal address** San Juan de Ortega (Barrios de Colina). NaN. Burgos
- **Phones**  
947 569 913

### TOURIST INFORMATION

#### Barrios de Colina town hall

##### Address

- **Postal address** municipality of Barrios de Colina . Burgos
- **Email**  
[barriosdecolina@gmail.com](mailto:barriosdecolina@gmail.com)
- **Web**  
[www.barriosdecolina.es](http://www.barriosdecolina.es)
- **Phones**  
947 560 092

[To know more](#)

#### Burgos tourism office

##### Address

- **Postal address** Pza. Alonso Martínez, 7. Burgos. NaN. Burgos
- **Email**  
[oficinadeturismodeburgos@jcy.l.es](mailto:oficinadeturismodeburgos@jcy.l.es)
- **Phones**  
947 203 125
- **Fax**  
947 276 529

[To know more](#)