## Wall of Béjar

Although we can not say that the medieval wall that we observe today is prior to the twelfth century, all the chronicles and Arabic sources speak of the repopulations and strong fortifications carried out at the end of the s.X and early s.XI south of Tormes, in the vicinity of the Central System.

Béjar, located on that border line, shouldn't be an exception and is likely that Alfonso VIII reinforced and expanded a existing fortification.

Béjar, retains much of the first walled system, which goes from the Town Square to Ronda of Viriato Street, beyond the door of San Pedro. Of these we can travel, by the `adarve´, about 500m from the Antigua´s Park.

The stretch that arrives from the Ducal Palace, where the Puerta del Aire is located, it is currently not passable. Yes they are: Puerta del Pico, Puerta de San Antón and Puerta de San Pedro, but not the disappeared Puerta de la Traición.

## Moss Men



The Legend of the Moss Men is an oral tradition that dates back to the s.XII.

It is said in it that the Bejaranos, camouflaged with moss and branches, managed to surprise the Muslims reconquering the village.

Every year this celebration is remembered in the procession of The Cospus Christi declared Festival of International Tourist Interest in 2019.







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Sierra de Béjar - La Covatilla



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Train Station and Green way Ignolios



Viewpoint of Valle



Fuente del Lobo