ISBERT’S FOLLY - TORMOS

approx. 8 km, 100m ascent, 3hrs . easy/moderate anticlockwise circuit all on good paths and lanes with only one steep section. Most of the walk is past the citrus orchards of the valley of the Rio Gerona in the Val de Laguart, near Tormos.

The highlight and object of the walk is the tall dam (presa) set in an impressive gorge. It was built to provide water for Denia, but the lake drained away through cracks in the rock, hence the name of the walk. One path leads to the dam foot, another along the side, but it terminates at a safety barrier. Take a torch for the old railway tunnel, a relic from the construction of the dam.

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MURLA - to Orba Castle

approx. 6 km, 150m ascent, 2 hrs, easy.
(longer and harder if castle ruins visited!)

WARNING!! Orba Castle hill is pathless and rocky
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Starting from the car park in Murla, it is worth looking at the village castle before climbing the calvari trail; after the 13th station of the cross fork right to the ermita St. Sebastia, a lovely spot to rest. Then down the track, past Fontilles wall and almond groves (in bloom early February) to the col, a picnic spot with a fine view towards Orba. Afterwards stroll back to Murla.

AAAAAAA Hard!
Or, if you are fit and able to cross rough ground easily, climb up the steep hill to the ruins of Orba Castle and enjoy a 360° panorama. This will add over an hour.
No path, route hard to follow!
Ways of Stone and Water I

(Jalón) (Linear Walk)

(Leaflet from tourist offices)

(1) A long multi-stage linear walk connecting the villages of the Jalón Valley. Stage I, here, is from Senija to Alcalalí.

An easy, almost level walk on good paths, tracks and lanes taking 3 hours (one way) from Senija to Alcalalí along the Jalón Valley (8 km).

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WAYS OF STONE & WATER II

An easy walk in the Jalon Valley, if hill top villages omitted.
About 9.5 km, 3hrs one way, impassable after heavy rain!

This is the second stage, from Alcalali to Benigembla, of the linear (Stones and Water) Route, which is marked by yellow triangles and joins the villages of Jalon Valley.

The route is marked with yellow triangles. Allow extra time to visit the village centres, if so desired.

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VALL DE LAGUAR

About 9 km, 400 m ascent, 4 hrs.

This is a shorter and easier version of the full '5,000 steps' route. It includes the key features: the well preserved steps of the mozarabic trails and the impressive canyons.

WARNING!
Heavy rains caused parts of the hillside path to be destroyed by landslides! Make sure that you check the current state of the path!

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