



Concello de
Becerreá



Concello de
As Nogais



Concello de
O Corgo



Concello de
Baralla



Concello de Lugo

THE SANTIAGO WAY THROUGH LUGO

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“I, Hermann Künig von Vach,
want to write, so help me God,
a little book that will be called
-The Pilgrimage and Path to
Saint James-. There I wish to
describe routes and paths and
how every brother of Saint James
may find food and drink...”

Hermann Künig, 1495



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Künig's Pilgrim's guide

Hermann Künig von Vach, a monk in the Servite Order in Vacha (Germany), wrote in 1495 a Pilgrim's guide where he describes places and distances, and gives advice and useful information for the pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela.

This guide, printed five times and mainly aimed at German pilgrims, testifies to the importance of the pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela along this alternative route of the French Way through Lugo at the end of the 15th century.

Written in rhyming verse, in Künig's guide we discover tales and legends

about the Camino and his own experience as a pilgrim.

A trip which transports us back to the day-to-day life of the pilgrim: housing, choice of paths, money-changing, tolls to be paid, bridges and where to find help.

The route followed by Hermann Künig begins in the German town of Vacha and enters the Iberian peninsula in Roncesvalles. When he is about to enter Galicia, in Herrerías de Valcárcel, he turns off to Pedrafita and then goes on to As Nogais, Becerreá, Baralla and O Corgo until he arrives in the city of Lugo. There he joins the Primitive Way to Santiago de Compostela.

Vía Künig – The Künig Way

An itinerary which explores visible and invisible roads: Roman Road XIX, the Royal Road of King Charles III and the medieval roads. Discover them following the steps of the pilgrims of the Künig Way.

Take a deep breath surrounded by nature as you follow a path through woods of century oak and chestnut trees.

Enjoy a natural landscape that will conquer your heart with its unique tranquillity and peace

Live the experience of a different Camino.

