

Betania Monastery



Cultural sights Tbilisi

The Betania Monastery of the Nativity of the Mother of God commonly known as Betania or Bethania is a medieval Georgian Orthodox monastery in eastern Georgia, 16 km (9.9 mi) southwest of Tbilisi, the nation's capital. It is a remarkable piece of architecture of the “Golden Age“ of the Kingdom of Georgia, at the turn of the XIth and XIIth centuries, and is notable for its wall paintings which include a group portrait of the contemporary Georgian monarchs.