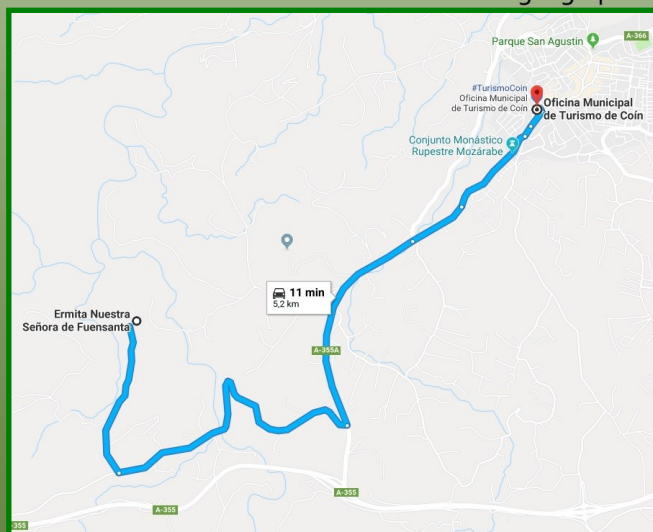




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is considered the head of the Guadalquivir Valley. It is located 36 kilometers southwest of the city of Málaga and only 20 minutes from the Costa del Sol.

Being located halfway between the Mediterranean Sea and the interior of Andalusia has some geographical



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Saturday, from 10 am to 1.30 pm

The Hermitage

XVII century

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The sacristy is worthy of being highlighted, place where the spring is located and the cave in which the image of the Virgin was found.

Legend says that the image of la Virgen de la Fuensanta was found by a pastor in the place where the sacristy of the sanctuary is actually.

We are talking about a small image of the late Gothic period, which has 11 cm in height, possibly the smallest image venerated in Spain. It is thought that its limited size is due to it might be an image "arzonera". These kinds of images were which some kings and lords used to wear on the front of the horse saddle into battle.



Residence of la Virgen de la Fuensanta during the month of May, it is an attractive place that is visited all year long for its charm and its surroundings, where we can enjoy old mills that are activated by the Pereila River, the old bridge, the source, the stone pavement or the site of Llano de la Virgen, which has also been declared as Assets of Cultural Value.

Open from the 1st of May to the first weekend of June

The hermitage is set deep in a sheer hill and is looking Pereila River; it is one of the most beautiful places of the "coineño" field. The primitive chapel of Nuestra Señora de la Fuensanta dates from XVI century, the current one was built in the XVII century, undergoing different changes over time.

It is noteworthy the decorative beauty of the main chapel that is covered by a dome full of decorative plasterworks of Baroque style. The altar is under it and was conceived as an open safe-keeping room and it dates from the XVIII century, whose author was José de Medina. The safe-keeping room has a stairs that surrounds the altar, so that the faithful can get close to the image.



Pilgrimage in honour of the patron saint

The romería (pilgrimage) takes place the first weekend of the month of June, where hundred of coineños and neighbors of other villages take part in this celebration of exaltation of faith to la Virgen de la Fuensanta.

