

Amis et Pèlerins de Saint-Jacques de la Voie de Vézelay

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Pilgrim road of Vézelay, from Vézelay to Gargillesse and Eguzon

**Common branch – Part 4C (start of the common branch)
from Gargillesse to the end of the Indre department and to Crozant (Creuse): 18,8 km**

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Meaning abbreviations types of accommodation:

- RPV** Refuge pèlerin de la Voie de Vézelay (pilgrim hostel of the Voie the Vézelay)
- AJ** Auberge de Jeunesse (Youth Hostel)
- APD** Accueil pèlerin à domicile (Private address for pilgrims)
- C** Camping site
- RP** Refuge pèlerin (pilgrim hostel)
- FJT** Foyer de jeunes travailleurs (Home for young workers)
- AHR** Accueil et hébergement religieux (Religious shelter)
- CH** Chambre d'hôtes (Bed and Breakfast)
- HR** Hôtel-Restaurant
- H** Hôtel
- G** Gîte

I Directions

In the Indre department, the pilgrim road of Vézelay is entirely marked by the Association "Amis et Pèlerins de Saint-Jacques de la Voie the Vézelay» (European marking).

In the Creuse department, the pilgrim road of Vézelay is entirely marked by the Association "Amis et Pèlerins de Saint-Jacques du Limousin-Périgord» (European marking).

Place names in **bold** refer to the end of this document, where shops, places to stay and / or services are listed.

0,0 km **GARGILLESSE (G-HR-CH-C)** (post): church. Place du château: Walk down to the left, via the D39.

After 50 m: take the small road to the right, descending along the town hall and the post office .

0.2 km cross the bridge over the Gargillesse. After 50m: back on the D39. At the intersection near the cemetery: take the road to the left, up.

0.9 km intersection ("Stop"): continue opposite.

1.3 km leave the road in a bend and continue opposite via the gravel path, through fields and meadows, between hedges.

1.6 km the gravel path becomes a trail, between hedges and fences (sometimes overgrown).

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- 1.9 km the trail becomes a track, between meadows and vineyards.
- 2.0 km crossing (Le Cerisier): take the road to the right (Rue Griotte).
- 2,1 km bifurcation: walk towards Les Chérons (Route du lac), straight ahead.
- 3.0 km Les Chérons: turn left (ignore the dead-end Route du Lac (right)), you enter a hamlet.
- 3.8 km crossing: turn right, into the Rue du Carroir and follow the road until Cuzion.
- 3.9 km bifurcation left: continue to the right, via the road.
- 4.7 km bridge: follow the road to the right, up.
- 5.2 km you enter Cuzion via the Chemin du Gorgeat; then turn left, into the Rue du Moulin de Châteaubrun.
- 5.3 km crossing of **CUZION (CG-CH-HR)** (stores): roadcross and church (right). Before the church: take the main street and ignore the church (left).
- 5.4 km intersection: straight ahead.
- 5.5 km bifurcation: turn right, into the Rue de la Peureyre.
- 5.6 km Place de la Peureyre: turn left at the end, take the main road, that descends to the left (prohibited for all vehicles), first gravel, then overgrown with grass (*on the right: view towards the tower of Châteaubrun*).
- 5.8 km bifurcation to the right: continue straight ahead.
- 6.3 km bifurcation: ignore a gravel road (left) and turn right; second branch (*on the right: view towards the Roche Sainte*): take the path to the left, descending, through the forest.
- 6.6 km arrival on the banks of the Creuse: turn left, cross the stream.
- 6.7 km **Moulin de Châteaubrun (CG-CH)**. Ignore the rising road (left) and continue opposite via the gravel road, and then a path through undergrowth, left of the bungalows.
- 7.0 km arrival at a gravel road from the DFCI: turn right.
- 7,3 km turn right, a grassy path along the Creuse, follow this to the end.
- 7.8 km arrival at the D45 at the Pont des Piles. Take the road to the right, cross the bridge, then turn left at the junction, the D45, up, towards Eguzon.
- 8.0 km ignore the D45E (left) and continue straight on via the D45 (**HR**).
- 8.8 km leave the D45; in the third turn: turn right into a small road, direction Les Vignauds (against the one-way system), up.
- 9.2 km back on the D45 in Eguzonnet: cross after 50m and turn left into the Route du Ruisseau.
- 9.7 km bifurcation: continue opposite via the Chemin de la Fontaine.
- 10.0 km back on the D45: turn left, to Eguzon.
- 10.9 km **EGUZON (RP-CG-CH-H)** (shops, services, SNCF station): church. Before the church: cross the Place de la République and, at the end, turn right onto the D913.
- 11.0 km crossing: straight on via the D913, direction Crozant (Rue Camille Toussaints).
- 11.4 km crossing at the Salle des fêtes: leave the D913 and turn left, direction Bousset, Messant, straight on.
- 12.0 km bifurcation (after a curve, pond on your left): turn right, up.
- 12.3 km bifurcation: take the paved road to the left (towards Pré Cale), descending (high-voltage line).
- 12.6 km Pré Cale: straight ahead, via the road.
- 13.0 km in the curve, with the hamlet Charchet in sight: take the unpaved road to the left, descending.
- 13.4 km ignore a branch (right) and continue, turning left and descending.
- 13.5 km bridge over the Clavière (or ford, on the right): turn right, continue via the small road from the ford, up, through the forest.
- 13.6 km junction: take the road to the left, up.
- 13.9 km the hamlet of La Feyte: arrival at the D36D. Cross the D36D and continue opposite via the small road.
- 14.3 km bifurcation: follow the road to the right.
- (Border of the Indre and Creuse departments).*
- 14.5 km crossing: turn left, then after 10m: take a grassy path to the right, between two fences.
- 14.8 km junction: take the paved road to the left; after 50m: take the small road to the right.
- 15.2 km back on the road: turn right and then straight on towards Crozant. Ignore successively two roads (left) (at km 16 and 16.3).
- 16.4 km bifurcation to the right: straight ahead.
- 17.2 km crossing of Vitrat: continue opposite (forbidden for cars / buses).
- 17.3 km new intersection: turn left, direction Crozant.
- 18.3 km bridge over the Sédelle: follow road up to Crozant.
- 18.6 km arrival in Crozant: walk up to the junction with the D72 (**hotel**) and continue via the small road opposite, up. Cross the road again and continue opposite, via the path up to the church.
- 18.8 km **CROZANT (CG-HR)** (shops and services): church.

II-accomodation along the pilgrim road

The first number indicates the number of kilometers from the previous town or village; the second number ("cumul tronçon") indicates: the total from the beginning of this part of the route.

GARGILESE-DAMPIERRE 36190 km 000

- G** - Gîte (for groups) of the municipality - Ferme du Château, place de l'Eglise - tel : Tourist Office - 02.54.47.85.06 or town hall (Mairie) – tel 02 54 47 83 11.
- CH** - "Chez Renato" - Renaat VAN POUCKE - Le Coteau Fleuri (at 1km) - tel : 06 87 35 05 88 – picks up pilgrims in Gargillesse.
- G** - "Le Haut Verger" - Mme Bambi - route du Pin (D40) - tel : 02 54 60 16 54 or 06 12 95 30 35
à **La Chaumerette** - at 1,5km from the D39, on the road to the dam of La Roche-au-Moine.
 - G** - Gîte "La Chaumerette" - tel : 02 54 47 84 22.
 - C** - "La Chaumerette" - tel : 02 54 47 84 22 - open all year - pilgrim fare.
 - C**/R** - "Club A.Tou.Vert" - La Chaumerette - tel : 02 54 47 73 44 - open from March 15 until October 15.

CUZION 36190 km 5,3

- G/C/CH** - Le Moulin de Chateaubrun - tel : 02 54 47 46 40 or 02 54 47 47 20.
- HR** - Auberge du Pont des Piles - Route d'Orsennes/Route du barrage - tel : 02 54 47 43 33.

EGUZON 36270 km 5,6 - cumul tronçon : 10,9 km

- RP** – Pilgrims hostel, key at the Tourist Office (Office de Tourisme), 3 rue George Sand - tel. 02 54 47 43 69 - please call ahead (open all year)
- C** - La Garenne - tel : 02 54 47B44 85.
- H** - Hôtel de France** - 6 place de la République - tel : 02 54 47 46 88.
- CH** - Mme MASSIN - 29 route du Barrage, La Maison du Lac, Fressines - tel : 06 76 46 33 26.
- CH** - Mme ROUET - 7 route du Lac - tel : 02 54 47 31 09 and 06 84 43 21 94.
- CH** - Chambre à la ferme Auberge des Chaillots - M. Mme ROCHEREAU - 5 rue des Chaillots - tel : 02 54 47 42 47.
- G** - Gîte d'étape - Base de Plein air - Le Chambon - tel : 02 54 47 46 13.

CROZANT 23160 km 7,9 - cumul tronçon : 18,8 km

- G** - municipal - townhall (Mairie): tel : 05 55 89 80 12 en 05 55 89 09 05
- C**** - municipal La Fonbonne - Le bourg - tel : 05 55 89 80 12.
- HR*** - du Lac - au pont de Crozant - tel : 05 55 89 91 9.6
- Bar/Brasserie/Chambres** - L'Eclat de Soleil - Le Bourg - tel : 05 55 89 53 02.

CONTINUATION : 3,5km after Eguzon (287,2 km from Vézelay via the northern branch, 317,5 km via the southern branch), the pilgrim's road Voie de Vézelay enters the Creuse departement. For the continuation of your pilgrimage, please consult the website of the Association «Amis et Pèlerins de Saint-Jacques du Limousin-Périgord»

<http://www.compostelle-limousin-perigord.fr/>

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