TOMB AND MOSQUE OF PIR TURKMAN, NARNAUL, MAHENDRAGARH

Tomb & Mosque of Pir Turkman circa 12th to 17th century AD

Monument

This tomb and mosque complex incorporates a long tradition of architecture ranging from the Tughlag period till the British times. Originally the tomb and adjoining mosque was constructed during the reign of Firoz Shah Tughluq. The eastern colonnades, the dome and a part of enclosure were erected by Alam Khan Mewati in AH 760(1357 AD). The tomb itself is surmounted by a hemispherical dome, crested by a finial of the Pathan style of architecture. The interior of dome has some modern paintings. The pillared varanda (portico) in front of the tomb was constructed during the British period. Most of other structures within its enclosures were constructed during late Mughal period. The inscription in Persian verse over the doorway registers the date AH 531 (1137 AD) of demise of the Turkish saint in chronogram and in figures.







