

Nablus in the Ottoman Era: Inscriptions and architectural Works

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During the Ottoman Era Nablus was a major City where the Ottomans build heavily. A good survey of Ottoman build works and the inscriptions has not been done. In my book Turkish palestine (1069-1917) I have collected and published some of the inscriptions from Ottoman Period.

One of the earliest inscriptions from the Ottoman Period in Palestine was carved in Nablus during the early days of Qanuni Sulatn Suleyman and is still present in the Mosque Hanbeli. In 2010, I was able to visit Nablus and could inspect the reported inscriptions and have also discovered many news Ottoman iscriptions.

In this paper i would like to give a survey of the not published and neglected architectural works from the ottoman Period and their inscriptions. For example the Hamidian Clock Tower, Turkish Hamam, and Turkish Hospital will be treated..