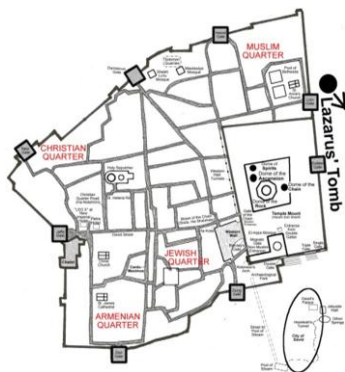


## Lazarus' Tomb

Lazarus' tomb is in al-Eizariya (Bethany) 1.5 miles east of Jerusalem. The tomb here has been identified since at least 325 AD. Archeologists say there are first century tombs in the area.



The Bordeaux pilgrim mentions the tomb in 333 AD. Also Eusebius of Caesarea writes of the tomb in 330 AD as does Jerome in 390 AD. A pilgrim named Egeria recalls a church service she attended there in 410 when she says the Lazarium was full and people crowded the surrounding fields to attend the service.