

This thesis is devoted to early medieval crypts in Bohemia. It aims to create a catalog of the early medieval crypts in the Czech Republic until the end of the 13th century. It analyzes the existing literature on crypts in the Czech Republic, crypt functions in the Medieval Church, the presence or the absence of crypts in the architecture of the Benedictine and Cistercian monastic orders. Also it characterizes the typology of medieval crypts. This thesis describes ten early medieval buildings, from the oldest to the newest ones: the crypt of Břevnov Monastery, the crypt of the basilica of Saint Wenceslas in Stará Boleslav, the crypt of the Sázava Monastery, the crypts of Spytihněv's basilica in the Prague Castle, the crypt of the Doksany monastery, the crypts of the Basilica of St. George in the Prague Castle, the crypt of the Hradiště nad Jizerou Monastery, the crypt of Teplice Monastery, the crypt of the church of Saint Gall in Poříčí nad Sázavou and the crypt of the St. Stephen's church in Kouřim.