

## **Anotace – The Old Town Bridge Tower**

Tower - věž

Mason's lodge - stavební hut'

Sculpture - socha

Easterly facade - východní průčelí

Westerly facade - západní průčelí

My work is about the Old Town Bridge Tower, which stands on the left bank of the river Vltava. In my work I try to present problems, which are connected with an absence of written documents.

It's still not sure, who built this tower, when was it built and who made the sculpture decoration.

The tower was built in about 1370. An architect was Peter Parler. A building of the tower was ended in 90's of the 14th century.

Iconography program demonstrate an imperial majesty of the King Charles IV.

On the easterly facade we can find sculptures of Charles IV., Wenceslaus IV., Saint Vitus, Saint Zikmund and Saint Adalbert.

Sculptures on the westerly facade was destroyed in 1648. There were the Virgin and child with a ruler and his wife. Sculptures were made by Parler's lodge.