A gentle route following the River Lathkill through an area immersed in history. Livestock grazing.

Access For All Route:
1. Start from the disabled parking space just above the medieval Conksbury Bridge to follow the surfaced path.
2. Pass through the next gate to continue by the side of the river.

A Vickers Wellington bomber crashed near here in 1941 after losing its way back from a mission. The crew had bailed out beforehand.

The deserted medieval settlement of Conksbury, documented in the Domesday Book (AD1086) and identifiable now by its earthwork remains, lies on the plateau on the other side of the river.

Dippers and other waterbirds frequent the river's weirs, which were created to encourage fish breeding.

Distance: 510 m one-way
Start Point: Conksbury Bridge, north of Youlgreave, near Bakewell
OS Grid Ref: SK 2119 6565
Post Code: DE45 1JW
Nearest Facilities: Over Haddon and Youlgreave

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