

HIKE: 17 May 2006

Rim of the Valley Trail

Hike Leader: Jeanne Bockwoldt

Elevation Change: 1200ft.

Length One Way 4.2 Miles (Meets Rocky Peak Trail

Starting Time: 9:30 AM

Directions to Trailhead: Take the 118 freeway to Topanga Canyon Blvd, make right turn off Freeway and then left onto Poema Place. Valley hikers make left onto Poema Place from end of Topanga. Drive up Poema Place to the entrance of Indian Wells residential area. Park on the street East of the double yellow line. No restroom facilities are available.

Trail Directions: Enter residential area on left side of gate. Follow green line on left side of road until you reach Stop sign. Cross street at green painted crosswalk and follow green trail line up the hill, (Macoda Lane) and onto entrance of trail (Do not follow green line that goes to the left as it is coming from the other entrance). From the gate through the residential area is about one mile. You will walk past many large homes.

Once on the trail keep left and continue upwards on a degraded road. If 4.2 miles one way is not enough, continue on the Rocky Peak Trail as far as desired.

Refreshments: Drive south on Topanga Canyon and turn right on Devonshire where there is a signal light. Continue west to the end of the street and entrance to the Park. Follow road to left and many picnic tables. Restrooms may not be open.