


Hartman Bar (north)

Feather River Ranger District



General Information

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| Mileage | 4.4 miles one way |
| Elevation Change | 5100 feet to 2300 feet |
| Difficulty |  (difficult) |
| Use Level | Light |
| Quad Map | Haskins Valley |
| Location | NE1/4Sec3 T22N R7E MDBM |

Access

Depart: From Oroville at Oro-Dam Blvd. / Hwy 70

| <u>Turn:</u> | <u>Road Name/Description:</u> | <u>Miles:</u> | <u>Notes/Sights</u> |
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| RIGHT | Oro-Quincy Hwy (162) | 46.0 | |
| RIGHT | OHV # 19 (Highlands) | 0.7 | Wide gravel road |
| RIGHT | Road # 24N36 | 0.1 | Stay on low road |
| LEFT | Road # 23N18 | 1.5 | Gravel road (#18) |
| | Stay left 0.5 miles | | |
| | Veer right at "Y" | 0.7 | |
| LEFT | OHV # 5 | 2.2 | Alternating dirt/gravel |
| LEFT | Road # 23N58 (rt.5) | 1.5 | Narrowing dirt road |
| RIGHT | Road # 23N60 | 1.0 | Dirt road |
| LEFT | Faded posting | 0.4 | Extremely rough/ narrow |
| | Trailhead | | Clearly marked |

Trail Description

Here's your chance to see the nation's record ponderosa pine. Adjacent to the trail, this magnificent wonder provides an excellent photo opportunity. The trail descends steadily through a forest of oaks. In the summer and early fall, one section boasts a colorful carpet of sweet peas and sweet williams. The trail leads to the Middle Fork of the Feather River. Take a walk across the suspension bridge to reach the Dan Bebee camping area. The trail continues up the south side of the canyon, reaching the top of the Hartman Bar Ridge.

(The trail is generally open from mid-June to mid-October, snow and road conditions permitting.)

Be Aware:

Remote area (Bring a first aid kit)
River is fast and cold in early and late season
Not recommended for novice equestrians
Steep trail - allow extra time to hike out



Note:

Open water sources are easily contaminated by human or animal waste. Water from springs, lakes, ponds, and streams should be properly treated before drinking. One recommended method of treatment is to bring clear water to a rolling boil for five minutes.



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