




Walls of Jerusalem

 10 h, 3 days to 4 days


23.7 km
Return


↑ 1130 m
↓ 1130 m


Hard track

Starting near Lake Rowallan, from the car park at the end of Fish River Road, Walls of Jerusalem National Park, this walk leads to the summit of Mount Jerusalem via the Mount Jerusalem Track. Most walkers take 3-4 days to explore the Walls of Jerusalem, using Wild Dog Creek campsite as a base. This site has tent platforms, toilets and running water. To reach the campsite, which is on the alpine plateau, requires some initial effort. From Wild Dog Creek, walking tracks lead through Herods Gate into the interior Walls, passing Lake Salome and the Pool of Bethesda before reaching the imposing Damascus Gate. Optional side tracks lead to Solomon's Throne and The Temple. Continue your walk through the pencil pine forest to reach Dixons Kingdom. After passing a small alpine lake, the final ascent to Mount Jerusalem zigzags up the rocky slope. Much of the walking track consists of the raised boardwalk, from Wild Dog Creek through to Dixons Kingdom, to protect the fragile alpine vegetation. Walkers are requested to stay on the formed walking tracks at all times, both for their safety and to protect the sensitive alpine region. Let us begin by acknowledging the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we travel today, and pay our respects to their Elders past and present.

Class 4 of 6 Rough track, where fallen trees and other obstacles are likely	
Quality of track	Formed track, with some branches and other obstacles (3/6)
Gradient	Very steep (4/6)
Signage	Directional signs along the way (3/6)
Infrastructure	Limited facilities (such as cliffs not fenced, significant creeks not bridged) (4/6)
Experience Required	Moderate level of bushwalking experience recommended (4/6)
Weather	Forecasted & unexpected storms and severe weather may impact on navigation and safety (4/6)

Getting to the start: From Bass Highway, 1

- Turn on to then drive for 410 m
- Turn left onto Mole Creek Road, B12 and drive for another 680 m
- At roundabout, take exit 2 onto Mole Creek Road, B12 and drive for another 37.2 km
- Keep left onto Mersey Forest Road, C138 and drive for another 29.1 km
- Keep left onto Fish River Road and drive for another 1.3 km

Before you start any journey ensure you;

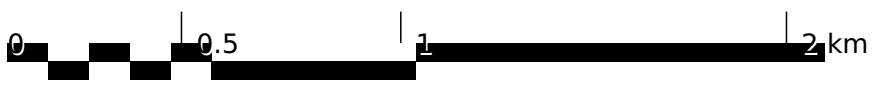
- Tell someone you trust where you are going and what to do if you are late returning
- Have adequate equipment, supplies, skills & knowledge to undertake this journey safely
- Consider weather forecasts, park/track closures & fire dangers
- Can respond to emergencies & call for help at any point
- Are healthy and fit enough for this journey

If not, change plans and stay safe. It is okay to delay and ask people for help.

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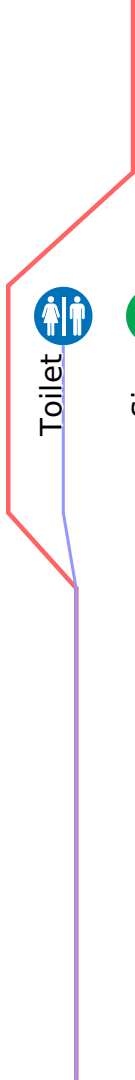








Start



Toilet



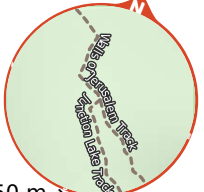
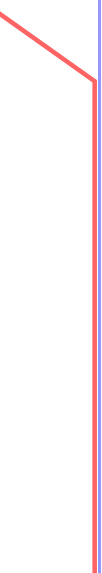
Sign



←2.2 km→

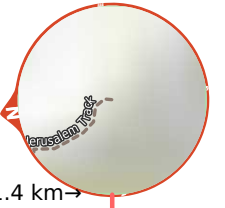
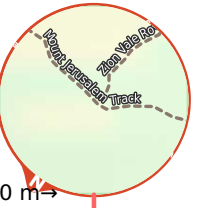
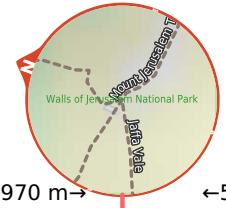
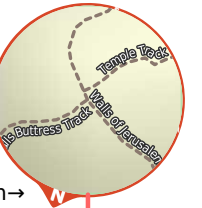
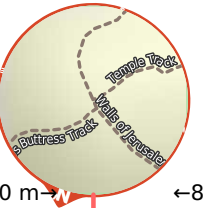
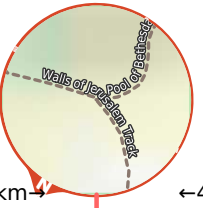
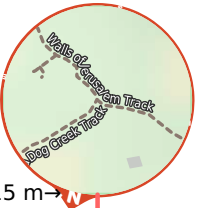


Hut



←250 m→





←3.8 km→
↑

←115 m→
↑

←2 km→
↑

←480 m→
↑

←8 m→
↑


←970 m→
↑

←560 m→
↑


←1.4 km→
↓


- Camp site
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- Toilet


- Toilet
- Hut
- Water tap
- Camp site




Walls of Jerusalem National Park Car park **Start** (a walking track).

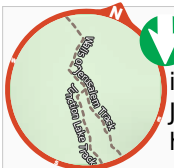
 There is a toilet (about 8 m back from the start).

 After 205 m pass the sign (5 m on your right).



After another 2 km (at the intersection of Mount Jerusalem Track & Zion Vale Track (approximate)) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.

 After another 15 m come to the "Trappers Hut" (5 m on your left).



After another 235 m (at the intersection of Mount Jerusalem Track & Junction Lake Track) **turn around**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.




After another 3.8 km (from the Mount Jerusalem Track) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.

 After another 65 m come to the camp site (20 m on your right).
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 After another 4 m (from the Mount Jerusalem Track) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.


 After another 45 m come to the camp site (25 m on your right).
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to Wild Dog Creek Camping Area. Most walkers set up camp here and use this campsite as a base.





To start this optional side trip veer right here. at the intersection of Wild Dog Creek Track & Mount Jerusalem Track **Start** heading along *Wild Dog Creek Track* (a walking track).


 After another 90 m come to a toilet.



The end.

 "Wild Dog Creek commercial camping area".
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 Turn around and retrace your steps back the 90 m to the main route.

 Back at the main route turn sharp right and follow on from the 6.4 km waypoint.

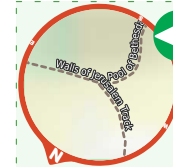


After another 3 m (at the intersection of Wild Dog Creek Track & Mount Jerusalem Track) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.


 After another 10 m come to the "Wild Dog Creek commercial camping area" (105 m on your right).
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 Then pass the toilet (90 m on your right).


Start of an optional side trip: An optional side trip to the Pool of Bethesda.





To start this optional side trip turn left here. at the intersection of Pool of Bethesda Track & Mount Jerusalem Track **Start** heading along *Pool of Bethesda Track* (a walking track).



After another 130 m come to the end.


 Turn around and retrace your steps back the 130 m to the main route.

 Back at the main route turn left and follow on from the 8.4 km waypoint.




After another 2 km (at the intersection of Mount Jerusalem Track & Pool of Bethesda Track) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.


Start of an optional side trip: This highly recommended side trip takes you to The Temple, which is a great stop to enhance the experience.





To start this optional side trip turn left here. at the intersection of Temple Track & Mount Jerusalem Track **Start** heading along *Temple Track* (a walking track).



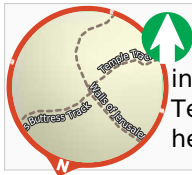
Continue another 550 m to find The Temple at the end.

 "The Temple".

 Turn around and retrace your steps back the 550 m to the main route.

 Back at the main route turn left and follow on from the 8.9 km waypoint.

Start of an optional side trip: This track takes you



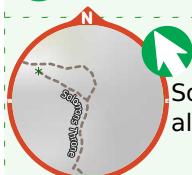
After another 480 m (at the intersection of Mount Jerusalem Track & Temple Track) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.

Start of an optional side trip: This highly recommended side trip takes you to Solomons Throne summit passing by Halls Buttress. Visit for a complete experience.



To start this optional side trip turn right here. at the intersection of Mount Jerusalem Track & Halls Buttress Track **Start** heading along *Halls Buttress Track* (a walking track).

After 360 m pass the "Solomons Throne - Halls Buttress" (7 m on your left).



After another 75 m (from the Solomons Throne) **veer left**, to head along Solomons Throne.



After another 50 m come to the end.

A summit.



Turn around and retrace your steps back the 480 m to the main route.



Back at the main route turn sharp left and follow on from the 8.9 km waypoint.



After another 8 m (at the intersection of Halls Buttress Track & Mount Jerusalem Track) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.



After another 950 m pass the toilet (30 m on your left)., not equipped with Handwashing basin.



After another 15 m come to the "Dixon's Kingdom Hut" (on your right).



After another 2 m (at the intersection of Jaffa Vale & Mount Jerusalem Track) **veer left**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.



After another 45 m pass the water tap (70 m on your right).



After another 30 m come to the "Dixon's Kingdom Hut Camping Area".
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This is a free campsite.



After another 490 m (at the intersection of Mount Jerusalem Track & Zion Vale Track (approximate)) **continue straight**, to head along Mount Jerusalem Track.



(Mount Jerusalem) Continue another 1.4 km to find the end. Then turn around here and retrace the main route for 11.9 km to get back to the start.



"Mount Jerusalem".