

Directions & Map to White Eagle Memorial Preserve

CEMETERY VISITS & BURIALS – All cemetery visits are scheduled with a cemetery steward, so be sure to contact us in advance when you decide to come for a tour or visit. 206-383-3285 –Jodie’s Cell

Follow the directions below, Google maps and other apps aren’t accurate out here and will send you on a shortcut via Box Canyon Rd (especially coming from the north) that is Not a viable road. **DO NOT RELY ON YOUR GPS** past Goldendale, it is too remote.

We are located about 2.5 hours from Portland and about 4 hours from Seattle. From Goldendale, WA, the nearest town, it takes about 30 minutes of travel time. **We request that you send us a text as you are heading through Goldendale** so that we have a “real-time ETA” for you and can be on hand to greet you when you arrive.

Bring good walking shoes, layers, a hat, and some water.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS:

1. Follow Highway 97 South from Yakima, or Highway 97 North from I-84 or WA Hwy 14 along the Columbia River.
2. From Highway 97, take the **Broadway Street exit (also Highway 142)** at the 76 Gas station/Dairy Queen. (Get gas here if your tank is low.) This is also a good place to meet up with other guests driving separately. If we have asked you to text us on your way – please send that text now – if will help us greet you when you arrive!
3. Go one block, then **turn left after the coffee drive thru onto Bickleton Road.**
4. Continue east for 10 miles (watch for **milepost marker 10**) and turn left onto Old Mountain Road.
5. In approximately 1 mile, the pavement curves down and to the right and crosses at Badger Gulch—follow it across the small bridge to stay on Old Mountain Road.
6. About 3 miles later, the pavement doesn’t end at the mailboxes at Ownby Rd anymore, but the county road gets rougher. **Slow down to 25 mph or less.**
7. In about another mile, **look for the blue 455 house marker on the left and the Ekone Ranch sign on the right. Turn right onto Ekone Road.** If the pavement ends, you have gone toooo far - turn around and our driveway should be within a ¼ mile.
8. **Slow down more to 10 mph or less.** You’ll pass our closest neighbors and head down Ekone Road for almost 1 mile, until it dips left and brings you down into Ekone Ranch Valley.
9. **A steward will meet you** by the large octagonal Lodge building, and direct you to where to park.
10. The WEMP gate is another mile out the road to the canyon, on the far side of the Ekone Ranch Valley. We’ll caravan out there together.