



***Towsley Canyon Day Hike***

***“Directions & Parking”***

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# ***General Information***

- Located in Santa Clarita Valley just North of Los Angeles
- Starting elevation is 1340'
- Finishing elevation is 2380'
- Trail is 5.5 miles round trip
- One mile is steep switchbacks.
- Hiking surface is trail with some single track. Moderate to difficult. Outstanding views @ Summit! Some of trail is shaded.



# ***Safety First!***

- Remote nature area. No water or services available. Be prepared with your essentials.
- Light hiking boots are recommended but not mandatory.
- Cell phone reception is good in most spots.
- Respect Wildlife! I have seen the following animals in this area: snakes, bobcat, mountain lion, coyote, hawks, lizards, and deer. *You're safest hiking in a group or with a partner.*



# ***Driving Directions***

- **Take I-5 to South side of Valencia/Santa Clarita.**
- **Exit on Calgrove.**
- **Turn west at bottom of off ramp then head through signal of Old Road and Calgrove.**
- **Immediately after signal, look for dirt/paved parking lot on right. Park there next to Old Road. \*More parking is available up adjacent access road, but Adventure Pass permit is required for those parking areas, so just park right off the Old Road.**





# ***Calgrove Exit Looking South***



Turn right then go through intersection of  
Calgrove/Old Road as you veer left.

# Calgrove/Old Road Intersection



Veer left at intersection and proceed a few yards to parking area on immediate right.



# ***Old Road Parking Lot***

Old Road



Access  
Road to  
Trail  
Head



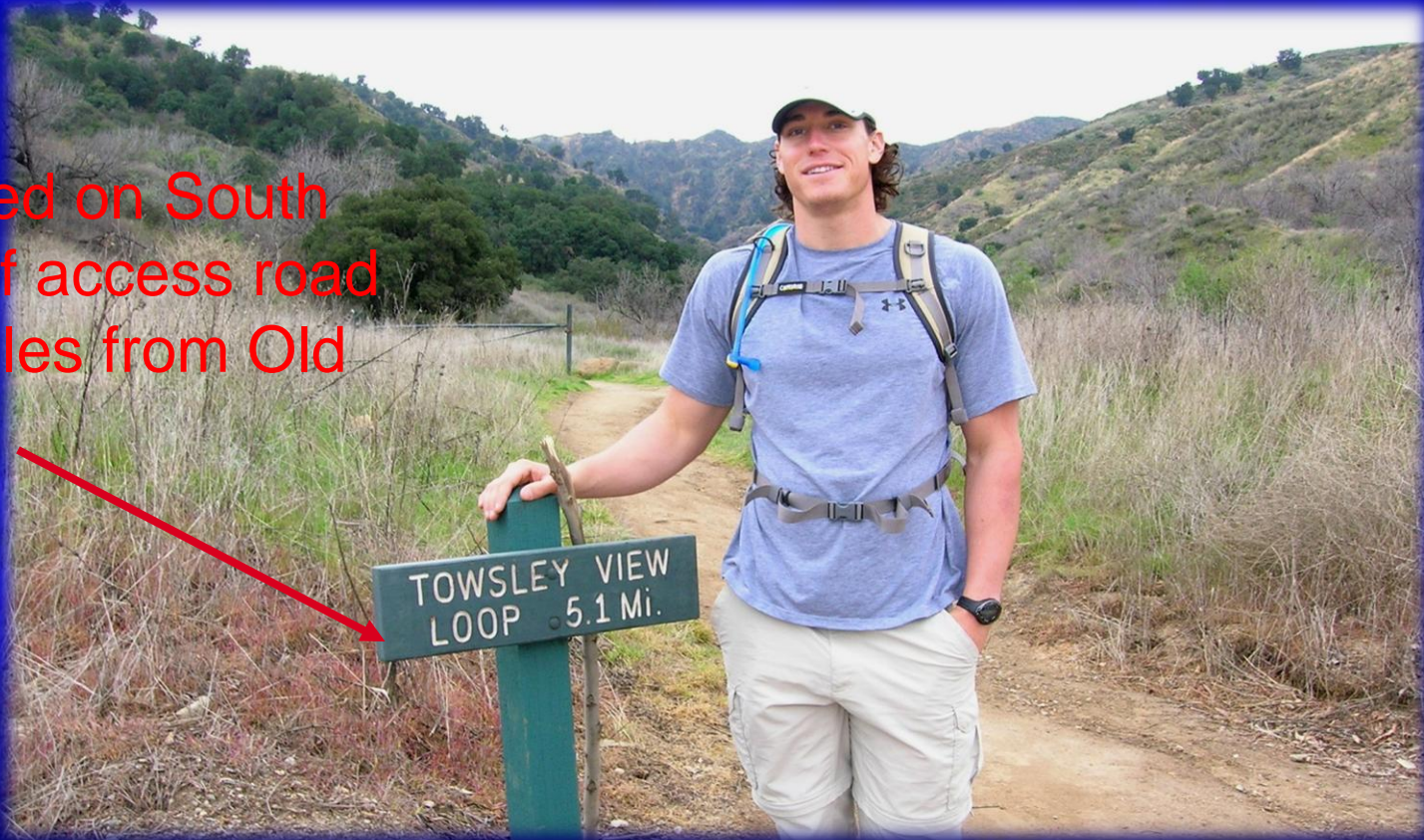
Park here because it's FREE!





# Towsley Canyon Trail Head

Located on South  
side of access road  
≈.5 miles from Old  
Road



Follow well-marked trail for ≈1 mile then launch  
up the steep switchbacks towards summit!





# ***Towsley Summit @ 2380'!***



Santa  
Clarita  
Valley

Coach RJ with his 6 year old twins Ronnie  
& Cade. If they can do Towsley—  
**SO CAN YOU! 😊**



# ***Towsley Canyon Trail-Los Angeles County***

***For more information on Towsley Canyon Trail  
and other healthy hiking tips, please visit:***

**[www.ronjones.org/Weblinks/Hiking-TowsleyCanyon.htm](http://www.ronjones.org/Weblinks/Hiking-TowsleyCanyon.htm)**



***See y'all on the trail!***

