

These ride directions start at the intersection of Solano Ave. and Redwood Rd. You will be heading west on Redwood Rd. with the shopping center on your left.

RHS=Right Hand Side; LHS=Left Hand Side

0.0 At the traffic lights, turn **LEFT** onto Redwood Rd.

0.9 At 3 way intersection, **veer to the RIGHT** and then turn **RIGHT** onto Dry Creek Rd.

3.1 Turn **RIGHT** onto Orchard Ave.

ADVANCED OPTION1 (AO1):

Continue **STRAIGHT** on Dry Creek Rd for a rolling 6.8 mile climb alongside Dry Creek. Ignore private lanes to left & right. At stop sign (9.9), turn **RIGHT** onto Oakville Grade. After a mile climb (11.1), you have a very steep descent to Oakville. At stop sign (13.1), turn **LEFT** onto Hwy 29 and follow it to arrive at the **Oakville Grocery on RHS** at Oakville Cross Rd (13.3). See mileage 12.8 on the standard directions.

4.4 At stop, turn **LEFT** onto Solano Ave.

4.8 At stop sign, **continue straight on Solano Ave.**, past Oak Knoll Ave. on RHS

5.6 Pass Bicycle Rest Stop on RHS

8.0 Pass golf course on LHS and the entrance to Domaine Chandon on LHS (8.3).

Lunch Options: Étoile Restaurant inside Domaine Chandon.

8.3 At stop sign, turn **RIGHT** onto California Dr. You will travel under highway.

8.4 Turn **LEFT** onto Washington St. You arrive in the town of Yountville.

Continue on Washington St. and travel along downtown Yountville for about 3 blocks.

8.7 Turn **RIGHT** onto Yount St. This is a "Y" intersection at the US Post Office on RHS. *Continuing straight brings you to the following lunch options:*

Lunch Options: Bistro Jeanty on RHS. Past Yount St., Bouchon, Bouchon Bakery & Hurley's all on RHS; Pacific Blues Café & Bottega both on LHS.

9.2 Continue straight on Yount St. past Yountville Cross Rd. Street name changes to Yount Mill Rd.

10.3 At the bridge, turn **LEFT** to stay on Yount Mill Rd.

11.6 Turn **RIGHT** onto Hwy 29.

NOTE: Hwy 29 carries constant traffic. Please take care and ride along the shoulder. You will soon arrive at Oakville for a pause, if desired.

12.8 Continue straight on Hwy 29 past Oakville Cross Rd and immediately **veer RIGHT** into the Oakville Grocery parking lot.

[AO1: 13.3]

Lunch Option: Oakville Grocery offers a great selection of gourmet sandwiches & refreshments.

12.8 Leaving Oakville Grocery, **continue STRAIGHT** on Hwy 29. You will travel toward the town of Rutherford, with various wineries along this 2 mile stretch.

Pass Opus One (RHS), Robert Mondavi (LHS), Nickel Nickel (RHS), Turnbull (RHS), Cakebread (RHS), St. Supper (RHS), and Peju (RHS).

14.7 Turn **RIGHT** at CA-128/Rutherford Rd; signed Lake Berryessa / Conn Creek Dam. [AO1: 15.2]

Lunch Option: Rutherford Grill on LHS

16.2 Continue on Hwy 128, **veering LEFT** as Hwy 128 becomes Conn Creek Rd. [AO1: 16.7]

17.5 At the stop sign, turn **LEFT** onto Silverado Trail. *NOTE: You are crossing a highway and cross traffic does not stop. Please exercise caution.*

[AO1: 18]

Pass Rutherford Ranch Winery RHS and Rutherford Hill Winery up a ¾ mile climb on RHS.

Lunch Option: Rutherford Hill Winery has a nice picnic spot with great views from their olive grove.

Continue straight on the Silverado Trail toward St. Helena.

20.8 **Turn LEFT on Pope St.** and cross a narrow bridge. **[AO1: 21.3]**

ADVANCED OPTION 2 (AO2):

Continue straight past Pope St. and immediately **turn RIGHT up Howell Mountain Rd.** Climb steadily for 4.2 miles then **turn LEFT down Deer Park Rd.** After a 4.2 mile descent, **turn LEFT on the Silverado Trail** then **turn RIGHT onto Pope St.** and into St Helena as from mileage 20.8 on the standard directions.

21.6 At the lights at the center of town **turn RIGHT on Main Street/Hwy 29.** **[AO1: 22.1]**

Lunch Options: many options see St Helena in the Wine Country Towns Section of your guidebook.

22.4 Shortly after Pratt Ave (RHS) **take the small bike path** that runs parallel to the highway on the RHS of the road. **[AO1:22.9]**

Pass Beringer Winery (LHS 22.6)

Lunch Option: Culinary Institute of America on your LHS (22.7)

22.8 Rejoin Hwy 29 and **continue straight on Hwy 29** **[AO1: 23.3]**

Pass Markham Winery RHS (23.1), Frank Family Winery up Larkmead Ln RHS (26.4), Schramsberg Winery up Peterson Dr. on LHS (26.8), Twomey RHS (28.3)

28.3 At Twomey sign, **turn RIGHT up Dunweal Ln** **[AO1:28.8]**

28.6 **Turn LEFT down bike path** past the "No Motorized Vehicles" sign opposite the entrance to the Sterling Vineyards. **[AO1:29.1]**

Pass Sterling Vineyards on RHS as turning up bike path.

29.6 **Continue straight** as bike path runs into Washington St and passes the Crystal Springs bottling plant on LHS. **[AO1: 30.1]**

30.0 **Ride ends** at the lights in the center of town at Washington and Lincoln (Hwy 29). **[AO1: 30.5]**

See your *Accommodation Sheet* in this pack for directions to your lodging. There is also a *Town Plan* for Calistoga in the *Wine Country Towns* section of your guidebook.