

# Directions to Lost Valley Ranch

## Directions from Denver and Denver International Airport

1. From North – Take I-25 to I-70 west and proceed on interstate approximately 10 miles to the west side of Denver. Exit onto Colorado Hwy 470 East toward Colorado Springs. Proceed approximately 5 miles, then exit right (Fairplay exit) onto Hwy. 285 South heading southwest into the mountains.

From South – Take I-25 to Colorado Hwy 470 West. Proceed approximately 15 miles then exit onto Hwy. 285 South (Fairplay exit) heading southwest into the mountains.

From Airport – Go south on Pena Drive to I-70 West – proceed on interstate approximately 20 miles to west side of Denver. Exit onto Colorado Hwy. 470 East toward Colorado Springs. Proceed 5 miles and exit right onto Hwy. 285 South (Fairplay exit) heading southwest into the mountains.

Stay on Hwy. 285 approximately 23 miles to Pine Junction...

2. Hwy. 285 is a four-lane at this point, and in the center median there is a green sign that points left (“Pine, Buffalo Creek and Deckers”). Turn left at the stoplight and proceed on Jefferson County Hwy. 126, approximately 22 miles south. This is also known as Pine Valley Road. The last four miles are an 8% downhill grade. It is a 3 lane-road with wide sweeping turns. At the bottom of the hill the road narrows very visibly to a 2 lane road and the speed limit decreases. Within ½ mile of this point and just beyond the Cheeseman Trailhead parking area there is a wooden sign hanging from a rock wall on your left. The sign includes Lost Valley ranch, which is indicated by our Brand, “JVL.” Turn right opposite the sign onto the dirt road. This is County Road 211.
3. Follow our dirt driveway for 9 miles to the Ranch. You’ll encounter three forks in the road as you proceed. After the first 2 miles, turn right on the dirt road where the mailboxes are located. For the second 2 forks in the road, stay left and that will take you all the way into the ranch.

Time from downtown Denver is approximately 2 hours.

## Directions from Colorado Springs

1. Leave Colorado Springs on Hwy. 24 West into the mountains for approximately 18 miles to Woodland Park. Stay in right hand lane and exit onto Hwy. 67 North toward Deckers. Proceed 23 miles to Deckers.
2. At Deckers, stay straight over the steel bridge and proceed on Jefferson County Hwy. 126 for 3 miles. When approaching the next turn, it will be just past the Wigwam Fishing Club (on your left) and you will see a wooden sign hanging from a rock wall on your right. The sign includes Lost Valley ranch, which is indicated by our Brand, “JVL.” Turn left opposite the sign onto the dirt road, County Road 211.
3. Follow our dirt driveway for 9 miles to the Ranch. You’ll encounter three forks in the road as you proceed. After the first 2 miles, turn right on the dirt road where the mailboxes are located. For the second 2 forks in the road, stay left and that will take you all the way into the ranch.

Time from downtown Colorado Springs is approximately 1 ½ hours.

\* **PLEASE NOTE:** We are not located near Sedalia. The road from Sedalia to Deckers is not paved all the way and is windy and narrow at many points.