

Notes on Landscapes of Lesvos

Walk 4	
26 min	Just by the building this path (that was a track) divides and you need to take the left fork. This goes past fenced-in gardens and crosses at least one dried up streambed before arriving at the river (36 mins).
Walk 5	Though this was probably the walk most affected by bulldozing, we loved it. The bulldozed sections obviously weren't as good as the original, but they still pass through lovely country.
Start	You can take a signposted path on the outside of the right angle to drop down to the church and then take the cobbled trail up to continue the walk – you miss nothing in the village and follow two nice little paths.
11 min	Just before crossing the river, there's a short section that follows no clear path. You need to follow close to the river bank and look out for the start of the cobbled path on the other side.
23 min	The path joining from the right is now a bulldozed track that has also taken over the route from here to about 40 mins, when the kalderimi returns. Not long after the 23 mins point, go right uphill where the track forks.
2hrs 26 min	We were slightly confused here. We felt that it might be better to say that at 2 hrs 40 mins, ignore a track going backwards to the right and, almost immediately, ignore a concreted track going uphill straight ahead, but go right to continue the dirt track A general instruction here might be to say that the route follows on tracks as close as you can be to the river on your right.
2 hr 03 min (update)	The rustic gate is still there. I think that your informant might have been confused by your having graced it with the adjective 'ornate'. I'd call it rudimentary.
Walk 6	
44 mi	We didn't see the 'skeletal concrete structure and fountain'
1 hr 26 min	Just before this point, the path zigzags up about 4 mins after the fork. Your description implies that it is immediate.
2 hr 01 min	We made it exactly 2 mins down the track to the path. We felt that might be worth being pedantic because the path is not at all obvious. You could say that there are red paint marks on the rock on the right of the track near where the path starts, but they do not appear to be waymarks. We left some cairns.
Walk 7	
Update 12 min	The fork in line 2, refers to the junction with Walk 8. Line 3, before the U bend, a path forks down left, but stay with the main track. We thought that it might be worth saying that the bulldozed track exactly follows the original path, so that the original instructions still apply (substituting 'track' for 'path'). This is probably a general point about other bulldozed paths.
1 hr 22 min	We had the impression that the section from here to the kalderimi was a lot longer than 14 mins – perhaps twice as long - but we didn't time it.
Walk 12	

1 hr 30 min	Just after this we didn't see the crossing path, but a path came in from the left. Shortly after, you can now cross the stream on a new wooden footbridge.
Walk 20	
Update	We found the instructions in the book were fine and that the update wasn't necessary. The new house hasn't caused a problem. We could well believe that this path (by the new house) is overgrown at times.
29 min	We had the impression that you could go straight on here, rather than going left past the orange van. This might well bring you out on the track that drops down to the Petri road.
Petri church	We thought that it might be worth mentioning there is a spring that seems to run beneath the church visible on the far side from the 'old trail'.
Walk 21	
Update	It is not an asphalt road. It's a dirt road from the outskirts of Eftalou to those of SS. It is very drivable, however.
Short walk page 22	We thought this a lovely route. We had the impression that there are many paths on this hillside. There is certainly a lovely route from Sikaminias to Lepetimnos