

Directions to Shaver Lake Village

Note: These are very detailed but will keep you from getting lost and winding up in Connecticut.

From Northern California

From the South Bay Area: Drive East on Hiway 152, from Gilroy (through Los Banos) to Hiway 99, a total of 83.5 miles. At the end of 152 merge onto Hiway 99 South.

[From San Francisco and points north: Take Hiway 580 to Hiway 5 South to Los Banos. Take Hiway 152 East from Los Banos to Hiway 99.]

[From the Sacramento area: Just head south on Hiway 99.]

Drive South on 99 toward Madera. At 9.6 miles past the 152/99 interchange you will see a sign on the right shoulder for Cleveland Avenue. Now look up and you will see a sign on the overpass that says, "Millerton Lake, Yosemite Park next exit."

About one half mile further, you will see the Millerton/Yosemite off ramp sign overhead and a very small sign on the right at ground level - "Exit Number 155." (Cleveland Avenue exit and Millerton/Yosemite Park exit are one and the same.)

Anyway, **get off here**. At the stoplight, **turn left** and go over Hiway 99, heading east. Get in the second to the right lane and cross Gateway Drive. Immediately get into the far right lane and cross the railroad tracks. Just over the tracks make a **right turn** onto Cleveland Avenue. There are three signs on the same signpost and they say Yosemite, Cleveland Ave., Millerton.

Stay on Cleveland Avenue through Madera, 1.8 miles, to Yosemite Avenue (Hiway 145). There is a Union 76 and a Valero gas station on your left on the corners.

Turn left and stay on Yosemite Avenue (145) for 14.5 miles to the stoplight at Hiway 41. Cross Hiway 41 and go 3.3 miles to the next stop sign at Road 206 (North Fork Road). About 25 feet before the stop sign **turn right** and after 2 miles, the road will end at Millerton Road. This is the town of Friant but there is no "there" there – but there is a Shell gas Station across the road just in front of you.

Turn left and go 5.6 miles on this road – you will pass Millerton Lake on your left. A few miles further, you will see Table Mountain Casino on the left. Continue on until the road ends at Auberry Road.

Turn left (there is a Valero gas station on the corner on your left) and continue up Auberry Road 9.3 miles through the very small town of Prather - mostly a shopping center on the right with a Longs Drug Store and a great super market (Mar Val) for stocking up on groceries.

Turn left at the stop sign onto Hiway 168 and go 2.7 miles to another stop sign. Now **turn left** again (you're still on 168 and about to climb 3700 feet to Shaver Lake) and head up the famous "4-lane" (Auberry Grade) for 8.9 miles. At the top of the Grade, the road narrows and you will go by Cressman's Store at Pine Ridge. Continue another 6 miles to the center of Shaver Lake Village.
You have arrived!

From Southern California

Take Hiway 405 North. At 26 miles, it merges with and becomes Hiway 5 North. Drive 88 miles into the San Joaquin Valley and you will see the Hiway 5/ 99 split. Take Hiway 99 North through the towns of Bakersfield, Tulare, Kingsburg, Selma, and Fowler. At 220 miles, in South Fresno, exit to Hiway 41 North. Go about 9.8 miles to the **North Friant Road exit**. It is the next one after the Herndon Ave. exit. **Turn right** at North Friant Road and go 3.3 miles to Copper Ave. There is a stop light at the intersection. **Turn right** and go 2.7 miles to Auberry Road. It is a "T" intersection. **Turn left** and go **17.9** miles to Prather - mostly a shopping center on the right with a CVS Drug Store and a great super market (Mar Val) for stocking up on groceries.

Out of the parking lot and back on the road again, **turn right** and go about 100 ft to the stop sign. **Turn Left** and you are now on Hiway 168. Drive on up the road for another 2.7 miles to the stop sign. **Turn left** (you're still on 168 and about to climb 3700 feet to Shaver Lake) and head up the famous "4-lane" (Auberry Grade) for 8.9 miles. At the top of the Grade, the road narrows and you will go by Cressman's Store at Pine Ridge. Continue another 6 miles to the center of Shaver Lake Village. **You have arrived!**