

MEYSAN LAKE TRAIL



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The Meysan Lake Trail is a steep 4.7 miles, leading into a beautiful alpine lake basin. It also provides access to the climbing routes on Lone Pine Peak, Mt. Mallory, Candlelight Peak as well as other peaks.

The trailhead is located at the Whitney Portal Campground 12 miles west of Lone Pine on Whitney Portal Road. Whitney Portal Road intersects Highway 395 at the traffic signal in Lone Pine. The road is usually open from May to early November.

The trailhead is at 7,900 feet. The trail is strenuous, especially for those not acclimated to the high altitude. The trail is infrequently maintained and difficult to follow in some places. The section from Camp Lake to Meysan Lake is a faint path on a rocky slope.

The trail is free of snow from mid July to early October in years of normal snowfall.

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