

The Vale Way -Section 4 - Faringdon to Stanford-in-the-Vale

GR(key)	Directions	Points of interest
2928 9550	Start Market Square, Faringdon. Walk up London Street turning right into Stanford Road. Walk up the path to the Folly.	Shops, pubs, cafes and restaurants. Church and historic buildings.  The Folly - Berner's Tower. Also a good viewpoint with bench overlooking the Vale
	Walk downhill towards the main A 420 road.	Wadley Manor
	Cross A 420 road and follow the path through a large field with Wadley Manor on your left. Bear right at path junction with bridleway.	
	Path crosses field to Chinham Copse. Follow path with Chinham Copse on your right. Path then enters Lower Tagdown Plantation.	
	Emerging from Lower Tagdown Plantation follow path with Frogmore Brook on your right. Path proceeds to a quarry access road.	
	Cross quarry access road with Frogmore brook on your right, proceed through stile and gates to where the path crosses the Brook and reaches the minor road Hatford to Shellingford.	Side trip: Turn right along road into village of Hatford with two churches.
	Cross over road and stile and bear left to stile on access road. Turn right passing Little Hatford on your right. Proceed through metal gate into field.	
	Go through metal gate and turn right passing over a metal and stone bridge. Follow path to its end at the junction of	
	Turn right and follow path along the edge of Upper Green with houses on your right hand side.	
3408 9359	At junction of Cottage Road and Upper Green, turn right onto path. This path leads onto Joyces Road. Turn right at Joyces Road then left onto path that will lead to the Churchyard of the Parish Church of St. Denys. Section ends here.	St. Denys Church Stanford in the Vale. Mini supermarket and café. Pub on A417 opposite High Street. 