

## There and back

- 1 Start at Glenridding car park – CA11 0PD. Head down to the pier (signposted) and buy your ticket for the 30-minute Ullswater Steamer boat ride to Howtown. Be aware the steamer does not run on very windy days.
- 2 Bear right along the footpath out of Howtown and you will soon see signs for the Ullswater Way (with a daffodil way marker symbol). Follow this for the next 3 km around the front of Hallin Fell.
- 3 Pass Beckside Farm at Sandwich, with its meandering stream and a stunning old oak tree beside it. Continue along the footpath until you reach Lowther Barn. From here, cross the ford where the stream runs over the path, then turn left immediately after, heading up the steep fell.
- 4 Continue up the footpath, keeping the beck (stream) to your right as you pass a disused quarry on your left, and a crumbling building on your right. After the quarry, head up towards the low stone sheepfold at the brow of the hill. Another path joins in from the left.
- 5 At this point, turn right, following the clear path for a approximately 1.5 km up towards the summit of Place Fell. The summit with a large trig point (triangulation station) on the top, is visible from some distance away.
- 6 Follow the obvious footpath to descend (south of the trig point), down to the beck where numerous paths meet at Boredale Hause. To the right, there are some cairnstones (stone stack), head towards these before taking the right-hand path downhill.
- 7 At the bottom of the hill, turn right through the gate signposted for the public bridleway. After 200 m, turn left through Side Farm (there's a small café here – a perfect stop for a well-earned ice cream on a hot day). After leaving Side Farm, follow the farm track across the valley floor towards the centre of Patterdale. At the end of the track, turn right onto the road and follow it back to Glenridding and the Ullswater Steamer pier.



### Place Fell

Advanced | 12 km | 5 hours

MORE WALKS THIS WAY



### ANOTHER PLACE

*Walking in the Lake District comes with risk and conditions change quickly. We would always recommend checking the weather forecast, wearing suitable clothes and choosing a walk for your ability. We would also recommend taking an OS map and compass, and know how to use them. The hotel takes no responsibility for any injury, loss or damages that may occur when following the directions.*



Place Fell offers panoramic views of the fells stretching far beyond Ullswater, and down into the famous steep-sided valleys to the east, which are home to England’s oldest herd of Red Deer. If you stop to look down into the valley of Boredale, you might catch a glimpse of them grazing.

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Distance: 12 km  
Duration: 5 hours  
Ascent: 610 m  
Descent: 610 m

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