

Rosewood Trail to Angel Vista



Highlights

- Easy 3-mile round-trip hike
- Great views at Angel Vista – from the Channel Islands to Topatopa Bluff to the Santa Suzana Mountains to Mount Baldy
- Really fun ride down for mountain bikers

Description

This is an easy hike from Regal Oak Ct. to Angel Vista with a great view at the top. The climb is gentle and fairly constant with a couple of spots that are slightly steeper. 1.4 miles from the start you will reach a fork. When climbing, to the left is a short connector to the Los Robles (West) Trail, and straight ahead will get you to the bench and then the picnic table at Angel Vista. If you would like a slightly longer hike, you can head north along the trail from the start to Lynn Rd. This will add about 0.6 miles to go out and back.

For experienced mountain bikers, this is a popular and very fun descent, but is somewhat rough because of the rockiness. It's not for beginners because it's a bit of a steep climb. Because it's so short, this trail is often combined with the Los Robles Trail to which it connects at the top, most often east to Space Mountain and beyond, but also west over the Dragonback Hills to Potrero Rd.

Key Statistics

Popularity: High likelihood of encountering other visitors. Mountain bikers take note!

Parking: Free on Royal Oak Ct; none on Lynn Rd

Distance: 3.0 miles round trip

Cumulative Climbing: 750' one way to Angel Vista

Cumulative Descent: 20' to the top

Tread Surface: Rocky but firm

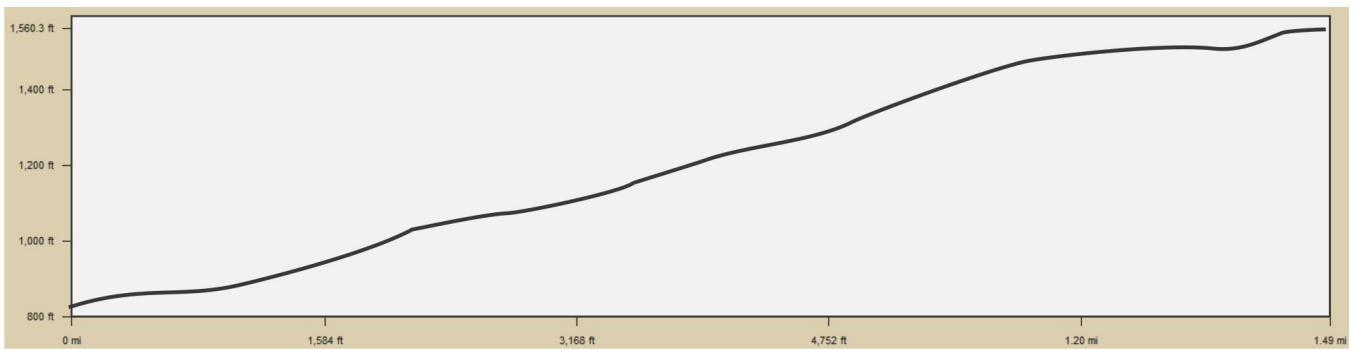
Hazards: Little shade

Facilities: No bathrooms or water; there is a picnic table and bench at Angel Vista

Connections: Los Robles Trail from the top of Rosewood, west to the Dragonback Hills and Potrero Rd; east to Space Mountain and Moorpark Rd.

Driving Directions: From the 101 Freeway in Newbury Park, exit at Ventu Park Rd and turn south. Drive 0.6 miles to Lynn Rd and turn right. After 0.3 miles, turn left on Regal Oak Ct. Drive 0.3 miles to the end and park. **Map:** <http://bit.ly/1F5ehAB>

Elevation Profile, starting at Regal Oak Court and ending at Angel Vista (next page).



Map courtesy of <https://www.venturacountytrails.org>

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Photos

