



# Sale Fell



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**Distance** - 3.8 miles

**Time** - 2 hours

**Starting point** - Roadside parking St Margaret's Church Wythop Mill NY 190301

**Feedback** - Contact Keswick Tourism Association by email [info@keswick.org](mailto:info@keswick.org)

1. Go through a gate 100m east of the church onto a footpath which rises diagonally up the hill. Very soon you will come to a bench above Wythop St Margaret's Church with views over Bassenthwaite Lake. Continue up the grassy path until you come to a T-junction. Take the right hand path.

2. Just before the path starts to descend turn left up the hill. When the path splits keep to the right hand side and continue upwards to the summit. You will be rewarded with fine views over Bassenthwaite Lake towards the Skiddaw range, over the Vale of Embleton towards Cockermouth and beyond the Solway Firth to Scotland.

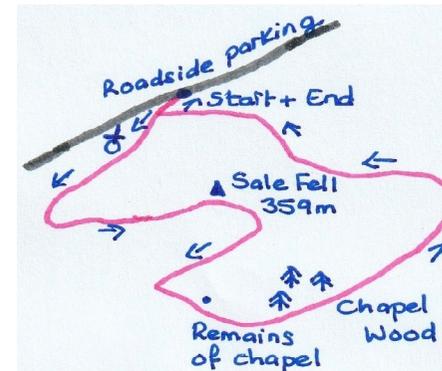
3. From the summit continue forwards downhill. Just before a gate in the wall turn right and follow a path alongside the wall. Continue downhill past a farm

4. As the path meets the farm lane turn left, then in 50m turn right (signposted Beck Wythop) past a bench. Go through a gate and continue forwards on a grassy path past the ruins of Kelswick church. Go through a tall gate and into Chapel Wood.

5. When the path splits keep to the top left path. The path leaves the wood and rises to another large gate. Follow the path upwards, soon Bassenthwaite Lake comes into view to your right.

6. Fifty metres before a gate turn left steeply up a grassy path. When the path forks take the right hand one. The path soon curves left past an area of felled trees. The path gradually drops down. Take care crossing a stream - in wet periods the surrounding area can be very boggy. Turn right and go through a gate.

7. Follow the path downhill. Bassenthwaite Lake soon comes into view again on your right. Keep down until you come back to the bench from the start of the walk. Turn right here and follow the path down hill through the gate back to the start.



**Don't Miss** - Why not combine this walk with a visit afterwards to nearby Dubwath Silver Meadows, a 7 hectare nature reserve just off the A66.

**Did you know?** St Margaret's church at Wythop at the start of the walk replaced Kelswick Old Chapel which you will pass in Chapel Wood.

