

# KEYES GAP TRAIL RUN



## Directions to the run:

From center of Leesburg, take Highway Rt. 7 West to Rt. 9. Take Rt. 9 West, passed Hillsboro heading towards West Virginia. Right before the West Virginia state line, turn right into the Keyes Gap trailhead parking lot.

## Description of run:

Starting at the Keyes Gap parking area off of Route 9, you can either take a southern route towards Blackburn Trail Center, turning around at the David Lesser Shelter. Or you can take a northern route, towards Harpers Ferry, turning around at the Loudoun Heights trail, or continuing down the hill, finishing in Harper Ferry.

**Hill Rating:** 2 (rolling, rocky hills – unless you return from Harper's Ferry!)

**Surface:** T (all trails)

## Southern Route: South to David Lesser Shelter – 6.0 miles

Starting at the Keyes Gap parking area head south on the AT to the David Lesser Shelter. Return to the Keyes Gap parking area.

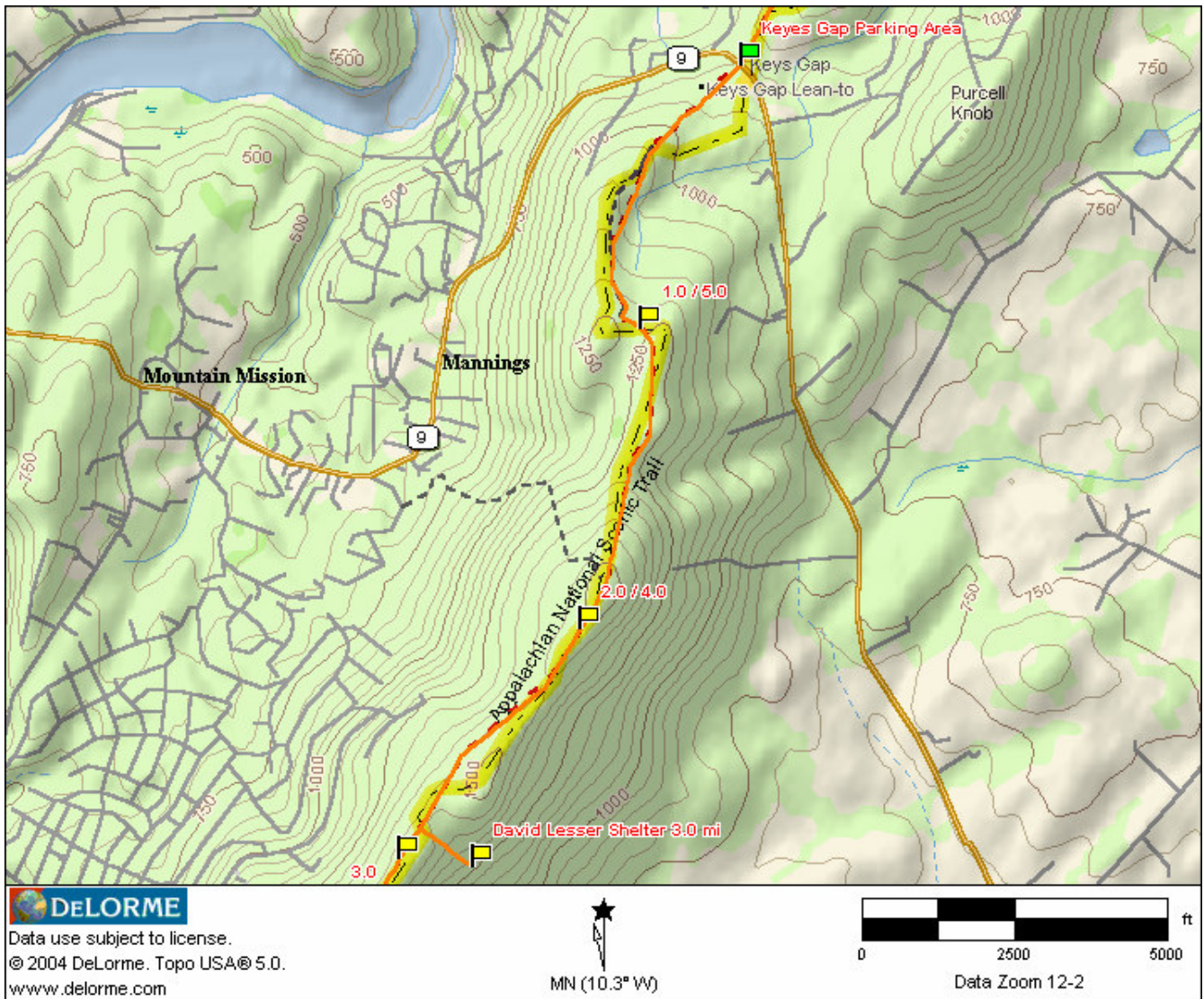
## Northern Route: North towards Harpers Ferry - 7.4 miles

Starting at the Keyes Gap parking area head north on the AT towards Harpers Ferry. Turn around at the point where the AT meets the Loudoun Heights trail and begins a steep descent towards Harpers Ferry. Return to Keyes Gap parking area.

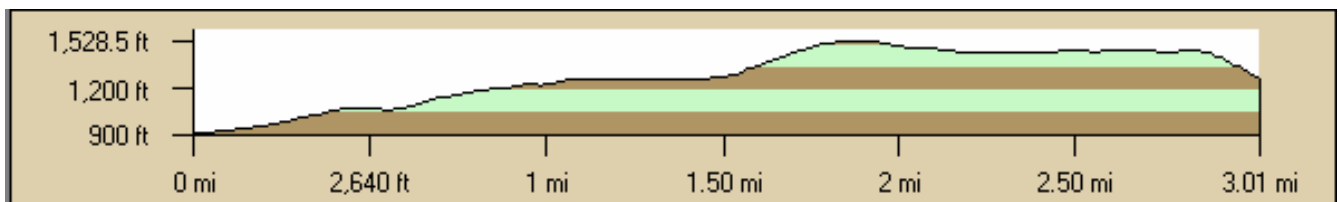
Note: An alternative route is to go North and end the run in Harpers Ferry, a total of **5.53 mls.** (Starting at the Keyes Gap parking area head north on the AT to Harpers Ferry).

**(see course map on next page)**

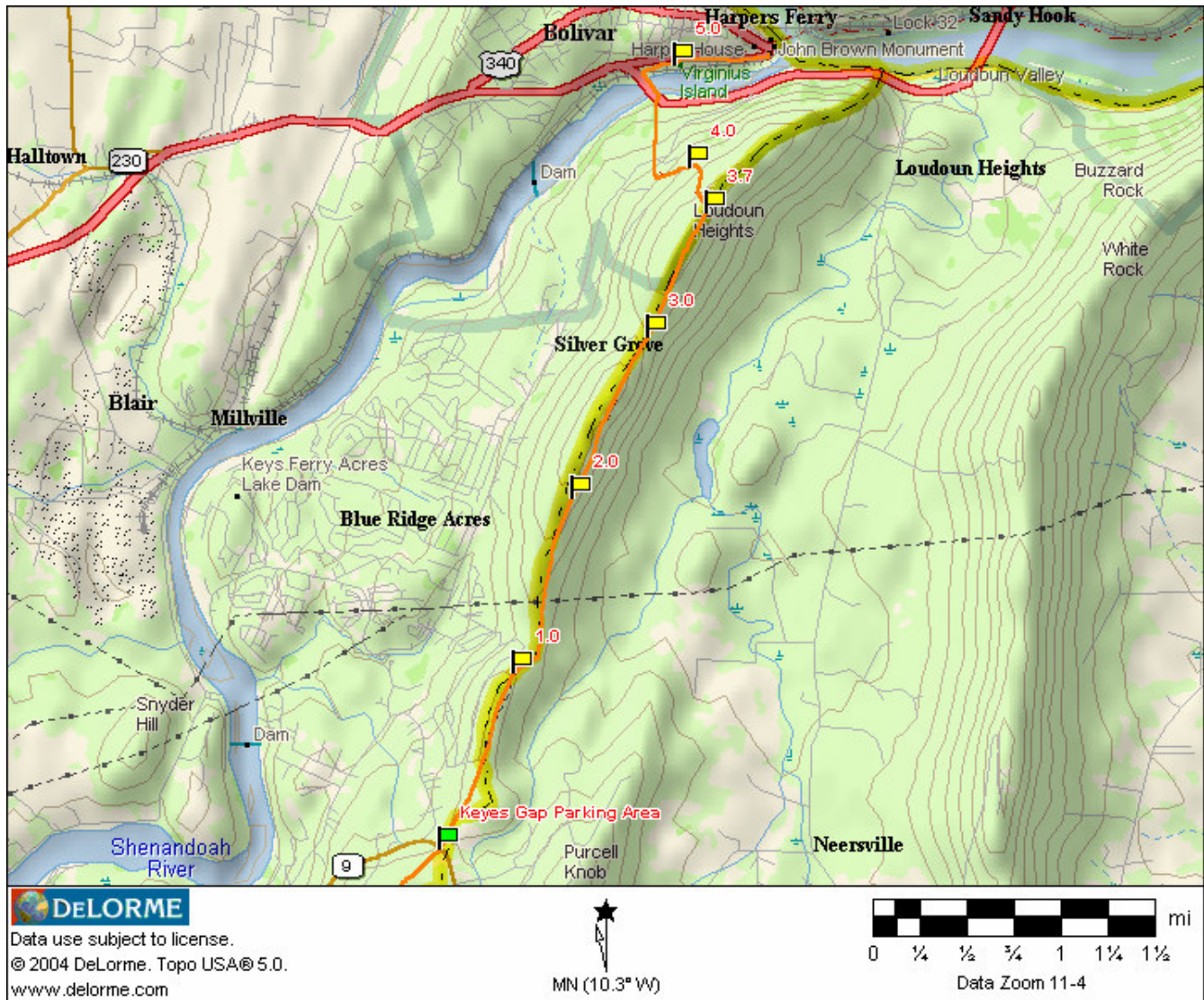
## Map of Northern Route:



## Elevation:



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