

## Best of the Berkshire Byways

Start: Stop & Shop parking lot, Rt. 44 in Canaan, CT

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Ride Write-up: Wu-New033

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Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
0.0	O	Start
0.0+	R	Out of parking lot on Rt. 44 west
0.1	R	No. Elm St
1.0	R	@ end Rt. 7 north (Canaan Diner)
1.4	R	Clayton Rd
2.4	L	Allyndale Rd (road sign on right) >> Polikoff Rd @ state line
3.0	ST	Cross Clayton Rd TCO Polikoff
4.1	ST	Cross Alum Hill Rd and...
4.1+	BR	Hewins St (don't go sharp right)
7.1	L	@ SS on County Rd and...
7.1+	QR	Boardman Rd
9.7	L	Kellogg Rd (n/s) - AT marker here
10.3	R	@ SS on Rt. 7 north, then...
10.4	L	Lime Kiln Rd (careful turning)
11.6	R	@ end on Egremont Rd (n/s)
11.6+	Look	<i>Shay's Rebellion historical marker on right</i>

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25.1	O	<i>Stop @ top of climb for a great view over your shoulder!</i>
25.5	BR	@ curve on Cooper Hill Rd (do not go left here)
26.1	L	Twin Lakes Rd
27.0	Look	<i>Lake on right; restrooms and restaurant</i>
28.8	L	@ curve on Weatogue Rd (careful of traffic around curve; Weatogue Rd has 0.8 mi. dirt stretch)
32.2	O	<i>Bartholomew's Cobble on right; nature displays; restrooms</i>
32.4	R	@ end on Rannapo Rd
33.2	ST	@ green in Ashley Falls, then...
33.2+	ST	@ SS on East Main St
33.4	R	Clayton Rd (n/s) (School St sign on the left)

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13.2	Look	<i>S. Egremeont Village – bear left across bridge</i>
13.4	L	Rt. 41 – Caution: busy road with narrow shoulder through village
13.7	Look	<i>Country deli on the left</i>
13.9	L	TCO Rt. 41 (lake on right)
16.1	L	Curtiss Rd (dirt – road has a “Y” entry)
16.7	R	Bow Wow Rd...end of dirt road
19.0	BR	@ fork (island w/ mailboxes) on Miller Ave
19.8	R	@ end on Rt. 7 south
20.0	Look	<i>Sheffield Village</i>
20.2	R	Berkshire School Rd @ church
20.5	L	Salisbury Rd after cemetery
20.9	L	Root Lane @ curve
21.4	R	Rt. 7 south
21.9	R	Silver St (couple of uphills here)

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33.8	ST	Cross Rt. 7 TCO Clayton Rd (be careful making this crossing)
34.6	R	Polikoff Rd
35.2	ST	@ SS on Allyndale Rd
37.3	BR	@ fork TCO Allyndale Rd (Casey Hill Rd goes straight here)

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37.6	ST	Cross Rt. 44 @ SS on Furnace Hill Rd (careful crossing)
37.9	R	@ SS on Lower Rd; then...
38.0	L O	Sharp left into Beckley Furnace; interesting part of Connecticut history; displays
38.0+	RD	Retrace out to exit
38.1	L	@ exit on Lower Rd
39.1	Look	Pfizer limestone quarry facility
40.2	R	@ end w/ SS on Rt. 7 north (High St)
40.3	R	@ TL on Rt. 44 east
40.4	L	Into Stop & Shop parking lot
40.4+	O	Finish

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