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Ceran Saint Vrain # 801

Difficulty: Easy

Trail Use: Moderate to High

Length: Ceran Saint Trailhead (TH) to National Forest System Road (NFSR) 252 - 1.9 miles.
DISTANCE IS ONE-WAY.

Elevation: 8,300 feet at TH; 8,000 feet at low point on creek

Open To: Hiking

Access

- From Boulder, head five miles north on US Highway 36 towards Lyons. Look for a sign directing vehicles to the towns of Ward and Jamestown. Turn west onto Lefthand Canyon.
- Continue on this road through Jamestown. Once the road changes from paved to gravel, look for the Ceran Saint Vrain TH sign in approximately ½ mile.

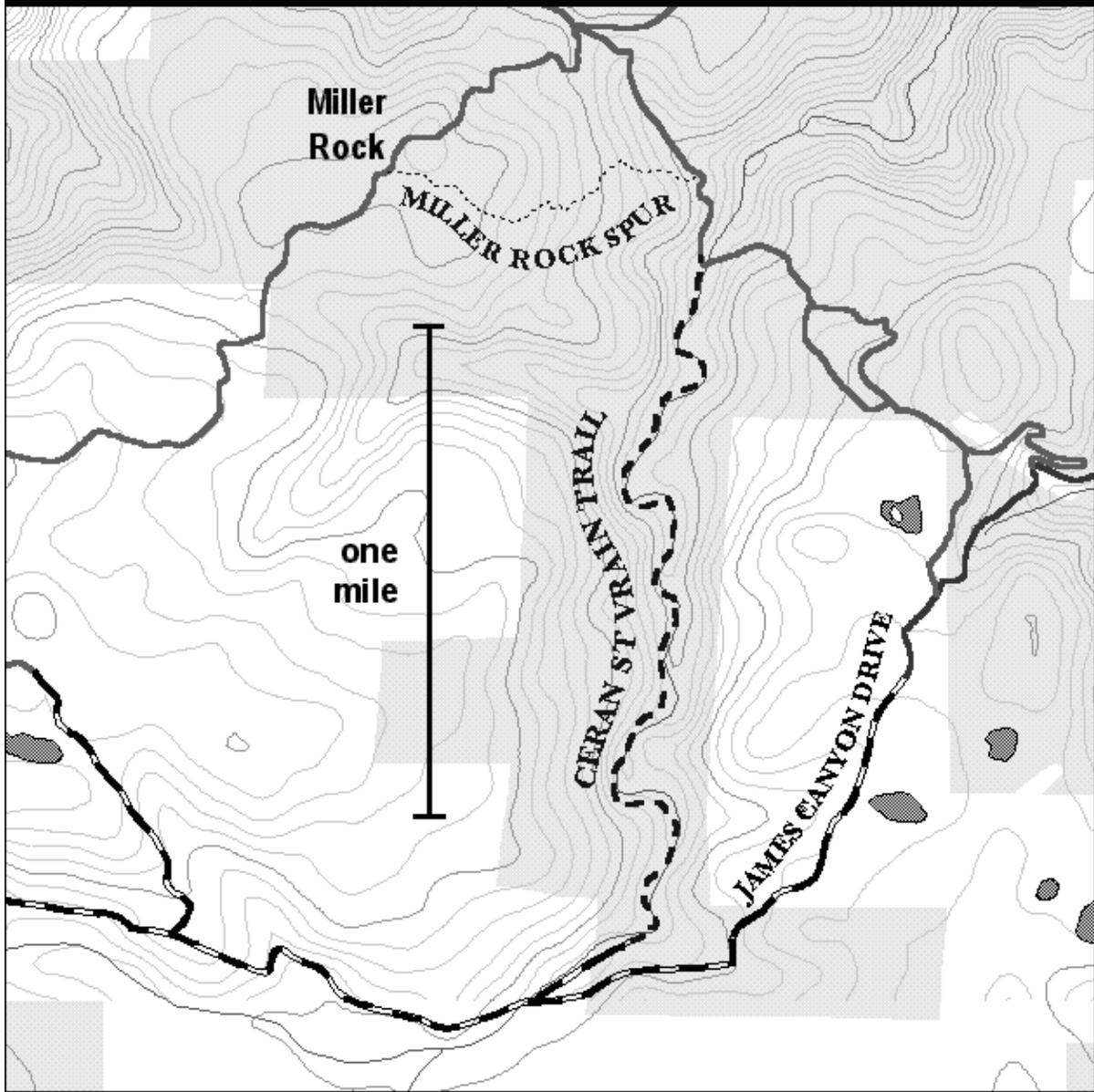
Trail Highlights

- This easy trail gradually loses elevation as it follows the South Saint Vrain Creek downstream for 1.9 miles. The trail meets up with NFSR 252, a rough 4WD road, seldom used by motorized vehicles. From the official end of the trail, an old road climbs ½ mile northwest to a four-way intersection from which it is a steep half-mile to the left up to Miller Rock.
- The Miller Rock Spur cuts off the corner, coming into the main road southwest of Miller Rock. An unmaintained social trail continues along the creek for several more miles, but be aware that there is no way to exit the canyon other than to retrace your steps back to the trailhead.

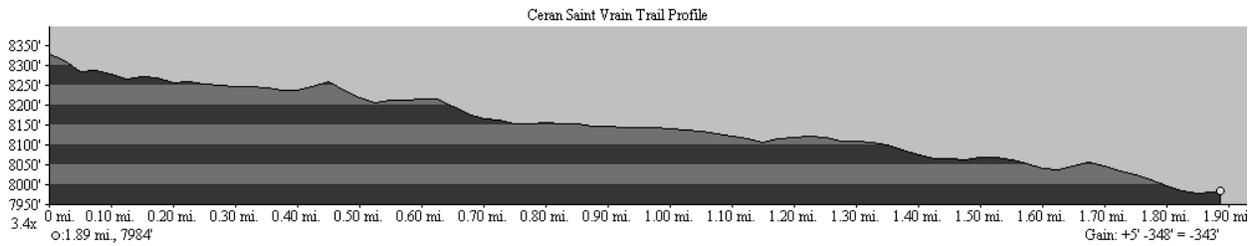
Important Information

- The section of the maintained trail from the Ceran Saint Vrain TH to Miller Rock is becoming increasingly popular with mountain biking. Please watch for other users.
- Dispersed camping is allowed in this area and no permit is required. Please camp at least 200 feet from the trailhead, trail and creek.
- In order to provide for public safety, the US Forest Service felled a number of dead trees along this trail in 2010. Campfires are permissible. It is advisable to contact the Boulder Ranger District (303-541-2500) before your trip in regards to fire bans during the dry summer months.

Trail Map & Profile



This map is intended as a general guide only, not for actual land navigation.



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