# T29 Phantom Trail



T29 GPS Track (as .GPX)

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## **Smokey Bear Ranger District**

LENGTH	ELEVATION	DIFFICULTY	SCENERY
1.7 miles	8970-8970 ft	Easy	3
	0 ft difference		





Link to map color/symbol codes

T15, T19 (partial), T27, T29, T31, T33 (partial), T35, T36, T38, T39, T44, T46, Tt47, T49, T50 (partial), and T78 are shown as labeled, black dashed lines on the map. The solid blue line is the border of the White Mountain Wilderness. The solid green line is T25 Crest Trail. Yellow over a trail indicates that that portion of the trail is intermittent or hard to follow. The map image may be downloaded through the White Mountain Wilderness link below. The image can then be expanded and/or manipulated at high resolution.

**NOTE:** T29 has been rerouted in the last few years, and it is not shown correctly on the current Forest Service maps.

### **DESCRIPTION:**

The northern end of T29 (signed) starts at the junction of T25 Crest Trail and T37 Little Bonito Trail. It skirts the woods for about 0.3 miles and forks at a nice camping area. And old, old sign seems to say "Take the left fork" and that is correct. The trail turns south and is generally easy to follow as it crosses meadows near the escarpment. Venture off the trail and enjoy the views of the Tularosa Basin. The southern end of T29 is an unsigned junction with T49 Barber Ridge Trail. No need for a sign, because the 8 foot high "Cathedral Cairn" (my name) is at this junction. The two ends are at the same elevation, but there is about 200 feet down and up along the trail.

For a nice hike, Take T36, and T37 to T25 Crest Trail, then T29 and T25 back to the same point.

### ACCESS:

North Trailhead: At the junction of T37, T25, and T29.

**South Trailhead**: From the junction of T25 and T49, hike 0.3 miles along T49. The unsigned junction with T29 is just past the 8-foot high Cathedral Cairn (my name).

NAD83	Lat/Lon hddd mm ss.s	UTM (13 S)
Junction of T25 and T29	N33 28 03.8	421653
(north)	W105 50 35.4	3703458
Junction of T25 and T29	N33 27 16.8	421136
(south)	W105 50 54.9	3702025

### **GPS** Coordinates for Key Points

Links to Other Resources White Mountain Wilderness Trails-p2 (8 MB) Nogal Peak Topo Map WMW Forest Service Resource

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