



Walk Description

Title: Molesworth - Catworth

Map: OS Explorer 225

Distance: 5½ Miles

Ascent: 382ft

Start: Cross Keys Pub – Molesworth - PE28 0QF - MapRef TL 07486 75728

- 1) Facing the road from the **Cross Keys** car park turn LEFT through a gap in the fence – Immediately bear LEFT and walk through the field to the far right hand corner – Go through a gap in the hedge into a large arable field - Aim in a 1 o'clock direction across the field and walk to the right of a hedge to a track – Bear LEFT on to the track and walk into **Brington** and a road – Turn RIGHT then LEFT on to a waymarked footpath – The path passes through some wooden gates and bears to the left of a house – Walk on between two fences into a paddock – Cross the paddock then an access road – Look for a footpath between two fences which leads to a road. (¾ Mile)
- 2) Turn LEFT and walk to a waymarked footpath on the RIGHT – Walk past a house on the right and head straight on into a paddock – Head across the paddock in 1 o'clock direction through a hedge into a field -Head straight across the field and cross into a another field and keep in the same direction until you reach a road – Cross the road and footbridge across a brook – Continue across the field and a boggy section of path to a fence – Go through the kiss gate and climb uphill with a hedge on your right – At the top of the hill turn RIGHT on to a bridle path. (1½ Miles)
- 3) Follow the bridleway with a hedge on the right – Soon you reach **Leighton Gorse** woods on the right – Walk to the end of the woods and bear RIGHT keeping the woods on your right at the end of the woods turn LEFT and keeping the hedge on your left walk through a field to a bridge over a brook – Walk across the next field aiming in the same direction towards the corner of a hedge – On reaching the hedge bear to the left and walk with the hedge on your right to a gap in the corner of the field – Go into the next field and continue in the same direction to the **A14** road. (2½ Miles)
- 4) Climb the steps to the Armco protection barrier – Wait for a break in the traffic from the right and **WITH GREAT CARE** cross to the centre reservation – Look for a large traffic sign opposite – Again wait for a break in the traffic from the left cross **WITH GREAT CARE** to the sign and the Armco barrier – Turn LEFT and walk to the RIGHT of a hedge to a gap on the RIGHT and a path into a field – Walk through two fields with a hedge on your right – At the end of the 2nd field turn LEFT at a hedge in front of you – After a few metres turn RIGHT through a gap in the hedge and walk through the field with a hedge on your left – Where the track bears left into **Manor Farm** take a path straight on which joins a road – Turn RIGHT on to **Church Road** and walk into **Catworth**. (3 Miles)
- 5) Follow **Church Road** past the church and look for a driveway (bridleway) between two brick walls on the RIGHT – Walk on the bridleway until you reach another road – Turn LEFT and then RIGHT by **The Racehorse** pub – Follow the road for ¼ mile to a driveway on the right – Look for a stile on the RIGHT – Enter into a paddock and keep to the right to a hedge – Go through the gap into the next field – Continue straight on keeping to the right of the field to an access road – Turn LEFT then RIGHT into a large arable field – Head across the field in an 11 o'clock direction aiming for a gap in a hedge at MapRef TL 08186 73791 – Continue across the next field in the same direction aim for a gap in the hedge opposite at MapRef TL 08161 74006 – Enter into the next field and aim towards the left of a clump of trees – Again look for a gap in the hedge on your left at MapRef TL 08160 74148 – Enter into the field and aim in a 1 o'clock direction to the far right hand corner of the field – Go through the gap

in the hedge into the next field walk for 75 metres and cross through the hedge on your RIGHT into another field – Now aim in a 10 o'clock direction across the field to yet another gap in the hedge on to a bridleway. (4¾ Miles)

- 6) Turn RIGHT and follow the bridleway to an underpass under the **A14** road – Continue on to a road – Turn LEFT and follow the road until a junction on the RIGHT – Turn here back into **Molesworth** and the start.

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