

HOW TO GET THERE

From campus, follow the walkway behind the Terrace and climb the stairs to the Grotto. From the circle at the base of the Blessed Mother Mary statue, walk on the road through the cemetery to the highest paved point in the cemetery. You will see the trailhead on the uphill side of the road.

ABOUT THE TRAILS

The trail network begins off the paved road at the top of the cemetery. From this point the trails are marked with 2" x 6" blazes painted on trees. The mountain is generally steep at the bottom and the top with gentler terrain in the middle. In general, the steepest terrain is on the walk through the campus to Mary and then on to the trailhead at the top of the cemetery. To get back to the trailhead, follow any of the blue marked trails downhill.

TRAIL DESCRIPTIONS

College Mountain Trail

The trail leaves from the cemetery and ascends to Carrick View, a rocky overlook high on college mountain with views of the Monocacy River to the east and Sugarloaf Mountain to the south. Return the way you came or extend your hike by taking the Way Out West or Yellow Spur Trails.

Lookout Trail

This trail shares the first ¼ mile with the College Mountain Trail before it departs to the right. The trail continues uphill through the woods to a rocky overlook with views of Gettysburg to the north. Return the way you came.

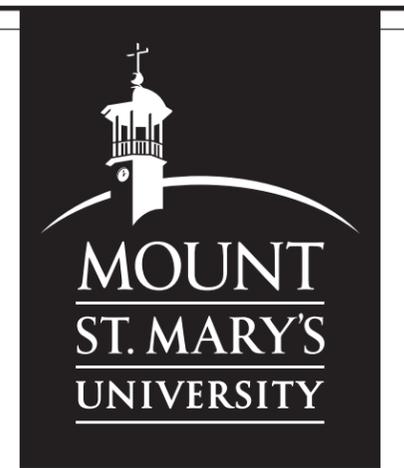
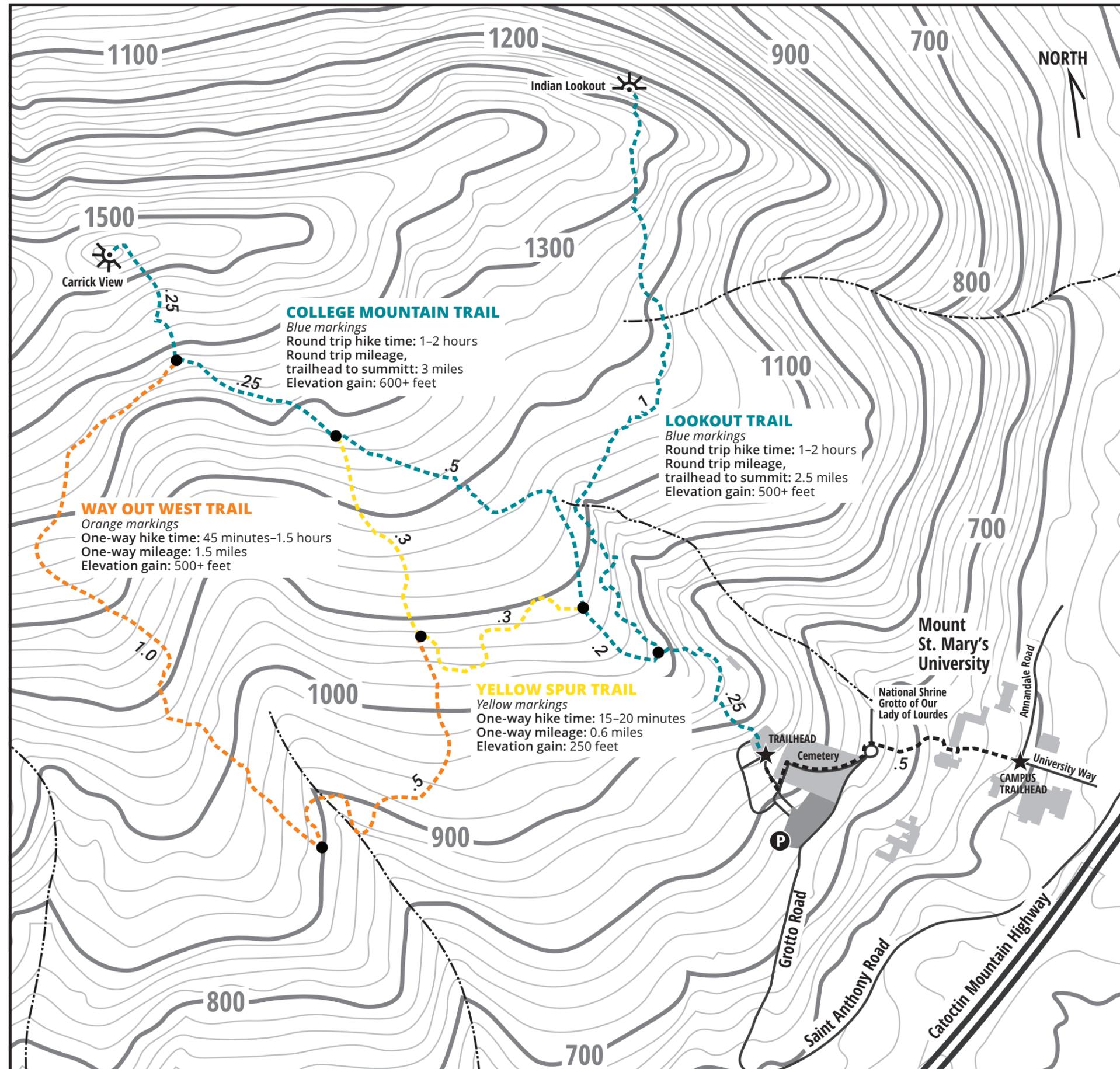
There has been a location on the mountain known as Indian Lookout since at least 1809. In light of the increased social and intellectual awareness of our nation's history, the Mount is looking at changing the name of this view point once recommendations are made through a service learning project being conducted this year. In the interim, the trail will be known as Lookout Trail while the view point remains Indian Lookout.

Yellow Spur Trail

The trail travels through nice wooded terrain with some interesting land formations. This trail can be combined with others to create a loop hike. Return to campus via the College Mountain Trail.

Way Out West Trail

Rugged and steep, wide and easy, this trail leads way-out-west on our mountain property. Grab a picnic lunch in one of the clearings or pause for some quiet contemplation at the small creek at the southernmost point of the trail. Combine this with the College Mountain Trail and the Yellow Spur Trail for a nice half-day outing.



PLAN YOUR HIKE

For your safety and the preservation of our mountain:

- » Tell someone when you head out for a hike
- » Take someone with you
- » Bring some water and a snack
- » Stay on trail
- » Do not disturb wildlife or other visitors
- » Do not leave trash of any kind, including food or pet waste
- » No campfires

PLEASE STAY ON THE BLAZED TRAIL



- Single Blaze**
Continue straight
- Left Turn**
Indicates a significant left turn
- Right Turn**
Indicates a significant right turn

KEY

- ★ Trailhead
- P Parking
- Seasonal stream
- ~ Elevation
- - - Trail
- .25 Distance between trails
- ▬ Two-lane road
- ☼ View