



Public House Walks

The Lighter Inn TOPSHAM



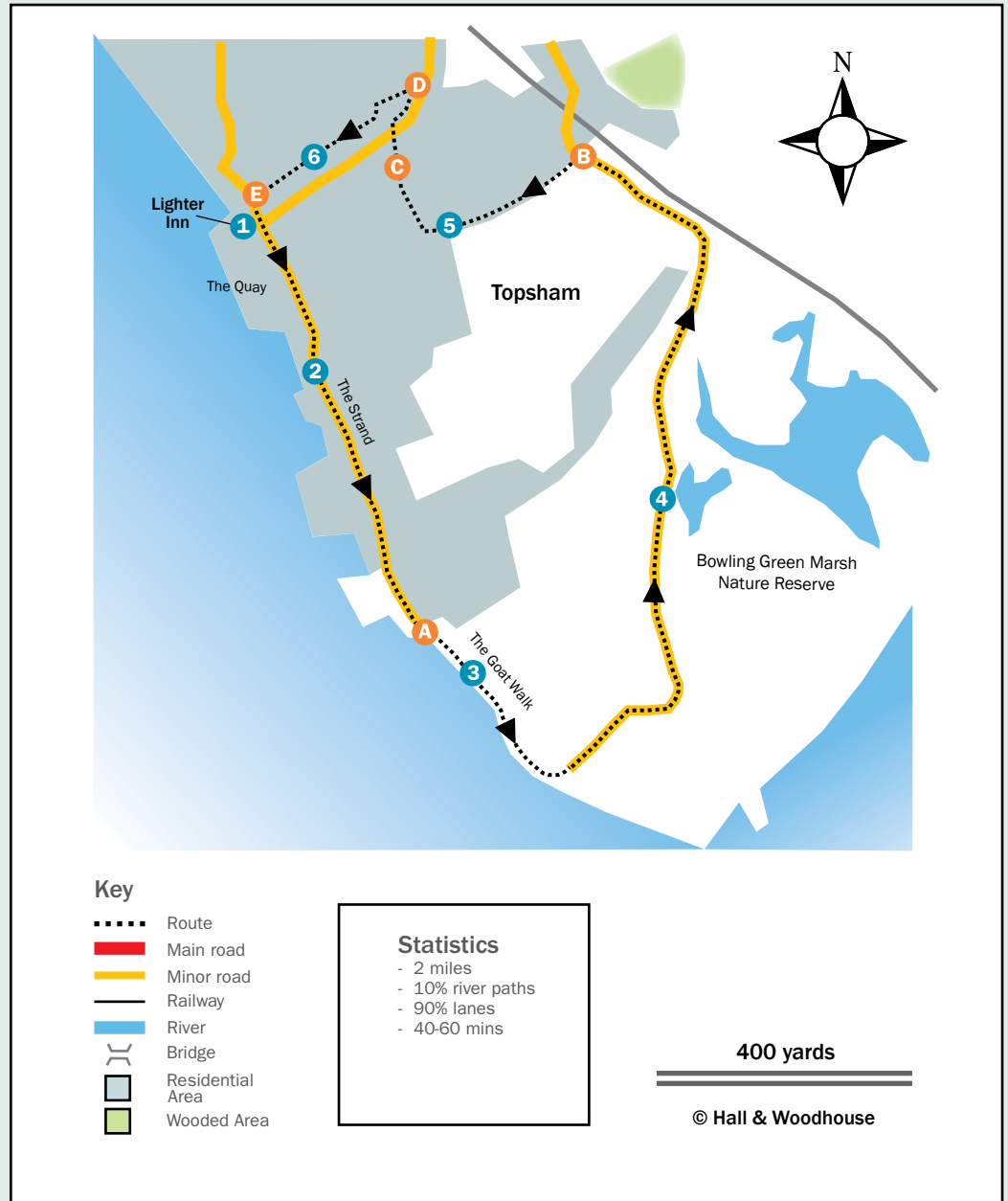
"A rewarding walk through the historic old streets of Topsham. There's a lovely stretch along the Exe estuary before passing the Bowling Green Nature Reserve and heading back."

2 miles

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- 1 From the Lighter Inn, turn right and, with the Quay Antiques centre to right, head down the Strand. Continue ahead past Brights of Nettlebed to left and yacht masts to right.

After 150 yards, with river Exe to the right,

- 2 pass delightful, coloured old houses, Topsham Museum to left then Strand Court apartments to right.

Continue along the Strand, pass Anchor House to right and, 50 yards on, the lane ends. With the Exe ahead, bear

- A left (see assist) and head along The Goat Walk with
- 3 fantastic river views to right.

250 yards ahead, path bends left away from the river and joins lane. Follow with wall to right and hedge/ fields to left. Pass entrance to RSPB Estuary Viewing Platform on the right.

Continue along lane past railings to right. 150 yards on, Bowling Green Marsh nature reserve appears to the right. Pass entrance

- 4 and stay on lane for 250 yards with reserve visible to right.

With rail bridge ahead, lane bends to left. Continue gently uphill with rail line to right. After 200 yards, lane levels off. Turn left into Monmouth Street

- B (see assist).

Head gently downhill for 200 yards and pass

- 5 Altamira Lodge to right. 50 yards on, turn right into Monmouth Avenue. 120 yards on, continue ahead on path between houses

- C (see assist).

Cross footbridge over road and follow path round for 40 yards. With railings to right, turn left on to path between brick walls (see assist). 60 yards ahead, turn left and follow lane round.

- 6 Continue past delightful old fishermans cottages for 200 yards and turn left

- E (see assist). It's just 20 yards back to The Lighter for some of their excellent hospitality!

