



LA VERNA

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Directions from Jhb via the N1

Follow the N1 Bloemfontein road out of JHB; pass through the toll road at Grasmere. From this point follow the N1 for another 37 km, please pass exit number 20 (Vanderbijlpark Sasolburg) after about 8km you will see **exit 9 (Vanderbijlpark, Potchefstroom)** at this sign turn left. Follow the road for another 800 m and turn right you will a sign for Loch Vaal at this point. Follow the road for another 4km and at the stop sign turn right. You will see a sign for Parys and Vanderbijlpark. Follow the Parys sign and turn right. Keep on this road for another 800m and you will see a sign for the Barrage Police station followed by a sign for Parys. Turn left at this sign. Follow the road for another 3km and look out for the Potchefstroom sign, at this sign turn right and look out for the signs for La Verna or the big white cross outside the entrance gate.

From Germiston:

Follow the directions to the N12 toward Durban/ Kimberley. Follow this road and look out for the R59 towards Vereeniging. Follow this road for +/- 45 km and look out for the road that branch off towards Vanderbijlpark. Follow this road and go through all the traffic lights the first set of light will be at the Pick & Pay (You will see it on you left hand side) continue through another five sets more and go straight on for another +/- 12 km until you see the Village Manor Hotel and a Zenex petrol station. Follow the road for another 800m and look out for the signs: Parys, Barrage, Police Station and Erina. At these signs turn left and follow the road for another 3km. look out for a sign Barrage Police station or Potchefstroom at this sign turn right and immediately left at the cross with the white Cross

From Bloemfontein/N1 Cape/ N1 Port Elizabeth

Coming from the above places if you pass through Bloemfontein continue on the N1 through Kroonstad toward JHB. When you come into Gauteng before you cross the Vaal River you will go through the Kroonvaal tollgate. Pass the first off ramp and go over the Vaal River. At the next road you will see a sign for Vanderbijlpark R42, follow this of ramp and continue for about 1km and look out for a sign that says Barrage Police Station at this sign, turn right. Follow the road for another 3km. look out for a sign Barrage Police station or Potchefstroom at this sign turn right and immediately left at the cross with the white Cross

Directions from Vereeniging:

Follow the R42 from Vereeniging and go through all the traffic lights and look out for the Vanderbijlpark signs follow these or just continue straight on until you see the Pick and Pay Hypermarket in Vanderbijlpark. Follow this road and go through all the traffic lights the first set of lights will be at the Pick & Pay (You will see it on you left hand side) continue through another five sets more and go straight on for another +/- 12km until you see the Village Manor Hotel and a Zenex petrol station. Follow the road for another 800m and look out for the signs: Parys, Barrage, Police Station and Erina. At these signs turn left and follow the road for another 3km. look out for a sign Barrage Police station or Potchefstroom at this sign turn right and immediately left at the cross with the white Cross

From Durban:

After you passed the Engin Garage just after the Villiers toll gate look out for the first Vereeniging sign board, branch off toward the left and turn left at this point. Follow the road to Vereeniging. Just be careful and note that you have to turn left at the LAND ROVER garage and continue straight on towards Vereeniging. You will know when you in Vereeniging, that is once you pass the Riviera Family Resort and Hotel with Golf Course, continue pass this place which is on your left until you get to the 4 way stop. here you will turn right and go through the first set of lights keeping left your second set of lights would be at **Voortrekker Rd** here you must turn right again. Follow this road and go through all the traffic lights and look out for the Vanderbijlpark signs follow these or just continue straight on until you see the Pick and Pay Hypermarket in Vanderbijlpark. Follow this road and go through all the traffic lights the first set of lights will be at the Pick & Pay (You will see it on you left hand side) continue through another five sets more and go straight on for another +/- 12km until you see the Village Manor Hotel and a Zenex petrol station. Follow the road for another 800m and look out for the signs: Parys, Barrage, Police Station and Erina. At these signs turn left and follow the road for another 3km. look out for a sign Barrage Police station or Potchefstroom at this sign turn right and immediately left at the cross with the white Cross

If you think you are lost call me at 0828558775.