



The Toucan Rescue Ranch

Tel 2268 4041

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700 Metros este, 200 Norte de la iglesia de San Josecito de San Isidro de Heredia.

Cuando llegues a San Isidro coja una derecha detrás de la iglesia, como llendo a la pista. Pasas 3 puentes al llegar al pueblo de San Josecito. De alli, son 700 metros este (sobre la misma carretera) 200 norte.

De la plaza de San Josecito, sigues recto, no hacia la derecha...cruzas un puente, sube una cuesta y cuando se hace plano somos la segunda entrada mano izquierda.

Hay un Tucan de madera pintado in la calle y un rotulo afuera que dice Se Venden Casas, Fincas y Lotes...una calle pequena pavimentada.

Llame al 2268 4041 si se pierde.

There is a Toucan Totem at the entrance to our street



Directions from the Juan Santamaria Airport Approximate Time: 40 minutes

- 1. Leave the airport heading east toward the Hampton Inn**
- 2. Go around the rotunda and turn right onto the road Rio Segundo towards Heredia. Follow this road until you reach a T-junction**

You'll pass a lot rental car agencies. You'll enter the town of Heredia, about 15 minutes. Continue on the same road through Heredia. You'll see church and lots of stores. The road will end at a T-junction.
- 3. Turn left at the T-junction**

You'll pass a bunch of fast food restaurants.
- 4. Turn right at the first traffic light, just before the University. Follow this road until you reach a T-junction.**

You'll go up a large hill and curve to the left. A few more km and you'll reach a T-junction where you'll see a fruit stand with a bunch of yellow piggy banks
- 5. Turn left at the T-junction and follow the road to San Isidro**

The road will curve to the right. You will see signs for San Rafael. Keep on this road until you reach the town of San Isidro, about 15 minutes. Entering San Isidro you will have a steep downward hill and will pass a red cross station.
- 6. Just after the Red Cross station you will be forced to turn right. Follow the road to the next intersection.**

Follow the road around the left curve and you will reach an intersection and see a Jesus statue.
- 7. Turn right at the intersection and follow the road until you reach a T-junction.**
- 8. Turn left at the T-junction and go two blocks.**

You will pass a Musimani bakery on the right. Go two blocks to the flashing light. There will be a church across the street.
- 9. Turn right at the flashing light and stay on this road until you reach our street, with the toucan totem**

This road will go through the small town of San Josecito, about 5 minutes. You will cross over 3 small bridges. In San Josecito you will pass a soccer field and a church. Stay to the left. You will cross another small bridge. After a steep hill to road levels out. Ours is the 2nd street on the left, with the toucan totem.
- 10. Turn left at the toucan totem**

This street dead-ends at our log gate.

GPS COORDINATES

<u>Location</u>	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
Airport	9°59'53.73"N	84°12'13.75"W
Hampton Inn	10° 0'3.84"N	84°11'42.54"W
Burger King in Heredia	9°59'50.68"N	84° 6'44.32"W
Red Cross in San Isidro	10° 0'49.06"N	84° 3'30.69"W
Toucan Rescue Ranch	10° 1'34.15"N	84° 2'5.89"W
Right turn towards Hwy 32	10°27'7.45"N	84° 0'48.90"W
Right turn onto Hwy 32	10°12'40.49"N	83°53'51.93"W

Directions from Arenal Approximate Time: 3½ hours

1. Drive Towards Puerto Viejo de Sarapiquí

Most folks go to Arenal from the Alajuela, San Ramon side, which is a pretty drive, a bit complicated and very curvy road. If you have done that, come the "back way" which is much easier and has good straight roads!

Have the hotel point you in the right direction, you are looking for Puerto Viejo de Sarapiquí (not Puerto Viejo de Limón).

Just before you enter Puerto Viejo there will be a large street to the right.

2. Turn right towards Hwy 32 and Braulio Carrillo National Park

If you want to stop for lunch in Puerto Viejo, follow the road into town and right across from the park and taxis is a restaurant called Bamboo (I think that is the name), has a parking space in front and a painted mural on the left hand side of the parking area!

After the right hand turn you'll drive about 25 minutes to get to hwy 32. You'll reach a T-junction with restaurants and fruit stands. (Robertos on the left is good)

3. Turn right at the T-Junction onto Hwy 32

You'll be heading towards San Jose. Come thru the rainforest. When you come out of the forest you will pass a toll booth. A few miles past the toll booth is a flashing light and a street on the right.

4. Turn right at the flashing light and stay on this road until you reach our street, with the toucan totem

You'll go over 2 small bridges. After the 2nd bridge, ours is the 2nd street to the right, with the toucan totem.

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Directions from the Caribbean Approximate Time: 3½ hours

1. Take Highway 32 towards San Jose.

After about an hour you'll reach an intersection with lots of fruit stands and restaurants. (If you're hungry, Robertos is good) Keep going straight on highway 32 and you'll come thru the rainforest. When you come out of the forest you will pass a toll booth. A few miles past the toll booth is a flashing light and a street on the right.

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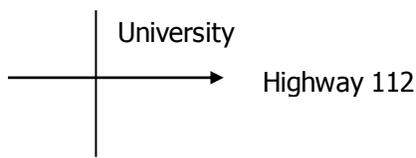
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Intersection with fruit stands	10°12'40.49"N	83°53'51.93"W
Toll Booth - Braulio Carrillo	10° 1'49.73"N	84° 0'27.24"W
Right turn towards San Isidro	10° 1'37.48"N	84° 1'26.05"W
Toucan Rescue Ranch	10° 1'34.15"N	84° 2'5.89"W

Directions from Heredia Approximate Time: 20 minutes

1. From the University, head East on highway 112



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2. Turn left at the T-junction and follow the road to San Isidro

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Directions from San Jose Approximate Time: 30 minutes

1. Take highway 32 heading towards Guapiles and Limon

Stay on this highway for about 20 minutes. On the right you will pass a restaurant named Rancho Zurqui. Then you'll come to a flashing light and sign for San Isidro.

2. Turn left at the flashing light and stay on this road until you reach our street, with the toucan totem

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Start of Hwy 32 in San Jose to Guiples/Limon	9°56'33.45"N	84° 4'36.44"W
Rancho Zurqui	10° 1'34.68"N	84° 1'26.66"W
Toucan Rescue Ranch	10° 1'34.15"N	84° 2'5.89"W

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Directions from San Isidro de Heredia Approximate Time: 5 minutes

1. Just past the Red Cross station in San Isidro you will be forced to turn right. Follow the road to the next intersection.

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2. Turn right at the intersection and follow the road until you reach a T-junction.

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Local Bus from San Jose

Catch the bus for "San Isidro de Heredia". It is about 300 meters north of the main post office, behind Tina's buses . It is about a 40 minute ride. You can use the attached directions to see where to get off the bus. If you miss our stop, you can take the bus to the end of the line and then get a taxi back. The taxi's are on the opposite side of the church from where the bus stops. It's about \$5.

Local Bus from Heredia

Catch the bus for "San Isidro de Heredia". It is in front of the downtown Mega Super. . It is about a 40 minute ride. Take the bus to the end of the line and then get a taxi. You will see the taxi's lined up beside the church. It's about \$5.