

4-6 Mile Walk
Tuesday 13 February
Middleton in Teesdale
walk and write-up by Lynda Barras

We started the walk from the fountain in-Middleton in Teesdale, first crossing the bridge and passing the Mart where there was a major sale of cattle and calves in progress, which slowed some of us down somewhat! Then steady up to Kirk Carrion where we stopped briefly to admire the view. Unfortunately at this point one of our group was feeling unwell so we lost two members who decided to take it steadily back down.

We continued the climb by the wall, which was still covered in snow at the lower parts, and then joined the Pennine Way for a couple of fields until we had sight of Grassholme Reservoir.

Since the weather was quite windy and rainy we decided to return without going up Harter Fell, a climb for another day. We returned on the Pennine Way back to Middleton where some of us then went for drinks and cake in one of the cafes there.