

# PILGRIMAGE TRAVEL INFO

**DRESS:** Wear comfortable walking shoes, layers of clothing for weather changes. Bring a hat and sunglasses. Dust and high winds are possible. The altitude is 3,500-4,000 feet above sea level. Sanitized toilets will be on site.

**BUS FROM LOS ANGELES:** For those interested in taking the bus from Los Angeles, a bus sponsored by The Manzanar Committee, will be leaving Little Tokyo by 6:30 am. Cost for the bus is \$25 (\$20 for students and seniors age 65+) and must be prepaid and mailed to 1566 Curran Street, Los Angeles, CA 90026. Reservations will be accepted from April 1-22, 2005. Confirmations will be mailed.

**MANZANAR NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE:** On the day of the pilgrimage, the Interpretive Center will be open from 8am - 8pm. For info, call 760.878-2194 or visit [www.nps.gov/manz/home.htm](http://www.nps.gov/manz/home.htm).

**EASTERN CALIFORNIA MUSEUM:** Be sure to visit the Eastern California Museum in Independence (see map) where an extensive exhibit on Manzanar is on permanent display. Museum admission is free. Museum hours are 10 am to 4 pm. For info, call 760.878-0258.

**MANZANAR AT DUSK:** The evening program will be held this year at the Interpretive Center at 5 p.m. Share stories, experiences, inter-generational discussions, poetry, open mic, etc! Co-sponsored by Manzanar 9/11, Nikkei Student Union and Education in Action. For info, email [manzcomm@yahoo.com](mailto:manzcomm@yahoo.com).

**SUPPORT THE MANZANAR COMMITTEE:** "Keep it Going... Pass it On: Poetry Inspired by the Manzanar Pilgrimage" zines are available for a \$10 donation; special commemorative t-shirts and notecards are also available for a small donation. Your contribution will support pilgrimage costs and educational programming.

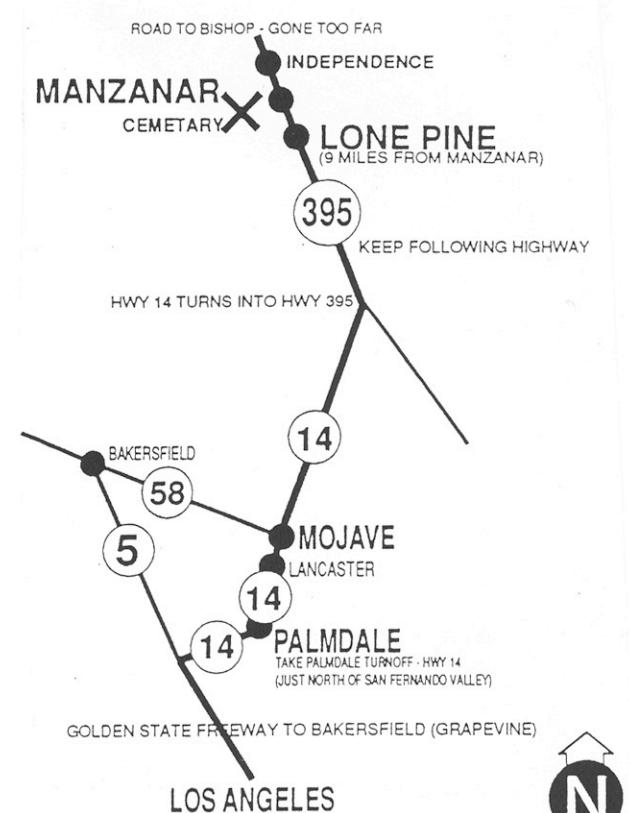
## ABOUT THE MANZANAR COMMITTEE:

The Manzanar Committee is dedicated to educating the public about the Japanese American internment camp experience by organizing the annual Manzanar Pilgrimage. It is an all-volunteer, nonprofit 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Donations are graciously accepted and are deductible to the extent permitted by law. Department of Social Services permit on file.

## OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS:

Dow Villa, Lone Pine 760.876.5521  
Best Western Frontier, Lone Pine 760.876.5571  
Alabama Hills Inn, Lone Pine 760.876.8700  
Independence Courthouse 760.878.2732  
Winnedumah Country Inn, Independence 760.878.2040  
Gray's Meadow Campground 800.280.2267  
Diaz Lake Campground 760.876.5656

## DIRECTIONS TO MANZANAR



**DIRECTIONS:** The distance from Los Angeles to Manzanar is approximately 210 miles, one way. The trip to Manzanar will take about 4-1/2 hours, including stops. The annual pilgrimage is held at the northwest corner of the former campsite--near the cemetery monument. The entrance for the pilgrimage is at the Guard House.

## FOR MORE INFO:

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