

Simple directions first, then more complex in case you're not sure.

Address:

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Red Fern Glass

428 County Road 9351

Green Forest, AR 72638.

From the west:

The turn off for my road is 1.5 miles after the 103 N junction to Green Forest and 1.5 miles before you get to Osage on Hwy 412. Carroll County Road 937 is near the bottom of the big hill (Miller Mtn.) where the passing lane is. 937 at the bottom of the hill is about 1.5 miles east of the 103 North Junction to Green Forest. Turn south on County Road 937, sign is not in the best place to see.

More detailed instructions coming from the west (driving east).

From 412/103 North Junction:

At about 1 mile from the 103/412 north junction and just as you start going downhill, you will see County Road 937 (937 starts near the top of the hill and meets the highway again near the bottom of the hill further east). From the west you have the option of turning onto 937 and taking it to the bottom of the hill where you have to make a nearly 180 degree turn onto 935... OR keep going on 412 to nearly the bottom of the hill and at about 1.5 miles past the 103 junction, make a sharp right turn going downhill, onto Carroll County Road 937. The second 937 junction is the 3rd turnoff after the first 937 junction (937 is close to the top of the hill, pass 2 driveways on the right then 937 is near the bottom of the hill). There is a driveway that goes to a trailer house about 20 feet east of County Road 937. Once you are on 937 you will see a row of mailboxes, mine is the second one, black, 428 CR 9351. There will be a sign about 50 yards from the highway where 935 forks to the left. Follow directions below once you are on 935.

From the east (driving west)

From Hwy 65 north of Harrison take Hwy 412 west toward Eureka Springs to Alpena, stay on 412 (left turn in Alpena). About 12 miles west of Alpena (still on 412) and 1.5 miles west of the Hwy 103 South Junction (to Osage) turn left (south) onto Carroll County Road 937. Carroll County 937 is at the bottom of a hill just where the passing lane starts. There is a driveway that goes to a trailer house about 20 feet east of County Road 937 (sign is facing highway instead of facing traffic) near the bottom of the hill. If you go up a big hill with a passing lane and see a sign for 937 (near the top of the hill) or if you see the 103 NORTH junction to Green Forest you have gone too far. Once you are on 937 near the bottom of the hill you will see a row of mailboxes, mine is a black one 428 CR 9351. There will be a county road sign about 50 yards from the highway where 935 forks to the left. Stay left all the way to my place. The county road is steep in places. The left some people miss is 2 miles from the highway for County Road 9351, sign is again facing where it is difficult for traffic to see easily. Then another .7-.8 miles, stay to the left. There is a circle drive to turn around at the end of the drive where my shop/studio is.

On Carroll County Road 937

Very shortly, about 50 yards, turn left on County Road 935. Stay left all the way to my place. The county road is steep in places. The left some people miss is 2 miles from the highway for County Road 9351, sign is again facing where it is difficult for traffic to see easily. Then another .7-.8 miles, stay to the left. There is a circle drive to turn around at the end of the drive where my shop/studio is.

On Carroll County Road 935

Simple: Once you are on 935 stay to the left 2.8 miles and you will end up at Red Fern Glass.

Detailed: Once on 935 you will go over a cattle guard, a small concrete bridge, and another cattle guard within the first mile. The first steep hill is usually the roughest, then you pass three driveways to the right, and pass a couple orange gates on the left at 1.7-1.9 miles from the highway and a couple more orange gates on your left once you turn onto 9351. They are normally closed, if open don't go through them. Many people miss the last left at the top of the hill (2 miles from highway) for 9351 (this sign is easy to miss) If you miss 9351 you will pass a house on the left then a house on the right and another small house on the left and the road will eventually disappear or you will end up following the natural gas line which is more of a path than a road. If you have gone much more than 3 miles and are not at my house or studio go back and look for the sign for 9351. I am about .75 miles down 9351. You will come to the natural gas line after another drive forks to the right, the road curves left at the gas line, then you will come to the fenced garden where you will see some glass decorations, the driveway curves to the right at the garden gate. There are a couple storage buildings/well house/carport on your right, then the house with rough wood siding, partially two stories on the left. The studio is all the way to the end of the road and has a circle drive. There is a metal building used for storage and glass fusing. The main studio is the building with wood siding and stucco siding. The entrance is between the studio and the metal building.