

2.3 Place Fell 3, 4 and 5

Images from the walk to the waymarker tree.



The larches above Side Farm. In the background Sheffield Pike, with Glenridding Dodd in front, overlook Ullswater.



Though easily missed, from the lane leading into Rooking, look ahead carefully to note the 'ashtree' on the upper pathway to Boardale, appearing as if on the skyline (above, at upper centre). AW's 'larch plantation' (Angletarn Pikes 5) is seen on the left. The larches above Side Farm are located further left (northwards) out of frame.



Arrival at AW's ashtree, standing proudly beside the upper path near a shallow gully. The lower path is parallel, downslope to the right. Angletarn Pikes looms ahead, with distant Brothers Water southwards, below Brock Crag and Hartsop Dodd.



Looking back from above the ash, with Patterdale at the head of Ullswater and a sweeping view of the fells composing the Helvellyn, St Sunday Crag and Dove Crag groups. The ash is damaged and decayed, yet it endures. It is, in fact, a source of food and shelter for a host of fungi, insects, birds and animals. Hopefully it will remain a waymarker for many more years.