Sojourner Truth Life Walk

Sojourner Truth's Path to the Courthouse (approximate)

Sojourner Truth Freedom Trail

1. Sojourner Truth Statue
   172 Broadway, Port Ewen

2. Jug Tavern (No access)
   1 River Road, Port Ewen

3. Klyne Esopus
   764 Rte 9W, Ulster Park

4. Dumont Farm vicinity
   West Park Post Office on the corner of 9W & Floyd Ackert Rd. (exact location not visible)

5. Home of Levi Rowe (No access)
   572 Old Post Rd, Esopus

6. Shaupeneak Ridge
   143 Popletown Road, Esopus (Scenic Hudson)

7. Van Wagenen Home (No access)
   11 Van Wagner Road, Ulster Park

8. Ulster County Court House
   285 Wall St, Kingston

9. St James United Methodist Church
   35 Pearl St, Kingston

10. Pronkstilven Mural
    289 Fair Street, Kingston

11. Ain’t I Woman Mural
    72 Franklin Street, Kingston

12. Approximate location of John Neely's home in the Rondout
    (no building visible)

13. Birthplace of Isabella Baumfree
    Route 213 Rifton NY (not visible)
Welcome to our Self-Guided Tour and Sojourner Truth Life in Esopus Map!

Notes:
*Before proceeding to the next stop on your tour, please enter the address of the stop into your gps.

*Please be respectful of private property while on your tour. Know that while the homeowners have given us permission to include them on this tour, there is no access to the property. Please do not use their driveways to turn around.

*In order to drive the full ‘Freedom Trail’ Popletown Road would need to be clear. If there is snow on the ground, Popletown Road will likely be impassable due to the steep decline on the north side. In order to proceed from stop #6 at Shaupeneak, please drive back down Popletown Road to Old Post Road to 9W to Esopus Ave, left on Union Center, left at William White Road, right onto Rt 213 and a quick left on Van Wagner Road to stop #7 (at 11 Van Wagner Road)

Resources:
There are many sources from which to learn more about Sojourner Truth, below are few we found essential, helpful and inspiring.

The Narrative of Sojourner Truth

Sojourner Truth: Slave, Prophet, Legend by Carleton Mabee 1995

The Mindful Walker blog by Susan DeMark

Local Esopus website:
https://www.esopus.com/visit/sojourner-truths-time-in-esopus-ny/

Dream Big, Little One by Vashti Harrison

Thank you:
The Library at the A.J. Williams-Myers African Roots Center
Town of Esopus
Klyne Esopus Museum
Evelyn Clarke - (narrator extraordinaire) Town Council Esopus, Memorial Committee
Micah - marvelous mapmaker

Harambee
My Kingston Kids
Seasoned Gives
Seasoned Delicious Foods
Metal House Cider
Scenic Hudson

For more information go to Black History Month Kingston at http://blackhistorymonthkingston.org