

TRANSPORTATION GUIDE TO OAK VIEW FOR THE BARTIMAEUS INSTITUTE

Bartimaeus Institutes are held in the small town of Oak View, California, located about seven miles north of Ventura on Highway 33. Our address is **615 Santa Ana Blvd, Oak View, CA, 93022**, and we are located on the corner of Santa Ana Blvd and Monte Via (see directions by car below).

We encourage you to minimize your carbon footprint by using public transportation or carpooling whenever feasible. Please read the following information carefully. To get to Oak View...

I. By Air:

- **Los Angeles International Airport (LAX)**, 80 miles from Oak View. From LAX you can take the **Ventura County Airporter** shuttle, which will bring you to the Ventura Holiday Inn Express. We can pick you up there at **2:45pm or 5pm on first day of Institute**. On last day of Institute we can drop you off to catch the **1pm or 3:15pm** shuttle. Check for the most up to date schedule, price and make reservations at www.venturashuttle.com. *One week before the Institute, you must let us know you want a pick up.*
- You can also take the Flyaway, a non-stop bus between LAX and Union Station and then catch the Amtrak train to Ventura (see **By Train** info below). <http://www.lawa.org/flyaway/>
- **Santa Barbara Airport (SBA)**, a 50 minute drive from Oak View. You will need to rent a car or take a taxi to Oak View.
- **Burbank Airport (BUR)**. **Amtrak** has train service five times daily between BUR and Ventura. Please see details below under **By Train**.

II. By Train: Amtrak comes to 5 times daily; the station is 15 minutes from our home. We can pick you up there if you arrive before **5pm on first day of the Institute** and leave between **1-5pm on last day**. Please check the latest schedule and make reservations at www.amtrak.com. *One week before the Institute, you must let us know you want to be picked up*

III. By Bus: There is a **Greyhound** station in downtown Ventura. Check times to assure your timely arrival to the Institute. **On first day of institute** we can pick you up at the Ventura Greyhound station as long as you arrive **before 5pm**. We can also drop you off at the Greyhound station **on last day of Institute at 2 pm**. *One week before the Institute, you must let us know you want to be picked up.*

IV. By Car: Driving north or south on U.S. HWY 101, look for 33 North to Ojai (northernmost exit in Ventura). Drive approximately 7 miles until you reach the small town of Oak View. There are 3 traffic lights; at the third light, Santa Ana Blvd, turn left. Drive down the hill; when you come to the stop sign, look right. We are there on the northwest corner of Santa Ana Blvd & Monte Via: 615 Santa Ana Blvd. (If you cross the bridge/river, you have gone too far). Park on the strip. There will be Bartimaeus Institute signs. Please come in!

NOTE: One week before the Institute, if you want us to pick you up in Ventura, you must let us know where you will be arriving and at what time. **On arrival day**, if you miss your plane or it is delayed and you missed your ground transportation, or if you are late coming into the Ventura train or bus station, please call BCM at **323-449-5170**.