Fontana Santa

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Country: Italia / Italy **Region:** Trentino-Alto Adige **Subregion:** Trento / Provincia autonoma di Trento **Town:** Storo

Difficulty: difficult	**Grading:** v5 a3 III	**Total time:** 5h35
Approachtime: 1h30	**Tourtime:** 4h	**Returntime:** 5min
Altitude entry: 1050m	**Altitude exit:** 410m	**Delta Altitude:** 640m
Canyon length: 900m	**Highest rapell:** 80m	**Amount rapells:** 15
Transport: Car required	**Rock type:** limestone	**Drainage area:** 0.72km²
Season: May - September	**Orientation:** West	**Best Time:**
Rating: ☆ 2 (2)	**Info:** ★ 0 ()	**Belay:** ★ 1 (1)

Specialities:

Gear:

Summary: (machine translated)
Poorly accessible rappel canyon (no slides or possible jumps).

Hydrology:

Access: (machine translated)
Take the SS 240 from Riva del Garda past Lago di Ledro to Storo. In Storo straight through (Via Garibaldi) until the bridge over the Fiume Chiese. Immediately before the bridge take the road to the right and continue until the picnic area, from where you can see the final waterfalls. With the second car return to the main road, here turn left towards Storo, but only a few meters further - after crossing the canal - turn left again from the main road and head again in a northeasterly direction. After a 90 degree bend, we meet the road that comes from Storo and goes into a climb in a right-hand bend. We turn left here and take this narrow, winding tarred road and go steadily uphill, through a tunnel and past the chapel (S. Lorenzo). Just a few meters further on, the road branches. We stay on the left and, after passing 2 houses - the first set off from the road on the left - we park our second car where on the left, at an acute angle, a dirt road leaves in a northerly direction (see photos and map in photo gallery).

Approach: (machine translated)
Now follow the signpost "Verdura" uphill on foot in many switchbacks. Finally, the exit ends at a house at 910m altitude. The further access is a problem here. We also wandered around at the time and only after a few wrong turns and after much more time than given somehow found our way into the streambed. The entrance height is unanimously indicated with 1050m height. Based on this, I have made various maps, some with conceivable access routes, accessible in the photo gallery. However, the following sketch gives the impression that the climbers have entered much further down and immediately before the vertical final section (? - with a question mark I have also provided this access variant in the photo):
https://maps.google.it/maps/ms?msa=0&msid=201558811234276251465.0004ce4962f42a80a62d0&hl=it&ie=UTF8&t=h&
. However, the statement in the corresponding description that they roped into the canyon from the tree seems to confirm my assumption.

Tour: (machine translated)
Once in the stream, a total of 15 rappels await us (from 1050m altitude), with the intermediate stand to the last 80m rappel being somewhat narrow and exposed.

Return: (machine translated)
At the bottom we walk along the edge of the gravelly ditch out to the car.

Coordinates:
Canyon Start 45.8625 10.5905
Canyon End 45.8623 10.5804
Parking at Entry 45.8498 10.5873
Parking at Exit 45.8602 10.5767
Waypoint 45.8565 10.5826

Reports:

2026-04-06 | MirkoT | |🕮 |⚓ ★ | 〰 Normal | 👍 Completed
The complete descent of this canyon is reported. It was completely re-armed. The upper part had no anchors. (machine translated)

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