

# Sarpdere

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<b>Country:</b> Türkiye / Turkey <b>Region:</b> Muğla / Mugla <b>Subregion:</b> Fethiye <b>Town:</b> Fethiye		
<b>Difficulty:</b> not as difficult	<b>Grading:</b> v3 a1 II	<b>Total time:</b> 2h30
<b>Approachtime:</b> 10min	<b>Tourtime:</b> 2h15	<b>Returntime:</b> 5min
<b>Altitude entry:</b> 540m	<b>Altitude exit:</b> 380m	<b>Delta Altitude:</b> 160m
<b>Canyon length:</b> 1100m	<b>Highest rapell:</b> 16m	<b>Amount rapells:</b> 14
<b>Transport:</b> Car optional	<b>Rock type:</b> limestone	<b>Intake area:</b> km <sup>2</sup>
<b>Season:</b>	<b>Orientation:</b> South	<b>Best Time:</b> 11-14 o clock
<b>Rating:</b> ★ 3 (1)	<b>Info:</b> ★ 0 ()	<b>Belay:</b> ★ 3 (1)
<b>Specialities:</b>		
<b>Gear:</b> Ropes: 2x20m		
<b>Summary:</b> (machine translated) Dry canyon, at most water flow in the canyon itself after heavy rainfall. Narrow canyon between mature rock walls. Very aesthetic and continuous. Particularly impressive when the sun shines on the reddish rock.		
<b>Hydrology:</b>		
<b>Access:</b> (machine translated) From the town of Fethiye on the southern Aegean, we drive about 12 km south to Olüdeniz, a tourist stronghold beautifully situated on a bay with a lagoon and sandy beach. Towards the exit, the road descends steeply into the village. Where it begins to level out again - about 400m before reaching the coastal promenade - we turn left onto Kidiral CD in the direction of Faralya. The road initially walks towards the slope and, as soon as it reaches the foot of the slope, turns right and heads south, gradually ascending along the coast (beautiful view of Olüdeniz). About 3.4 km after turning onto Kidiral CD, we drive around a large hotel complex located directly on the coast. The road now climbs steeply, partly in serpentes, and after a total of almost 8 km we reach the canyon rim above the Kelebekler Vadisi. The road branches off here, we keep to the right at the canyon rim and reach the crossing of "our" stream 1.3 km after this fork in the road in a right-hand serpentine. There is space to park 1 car here. If there is no parking here, there is another parking space on the right-hand side of the road about 100m further on. With a second car, we would drive another 1.3 km back to the aforementioned road junction and turn right uphill at a sharp angle. We now drive uphill for another 2.5 km. Then, at the exit of a long left-hand bend, we turn right onto a dirt road and arrive at our parking lot for the entry on the next right-hand bend.		
<b>Approach:</b> (machine translated) From the parking lot (for entry) we now continue down the slope and after about 550m we come to the bridge over the Sarpdere. Now we walk down the right bank of the stream and after about 200m we come to the beginning of the gorge - entry.		
<b>Tour:</b> (machine translated) Small rappel in narrow and winding corridors, see photos.		
<b>Return:</b> (machine translated) After the canyon exit in a few minutes to the road where the car is parked.		

**Coordinates:**

Canyon Start [36.50546000 29.14664000](#)  
Canyon End [36.50030000 29.13729000](#)  
Parking at Exit [36.50117000 29.13730000](#)  
Parking at Entry [36.50834000 29.14431000](#)  
Waypoint [36.49631000 29.14017000](#)  
Waypoint [36.50484000 29.14652000](#)

**Reports:**

2024-04-08 | Wolfgang Streicher | ★★ ★ | 📖 | ⚓ ★★ ★ | 🌊 Dry | 📌 Not done  
Water rivulet before the start of the gorge, which quickly exits at the beginning of the narrowing. Beautifully polished limestone, some of which turns reddish in the sunlight. Several clamping blocks. More attractive than expected from the available information. (machine translated)