



Miles Canyon Views, 3.6 km: *This trail goes through a nice area. It's so close to Miles Canyon and yet so different than the east side of the river trails. Old forest, thick moss, dense blowdown areas, high escarpments and great viewpoints have this trail providing another interesting segment of the Yukon River Trail.*

Park at Miles Canyon.

- 1:** The trail starts behind the big rocks at the outhouses. Follow it out to a nice viewpoint overlooking the river.
- 2:** The trail splits here. Follow the left branch out along the river. Lots of dirt bike use makes some of the hills dusty and rocky. Nice river views in places, with many ups and downs. A couple of the hills could easily have a bypass.
- 3:** New trail construction seems to be happening. Preplanning could make this less messy. The hike along this ridge has nice views looking up at the escarpment.
- 4:** At the intersection you'll take the Hepburn Tramway trail up to the top of the escarpment. It's a beautiful section of trail.
- 5:** At the top of the escarpment turn right and ascend to the next level.
- 6:** Shortly after connecting to the oil pipeline route you'll see great views over the canyon and beyond over Schwatka Lake.
- 7:** Watch for this side trail which takes you through a nice forest trail and right back to the starting point.