

# Madeline

## Climbing Guide

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**Access:** Nobody has climbed at Madelaine for more than 15 years. Current access conditions are unknown. Please contact Derek Marshall [info@easterncaperockclimbing.co.za](mailto:info@easterncaperockclimbing.co.za) for known details.

**Accommodation:** Fairly rough car camping. There were tanks for drinking water & vleis to swim in 15 years ago. The camp spot was majestic.

**General:** Vertical dolerite. Crag is about 800m wide & 140m high. There are also quite a few boulders around the base that could be bouldered. Only 2 trad lines opened so far. Potential for hundreds of new lines.

**Hazards:**

No real hazards. Lightening in summer.

**1. Rising Up to Heaven – 16**

56m Allen Luck & Derek Marshall 2003 (T)

Easy ramp break on the far LH side. Most prominent easy line.

**2. Take Me Too the Promised Land – 20**

40m Derek Marshall & Craig Bester 2003 (T)

One third of the crag, from the LH side. Hand crack leads to large clump of grass. Crack widens into off width. Take it up to top of a large block. Abseil from nut in slot.



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