

Driving Instructions to Saissac

From Albi and Mazamet: (Saissac is over the Montagne Noir and to the south)

These towns are in the Tarn area, and you need to make your way to Mazamet.

1. The D118 is the roadway which will take you from Mazamet over the Montagne Noir towards Carcassonne. It is a winding and occasionally difficult road in parts, but very open in others. There are several good places to stop and enjoy some of the spectacular views.
2. You will be following the GREEN signs to Carcassonne.
3. After about 90 minutes, you will encounter the township of CUXAC - Carbardes.
4. 3 kms further on you will encounter the D103 running to your right towards Escoussols, Brouse et Villaet and into St Dennis. Follow this all the way into Saissac
5. You will first glimpse the Chateau du Saissac will be straight-ahead across the ravine, as you come to a controlled intersection and the road leading slightly to your right and into the village.
6. A few hundreds metres onwards, as you enter the village, you will see two large stone towers to your left, opposite the bar/hotel. One is the Information Centre. This is your cue to slow down and complete a tight 180 degree turn to your left.
7. Just past the Information Centre slightly on your right is a public car park. This sits above and overlooks the house. To the left is a sloping roadway which meets Rue d'Autan. At the bottom of this road, turn right into Rue d'Autan and house is 50 metres along on your left.
8. You can park anywhere in the free area outside the house, or slightly back towards the old washing area to your right. Be aware that other residents do drive through these streets, and you need to ensure they have room to pass. Welcome to Saissac!!