## EPWORTH SOUTH

$\rightarrow$ START Holmes and Gardens Garden Centre, Belton Road, Epworth. Please park at the far end of the car park to leave space for regular patrons.

## $\varsigma_{\circ}^{\circ}$ THE WALK

1... Go straight through the car park following the footpath past the Church and beyond.
2... When you reach the road, turn right and follow it round back into Epworth.
3... Pass in front of the Red lion pub and turn left up Albion Hill passing Epworth rectory on the left.
4... Cross the road, before Greengate is a public footpath on the Right .Take this path which initially goes between houses but then opens out into fields, ignore the first path on the right which leads to a windmill.
5... Carry on heading South until a wide track turns right, follow this to where Blow Road meets Burnham Road.
6... Cross the main road and turn right, in a few years take a tarmac lane on the left which leads downhill with a cemetery on the right.
7... The tarmac lane becomes a track leading downhill until a bend is reached. Turn right ignoring a track going left and continue on the footpath between houses and a school.
8... This path opens out onto a quiet road, cross and turn left joining another footpath continue ahead for a quarter mile.
9... At the end of this footpath turn Right opposite Manley Court into Studcross and continue straight ahead ignoring Fieldside. Studcross leads into Battlegreen passing Paddock close on the right, follow the road past the Old School Inn on your left until reaching a wider road.
10... Cross this road and turn Right, then take a left fork into Tottermire lane, continue ahead, cross the main A161 and return to car park.

TERRAIN Some gentle gradient and some rough ground.
(1) TIME Allow $11 / 2$ hours at a leisurely pace.

REFRESHMENTS A popular café/restaurant at Holmes and Gardens Garden Centre.

MAPS OS Explorer 280 Isle of Axholme.


