



Looking down our very steep embankment, wondering how we will ever get to the promontory below.



Another view of the mighty hill from across the river, through high-tension lines



The excavation begins





In order to conquer the steep dropoff, a trench needed to be dug.





The trench is moderately steep, and levels off when it curves right



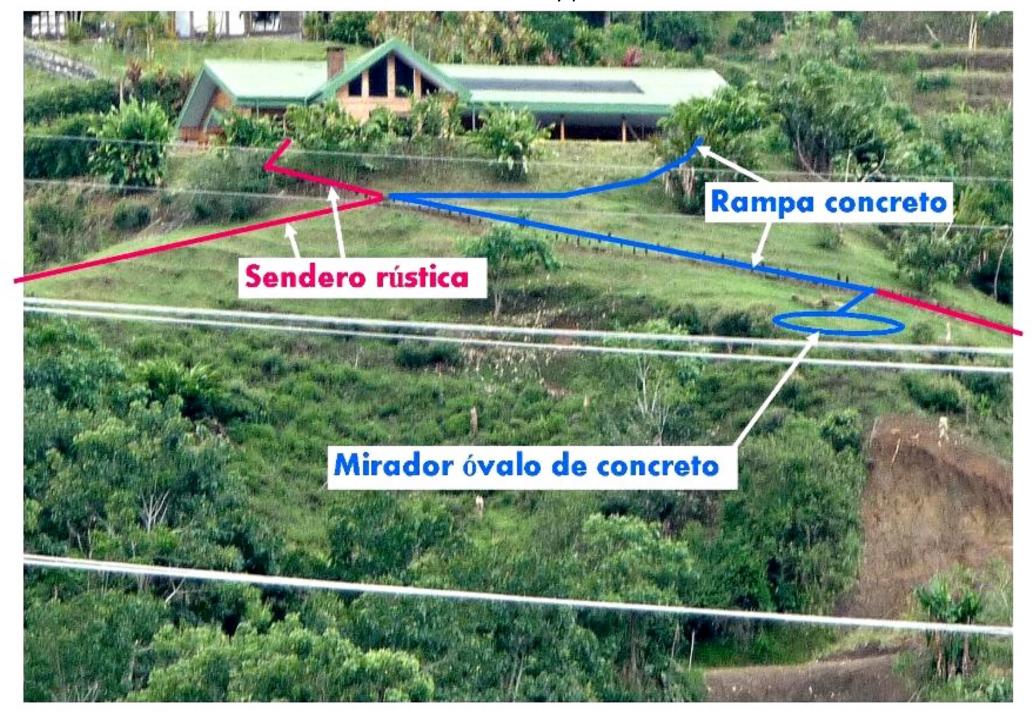
This level section reminds me of a baseball dugout.







One of the early plans



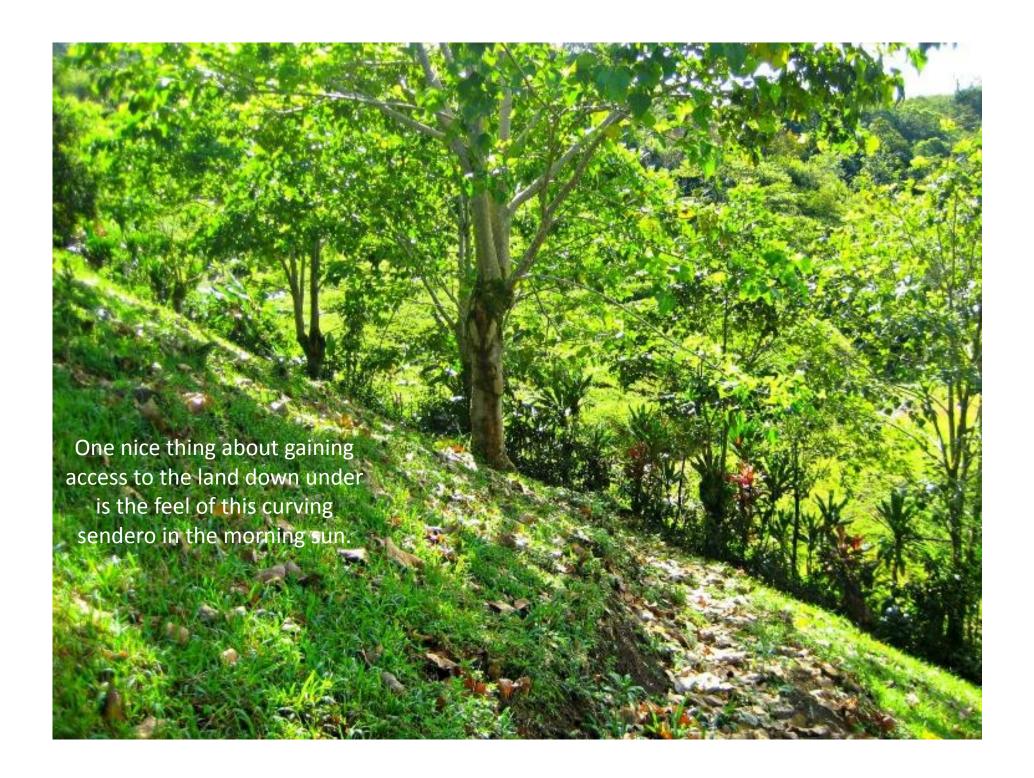


Retaining walls were constructed, mostly of concrete block, starting from the top.















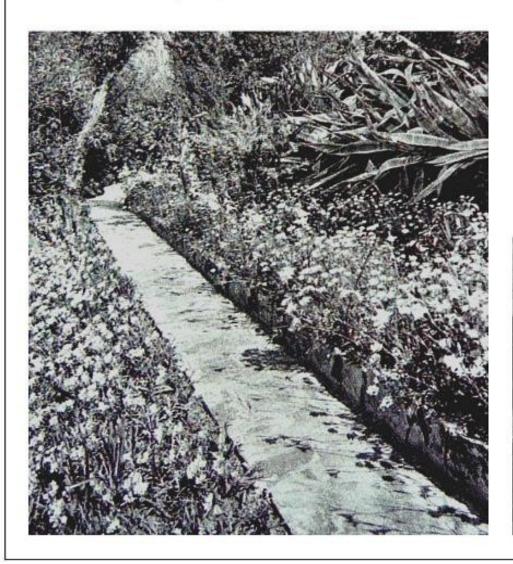






Famous Sidehill Garden Pathways

The Garden of the Castel Sainte-Claire, Hyères, France 6500 square meters Designed by Edith Wharton, 1927 The Garden of the Pondorosi, Orosi, Costa Rica 7000 square meters Designed by Mark Jensen, 2012 (still in progress)







Building a ramp to access the new north sendero.









Covering the block walls with a cement mixture.



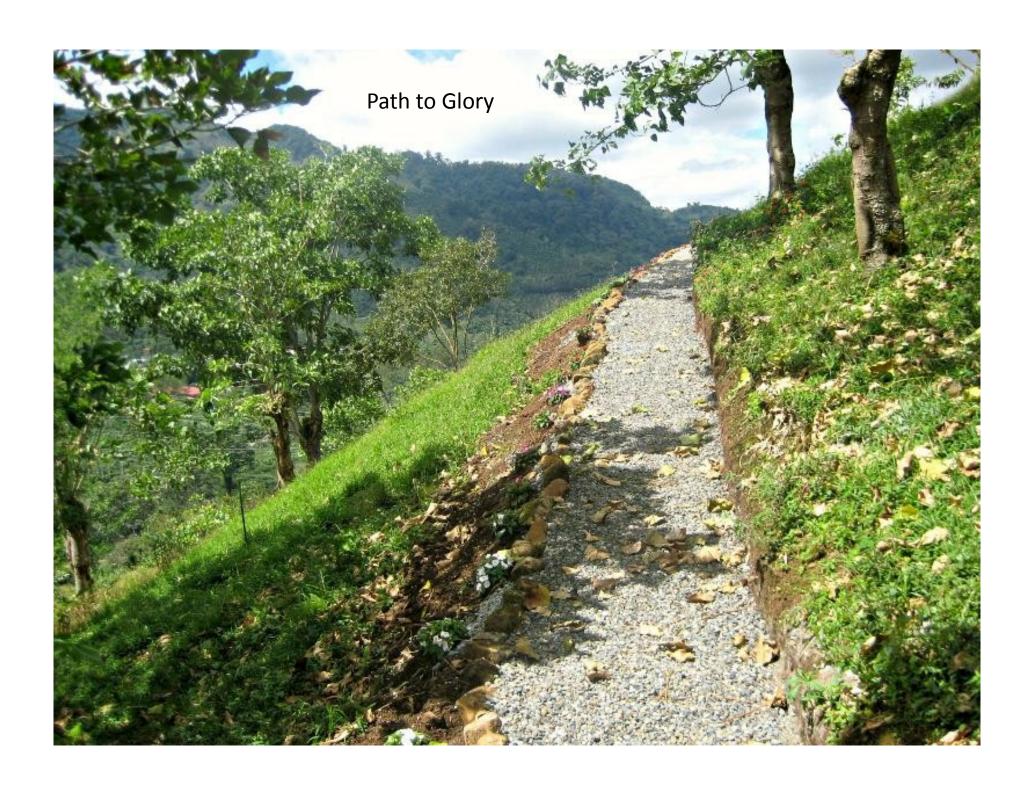


Powerwash.
It remains to be seen how kindly nature will treat the senderos.





The south sendero is made of layers of sand, stone and cement, lightly watered.











Plan your work

block



Work your plan