Portland: Pearl District and Nob Hill

From 13th and Glisan, walk west on Glisan to 19th. Cross diagonally through Couch Park to Hoyt Street and continue west on Hoyt. Turn right on 23rd Avenue and enjoy blocks of shops and restaurants before turning left on Northrup. Walk three blocks and turn right on 26th. At Pettigrove, enter Wallace Park, where on September evenings hundreds gather to watch the world’s largest population of Vaux’s Swifts spiral into their home in Chapman School’s tall chimney.

Exit the park and continue on 26th to Thurman. Turn right. At 23rd, a public library occupies a former wine store. Turn right on 23rd, walking south to Northrup. Go left and then right on 22nd. Walk three blocks; turn left at Kearney and right on 21st. Walk two blocks and turn left at Irving and right at 18th. Walk south on 18th to the starting point.

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