

Let: \vec{T} = vector from tree to treasure
 $= 100\hat{i} + 500\hat{j}$ paces

\vec{P} = vector along road from tree to you.
 $= (300, 60^\circ \text{ from } N)$
 $= 300\sin 60^\circ\hat{i} + 300\cos 60^\circ\hat{j}$ paces

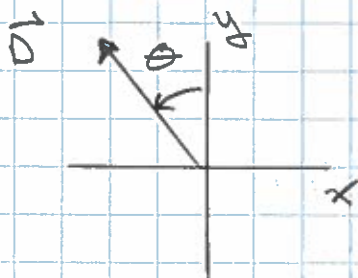
\vec{D} = vector from you to treasure

from diagram: $\vec{P} + \vec{D} = \vec{T}$

So, $\vec{D} = \vec{T} - \vec{P} = (100 - 300\sin 60^\circ)\hat{i} + (500 - 300\cos 60^\circ)\hat{j}$
 $= -159.8\hat{i} + 350\hat{j}$ paces.

So: $|\vec{D}| = \sqrt{D_x^2 + D_y^2} = 384.8$ paces

$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{|D_x|}{|D_y|}\right) = 24.54^\circ$ from +y.



So walk 384.8 paces 24.54° W of N