

GREAT STAYS! by Scott Bridgman

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Introduction:

he purpose of this document is to introduce others to the Marysvale, Utah area for consideration as a place to visit

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ATV/Dirt Bike Riding In Town

Please note this is a kind priviledge afforded to you by the town and its residents. Conducting yourself responsibly helps ensure others will continue to enjoy the freedom and convenience this provides.

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The small mining town is friendly and filled with interesting history. You are encouraged to visit **www.marysvaleutah.org** for more information about this town. Marysvale is very OHV friendly with easy access to extensive trail networks that range from high altitude alpine riding to open desert tracks. Whether you are an experienced rider or just beginning, the trail system will provide safe, interesting, challenging and enjoyable riding. Several visitation scenarios are possible. Visitors come with ATVs and/or dirt bikes and access trail heads close to town. A

car is optional and Marysvale has an adequate level of services within a short distance. ATVs and dirt bikes are permitted to operate in and around town (please read red inset). You could also lodge in town and rent an ATV from a local full service outfitter like Lizzie and Charlie's. The trail network is also large enough to allow pack out multiple day excursions.

Where We Stayed:

ur base of operations was at Lizzie and Charlie's RV Park. This park is a full service facility and is a Woodalls recommended stopping spot. Spacious camping spots are available with a variety of services. Big rigs can be accommodated with full hook ups. On the grounds, visitors will find a store, cabins, bungalows, cottages, social pavillion, ATV rentals and Pine Creek running along side. The camp ground proper includes just the right amount of trees to make it shady while still retaining a bright open feeling. The staff includes Laura, Jim, Mike and Milo all of which couldn't be more helpful. The folks here run on the "old school" where saying please, thanks and being honest still means something. It's been said that service is everything when it comes to business and these folks understand this from the heart. Lizzie and Charlie's is a privately owned and operated business so the people you give your money to care about your stay. It's also easy to reach a decision maker and a knowledge base. Their web site is: www.lizzieandcharlies.com



I have prepared a slide show of Lizzie and Charlie's RV Park so you can see what the place looks like. The link is shown below:

with lots of stores, two large supermarkets and specialty services should you need that. Trails systems

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Riding, Biking, Hiking and Access:

the introduction there are other things to see and do in Marysvale and the surrounding areas. The outdoor possibilities here are so expansive and diverse it would take literally years to explore them all. We explored locally near Marysvale and traveled to Richfield, Gooseberry, Panquitch, Brianshead, Cedar Breaks, Cedar City, Springdale, Rockville, Hurricane and Bryce Canyon during our stay. Maps and information are readily available off the internet and/or from local area businesses. Below is a slide show composed of a selection of photos taken from the places we visited during our stay: The location of Marysvale was ideal for us and

are just about everywhere so it's a good idea to research and move around a little. Roads are well maintained and pleasant to drive on with loads of scenery. Keep in mind that Utah is a big state with recreational activities dispersed so you can't be close to everything operating out of one location. That said, we found Marsvale very convenient for our level of exploration. I think you will have a similar expierence.

Conclusion:

his was our first extended stay (3 weeks+) in Utah and our first time in Marysvale. Having access to good food both in stores and

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we didn't mind driving to other locations to explore and experience different terrain. Panquitch is about 50 miles S on route 89 and an interesting town to visit. Richfield is about a 30 mile drive using 89N onto 70E. Richfield is a major town

restuarants was an important element in making our visit a pleasant one. I have included in the reference guide a list of the places we bought food and ate at. All of them came through with flying colors. All of

REFERENCE GUIDE FOR MARYSVALE, UT VISIT

the restuarants we ate at are privately owned and operated which I think makes a positive difference with service and what's put on your plate. For example, I ate salmon in 3 different places all of which were very good. This was a pleasant surprise. Obviously food is procured, stored and handled properly. Below is a list of places you may want to visit during your stay:

Lizzie and Charlie's RV/ATV Park

Marysvale, UT (435) 326 - 4213 Ph (435) 326 - 2011 Fx

www.lizzieandcharlies.com mike@lizzieandcharlies.com

WiFi Included



Big Rock Candy Mountain Cafe (888) 560-7625

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Hwy 89N (approx 5 miles from Marysvale) —

Hoovers River Cafe (435) 326-4252

Hwy 89N (approx 4 miles from Marysvale)

Prospector Cafe (435) 326-4455

Hwy 89 Main St. (right across from Lizzie & Charlie's)

Frontier Villiage Restaurant (435) 893-8361

1475 N Main St, Richfield (exit 40 off I-70 E)

Ninja Japanese Steak House 1180 Sage Dr # A Cedar City, UT 84720-4217 (435) 867-5577

Tugs Fuel and General Store (right next to Lizzie & Charlie's)

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