## Border 2 Border Ride June 2009

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360 miles today, this is a little less than the average we will do daily. Tim Leading. Dress for hot weather today, bring your chilling vests!
(1) 7-ish- Bikes are gassed up, packed and we head out of Simi Valley.

Take the 23 to the 101 to Malibu Canyon, quick gas stop then to PCH
PCH to the 10 to the 405 south
(2) Just past Oceanside ( 128 miles) we will stop for gas at the hwy 78 turnoff.

Traveling the 78 is full of winding roads and beautiful scenery.
(3) We will stop for gas and lunch in Julian. (185 miles)

Depart Julian down hwy 79 towards Pine Valley where we enter the 8 freeway Eastbound.
(4) Stop in Ocotillo for gas ( 255 miles) and head down the 98 towards the border.
(6) Stop in Mexicali for a photo op! The Mexican Border. Then out the 98 to the 8.
(7) Arrive at Motel 6 in Yuma AZ HOT HOT HOT!!!

Motel 6 - Yuma - Oldtown, I-8 at US 95/16th Street, Exit \#2
1640 S Arizona Avenue, Yuma, AZ 85364
(928) 782-6561

Confirmation \# 383MS30141, 383MS30142

## Day Two- Sunday June 21



This is the longest day of the trip- 450 miles including a lot of twisties- Doug leading.

Time change too- up an hour earlier, and another hot day- so dress accordingly.
(7) 6 am- Leave hotel bikes already gassed up-Head out on the 95 . Hopefully not too hot this morning
Transition from the 96 to the 10 to the 60 North
(8) Quick gas stop in Salmone ( 120 miles)
(9) 60 to the 71, in Congress go to the 89 North
(10) Gas in Prescott Az (100 miles)
(11) Lunch in Jerome Az (30 miles)

Depart Jermone Az on 89 South
(13) Gas stop and shopping stop in Sedona, stop for photos, etc...

Depart Sedona Az.
(14) Gas in Flagstaff Az ( 85 miles) (Oh yeah a Victory Dealer is there too)
(15) Gas in Cameron Az (70 miles)

Photos ops along the way overlooking the Grand Canyon
(17) Arrive in Page Az Motel 6 (75/445 miles)

# Motel 6 - Page <br> US 89 at South Lake Powell Boulevard (US <br> 89 Business) <br> 637 S Lake Powell Boulevard, Page, AZ 86040 <br> (928) 645-5888 

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## Day Three- Monday June 22



A scenic ride through Zion National Park today- 370 total miles. Tim leading.
(17) 7:30 am- Bikes are gassed and ready to ride. Leaving north on the 89 we ride over the Glen Canyon Bridge, an awesome site! Stop for photos.
(19) Gas in Kanab (80 miles)
(20) Transition to the 9 and enter Zion National Park (\$25 per vehicle entrance fee)
Leave Zion and head out the 9 to the 15 South Freeway, through St George to the 18 North.
(22) Arrive for Lunch/Gas in Enterprise (120 miles)

Leave Enterprise and travel on 18 to the 56 West towards Nevada 56 turn into the 319 when entering Nevada, the go north on the 93
(23) Gas in Pioche NV (65 miles)

Take the 93 to the 50 into Ely Nv.
(24) Arrive at the Hotel Nevada and Gambling Hall (110/375 miles)

Hotel Nevada
501 Aultman Street, Downtown Ely
888-406-3055

## Confirmation \#- 509

Dinner and play the slots at the hotel tonight...

## Day Four- Tuesday June 23



This is a boring, peddle to the metal ride day- not much to see for the first 200 miles, but once we enter Idaho the contrast images in one day will be worth it, 335 miles. Tim leading.
(22) 7am- Bikes gassed up and ready to ride. Mark leading- Head North on the 93.
(23) Gas stop Well NV (140 miles)
(24) Stop in Jackpot Nv ( 67 miles) for gas and lunch.... And slots....if it is too hot, stay for a while longer.... The next overnight stop is 130 miles away. Ride North on 93 into Idaho
(25) Quick gas stop in Twin Falls Idaho (48 miles)
(26) Arrive in Ketchum Idaho, (82/337)

Best Western Hotel. 260 Cottonwood Street US Ketchum, Idaho, 83340, Phone: 208/726-5336
Dinner at No Ho's Hawaiian Café.... Yeah I am NOT kidding!

## Day Five- Wednesday June 24



A 390 mile day, beautiful country, high altitude- Mark Leading
(26) 7am- head North on the 93 out of Ketchum Idaho.
(27) First gas stop in Salmon Idaho (130 miles)
(29) Gas and Food stop (And there is a Victory Dealer in town) in Missoula Montana! (130 Miles)

## Kurt's Polaris

2904 W. Broadway Street, Missoula, MT 59808
Phone: (406) 541-3651
Back on the bikes and head out West on the 90.
(30) Arrive at the Stardust Motel... (120/393)

Stardust Motel Wallace, 410 Pine St, Wallace, ID 83873, (208) 752-1252

## Day Six- Thursday June 25



360-Mile day- More beautiful country. Doug Leading
(33) Ride at 7am- West on the 90 towards Spokane- in fact that is our first gas stop today.
(34) Spokane for Gas (80 Miles)
(35) Back on the bikes and continue to Moses Lake area for our next gas stop. Have a quick bite here and then head on back on the road. ( 100 miles) (36) At the beautiful area of Sonqualmie Pass, photos, rest eat... whatever... this is beautiful country! Gas stop ( 130 miles)
(37) Arrive in Seattle area! Visit with Angela's Family and have a great stay. We are not leaving until 8am the next day!! (50/360)

## Day Seven- Friday, June 26, 2009


(37) $8: 00$ - Leaving Kirkland, we will travel north and have a gas stop in Blaine before the border crossing ( 105 miles), then on to the Canadian Border where we will stop at the Peace Arch (39) and take photos.

Leaving the border we travel north on 15 to the CAN1till we reach the Horseshoe Bay Ferry terminal at 11:15am. (48 miles) http://www.bcferries.com/
(40) There we board the 12:30 Ferry to Nanaimo- arriving there at 2:05 pm. The fare will be about $\$ 160$ total.
(41) Arriving at Nanaimo we hop on the bikes a head south to Victoria. (70/228)

Days Inn- Victoria Harbor, 427 Belleville St., Victoria, BC, (250) 386-3451.
This hotel is in down town Victoria and is on the water, should be a beautiful stay.

## Day Eight- Saturday June 27


(40) We take the Victoria Ferry at 10:30 am to Port Angeles Washington. This fare will be about $\$ 150$ total.
http://cohoferry.com/main/
(41) Leaving Port Angeles Washington, we travel east on the 101, around Olympic National Park to Elma Washington
(42) Elma for a gas and lunch stop. (130 miles)
(43) Astoria Oregon at the Lamplighter motel. (87/212)

## Lamplighter Motel

131 W Marine, Astoria, Or
1-800-845-8847

## Day Nine- Sunday June 28



A typical 275-mile Sunday Ride to lunch... Tim Leading.
(43) 8am- On the bikes and on the road- heading out the 101 South across another bridge...
(44) Down the Oregon coast to Otter Rock, gas and also a little winery in town ( 100 miles)
(45) Flying Dutchman Winery 915 1st St, Otter Rock, OR 97369, (541) 7652553
Depart the winery
(46) Reedsport- Lunch and gas, nice little town, we are heading inland here too, it might start to warm up a bit. ( 100 miles)
(47) Arrive in Sutherlin- check into hotel and them head out to the Hope Cabin. (75/275)

## Microtel Sutherlin

1400 Hospitality Place, Sutherlin, OR 97479 US
Phone: 541-459-6800

## Day Ten- Monday June 29



A 370-mile day, twisties, coastline, cool, exciting.... Should be something to see! Doug Leading.
(47) 8am- On the bikes and on the road- Freeway riding most of the morningdown the 5 to Grants Pass
(49) Grants Pass for gas ( 80 miles)

Leave Grants Pass on the 199 West- to the 101 South
(52) Gas stop in Klamath then entering the Redwood National Park. ( 100 miles)
(53) Rio Dell for gas and lunch (100 miles)
(54) Arrive at Driftwood Motel in Fort Bragg California (90/387)

Travelodge Mariah Country
763 North Main Street
Fort Bragg, CA 95437 US
Phone: 707-964-4787

## Day Eleven- Tuesday June 30



An easy 210 mile day today, ending at Mark's parents house in Palo Alto (Still needs the address) Mark Leading.
(54) 9am- We head out after a nice nights sleep on the coast. Down, down down the 1 . ..... twisting and turning.....
(55) Bodega Bay- Gas and lunch at the Crab Pot and photos.... (100 miles) Head inland on the 1 until we hit the 101 near Petaluma On the 101 South crossing yet another bridge- the Golden Gate Bridge this time! (56) Arrive in Palo Alto- Mark's Parents house. (105/205)

## Day Twelve- Wednesday July 1



Heading Home.... A 395-mile day... Tim Leading.
(56) 9am- Say goodbye to Mark's parents and get on the road for our trip home.

Take the 101 to the 85 to the 17 to the coast to Santa Cruz and the hwy 1 through Monterey.
(57) Stop in Big Sur for gas/lunch (120 miles)
(58) Santa Maria for Gas ( 125 miles)
(59) Santa Barbara for gas ( 85 miles)
(60) Home! (70 miles)

4000 miles, 12 days riding, 80 hours in the saddle

| Day | Day | Date | Start | Start Miles | End | End Miles | Daily Mile: |
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| 1 | Saturday | 20-Jun-09 | Simi California | 0 | Yuma Az | 358 | 358 |
| 2 | Sunday | 21-Jun-09 | Yuma AZ | 358 | Page Az | 802 | 444 |
| 3 | Monday | 22-Jun-09 | Page Az | 802 | Ely Nv | 1176 | 374 |
| 4 | Tuesday | 23-Jun-09 | Ely Nv | 1176 | Ketchum Id | 1510 | 334 |
| 5 | Wednesday | 24-Jun-09 | Ketchum Id | 1510 | Wallace Id | 1902 | 392 |
| 6 | Thursday | 25-Jun-09 | Wallace Id | 1902 | Kirkland Wa | 2263 | 361 |
| 7 | Friday | 26-Jun-09 | Kirkland Wa | 2263 | Victoria BC | 2491 | 228 |
| 8 | Saturday | 27-Jun-09 | Victoria BC | 2491 | Astoria OR | 2703 | 212 |
| 9 | Sunday | 28-Jun-09 | Astoria OR | 2703 | Sutherlin | 2968 | 265 |
| 10 | Monday | 29-Jun-09 | Sutherlin OR | 2968 | Ft Bragg CA | 3355 | 387 |
| 11 | Tuesday | 30-Jun-09 | Ft Bragg CA | 3355 | Palo Alto | 3560 | 205 |
| 12 | Wednesday | 1-Jul-09 | Palo Alto CA | 3560 | Simi Valley Ca | 3955 | 395 |



