

Choose Your Own Adventure

Lessons Learned from an Unusual Journey

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Crater Lake National Park

Anchored In Time

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior

At first glance, the dark, jagged island just offshore calls to mind the image of a ghostly ship with tall masts and drooping sails. Phantom Ship is actually a resistant remnant of an ancient volcanic cone that was engulfed in the growing Mazama volcano. This vent shared the underground chamber that fed Mount Mazama and was

part of Mazama's early mountain building phase. These rocky spires remained after Mazama's massive eruption and collapse, displaying the oldest rock in the Crater Lake basin at over 400,000 years old.

Fast Facts

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| Height | 170 ft (51.8 m) |
| Length | 500 ft (152 m) |
| Width | 200 ft (60.9 m) |



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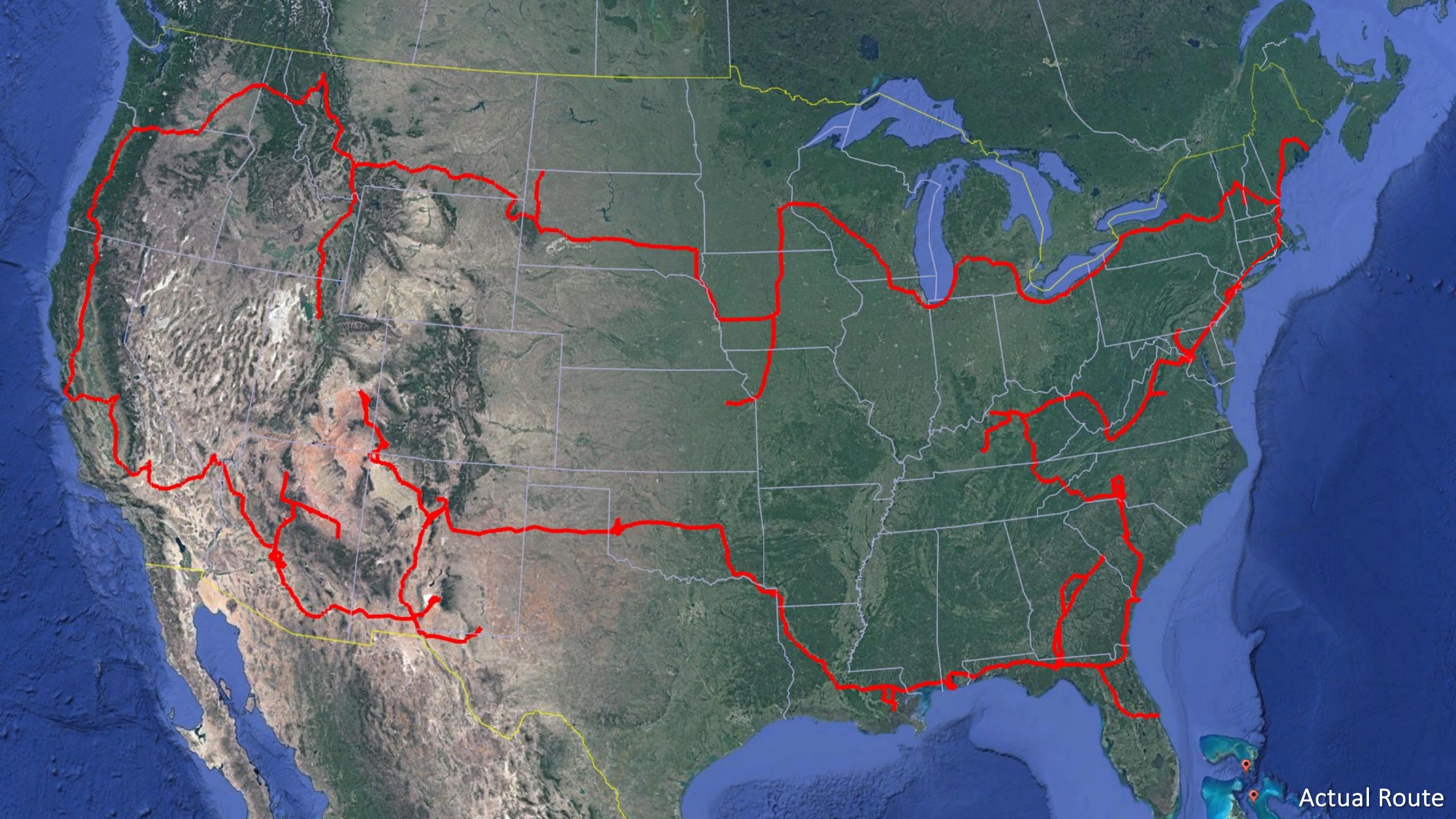
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Our Unusual Journey

In a Nutshell



48StatesProject.com



Actual Route



Home, Grand Rapids, MI

The Benefits

How a Pro-Adventure Mindset Changes Everything

New Opportunities



Sky Needle and MoPOP, Seattle, WA

New Relationships



Partner Meeting in Asheville, NC

New Rewards



Taliesin West, Scottsdale, AZ

New Options



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New You



Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone, WY

How To Foster Adventure

In Your Life and Career

A photograph of Devil's Tower, a large, light-colored, columnar jointed rock formation, viewed from a low angle against a clear blue sky. Pine trees are visible in the foreground and around the base of the tower.

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Devil's Tower National Monument, WY

Rule of Anecdotal Value

Delicate Arch, Arches National Park, UT



Seek Out Discomfort

Grand Tetons National Park, WY



Experiences > Possessions

White Sands National Monument, NM

Curiosity Over Judgement

A wide-angle photograph of a rugged mountain range. In the foreground, two hikers wearing red jackets and backpacks are walking on a rocky trail. The mountains are covered in patches of green vegetation and rocky terrain. In the background, a large, partially frozen glacier or ice field is visible in a deep valley.

Boulder Pass, Glacier National Park, MT

Go Outside the Worn Path



Fort Stevens State Park, OR

Be In The Moment



Lake McDonald, Glacier National Park, MT

Surround Yourself With
Fellow Adventurers



Kings Canyon National Park, CA

A Story Worth Telling
Creates a Life Worth Living



Barringer Meteor Crater, AZ

Thank You! Questions?

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