"Learn as though you'll live forever
Live as though you'll die tommorow"

10/5/85 Robert [redacted] - Pierce, Idaho - hiked up with Mike A[redacted] camped last night at Falls creek. IT is a beautiful day.

6/17/86: Rufus T[redacted] Saw 8 elk, 7 below Larkins Peak, on my way in yesterday. It's a nice day, clouding up. five goats, one with a stub for one horn, come up. Back from Skyland Lake - the fish were biting like they always do after the ice clears, ravenous. The goats are back up - they were down on the saddle when I went by and were up here within 15 minutes of my return. Lightning on the horizon!

6/18/86: The lightning got intense during the nite, some rain but not a great deal. The goats are up before me playing their social games and licking. Salty Dogs. It's socked in and now, late morning it's still socked in! I may mosey down the trail and test the weather. Cool & windy.

P.S. left the macaroni noodles in bag drop Gale Beam

7-21-86 Gale [redacted] - Coeur d'Alene, Idaho - Found Sal as always 4 goats

7-21-86 Scott [redacted] - Coeur d'Alene Idaho -

Here with Gale. This Place is Realy Goods country!

7/22/86 - Robert [redacted], Randy [redacted] and Andrew [redacted] - Hiked up from Fall Creek. LOTS of goats. Someone made a big mess in the Tower and burned up most of the wood.

7/03/86 Jim [redacted] - Paul [redacted], and George [redacted] Came upon a sight-sing trip to look at Fawn Lake Fire Area of 1936. Ranger helped fight fire.

7/[illegible] Doreen & Marcy [redacted] & Dave & Margie [redacted]
7/26/86 Post Falls & Newport. Spent the night. Very cozy place. carried 2 gals of water up the hill. 6 goats out this morning. what a sight. Have fun!

7/26/86 Bill [redacted] - Lewiston - IDFG
Jerry [redacted] - Deary - IDFG if the goats can do it - we can, but don't let the Lactic Acids build on ya.
Sam [redacted] - IDFG - Lewiston, Id.

7/30/86 Kathryn [redacted] - Silver Spring MD
Lois [redacted] Moscow, Id.

7-28-86 - 8-1-86 RUSS [redacted] SPOKANE WA.

7-28-86 JUST ARRIVED - FANTASTIC PLACE, GREAT VIEW JOHN [redacted] P.T.L.
LEFT 8-1-86
TERRIFIC HIKE YESTERDAY - WENT ROUND TRIP ≈ 16 MILES TO MUD LAKE & OTHER AREAS ... SAW 18 MOUNTAIN GOATS, TOTAL, & ONE NUDE BACKPACKER - MAY STILL BE HIKING THESE HILLS!!!

8/12/86 DAN & PENNY [redacted], PRESENTLY OF SPOKANE - (IDAHO NATIVES TOO!) THE PLACE IS LOTS MORE TIDY THAN THIS TIME LAST YEAR. KINDA NICE COMING HOME & BROUGHT A VIRGIN THIS TIME & SHE'LL PROBABLY NEVER FORGET THE VIEW - OR THE HIKE OR THE GOATS. 2 GOATS VISITED, SOON AS WE GOT THE SHUTTERS UP - 1 KID, 1 ♀. JUST HERE FOR THE NITE - THEN TO NORTHBOUND FOR SOME (HOPEFULLY) KILLER FISHIN'. MAYBE [redacted] A COUPLE OF DAYS - DON'T KNOW. SEE YA NEXT YEAR!

8/12/86 Sydney [redacted] Moscow, Id. Yup yup yup, no sure is God's Country. The hike was great, the view spectacular albeit the haze from the fire 15 mi. W. of here. No lightening / Fun Hiyao / Good people yeow!

8/14/86 Doug & Bill [redacted] (Moscow & West Chester, PA, respectively) Beautifully clear for last couple days - but clouds are fast approaching - still smoky from fires. Thanks to the volunteers for preserving this place. A mother goat & kid visited us - fearlessly approached within 5 ft!!

8/86 Deb [redacted] - what day is this?
Foggy & can't see straight. Sound
shitless but enjoying it. Sure things
for sure - I'm sleeping on the floor!
Get tough Barbara! More to come, its great! Pam + Sharon
8/29/86 Joe [redacted], Ed [redacted], cd'A
Brad & Dan came in from
Surveyors Ridge yesterday. About
95°. Overcast today in the 70's Will
go down to Heart Lake & down
Cataract Ck.

8/30/86 Kent & Brent [redacted] from Spokane
formerly Idaho Native. Been
hunting elk on Northbound for
18 yrs. Set our camp up at
junction of Northbound and Martin
Ck yesterday. Hunted & killed bear
on Martin pk this morning, Rode
horses here on on to Northbound
Lake 17 miles today! Be back 9-30
for elk. Weather - Stormy & fog 65°

9/3/86 Charlie & Peg [redacted] CO'A.
10/11/86 Anny [redacted] and Mark [redacted]
last gasp before lay-offs / Avery.
(...wish Hiebert were here...)

Oct 12 — Beautiful Day
Charlie [redacted] — Pierce, Id — See for over
& Porche — Some Snow!

Oct. 12 1986
Sheryl [redacted], Lewiston, ID - first hike
ever - fun &
Sunny & Beautiful

Oct. 12 1986
JEFF [redacted] Lewiston, ID. Great Day
Good Visibility
Perfect Weather

March 30, 1987
Came IN ON SKIS UP
Isabella Creek. IT TOOK US TWO days.
TO get here. SKI CONDITIONS are
rotten (breakable CRUST) AVALANCHE
CONDITIONS excellent. SPENDING THE NIGHT
here and going back down TOMARROW. IT should
be a wild ride.

Bof [redacted]
Pierce, Idaho

March 30, 1987
Skyland Lake frozen over, About froze to death on or in tent
last nite. Shoveled snow out of tower. Bright sunny day-lite wind.
First time ski trip. Snow hanging in trees. Good day for pictures.
Wetfeet! Sleepbetter tonite.
Jim [redacted] Pierce, Idaho

April 13. Phil [redacted]: Spent three night here. Heart and Front Sho still frozen solid - Skyland Lake completely free of ice - 11 goat today. one the other day. No snow on the peak here but plenty below.

JULY 1 I have much more respect for these Mt. Goats after climbing some of these rocky slopes. I found myself in a few precarious positions only to find goat hair caught on a jagged rock. What remarkable animals. and a great place the Mallard - Larkins are. I hope all who follow enjoy this spot as much as I have. On to HEART Lake

EVEN ALBIE! HIT OVER THE RIDGE FROM THE LAKE!

[redacted]

- Id for the summer
- Randolph NH

July 3 Nothing worth taking but the coffee.
Bill [redacted]
Camp R.D.

July 3 1987
Rodger [redacted] - Hayden Lake
Nice Day a lot better than the snow
storm last 4th

July 3, 1987
Sharon L. [redacted] My first time
& love it. Will be back.

July 3-4, 1987
Larry & Teresa [redacted]
Started at Smith Ridge, took trail to
Grassy Point, camped at Heart Lake
where we met Albie the Wilderness
Ranger. Our buddie, Eric [redacted], was
terrorized by mtn goats all nite long
and cussed them out & kept us awak
Fished Heart Lake, then Northbound
Lake and Eric only got one little
cutthroat, except for lots of 2"-3" in
Northbound. Made it to Millard Lookout
& saw 1 male goat, 2 female & 1 baby.
Headed to Black Lookout today. Was
hot yesterday, but is cooler today & may
rain on us. Visibility clear, can see 4
other lookouts, the Hoo Doos, the prairies.
Larry & Eric brought up 6 gallons of
water from the snowpack. Great place!

July 3 87

Came via ~~the~~ Grassy Pt. and Heart Lake with Seloskeo. Glad to have a place to sleep where I'm not being stepped on by goats.

Erik [redacted]

July 5th

I've enjoyed this pioneer area + the lookout cabin. I support your efforts to preserve it

Lynn [redacted]

JULY 8th

Ate dinner by the spring with 18 goats watching. I assume that was your comment beside my last entry Mike. -- Well, nothing personal against you or the horses, but I'd bet you followed the trail instead of taking the direct route of the Mt. Goat. But then Mt. Goats didn't resupply me at the Saddle or pick up 3 gallons of water so I'll forgive you. Thanks to you + also Don [redacted] for the work + care put into preserving it. That care is felt within the peaceful confines of this place. I love it here + will be back next week.

Albie

Back-country patrol

"BEAUTY ISN'T IN THE GUIDEBOOK + ADVENTURE NOT ON A MAP"

ON THE LOOSE

July 9, 87 – RAIN! # GOATS.

Second time to Mallard L.O. - Last time in 8-84. This time took the loop trail with a night at Goat Ridge & Heart Lake. Went to Northbound Lake via the direct route - Found out that those cliffs can be real slippery when wet. But, we survived only to catch 5" fish in Northbound. Tomorrow will head for Black Mt. L.O. I forgot the beauty of this place. Thanks to everyone for keeping Mallard L.O. together. — Gary [redacted], Portland, OR.

7/9/87 —

Desperate - down to our last bean and freeze-dried meat at that. My partner keeps looking at me and muttering something about LUNCH. I may have to trip him as he starts out the door before dusk unless he straightens up. Oh well solo hiking is fun too.

Hooking on – Os good [redacted] alias P J [redacted] Elgin OR.

July 15, 87

Cutting trail for Forest Service
saw many goats, weather clear, Heading
to Black Mountain L.O.

Clearwater Outfitters - Scott [redacted]

Huge trout

July 24, 85 Jon & Kristy [redacted]
Back out for a week!
Left Salmon Saddle went by
Larkins down into canyon cr to
trappers ~~cabin~~ cabin, went up to
snow peak by the ridge on other
side of canyon cr. Back down to
Little North Fork by trail down
spotted Louis cr. Just to get this far
we spent days chopping & sawing
windfalls & brush, not to mention
the bees that attacked us.
We could ~~not~~ not go either way on the
Little north fork there were HUNDREDS
of windfalls and not enough saw
gas. So back up to snow peak and
out bathtub and around surveyors ridge
to here. This is nice! Hope the same
can be done to snow peak some day!
Fishing is Good!

is felt within the
this place. ~~[redacted]~~ I!
will be back next

"BEAUTY ISN'T IN THE GUIDEBOOK
ADVENTURE NOT ON A MAP"

Alex [redacted]

Why do mountain eat urine?

Where is a ranger when you need one?!!

Otherwise great, August 4th

Saw 2 badgers, 9 Mountain goats

1 6 point buck, 2 does

Caught huge fish

Steve [redacted]

I wish there was a
woooan up here (dam starved)

Mike [redacted]

6 AUG 87 GLEN S. SWEARINGEN
GREAT VIEW!

X Should be seen By Future Generations.

[redacted]

Watching Blum Creek destroy the Little North Fork Clearwater makes it even more important to preserve the remaining roadless lands of Mallard-Larkin - Upper North Fork Clearwater.

Larry J. [redacted]

8-6-87

The highest and Best use for land from Montana Line to Fobels Creek is Wilderness. God made it that way and he gives us the responsibility to do our best to keep it that way. Everett [redacted]
Latah Wildlife Assn.
Deary, Idaho

See [redacted] 4-6-87

Daren, Marcy & Michael [redacted] Came up last year. (see 7-28-86) It was so beautiful decided to come up again. Spent the night camping at the lower trail. Two mountain goats spent the morning visiting at our camp. Got some great wishes. Hope this area stays a wilderness preserve.

AUGUST 11, 1987 —

LAST TIME I WAS HERE IN SEPT. 83, SNOW HOWLED WITH THE WIND. TODAY, HOT, CLEAR & WINDY. THIS LOOKOUT IS STILL AMAZING. MAY IT STAND TILL IT FALLS, ALWAYS AMONG WILDERNESS. MARK [redacted] MISSOULA, MONTANA

Ed, Tony, Jemmy, Grandpa & Grandma
8-14-87- Out looking for goats, found none.
Bad weather for hiking, but still having a
good time. [redacted]
St Maries, Idaho

Arrived late evening 8-15-87. Windy & cold for August. Saw elk & hawks (many).
No goats yet. Stayed here one night. High winds all night but shelter
was fine. (Thanks!) It appears that logging trucks are closing in from
the south. We'll hold them off as long as our food & water holds out.
Little hope. Apathy runs rampant. Soon we'll be looking over clearcuts.
Hoping for Earth First, ICL and hunting group reinforcements. General
Watt has retired now but his lieutenants are a nasty lot. Their
2-cycle reconnaisance teams can be heard everywhere drowning
out the wind. The Winnebago supply corps are close behind
bringing radio & TV receivers near. We can see them to the North
on Surveyor's Ridge. Skyland Lakes appears below out of the
mists. The army of the silkes marches closer. Caterpillar
and White side by side. The hard working soldiers hoping
to cut it all in their own lifetime. We feel alone. The wind
is beautiful. It drowns out the 2-cycle madness. Hope to make
my way back through the pines with my young son next time.
What will we see....? What will be here...?

[redacted]
Worley, ID 8-16-87

Less [redacted] more wilderness,
250,000 acres is not enough!!!

8/16 Les [redacted] CDA ID

08/21/87 Bill [redacted] - Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game — 12 Noon

8/24/87 Charles [redacted] Pierce, Id

Cool & Thunder heads in the sky. No Goats, but wonderful to be up here again.

8-24-87 Don [redacted] - Beautiful

8-28?-87 Don [redacted] up again - No snow this time! Last it was 6-24-83 and 6 ft of snow below the cabin. No goats - yet.

8-28-87 Pam + Sharon (CdA + Clayton WA) here again. 5th Annual trip, not as many goats this time but still all the beauty. We take it home in our hearts. And plan for next year. Letters are written and sent to help save all this, and more. Any who come along, please write letters. We've got to keep this safe. I want to come back every year til my legs fall off!

Sun going down, hazy, cold wind, no rain this trip. Home tomorrow, will miss it ...

8/29/87 Well a little food for whoever can use it. Once again we thoroughly enjoyed this spectacular place - our Dog "Smokey" loves it too! Will return for sure next summer - there's no place on earth like Mallard Peak! Pam K CdA, I. D.

8/30 We made it - all 4 of us from Spokane & Post Falls. Scenery is stupefying, but the fishin' ain't too good right here. Carol & Rick & Dean & Gary

9/5/87 Robert [redacted], K.P. [redacted], Martin [redacted]
Pierce, Idaho
arrived here at sundown; we planned to spend the 6th putting in new windows, but the glass that we brought up is too small. We then redid the plastic that was over the windows and scraped out the caulking so that when we come up again we can bring the right size glass (Charlie the window are 10"x14"). we will also try to fix the shutter while we're here. I don't yet know how we are going to repair the broken cable that holds the shutter down

9/6/87 Jackie [redacted] Lewiston 8/24/87
Dan [redacted]
Judy & Dudley [redacted]

9/6/87 Came In with Bob [redacted] & Martin [redacted]. 2nd day here, leaving tommorrow. 10 people came in today. (4 on horseback)

Had to walk off the eastside of lookout to get water. Had to pack 4 gallons up. It wasn't to fun. The three of us fixed shutter, Put plactic over window, (glass we packed up wouldn't fit), and repaired cable used to hold shutters down. We also swept the place out and did other odds and ends, If more people helped out this would really be a nice Place for everyone to enjoy.

sincerly
K.P. [redacted] Pierce Idaho

P.S. Saw only one chipmunk so far.

9/6/87 [redacted] Martin [redacted] came in with Bob [redacted] & K.P. [redacted] yesterday. Awsome view. Picked up water about 1/4 mile of walking to the East. Real pain in the butt bringinging it back up. K.P. is sawing lots of [redacted] fire wood. Saw one goat on the huge rock face between here and Black Mt. Saw one chipmunk aboud 10 yards from building. Bob & K.P. call [redacted] "it" (he, she?) [redacted] Timmy. Excellent weather. [redacted] Quite a bit of wind. Well, hopefully you'll have a good time here, I sure did.

Very rough sketch ↓

Sincerely,
Martin [redacted]

P.S. Don't take any left turns if you urinate during the night.

7/7/87 Gina [redacted], Robin [redacted] & Marty [redacted]
Moscow, Idaho
We came, we saw how beautiful it is up here - hope it stays this way forever. We had a great time!

9/7/87 MARTY [redacted]
BEEN WATCHING & SMOKE FOR 3 DAYS SINCE WE HIKED UP SMITH RIDGE SEEN LOTS of Goats but none up here finally SAW FIRE top the RIDGE BETWEEN Jug CREEK & Johns CREEK. THERE ARE SWARMS of LADYBUGS outside but I'M not that hungery yet! WELL the ol' bottle of J.D. is gettin LOW (HIC) so its time to HEAD out.

10/9/87 Robert [redacted] - Pierce, Id Brought IN some NEW WINDOWS - they FIT perfect charlie! PUTTED IN 2 WINDOWS this AFTER NOON and will do the other 2 TOMATROW MORNING weather is clear and cold with gusts of WIND.

10/9/87 Emery [redacted] - Came up with Robert to help him out. Every Thing is ok, Didn't see any game.
Pierce, Id.

7-2-88
Enjoying this country, hope it always stays the same.
Sally [redacted]

7/2/88
Great day! Terry [redacted]

7/2/88 my 1st backpacking trip!
Michele [redacted]

7-2-88 Nice day, back again Rodger [redacted]

7/2/88 One of the nicest areas to be in. John [redacted] should write songs about Idaho instead of Colorado.
[redacted]
Portland, Or.

7/2/88
Visit Lookout Tower above Priest Lake, Idaho - Another great lookout like those here.
Native [redacted]
Living in Spokane, WA
Patty + Jim [redacted]

7/15/88 Mountain Mollie from Colo and Husband Geno. We are riding from here to there wherever the grass is high enough for 3 horses and the trout are jumping. We support caring this places

7/20/88 Coy [redacted]

7/22/88 Gram [redacted], Rick + Brad [redacted]
Awesome, Don't Log or Destroy it! ☺

7/23/88 MIKE [redacted] - ENUMCLAW, WA.

7/23/88 JOEL [redacted] - COUGAR, WA.

7/27/88 Jim [redacted] - TEKOA, WA

7/27/88 Jason [redacted] - Tekoa WA

07/30/88 Bill [redacted] & Mark [redacted]

Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game

8/1/88 Rod [redacted] - Dickinson, N.Dak.
Former lookout on Middle Sister - 1972
Brought the boys back for another look.
of the St. Joe (MARC + ERIC SONS OF ROD)

Dave [redacted] Age 17
mitch [redacted] 18
Chris [redacted] 17
Brad [redacted] 14

Mullan, Idaho
August 1, 1988

The scenery is beautiful. It's been pleasant & we've only seen 1 mountain goat. We're planning to come back, the lookout is great too → continued

Most People our ages haven't seen anything as beautiful as this. When I see something as beautiful as this It makes lifes problems dissolve away, while It makes Life pleasant to live in. If we could come here more often it would be a dream. But we will be back. God Bless All
Davy, Matt, Chris, Brad 8/1/88
P.S. We will All be writing congress?

8/3/1988
Joe [redacted] BCH
K.L. [redacted] Coeur d'Alene
Keep the fire glowing Light
Beautiful - Treasure.

Aug. 12, 1988 Fred & Judy [redacted] - Muhs, Harrison, ID.
Aug. 13, 1988 - Bob [redacted] Pierce, Fl.
Aug 15, 1988 Sharon [redacted], Clayton WA - "back again. Met Bob on the trail + now see the great job he did on the windows. We appreciated this cozy place last night — thunder + lightening, wind + rain all around. Beautiful sunny day today, nice for hiking but sure wish we weren't headed out. It's been the best 6 days of the summer - (planning for 10 next year) our 5th (or 6th?) annual trip. Saw 13 goats this year, two elk, many people — Bye...!

Aug 15th 1988

Sharon + I think you aught to settle down Bob - you spend too much time in the Woods. This Trip Again WAS terrific - the views, Bathing in the lakes (nudists At ♡.) wildlife, goats (several kids too). We PACKed Smokey the dog this yr. - he carried ABOUT 24 LBS. good trail dog. He sure likes grazing on huckel Berries. So do we. LOOKing Forward to 10 day trip next summer. Pam, Coeur D' Alene, ID

AUG 16 ALBIE [redacted] - F.S.
Randolph NH
Love this place - Thanks for keeping it up.

Aug 17 Sarah [redacted]

Aug 23, 1988 - Stan [redacted], Dick [redacted], Warren [redacted] + John [redacted] hiked in from Surveyors Ridge - Beautiful Day - no clouds 80°, no goats. Going to spend week in Mallard Lakes, hope this is here for our grandchildren to see.

OCT. 6, 1988 - Bob [redacted] Pierce, Ed doing The LOOP ON THE FUN - BEAUTIFUL weather and [illegible] FOR THIS TIME OF YEAR - WILL PACK UP SOME

wood IF I have TIME. Camped at the Saddle LAST NIGHT. TWO goats made pests OF Themselves.

29 October 1988 – Yes, much better than 4-wheelers or chain saws as pests!
I reached this peak of solitude at dusk with a magnificent sunset in view. It has been a Fabulous October of Indian Summer perfection, and tonite up here is no exception. The sky is totally clear with a ¾ moon 'spotlite' making it seem like daylite with the large granite rocks reflecting the moonlite. The stars are out in Full glory, now a chilly wind is howling, so the crackling wood stove is extremely appreciated. From Sawtooth Saddle/Surveyor's Ridge near Fawn Lake I never saw a single person this late in Fall – I'm probably the last soul at Mallard L.O. before the new year '89. Encountered some hail stones for awhile yesterday, so trails are white and frozen hard ground; most creeks are frozen also as was down in 20's last few nights.
Just caught sight of a piercing falling star just 100' off from here, like a white ball with a orange flare tail – incredible sight, never have seen one that close.
In the locket holder, if lady bugs have moved inside, so they'll keep me company all winter.
30 October – Clear, sunny bright day as Octobers do. The peaks to the East toward Montana are awesome looking this morning – misty blue shadows, and even more magical are the ranges to the South looking toward the Clearwater heart of Idaho. Truly an amazing spectacle I'm most fortunate to visually feast upon.

30 October 1988

I've lived in the panhandle since '70's, and Finally made it up here to this inevitable mountain perch - I definitely plan to return and am most grateful to the lookout preservation group for their appreciated efforts! No goats around now, so I'm reluctantly departing headed for Heart Plt/Lake and onto Larkin Peak/Lake. Tomorrow I'll take the Cataract trail via Craig Lake up to Sawtooth Creek, and back up to Sawtooth saddle where our work camp is. It's hard to leave, but I'm off.

Tom [redacted]
Rockford Bay, Idaho

May 28, 1989 Hiked up Isabella creek with Mick [redacted]. Nice for hiking with lots of snow. Currently enjoying watching a blizzard out the window. We will go back down tomorrow morning. Saw 3 bears.

Bob [redacted] Pierce, Id

MAY 28, 1989 Good weather for hiking today. Saw one lone goat track in the snow by the Lookout. The weather is turning bad. Looks like winter again. Will go back down the mountain the 29th hoping for better weather

Mick [redacted] PIERCE Id.

June 21-22-1989 came up & spent the first day of summer up here. It showered and was cold & cloudy the 22nd (made me glad I brought my winter jacket!), the 21st was a little better. Thunderstorms ~~rumbled~~ swirled in from the northeast - good show. Yesterday there were ten yearling goats by us the morning, then four plus a kid at noon. They were all looking pretty shaggy, losing their winter fur. They had a good time running down the snow fields that cover the east side of the peak (still lots of snow everywhere above 5500). A cooper's hawk sailed by & an osprey flew off to the northeast. Otherwise, just the silence of the wind, and the roar of the rapids. I truly appreciate to work people did to patch the lookout up again. Good job. Phil [redacted], Moscow.

July 8, 1989 Kyle [redacted] Forest Service Trail Crew
Awesome! Lewiston, Idaho
July 8 '89 Jeffery [redacted] Polson MT
July 8, '89 " [redacted] Moscow, ID. INCREDIBLE
" " Michael [redacted] MSA, MT

Trail maintainence including Black mtn, The nub, Issabella, Smith Ridge via LArkins and Heritage Cedar grove. Helicopter flight Fri. July 7th. 6 days to split crew and complete trail systems. Goats all over, big time snow still, glissading down snow gullies to Sky Land Lake. Weather excellent.

13 July 89
ALAN [redacted] AND RANDY [redacted] LEWISTON ID.
NIGHT 4 OF 10 NIGHT TRIP. CAME IN
FROM A RAINY NIGHT AT HEART LAKE. HAD AS
MANY AS 6 GOATS & 2 ICIDS IN OUR CAMP AT
HEART LAKE. SPENT THE NIGHT AT THE PEAK.
HAD TO GET WATER AT A SNOW BANK. [redacted]
FIRE WOOD WAS EASY TO obtain, LEFT EXTRA.
WEATHER LOOKS GREAT THIS MORNING, HEADING
towards BLACK Mt. LAKE. Misquito WERE voracious
but tolerable. LAND is BEAUTIFUL for as FAR as
the EYE CAN SEE. EXCEPT for AN occassional
logging Road AND CLEAR CUTED AREAS that STAND
OUT LIKE GANGGREEN [redacted] SCARS ON the FACE OF GAEA.

July 16, '89
LES [redacted] Coeur d'Alene, Idaho
My second time here. Didn't spend the night this time.
Lots of goats, overcast, expecting rain tonight.

16 July 89 ALAN & RANDY AGAIN - Night
#3 OF [redacted] a proposed 10 night trip. SPENT last
2 NIGHTS at BLK Mt LAKE! 1ST. NIGHT AND
½ of 2ND DAY it RAINED. WE WATCHED a
lightning STRIKE AND START A FIRE About 5
miles to the EAST, but RAIN PUT it out.
Hike HERE today WAS cool; OVERCAST.
SAW Apox. 18 goats including Kids at base
of PEAK trail. At PRESENT it is RAINING

AND WIND is STARTING to Kick up. Visability
is at about 70 YARDS. 17 July 89
Morning WEATHER is JUNLIE — WERE HEADING OUT
LEFT about 10 lbs of food in CABIN —
THANK'S AND Enjoy —

7/21/89 from CROSSED
Mary, Dave & Michael [redacted] &
Brian [redacted] Our 3rd year up year. Camped
at Lower trail. 8 mountain goats around
camp & 2 kids. Great weather & views
Thanks for keeping up the creek.

7/22/89 Bud & Jeannine [redacted] & Children
Jason & Lisa. Having a great time. Got
lots of pictures. Thanks for surrounding
this over the phone up. We appreciate
the call back to us.

7/22/89 Jason [redacted] P.F. I.D.
Just about killed ourselves hiking up
here. It is 89° outside. This sure is a
neat old building. I like everything
up here except the food. The butter is
a bright orange, the thick and spicy BBQ
sauce closely resembles the accident our
dog had on the way up. [redacted]
[redacted]

July 23, 1989

Back again after 2 years. More bugs and more people. Glad to see so many of you enjoying (and hopefully protecting) this area. Out today to Surveyor's Ridge after three days among the lakes to the west. Really appreciated Northbound Lake. Please! Some of you with horses clean up after your brethren who drag and drop the entire plastic and metal world with them. I'm taking out what I can carry on my back.

We opened the shutters today. Beautiful views and a nice breeze. Many goats this trip and a Moose licked the back of our camper in Beaver Creek on the way up. See you on the trail.

Steve [redacted]
Wesley, ID

July 23 1989

We had a perfect hike in and out. Absolutely beautiful weather. We saw several goats and thoroughly enjoyed Monte Bounds and Heart Lake.

Bill [redacted]
CDH, DDS

08/05/89 Bill [redacted] & Mark [redacted] – Idaho Fish & Game
9:00 AM All is well on Mallard Pk. Haven't seen a goat yet but lots of evidence. Blue skys and warm breeze sends us down the trail. Happy trails! FT6 Warden

Jean [redacted] Pullman Washington Aug 6, 1989
PAT [redacted], PULLMAN, WASH. Half the fun was getting there after three days out. Elmer Creek route was a challenge. Spent night at Mud Lake, then Heart Lake. Beautiful. Mt Sheep came right up to us.

8/6/89 Bill [redacted]; Mary [redacted] – Post Falls, I

Warm weather – Clear skies. Beautiful area. Thank God for such beauty and the ability to enjoy it. Only disappointment is some of the trashed-out horse camps around some of the lakes.
sweat drop →
– "To those who enjoy the fair skies and smiling land.
Thanks for your preservation efforts.

8 August 1989 – Absolutely incredible – I don't know what makes me higher – being at this elevation, seeing goats so close up, standing in the middle of intoxicating Bear grass patches... combination of these and more... company & no city noise!!! Thank
Liz [redacted] Hayden Lake Idaho

August 8 - It's the Bear grass, and the goats, and the view (and the cold lake water). Happy to be alive and here right now. Now for a day down below on the "Lake Loop".

John [redacted]

August 11, 1989 - Mallard-Larkins a place where time stands still. Let's keep it that way. Scott [redacted] Spokane, Wa

August 11, 1989 - The Weather is extremely HOT!! Shawn [redacted] Spokane WA

August 11, 1989 - I did exactly what the first person said! Dad [redacted] 14 years Spokane WA

August 11 1989 - Boy, I'm hot. Doug [redacted] Spokane WA

Aug 12, 1989 I caught a huge fish, and almost ice'd it, Fawn Lake [redacted]

Larry [redacted]

Al [redacted]

8/12/89
What a treat to find an old Forest Service lookout open to the public! I hope it can always be this way. Diane [redacted] + Tom [redacted]
Potlatch, Idaho.

8-14-89 Sharon K. - Clayton WA - here again - 7th annual and, as always, the high point of my summer. Went to Black Lake + Black Mt Lookout this time. Goats on Black Mt + a few in the distance here + there but not so many ~~this~~ this years. Lots of hungry mosquitos over there! New member of the party this year "Miriah - trusty + hardworking pack dog of Mallard-Larkins"

Home today - packs that should've been empty are full of cans, alum foil, glass. This place is clean now, lets keep it that way!!

8-14-89 Here we are Sharon, Mallard Lookout - our most favorite place in the world. As well as "Miriah" - we have "Smokey" again - packing a heavier load this time - he seems to think the heavier the Better - ~~goo~~ Excellent pack dog! Beautiful sunny day - we've had more rain this trip than previous ones. Will we have to lower the shutters + lock up and wire off again. Hoping for at least a 10 day trip next summer. Bye - Pam K.

VERA & KEVIN

"We" clumbed up the hard way after a grueling ascent of 16 miles wearing 60 lb backpacks. What a blast!

8-20-89 We camped at Mallardcreek Lake last night. Left to ocean today. Then up Hoarce this morning. Wet, foggy, but all misty/foggy. Can't see anything. Perhaps weather will be better next year. Where's the whales?

Sam + Scott [redacted]
Spokane, WA

6-28-87

Rich - I'm Greatful that Sharon Brought me to this Beautiful Peak + Shared a touch of Heaven with me. The wind, Rain, and cool weather made the fire in the stove more Special + Very Cozy last night. I hope to return many times before I retire from Back packing, Thank You Sharon K.!

6-28 - I just couldn't stay away a whole year ... only two weeks. But now I think I can make it til next summer. Threatening weather this trip but we did have a wonderful time anyway. Wonderful place, and especially nice companionship...

9/3/89

LABOR DAY WEEKEND - RAINY & COOL. 42 GOATS AT HOME LAKE. HARD TO STAY DRY, BUT TODAY SPELL BETTER.

[redacted] Lewiston, ID

9/3/89 Still drying out, Been raining out. Great for hacking

Howard [redacted] Spokane, WA

9/3/89 Wet, but beautiful country. Plan to get back next year.

Jay [redacted] Moscow, ID

9-3 Shaorak. - back after only a week! Probably the last time this year. Lots of rain + hail on the way in - we wondered more than once in the last ½ mile if we'd make it. Was worth every soggy step. Saw four goats but not up close - over on the ridge to the west.

Back to the "real" world but taking the peace I always find here with me....

9-3 Rich S. - Just a note to the above entry. The Northern Lights were fantastic, as the time spent here. Traping was great - 3 less mice. We had Seven guest yesterday - nice to share such Beauty with others who appreciate God's Country. A Great place to come to Restore ones Spirit + Soul.

9/27/89

Second time I've been here. Beautiful place! No goats, but bull elk bugeling all around, will even answer to an ordinary whistle through my hands. Am glad to live and work in such a place. How can people believe this world was not created when you see such as is visible from here. The evidence of the creaters hand is all around. John 3:16.

Tom [redacted]
U.S.F.S.

(So why do we allow the ugly, destructive hand of man to encroach?)

Sept 29, 89

John [redacted] & Ed [redacted] dropped by for the night to get out of the storm From [redacted]

5 JULY 1990 JERRY L. [redacted] CAME IN FROM SMITH RIDGE. LATE SPRING THIS YEAR. LOTS OF SNOW. TRAIL IMPASSABLE FROM HEART PASS TO NORTHBOUND LK. JUNCTION. CAME AROUND SOUTH SIDE OF HEART PK. THROUGH HEAD OF JOHN CRK. + Jug Cr. VERY SLOW AND DIFFICULT - EXTREMELY STEEP, BUT LESS SNOW THAN NORTH SIDE OF HEART. FLAT AT HEAD OF JUG CR. HAS ARMS OF CONTINUOUS 5-7' DEEP SNOW. FROM NORTHBOUND TO HERE ABOUT ½ TRAIL SNOW COVERED. NICE WARM SUNNY DAY. 2 HANNIES + 2 KIDS N4986I - MD500E (?) EAST OF LOOKOUT. USGS HELICOPTER LANDED ON SNOW BANK IN SADDLE TO WEST - BRIEF STOP. CABIN LOOKS GOOD AFTER WINTER. HAVEN'T SEEN PLACE SINCE FALL 1979 (BEFORE RESTORATION WORK WAS UNDERTAKEN). VERY GLAD TO SEE IT PAIN CLOSED UP TO WEATHER. SEEMS LIKE EVERYONE APPRECIATES IT BEING HERE. OFF TO VISIT BLACK MTN. IF TRAIL IS PASSABLE

6-7 JULY 1990. BACK FROM BLACK. LOTS OF SNOW, PARTICULARLY FROM NUB JUNCTION TO EAST SISTER RIDGE (3-8 FEET MOST PLACES). BIG AVALANCHE OFF EAST SISTER ONTO MARSHY TRAIL SECTION. WIND BLEW, SHUTTER RATTLED LAST NIGHT. APPRECIATED STOVE LAST NIGHT AND THIS MORNING. BLACK LK. FROZE OVER SOLID. HEART + NORTHBOUND ½-⅔ FROZE. LARKING MUD SKILAND COMPLETELY OPEN. ENJOYING TRIP AND SPECTACULAR SNOW LATE SPRING. THANK FOR CABIN. REALLY UNIQUE PLACE TO BE + STAY. JLR

7/19-22/90 NEIL [redacted] - STAYED IN LOOKOUT 2 NITES W/ RAY KRESEK - BEAUTIFUL, CLEAR, WARM WEATHER. SAW 28 GOATS ON 20TH. 1 BILLY (BIG ONE) CAME UP & LOOKED IN THE WINDOW THIS MORNING - 9/21. GOING FISHING TODAY IN NORTHBOUND LK.. LEFT A "FIRST AID" PACKET FOR BILL CARTER & MARK HILL JUST INSIDE THE ATTIC HATCH BEHIND THE "DAP" CAN.

" RAY [redacted], (Spokane) Home again & great to be back!

7/21/90 Rick [redacted] & Dean [redacted], Kendrick, Id : Came in from Smith Saddle for a day hike. Counted 18 goats in the saddle. Beautiful country!

7-24-90 James & Connie [redacted] Tekoa, Wa.
Jessica 9 yrs
Hanson 6 yrs
Carrie 2 yrs
Coco (cat)

7/29 Bill & Joan [redacted] Coeur d'Alene, Id.
We are camped @ Mallard Lake & came up here for a day hike. 9 goats (tame) on the way up. What a spectacular spot! Beautiful weather too.

Lucy [redacted] - Kellogg Ida. 7/8/90
[illegible] to find Tom [redacted] and
fish trout lake.

7/8/90 Marshall [redacted] - Kalispell Mont.
Scenery's great - Looking for naked
girls. to climb around the hillsides

7/30/90 Jon [redacted], Ryan [redacted], Chad [redacted]
Pullman, Washington
Boy Scout 50/2 Miller (That's one long hike
up hill) Perfect Day

7/30/90 - Hot day! - lots of goats @
Heart Lake & @ Id up to lookout
Came in from Snowth Ridge. Still
alot of snow in Heart & Northbound
cirques. Beautiful area
Lan[redacted] - Pullman, WA

7/31/90 - Dean(9), Jessica(7), Ann & Larry
[redacted] Post Falls, Idaho. Camped on
Fawn Lk last night. Thunderstorms all
night & today. Finally cleared & we camped
on Mallard Lk. & Came up here to
escape the mosquitos. Eight goats @
look out

8-3-90 - I came in for a look around while wandering about M2L. It has been a beautiful day in a tremendous country. I will return w/ Erin + Lauren

David [redacted] - Pullman, WA.
(Avery, ID)

8/4/90 / Kristy MARK [redacted]
JON CARALyn

Excellent WeeKend getaway. Camped in saddle
Headed to Mallard Lk for some swimming
Three goats came in to camp for a visit.

8/6/90 - Came from Port Angeles and Seattle, Wash. Camped at Northbound Lake. Fishing is excellent. Caught about 70 fish in 7 hours. Up to 16 inches. Day Hiking to Mallard, Skyland, Heart, and Crag Lakes to fish. We saw 7 goats, they didn't want to leave. It's hot, mid-upper 80's when we hiked from the Saddle. Beautiful here. Leaving the 8th.

Gordon & Eric [redacted] (Port Angeles, Wa)
Fred, Christian, Kurt, Travis [redacted] (Seattle, Wa.)

FRED [redacted] My First visit back since 1964 & 1962 when I worked as smoke chaser & Trail Foreman for Red Ives District. Nice of the old trail blazes on #65 & other trails that I made. bring back fond memories of this area. 1965-1973

CHRED [redacted] county) worked as
Smokejumper out of Missoula, Montana.
In 1966 made a rescue jump East
of Colins peak.

August 7, 1990
Up with Grandpa's (Bob [redacted]) Bob [redacted]
Andrew & Ashley [redacted] and Bob [redacted]
Hiking was great. Bueatiful view.
Ashley Bobby [redacted]

Aug. 7, 1990 Hiked up to say goodby to this country, other commitments means I won't see this place for a long time. I Love this country Bob [redacted]

8-7-90 - Sweet views, good company TOM [redacted]

8-11-90 Marshall [redacted] - Seen wasted Gods, on 7/9/90, Just got done clasing them - Thought I'd stop in on my way home - Dam Goats Kick hard. I caught something that make me itch ***, Be careful its all over the beds - especialy the plastic one

8-11-90) Bobby [redacted] Cherry Grove Oregon
Came Up With Freinds To Hike Off A Hangover
And Hopefully Catch Dinner (golfers)

8-11-90 - Don [redacted] - My maiden voyage to the top of world, could not find any naked girls because Some Guy named Marshall found them first, But I Still had a good time Climbing.

(8-11-90) - Doug [redacted] Kellogg Id.
- Gone fishing at Skyland lake caught one 25" cutthroat. seen several Goats

08/12/90 - Bill [redacted] - Idaho Dept.
of Fish & Game

08/13/90 - David [redacted] - Missoula Smokejumper.
Jumped a fire west down the ridge from here with 3 Boise/BLM jumpers. This is the prettiest spot Ive ever jumped. I'm not sure we should be supressing fires in areas like this. Semi-wilderness and all. Soon to be wilderness I hope! Hiked up here to see the sun rise. Here it comes. So red. Theres a lot of smoke in the air. A goat is walking over to say hello. Gotta go but I'll be back one of these days

August 16,
Cory [redacted]
We had a fun hike up here, hope to come again. This is my second time here. I love it!

August 16, 1990 Orofino, ID
Sha[redacted]
It was a warm hike, but well worth it. I love the view AND the breeze.

8-16-90 Bren[redacted]
I've heard a lot about the Mulland-Larkins but this is my first time to be in them. What a fantastic experience. It even exceeds my dreams.

8-19-90
Chris [redacted] and Sherry [redacted]
In for two days. Went to Fawn lake but we needed reservations to find a spot to stay. It looked like a convention for the Sierra Club. Decided to go to Northbound but it rained on us so we stayed the night here. Leaving today.

8-19-90
GREAT VIEW, GOOD CAMPING AND NO WOLVES / WARDENS. WHAT COULD BE BETTER
JOHN [redacted], DAVE [redacted] SPOKANE

8-20-90

Walked up from Mallard lake Camp with the mules last night in the dark and rain and fog. today been waiting for the rain to go away so we can do some fishing were is the goats (probabaly hiding from the storm) Jes [redacted] Max [redacted] Ralse [redacted] Matt [redacted] Sonny [redacted] just seen some mountain goat that walked by the lookout. 8:00 pm it is still foggy cant see very fare

8-24-90
yesterday we saw 2 ELK 11 GOATS 3 Mule Deer Max [redacted] 1 By door Cabin 9 at Heart lake Hayden Sure glad we could stay Hear Ida it everyday But 2 its rained since last saturday the weather good today so were loading the mules + getting out while the getting good

1 August 1990 - Linda [redacted] Black Hills S.D.
Would like to spend months with [redacted] from Alaska!

8/31/90 T. [redacted] Moscow, ID

9/02/90 - KAREN [redacted] + Michael [redacted]
Cataldo, Id. Just visiting. Horses Didn't care for Ride up Mt. We Cleared 200 ft. of Trail in this area in 1987 - So we come Back to visit this year. Beautiful country. God Bless all that enter this Building.

9/2/90 Jack & Ellen [redacted]
Backpacked in from Surveyors Ridge, 70° clear (Tom can finds us
Building occupied; camped on West Ridge.
Happy to see Forest Service crews surveying campsites & repairing trails!
Trails have heavy damage due to horses & runoff.
Lookout is a great hiking goal.
Preserve as much as you can!

9/1.2.3/90 Kevin [redacted], Clinton [redacted], Spokane
Great Place! Hiked to Larkin peak and back Sunday
Lots of goats. Great Weather. Good Spring
on trail. 2 miles W, just past junction with
Skyland Lake Trail. Hauled out 2 large bags trash.
Hint Hint

-8-90 Hiked up w/ Carol [redacted] & Karen [redacted] ... beauty day ... played hide-seek with one goat for two hours .. got within 10 feet of each-other!

Remember:
Moose bites can be pretty nasty!

Jerry [redacted]
CdA, ID

9-14-90 Beautiful, warm weather. Today must be opening of bow season. Lots of hunters camps, rigs ~ saw hunters on the way here. Man-made bugling can be heard all over. Too warm & sunny yet to bring elk in rut. What a special lookout ~ leave it as is and open to public!
On to Northbound Lk. and hopefully a fish dinner. Hopeful also to see more game than hunters..!

Lance [redacted]
Superior, MT

9-15-90

Came to enjoy the View and Company of friends, we were on a mission of God for Tommy. he Was happy, the weather was cleary and windy but it was worth the climb

NO GOATS THO! [redacted]

9-18-90 Arrived yesterday its my second trip to the L.O. Last was 7-28-86 Its Great to see the L.O. in as good a shape as last time. I would like to get some pictures of the goats. Last time here we saw 18 of them. But Lots of hunters this trip so I dont think [redacted] Last trip here was with my Brother in John [redacted] wish he could be here. The weath is warm and the view as beautiful as ever

Russ [redacted]
Spokane [redacted]

A special thanks to Kress for making it possible

P.S. Ray Plan to stay 5 days and do a little fishing

Luck must be with me I saw 4 goats at heart LK, and two here at the look out. Got some great Pictures The fishing at heart LK was also great all about 13" to 14" size, It was a lot of fun with an Ultra lite Rod + Reel

9-19-90 Russ [redacted]

9-22-90

Life can't be fun all the time,
But it can be a lot of fun some of the time...

Hee Hee Hee Hee...

9-23-90

Charles [redacted]

9-23/90 DAVID [redacted]
ST. MARIES IDAHO

10-3-90 Rufus [redacted] AKA ANTONE [redacted]

Been up here many a time, in white outs too)
but last night windiest, snow accumulation
fast. 2-3 inches fresh. Gonna head out - hunting
season begins. I hope they can see. In a week
OR so I'll be flown to Antarctica to work, so this
is a good warm-up. (poor choice of words)
Boy, I remember. Hemlocks were adorned with RTF
snow coats! 9196

TERRY - TOM -

[redacted] 7/5/91

BEAUTIFUL WEATHER

7/7/91 Ken [redacted] ~ Spokane, WA
Hiked in the 5th from Surveyor's Pk., through the snowfields to the east ~ incredible amt. of snow up here! Very windy nights ~ gorgeous array of stars last night. Saw nanny two kids, an elk, + a hawk. No sightings of Mr. Boggs. Hate to leave ~ it's been a fine home for us in this splendid aerie!

7/7/91 cleaned house, thankful for this homey spire. M-h-therapy of the highest order whoever thought this up did a good job.

To [redacted] Spokane

7-8-91 Charlie [redacted] + Tuxedo & Brandt - [redacted]

Ann [redacted] - Boise

Saw Lots of Goats today. A whole Lot of snow walking up from [redacted]
Beautiful day! Stayed all night in L.O. Wonderful sunri
cooked at campground on Ridge below

7-20-91 Hiked in from Beaver Cr

Mark [redacted] Ron [redacted]

Spokane WA St. Ignatius MT.

7-20-91 Kent [redacted] Lewiston Id.

7-20-91 Tim [redacted] Lewiston Id.

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07/19-
07/21/91

Arrived Friday evening about dusk (8:30pm) via Isabella Creek. Spent yesterday around the peak taking pictures, Gathered some firewood and melted snow for water and generally relaxed + enjoyed. Entertained several guests including four humans in two separate parties (see previous page), a mouse which kept my yet sleeping wife awake most of the night and somehow left a turd inside my sleeping bag. Perhaps I was taken advantage of during the night. Finally, a mole goat thrilled us and chilled us with his "tight rope" walking along the edge of the precipice in front of the cabin. Also saw a Hawk, jays, bluebirds, chipmunks and more goats. Here we are some 4000 feet above our home in Genesee, Idaho and it is as if we have been transported to another world. Three tiny electric lights, no more imposing than stars, and a periodic amber beacon to the north at night are reminders that we are still in the human world. The mystical serenity of such a place is enough to move anyone to contemplate [redacted] the Great Natural Spirit in which we dwell and of which we are a part if they will only let it move them. We leave today (Sunday) via Black Mountain or Isabella Creek

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having been refreshed by the power of the Spirit. Thanks to those who maintain this place and to all those that come and partake in its splendor. We left a candle, some paper towels and several other odds + ends to replace what we used. 6:30 am - time to awaken the wife. Cool and breezy this morning.

Richard + Kimberly [redacted]
Clearwater Forest Watch Coalition members.
Genesee, Idaho

JULY 21/1991

Don [redacted] Lewiston, Id
Bob [redacted] Lew. Id
Daye [redacted] Lew, Id.
Thomas [redacted] Lew Id.

July 23, 91

Maslow, [redacted] & Liz [redacted] (Sotos Restrictions)
110 - Sweat a storm, to see the pearl -
Always
"Wilkey"

July 22, 1991

This is Heaven! Chris and I got up here at around 7:00 PM and were

instantly filled the limitless joy of complete and utter satisfaction. We sat silently in contemplative exaltation as Venus set in the warm glow of the reddest sunset I have ever seen. Sleep was great -- full of masterfully exotic dreams inspired by the whistling winds. I can't get over the powerful quality of these forests. Maybe it's the moist green hues nestled amid the dark of the trees -- a balance that exudes a sense of harmony, which is the ultimate expression of life. Today (7-23), a man with two dogs came to say "hi." We (Chris and I) are going to Heart Lake to see goats and elk and moose and grizzley bears. Tonight we will howl for wolves and watch the Northern Lights as they sing their silent songs of the spirit world that unites us all.

Keegan [redacted]
from California

7/23/91 We've hiked over from Fawn Lake... great walk. Saw a herd of 15+ nannies and kids. Saw a billy right at the lookout... coming up to my back as I write this.

Our girls, Kerry (15) and Katie (10) have had some great sights for their young lives. We also have a black lab (Black Satin Bugaboo) with us.

The lookout looks great... built on rock kind of like Bivat Rock in the River of No Return-Frank-Church area.

Beautiful day... clouding up a little. We'll be heading back via Mallard Lake.

May the GREAT SPIRIT bless, guide and protect us always. Our best to all travelers who frequent this beautiful country.

[redacted], Post Falls, IDAHO

Lew [redacted]

Katie [redacted] & Bug

Kerry [redacted]

- Arrived Yesterday 7/22/98 w/Kenyan [redacted] etc. now 7/23 and we just got back from Heart Lake. Pam + Sharon [redacted] aren't the only nudists. Tom [redacted] - you were right - this place is just gorgeous! I'd come to the conclusion that when you die - you don't go to heaven - you go to the Mallard-Larkins. This lookout is great and I'm looking forward to another night here - even as the lightening storm in the distance approaches. One more year of college to go and this trip has made me realize that I could never be one of those desk jockeys out there. I guess I'll

have to be a Dharma Bum till the end.

Christopher Wei-Yee [redacted]
-California

P.S. We survived the lightning storm last night - it surrounded us, but never struck our peak. We saw 3 Ø goats - at different times though, so they may be the same goat. We also saved a mouse from the storm (it was stuck on top of the window shutters. We're leaving the guest book to continue this register. Goodbye! Live long and Prosper.

Kenyon
[redacted]

7/26/91 -
[redacted]m, T. T. [redacted], G. [redacted]
Fawn Lake, Martin Rock, Sawtooth Creek, Northbound Lake To here.

July 27, 1990 -
Polly, Fred, Christian, Bart & Matthew [redacted] - Gordon + Eric [redacted]

Matthew [redacted]

Great trip from Seattle.
Gordon [redacted]
Eric [redacted]

DEAR FRIENDS & FELLOW CARETAKERS OF MALLARD LOOKOUT —

AS YOU CAN SEE, THE SHUTTERS HAVE FALLEN OFF THE EAST SIDE OF THE LOOKOUT. I INTENDED TO FIX THEM MYSELF (AS OF LAST AUGUST ONLY 1 WAS OFF), BUT THE DAY I WAS HERE THE WIND WAS AWFUL.

IF YOURE NOT AFRAID OF HEIGHTS AND ITS A MILD DAY, I LEFT A COUPLE HINGES AND SOME SCREWS & VER ON THE SHELF, ALONG WITH A SCREW DRIVER. IF YOU DONT MIND, LEAVE THE SCREWDRIVER.

I PUT THE SECOND SHUTTER UNDER THE BUILDING. IT JUST NEEDS NAILED BACK ON (IT WILL NEED MORE NAILS, JUST LOOK AROUND, THEYRE LAYING ALL AROUND)

THANK YOU — PLEASE BE CAREFUL!

Tina [redacted]

July 28, 1991

6 FIRST HIKE TRIP WOW! PRAISE THE LORD FOR HIS GOODNESS. TO ALL of US. LOOK AND SEE IT'S ALL AROUND

John [redacted] Jim [redacted]
MOSCOW. ID SPOKANE W.
STEVE [redacted]
SPOKANE WA.

7-29-91

The guys above didn't really stay here, they just stopped by. Read the bible all day. As for us, Kenji, Paul, Heidi and myself, we went out and explored and skied, also sledded down the glacial cirque to the west. The damn boy scouts came up yesterday and found our beer and food in the snow, little bastards drank all the beer. We're going to get 'em today. Their dads had pistols on their shoulders but we're letting them and know how to use them. We have left plenty of food for other hikers, even the mice and chipmunks [illegible]

[illegible] We came to Mallard Peak to live deliberately, to suck all the marrow out of life, not skim off the cream of it and, when we came to die, discover that we had not lived. To live deep and suck out all the marrow of life, to live so sturdily and Spartan like as to put to rout all that was not life, to cut a wide swath, and shave close, we came to drive life into a corner, and reduce it to its lowest terms, and, if it proved to be a mean thing, to get the whole and genuine meanness of it, and publish its meanness to the world; or if it were sublime, to know it by experience, and be able to give a true account of it in our next excursion.

Mallard Lookout is a shrine for all who want to escape the pace of life in the city. Everyone who comes shares the common bond of determination. The most human thing we can do is comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable.

Oh very good hell. To climb the rocks you must become the goat → Capricorn. Heidi

Do Not Walk ahead of me, I may not follow.
Do Not Walk behind me, I may not lead.
Just walk beside me and be my friend.

We stayed the last two nights in this lookout. The Goats came right up to the windows, the moon rose in the east, as the sun set in the west. We hiked all along the rocks, set on the cliffs

enjoyed The view. Yesterday (7/28/91) we hiked to heart lake. Everyone who enters The Mallard Larkins should see heart lake. Well It's time to go, but none of us want to leave.

enjoy your stay in the Larkins,

Donald [redacted]
Moscow, Idaho Dan Falk
Troop 345 Moscow ID

Stanley [redacted]

Gabriel [redacted]
Moscow, Idaho
Troop 345

ADAM [redacted]
Troop 345
Moscow IDAHO

Heath [redacted]

Kevin [redacted] Layton, UT
S.L.C, UT
+(Away, ID)

Jason [redacted]
Bobe, Moscow & Aver

PE [redacted] Richmond, VA
Missoula, MT + Aver ID

Heidi [redacted] = Moscow St. Mari
Avery

Marc [redacted] 7/30/91
Moscow, ID

Hiroshi [redacted]
Nagasaki, Japan

[redacted]

Jim [redacted]

I do not want to go back to Amesbury tomorrow.

There 4 nights and 4 kids in front of the Lookout

Aug 3, 1991

Joel D Reader

Tim [redacted]
Coeur d'Alene ID
8-4-91

Joel Reader

7/13/92 - Lacey [redacted] Expedition
Kick some But. Hate Tim.
Nice area, See ya!
Dan

August 17, 1991

Heath [redacted]

Hey [redacted]

Brue [redacted]
Jon 2000

I made it - wish you were with me Chris N. The place was a mess. The view was great.

Sherry L.

We were here 7-27-92
Karin, Shawn, Chris [redacted] & Jon [redacted]

CDA

Scott [redacted]

Bryce [redacted] CDA IDAHO

2006

[redacted]

Kurt [redacted]

Aidan [redacted]

Chase M [redacted]

Randy [redacted]

We spent 5 days

in the wilderness

8/10/06