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Start from wherever you are and go to Bluff, UT.

Take US-191 to UT-95 to UT-276 to Ticaboo.

Take BLM 12000 to Burr Trail to UT-12 in Boulder.

It won't matter where you go from there.

Your life is complete.

Here are a few pictures from the drive. They are only a small sample and dim reflection of things we saw.





And along BLM 12000, which is semi-paved with a layer of tar and gravel, are some dirt side roads. One of these, let's call it BLM 12020, leads to a place called Hall's Creek Scenic Overlook. It's a few extra miles but my internet research indicated driving it would be easy and rewarding. Let's discuss easy. Bogie and I found it, um, challenging. Sheila found it a new avenue to PTSD. But we both agreed no other fools would drive this stupid road.



Except when we got to the overlook there was hardly a parking slot.

The rewarding view? It for sure wasn't that overlook. It was probably this guy's leftover election sticker.



Short takes:



Something was on fire. We assume it was a forest. We kept driving.



Bogie killed his first bird. Murray would be proud.



This is the view from our room in Torrey. Looks authentic. We're probably next to a reservation.

Tomorrow – Capitol Reef.

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