

# 150829-Honeymoon-Dude Ranch

Tuesday, September 08, 2015

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## Dates:

- Met - 11/12/1990
- Married -11/20/2014
- Honeymoon -8/29/2015

Drove from Whitefish to Billings. .



Stopped in Bozeman for lunch at whistling Pig Korean restaurant.



In Billings stayed at Hilltop at Riversage. Ate at Siam Thai.

## Sunday 8/30

Headed to the dude ranch. Saw Pronghorn Antelope. Burst in to song -Home on the Range.



Stopped at the **Little Bighorn National Monument**. Indians were won the battle but

lost the war. Very heart wrenching place.



Continue on towards **Sheridan, Wyoming.**  
Ate at Sanford's Grub and Pub.



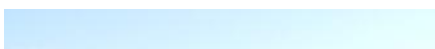


They had bronze statues all over town like Rapid City SD.  
Stopped along the way and did a little rock hunting.

Arrived at the Ranch around 3PM









Our Cabin - Eagle's Nest

**Monday 8/31**

At breakfast. Sat with Tom & Mindy from Atlanta. And Nancy & Marty from Sheridan.  
Morning ride











Fly fishing clinic - 1pm

- Echo good brand
- Reel - orvis. Old flute
- Rod 00 to 16 weight. - good all around 6 or 7. 7 or 8 for pike.
- Get best line you can afford.

Afternoon ride- trot



Marie, Sue, Jane, Cathi, Pia



Erica top right





Yoda

Beautiful ride through the hills. Saw rock structures. Went through a field of baby lodge pole pines that were coming back after a fire. Trotted and loped. Was at the edge of my endurance.

Merle had a lesson with Ivy Givens

**Tuesday 9/1**  
Team Penning



Ivy Givens Setting up the Cows

















Walk at lunch











Jane & Dennis on Fan Rock

Loping Ride

**Wednesday 9/2**

Loping Ride

Barrows and Sticks











Soothing my muscles in the hot tub



Merle performed with Eve and Roy.



**Thursday 9/3**

1 Walking Ride in the morning





Jane









Horses off in the Afternoon



Watching the Horses stampede to their pasture



Afternoon free time. Went to Sheridan with Jane and Dennis.  
**Kings Saddlery**





Mint Bar - Most famous bar in Wyoming





Then Stopped at the Occidental hotel in Buffalo Wyoming.



**Friday 9/4**  
2 Loping Rides













Chuck Wagon Dinner



Saturday 9/5



Heading to Breakfast from our Cabin

### Team Penning









Cathi, Sunny & Larry, Merle



Dennis, Ivy Givens, Merle









**Sunday 9/6**

Drive Home took scenic route through Bighorn National Forest, Rt 14

