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Postcard

Just another travel day.

Leaving Raton, and passing NRA headquarters, we took US 64 west to Cimarron, where the mountains begin. Before Cimarron we saw hundreds of pronghorn antelope:



Passed a Northern Harrier:



Slowed down through Cimarron to beat the speed traps, headed to Eagle Nest.

A turkey vulture flexed for us:



Eagle Nest to Red River, through Carson National Forest at 10,000 feet:



North through Chama to Pagosa Springs.



Stopped for Caesar Salad with grilled salmon.

US 160 to Durango, got to our room on the Animas river:



Saw an American Dipper and a Tree Swallow, two new ones, in an hour on the balcony.

America is a great country.

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