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Postcard

Today is our last real vacation day, and we're reflecting on the fun we've had: Ice skating in Murray. His broken wiper. Urgent Care. Two nights of wilderness solitude in a wilderness cabin ghetto. Tourist-priced new clothes. Zeus and Apollo.

So we look forward to our last day. We'll take our favorite ride through Eagle Nest then hike the crater rim trail at Capulin Volcano! OK! This is a great route to see wildlife, and the rim trail is awesome.

In sunny Eagle Nest the moisture from last night's snow is steaming off the streets and creating a fog. Why? It's actually 3° outside.



Oh crap.

Alright, then let's take pictures from the car.

There's a raven on a barb wire fence!



Oh crap.

There's a prairie dog!



Oh crap.

There're some pronghorn by the road!



Oh crap.

Drive. Drive. What's in the road?? Stop the car!!



Oh crap.

C'mon, let's go to Capulin. Drive. Drive. Talk to ranger. The trails are snow covered? They're closed??



OH CRAP!!!

Made it to Liberal, Kansas. Nowhere safe-looking to eat. Got salads at a grocery store. That's it. We're coming home.

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