

Sent:
Subject:

Tuesday, September 14, 2010 10:16 PM
Postcard

Daylight Savings Time is stupid. The State of Arizona, realizing this, refuses to observe it. So in the summer when you cross into Arizona from New Mexico (actually from anywhere in Mountain time) you gain another hour, so we are now two hours ahead of our internal clocks. Which means we got up at 4:30. Made and drank pots of coffee. Watched the sun come up.



Sedona Gothic

The light crept through the trees and across the grass. It was lovely but, I'm sorry, grass is stupid. Grass in the high desert is moronic. So we sat in the earliest light of the day watching ravens, drinking coffee and getting sprayed by the hotel irrigation system.



But we had a plan to execute: drive to the National Forest Service Sedona Visitors Center to arrange for our Red Rock pass. Then hike somewhere. It was maybe 10 miles to the Center. We went through 15 brand new roundabouts. ARRRRGGGHHH!!!! Roundabouts are so, are so, well, STUPID!!!

Outside the Visitors Center we saw a little plant you gotta love.



Inside the Visitors Center, Candice the Ranger showed us some cool places to go. Instead, we went to Red Rock State Park. But it turned out to be pretty cool too.





Lunch was stupid.

D&S