

**Sent:** Sunday, September 14, 2025 7:31 PM  
**Subject:** Postcard

Clayton, New Mexico, is sort of the Jurassic Park of North America.

Dinosaurs can actually be found on Main Street, just a few blocks from our hotel.



No, that's not our hotel. That's a Quality Inn and it's much nicer than our hotel.

Twelve miles out of town is Clayton Lake State Park.



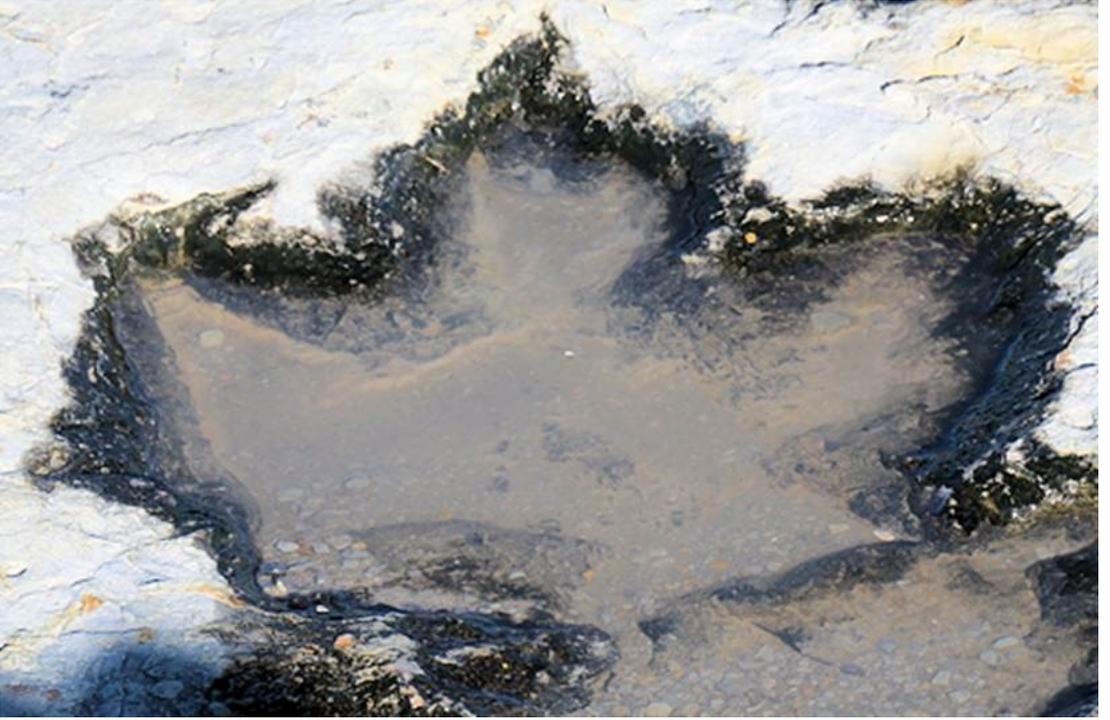
When they dammed the river to make the lake they inadvertently exposed what we are led to believe are dinosaur tracks. So for \$5 a vehicle you can visit the park and marvel at the footprints.

OK. And here they are:



Oops. Rained last night so here are puddles.

One actually seemed like a track. Or maybe a leaf from a giant prehistoric maple.



Could have been a visiting t-rex from Canada.

But it was a beautiful morning. We walked around the lake, taking random pictures so we wouldn't get to our next lodging before check-in time.







At the first intersection leaving the park:



I think someone wanted their 5 bucks back.

D&S

