

## WE'RE OFF TO THE NORTH

The magic of Key West disappeared in the rear view mirror, as we retraced our steps to Miami. You have to retrace your steps because there ain't no other way!

Driving IS95 North, politics is very evident. Never have I seen so much Federal Highway money being spent in one place! Miles and miles of the Interstate are torn up and being widened and interchanges and other endeavors. George is paying back Brother Jeb big time. We saw a sign that said "Thank the Dear Lord for George and Jeb Bush". I think it was erected by some highway contractors!

We made it the first day to Titusville, and stayed at the enormous Great Outdoors RV Park. It has over 1300 developed sites of all kinds. Residents say they watch all the shuttle launches from their backyards. We found the perfect spot to watch along A1A. You can see 8 miles across the Indian River and see the main shuttle building and the launch pads. The highway shoulder is wide and people come three days early and camp out with tents, trailers and motor homes. The police don't bother them because the town businesses really do well during those days.

Leaving Titusville, we drove out of Florida into the land of \$1.35 unleaded! We haven't had any rain since Titusville and the humidity is not as bad. Tonight we stopped at a place called Point South, GA. It is a nice little wooded RV Park and we will stay here for a couple or three days. We plan on going to Hilton Head for a Grouper sandwich tomorrow. It is about a 60 mile round trip. People here think we are nuts! They haven't been over 12 miles from their house all their life.

Today we took that 60 mile round trip for the fish sandwich, and as it turned out maybe those people are smarter than we are! After driving across Hilton Head Island through traffic jams, we came to the entrance to the area the lighthouse is situated, and found out they have a \$5 fee to enter. So we paid. We found the lighthouse (shown above) and found things had changed a bit. What we remembered as the entrance to the restaurant was another restaurant and they did not have Grouper sandwiches! We settled for a \$10 tilapia sandwich. After we ate, we checked the menu at the other place and found our Grouper sandwich for \$7 and it was the same place we remembered. I was so mad that I got one to go and we had it for supper. Sometime, we are going to find out it is too late!



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