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## **THE TIME HAS COME THE WALRUS SAID**

**To talk of many things, of shoes and ships, and sealing wax, and heading back to home!**

**The summer has come to a blazing end, and even though we have nothing but time to laze around in the motor home, we must be home in time to pack for a 2 week cruise from New Jersey to Quebec and return. Life is tough, but we will try to make it through this ordeal!**

**Currently we have been 4 days at the Thousand Trails Preserve in La Conner, WA. The plan is to scoot down to Portland and then down the road to Napa, CA. We will meet son Steve and daughter-in-law, Carolyn and some of their family for a few days, and then go to Auburn, CA for a visit with friends, and then the final leg home.**

**We love to hear your comments on the journals, keep them coming.**

**While in Napa, we partook of the Napa Wine Train. It is a recommended trip for anyone. We were on the lunch train and had a good lunch served while moving!**



**We skipped our Auburn visit and headed for the barn, with a stopover in Bakersfield.**

**Totaling our expenses for the trip this year, we traveled for \$129/day, which is still cheaper than staying in hotels and eating in restaurants. We paid an average of \$4.05/gal for fuel (this included as much as \$5.50/gal in parts of Canada!) We traveled 8,493 miles.**

**The time has come to rest up now. With any luck we might generate another journal or two on the cruise.**

**Dave & Bonnie**

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