



### Two Lakes and a Cave:

What could be better than two lakes and a cave in one day! This trip is about 118 miles and will take you through some of the most beautiful areas of the Black Hills. You can drive by a lot of these places but this route is best when done as a day trip or broken up into two days if you have the time.

Here are the highlights!

**Crazy Horse Memorial-** The World's Largest Mountain Carving, dedicated to preserving & honoring the North American Indian living culture. Crazy Horse Memorial offers something for everyone with large museums featuring an extensive collection of Native American Artifacts, arts and crafts for the kids, seminars, laser light shows (at night), regular blasts on the Mountain, gift shop and restaurant.

**1880 Train-** The Black Hills Central Railroad runs a vintage train through tracks originally laid in 1880. This picturesque ride takes about two hours and is a round trip from Hill City to Keystone and back. If it's nice enough outside check out one of the open cars.

**Sheridan Lake-** This beautiful lake features crisp, clear waters and is nestled in the Black Hills. Hike through the forest, have a picnic, take a swim, or just bask in the South Dakota Sun.

**Black Hills Caverns-** The caves of the Black Hills are famous for their beauty and wonder. Black Hills Caverns is no exception. Originally placed on a map by gold seekers and used by Native Americans previously for the healing powers of the crystals found there, the Black Hills Caverns offers history and the awe of mother nature.

**Black Hills Petrified Forest-** Located in the back yard of the Elk Creek Resort, the Black Hills Petrified Forest offers visitors a chance to see what the world was 120 million years ago. Stick around for a guided tour or venture out on your own.

Sturgis Motorcycle Museum- The rich history of motorcycles and South Dakota are on display at this museum. Whether you are visiting during Rally week or visiting any other time of the year; the Sturgis Motorcycle Museum is a must see.

Deadwood- When you think "old west", you think Deadwood! This town is rich in historical sites, stop in the saloon that Wild Bill Hickok lost his final hand in, visit any one of the museums or just pick a casino and start playing...this town has something for everyone.

Pactola Reservoir- After you've done your gambling in Deadwood, stop off to Pactola to cool down. Pactola features some great rock beaches but the locals favorite is Jenny Gulch. Its a short hike to get to this area of the reservoir but it's worth it. Test your inner dare devil and take the Jenny Gulch jump.