

## John's Journey - Day 70

June 9, 2009

Mountainair, NM

I made another good decision by taking the day off. It's raining here this morning.

Ben came by & took me to breakfast, then to the feed store. He got me 50 pounds of feed. Stopped at Gustin Hardware 117 West Broadway Mountainair and picked up a few things. I got two bales of hay donated to me by Mark Eddy. I sure do appreciate it.

Thanks Ben for the feed and all that you did for me while I was there.

My phone charger finally went dead. I threw it away and got out the new one I bought in Texas at the Dollar Store. It works great.

I'm still passing out crosses that were given to me in Texas. They were a bit tangled up in the box so I straightened them out.

Tomorrow I'm going to head toward Bernardo, NM. I know it's too far to cover in one day - it's about 40 miles from here.

I tried to send some pictures, but I could not get a strong signal.

I took my clothes to the laundry mat. It was just a short walk down the street from where I was parked. It's still misting rain. The mules are lying down enjoying the day off. They really don't care that it's raining at all.



Gayle Clark called & she & her husband will be here sometime after 2:00PM. Also Ben came by and took me out to lunch. I sure thank him a lot.

Later in the evening I went out to dinner with Gayle & her husband. She is with The Rio Grande Mule & Donkey Association, East Mountain Chapter. We had a great meal and an enjoyable time visiting and swapping stories. It was sure a nice time.

Mountainair was a nice friendly town. I talked with a lot of people who were really interested in what I was doing. They were all very helpful and kind to me & I appreciate their hospitality.