

US West 2015-2, USA

7-8/2015

Part 2

Gaash Hazan



Day 19 – work and fly to Seattle
Landed at Seattle just at ~23:30, and had 2 hours drive to the motel



Hertz gold members get email with the car's parking spot, their name on the sign and keys inside. Just start the car and drive!



Day 20 – North Cascades National Park (1) – Maple pass hike



Gorge overlook trail





Hike to Maple pass (2133m)









Lake Ann





Views from the pass (2133m)





The way down from the pass



Note the people



Rainy lake



~2h drive back





Near Hamilton



**Day 21 – Mt. Baker remote side and Artist point
Park Butte lookout and Railroad grade hike. First, 45 minute dirt road**









Park Butte lookout, the first destination



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(Shy) Mt. Baker (3286m) – mostly covered with clouds



Views from Park Butte lookout









Going down from the lookout toward Railroad grade trail













On Railroad grade trail





Getting very close to Mt. Baker slopes













**When I almost got to the car, the clouds left Mt. Baker
and I got pictures with trees, grrr!**



**The end of the first half of the day was at ~15:00
2.5 hours drive to revisit Mt. Baker Artist point
Finally I got there at ~17:30. It is also a ski site**



Table Mountain hike
At very late hour, 18:24, I started ascending it.







**Four nice Americans from Minnesota I've meet up the mountain.
The 2nd from the right, know Hebrew and he spelled by name
in Hebrew correctly. They were very kind.**





The place where I decided the hike it over and it is time to go back.



The Afghans





Finally some luck, Mt. Baker (3286m) without clouds



Mt. Shuksam (2783m) without clouds





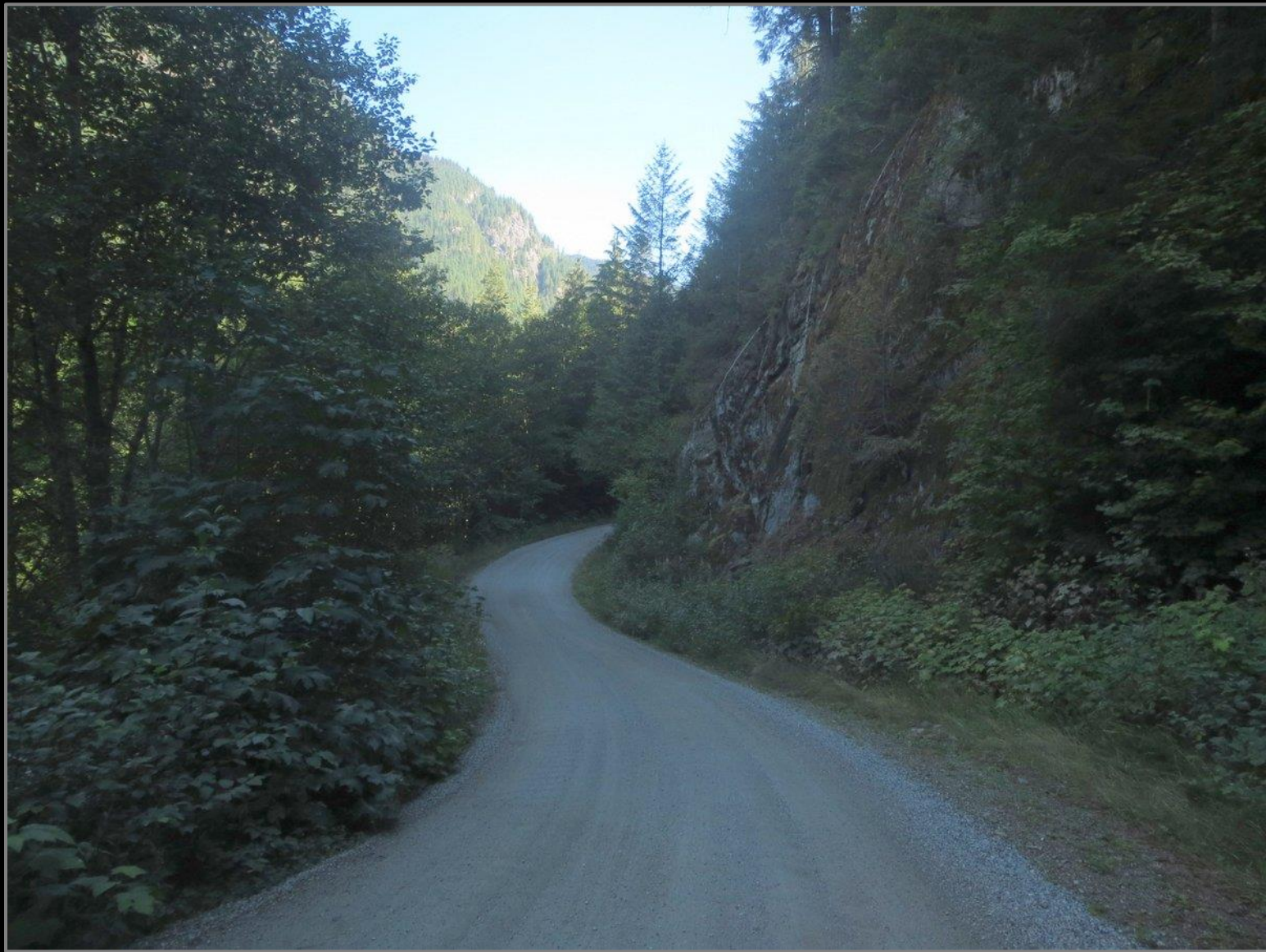
Sunset at Mt. Shuksam at 20:33.

It was a very long day, back to the motel at 22:15.



Day 22 – North Cascades National Park (2)
Extended cascades pass hike

In the pictures, Haggen my favorite supermarket near the motel









Cascade pass where I met Limor any Itay, the two on the left











Lake Doubtful







Goodbye picture: Me, Limor, Itay



Limor & Itay continued up to the glacier. I returned.





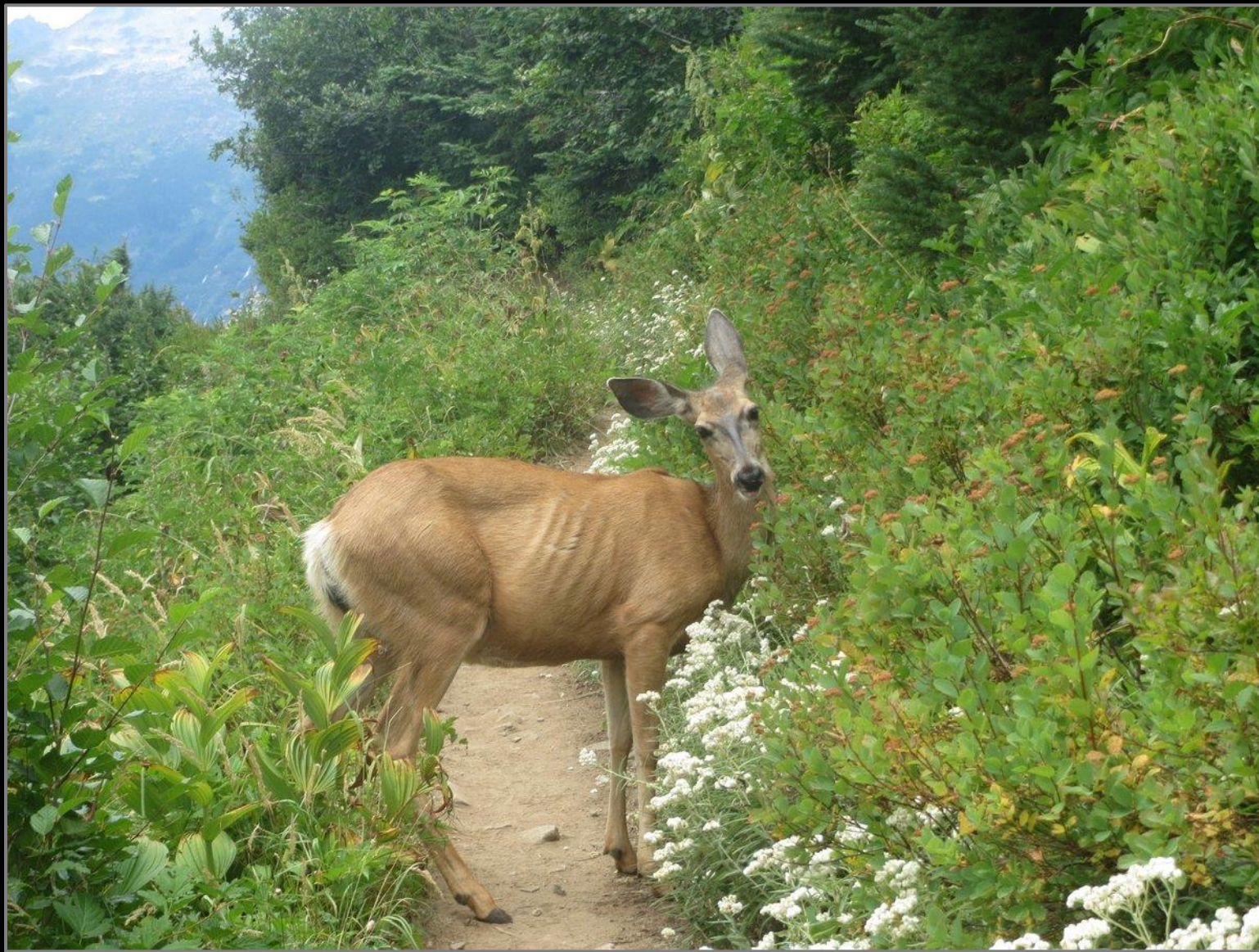
My favorite plant







The route







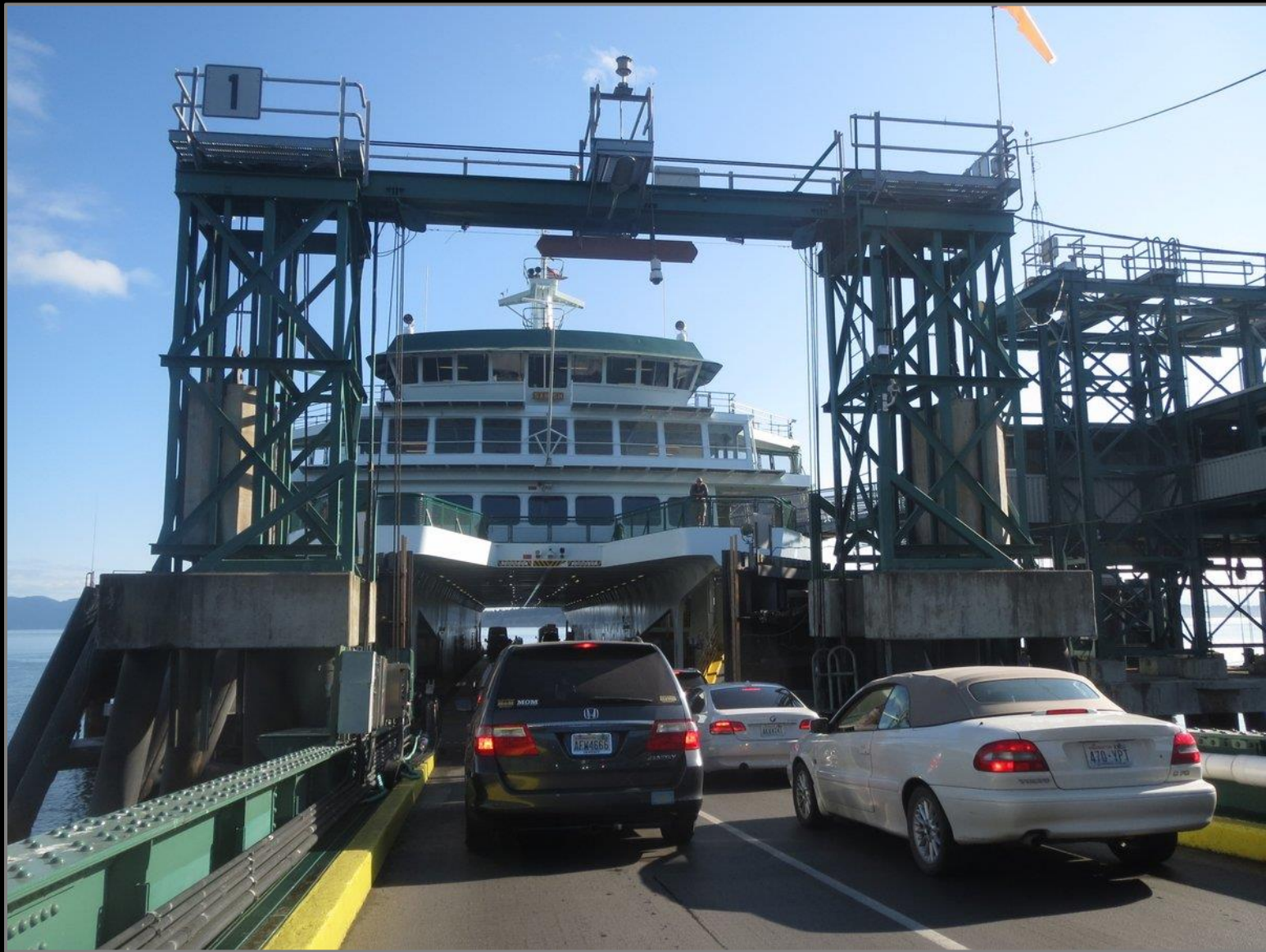
The endless v-switches trail in the forest



**Day 23 – San Juan Island
Near Anacortes ferry terminal**



Ferry waiting lanes



Boarding the ferry to Sun Juan island





The sun deck



In side the ferry



A twin ferry









Curtsey puzzle. The passengers solve it together. Cute!



Friday Harbor at San Juan island





Unloading from the Ferry



Cattle Point (the Island's south-est point)





Jakles Lagoon hike







Jakles Lagoon





The way to South beach



South beach



Grandmas Cove



The American camp



At Lime Kiln State Park







The Lime Kiln



Bell point at Bell Point hike at English camp historical park











The English camp



Roche Harbor, 100-200 boats worth \$1M-\$2M each





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- 2 generators
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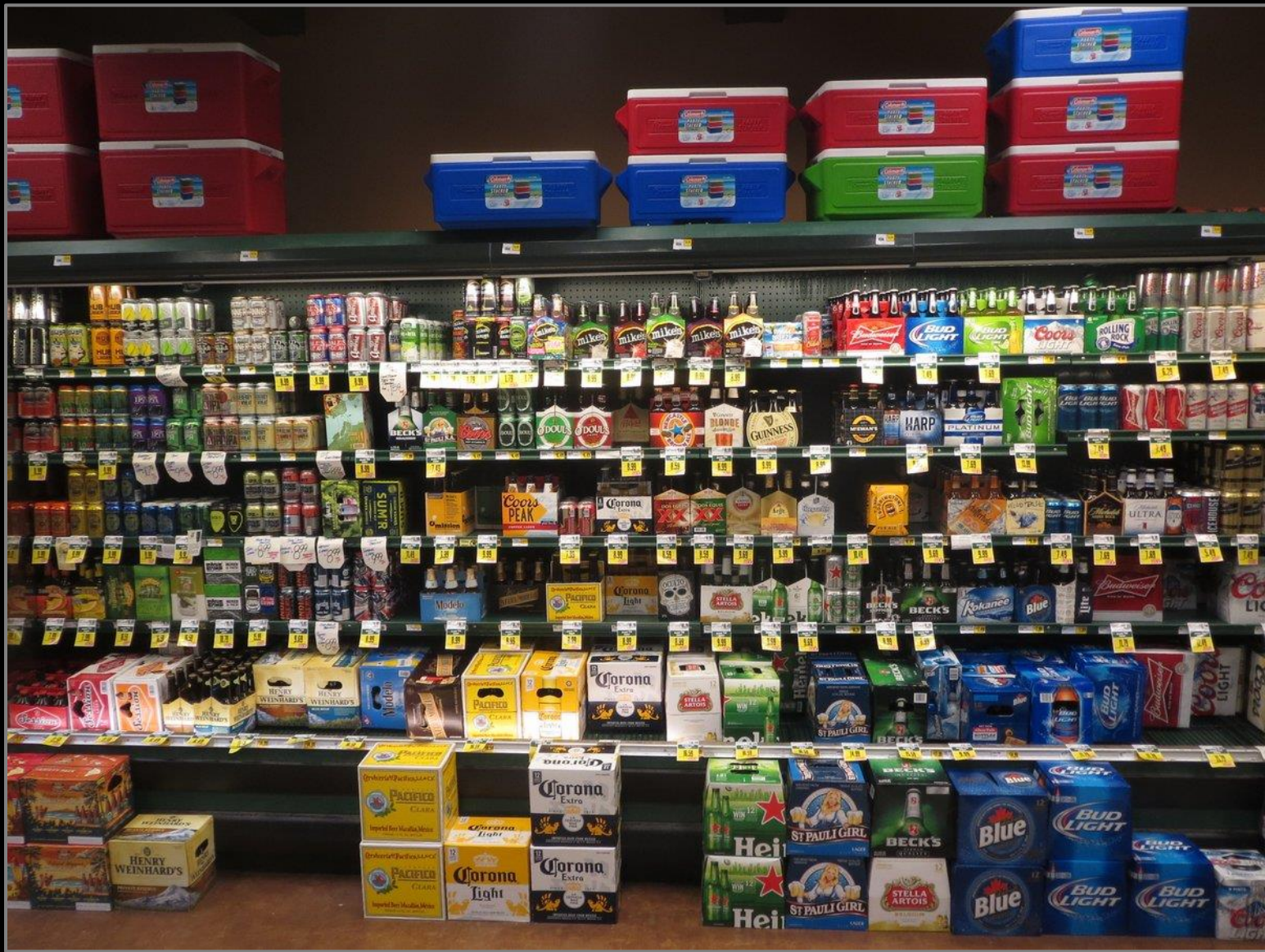
\$1,175,000 boat for sale





At Friday harbor





Beer at the (only) supermarket



**Day 24 – San Juan island whale watching & driver to Olympic
Our suits**



Our boat



Me





Mt. Baker













Friday harbor



Loading to the San Juan – Anacortes ferry





A twin ferry



Surprise! We saw whales from the ferry.







At Coupeville/Fort Casey while waiting to the Ferry





Sunset at Coupeville/Fort to Port Townsend ferry sail





Sunset at 20:43 on the way to Port Angeles at Olympic



**Day 25 – North Olympic – Hurricane ridge & Dungeness spit
Kalahane Ridge hike**









The destination (and return point)







My self prize



Dungeness spit











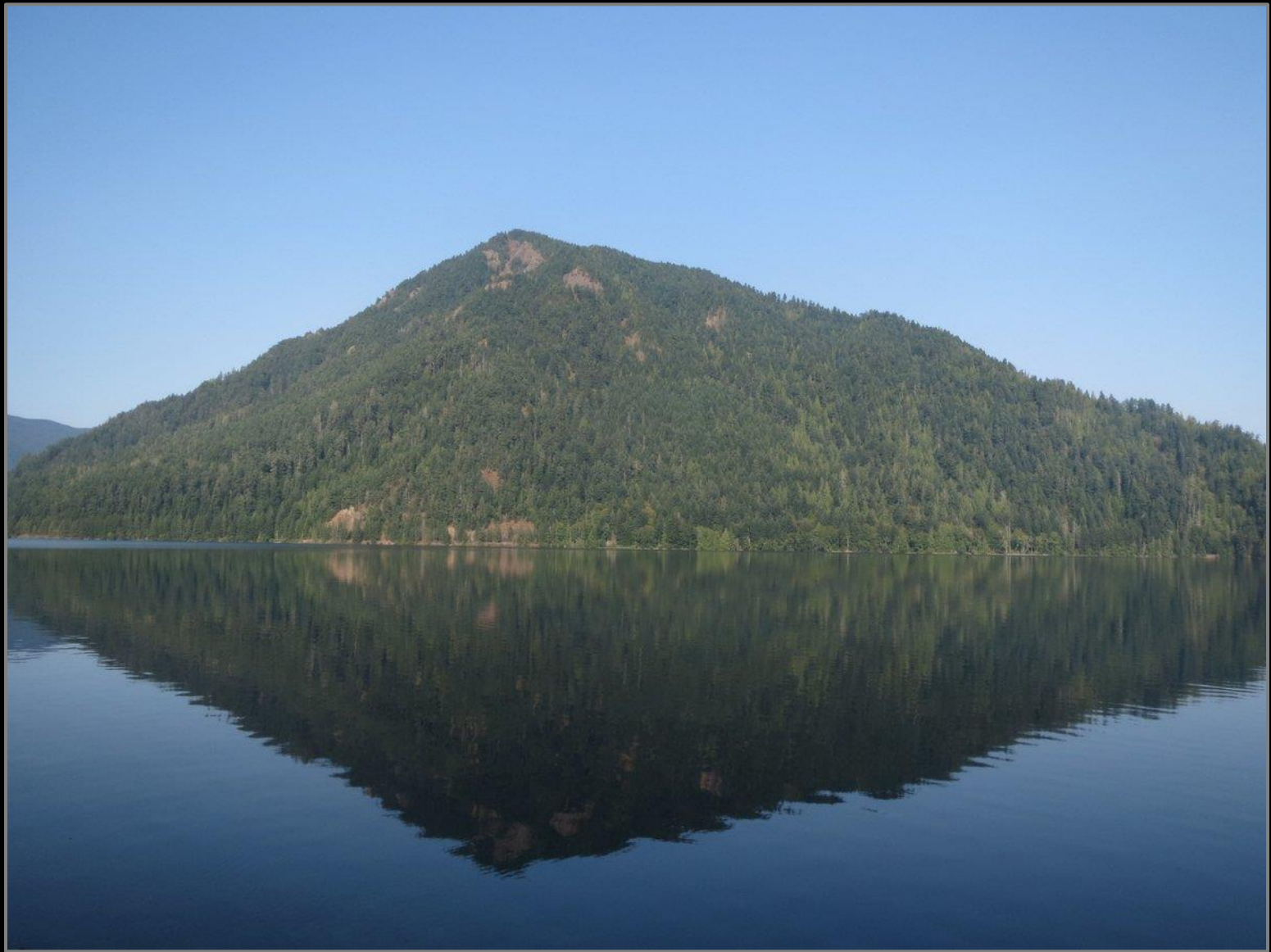
At Walmart



My favorite yogurt – Lemmon burst Yoplait



Lake Crescent





A short hike from Storm king range station to Marymere falls



Marymere falls



On the way back to the ranger station









Lake Crescent



A short hike to Soleduck falls





Soleduck falls



On the way back



Soleduck falls parking lot



Washington: 'Evergreen state' - So true!



Ruby beach at low tide (important)



















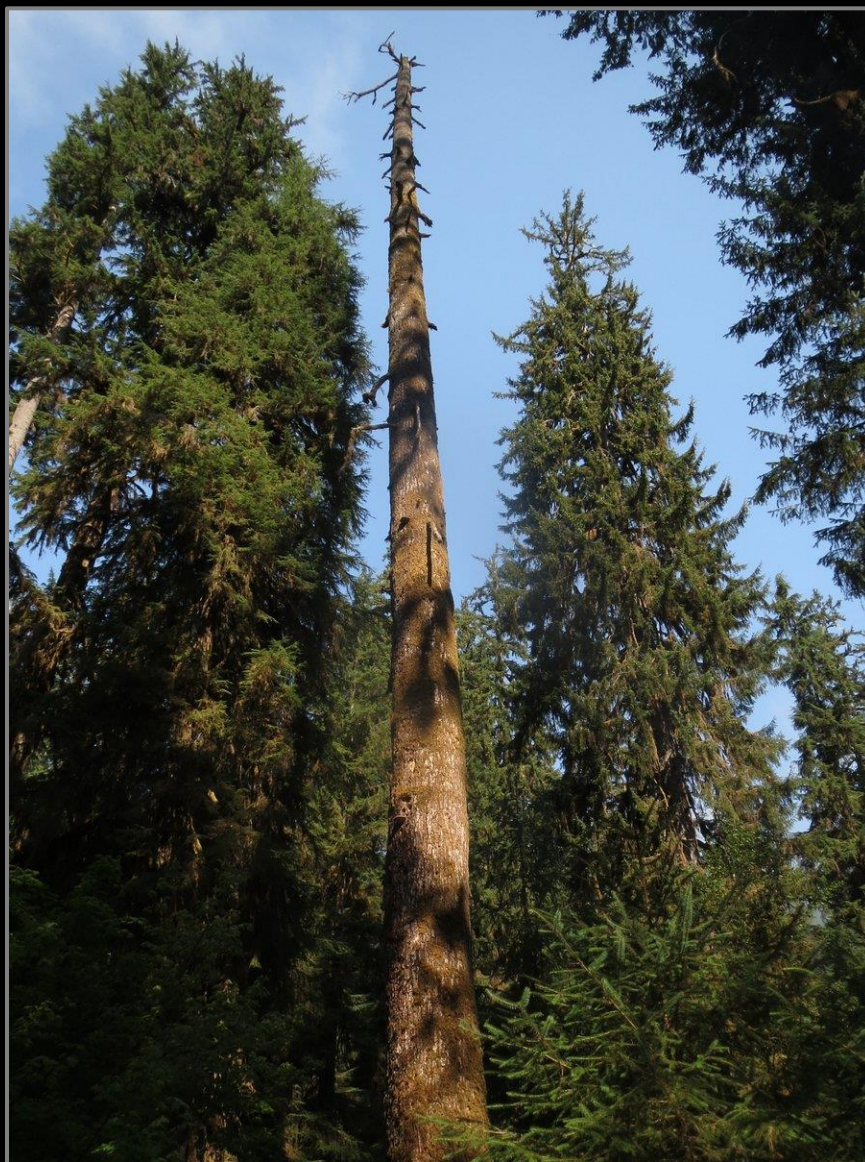








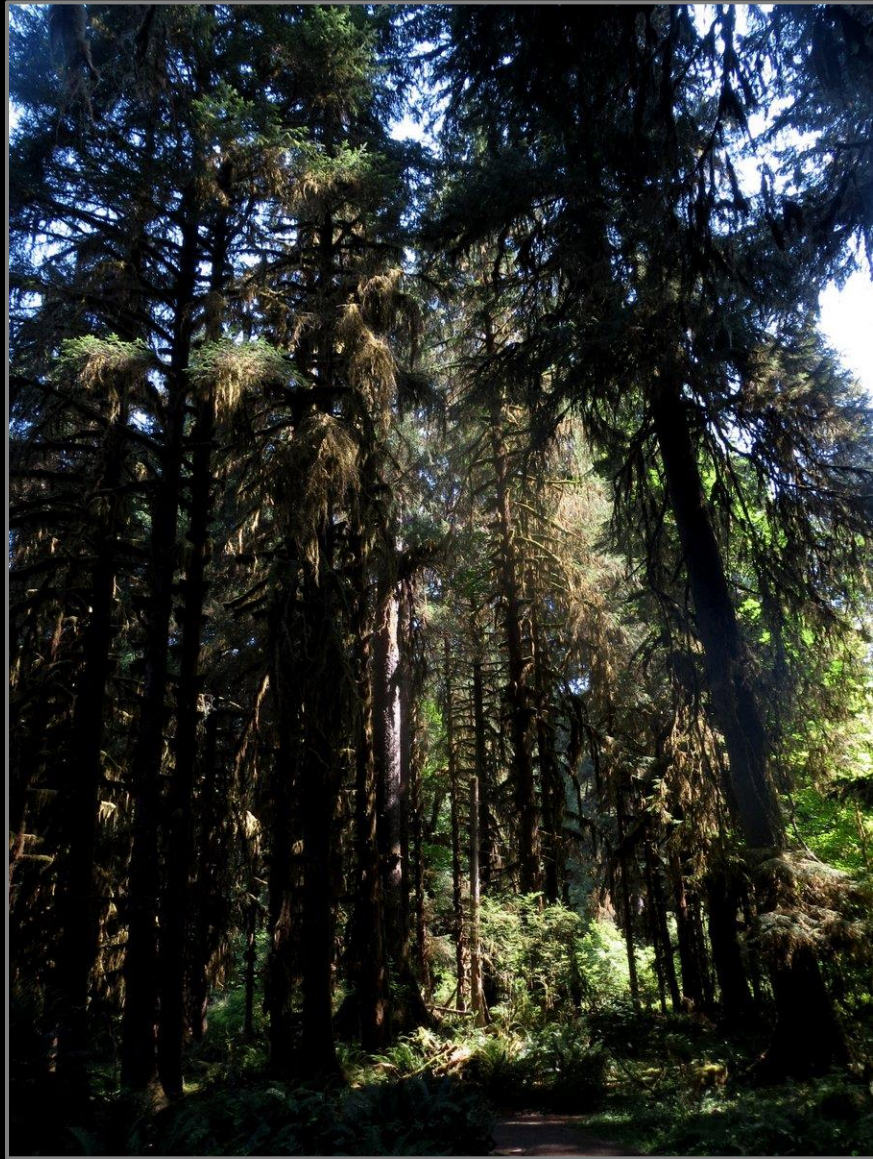
**Day 27 – Hoh rain forest and Quinault lake and forest
On the way to Hoh visitor center**



Two short hike around the visitor center









Hall Of Mosses



Beach 4 (on Rt. 101)



Quinault forest short hike (disappointing)

OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE
STEAK & UNLIMITED SHRIMP



VICTORIA'S FILET MIGNON & UNLIMITED SHRIMP

Around here, there's no such thing as skimping on shrimp. For a limited time only, of course. We can't keep this up forever. We probably don't have to say it, but we will. No sharing, mate.

VICTORIA'S FILET MIGNON + Unlimited Shrimp, one Signature Potato & freshly made side 6 oz. 27.99 9 oz. 35.99
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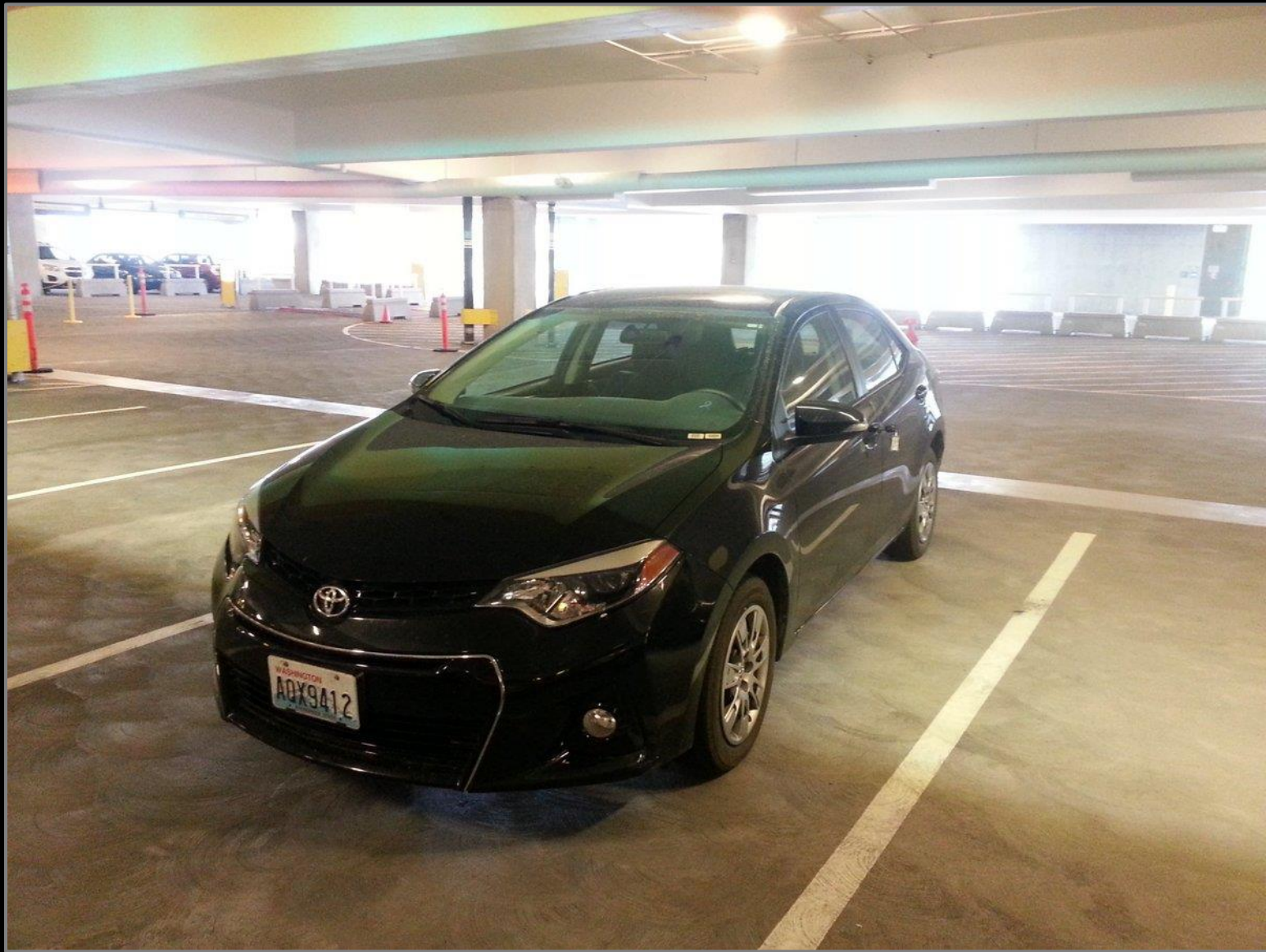
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GARLIC HERB BUTTER SHRIMP - Dressed in garlic herb butter & sprinkled with fresh seasonings.
CRISPY SHRIMP - Fried golden and paired with cocktail sauce or our NEW! Volcano sauce.

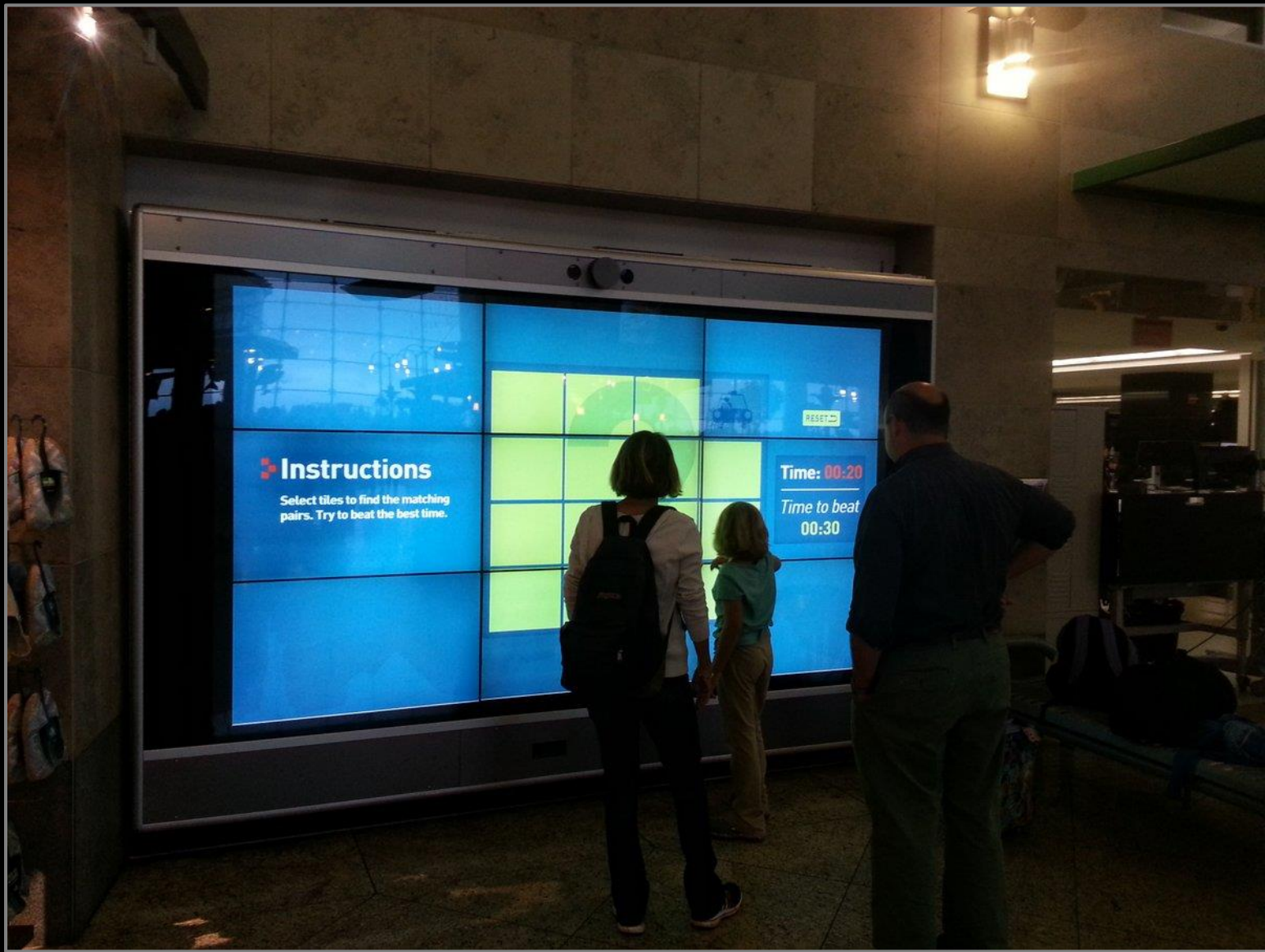
A great dinner with steak and unlimited shrimp



**Day 28 – Drive to Seattle and fly to JFK
My rented car. I liked it a lot**



Flight ticketing kiosks at the car rental facility.



A game at Seattle airport



Kids play area at Seattle airport

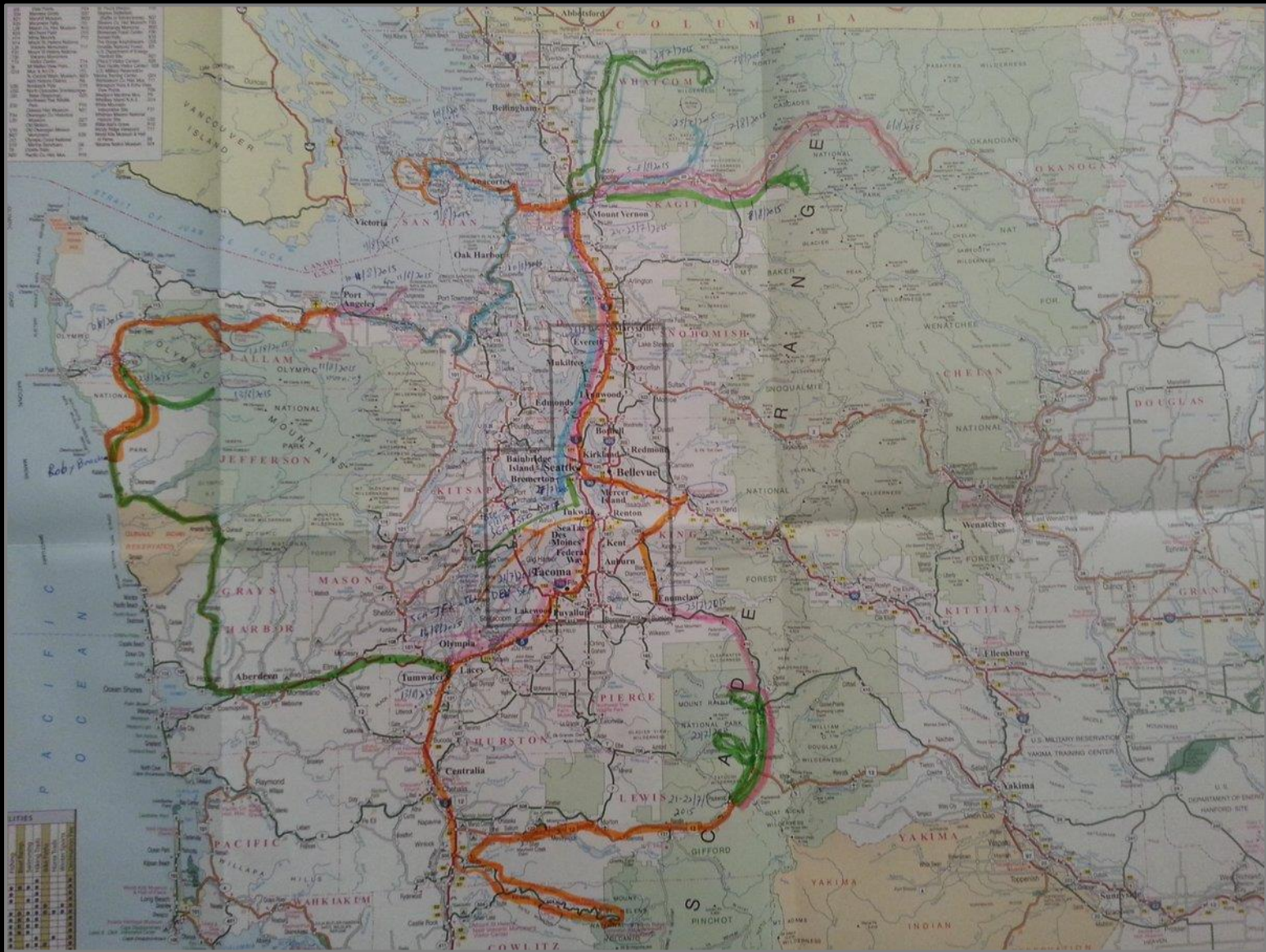


A rainy day



Day 29 – Fly for JFK to Tel Aviv





My route at Washington

Some stats

Duration	Total: 29 days, Trip: 20.5 days
States	Seattle, California, Colorado
National Parks	5
Flights	9
Car rentals	5
Driving distance	5051 Km, 246 Km/trip day
Pictures	3575 pics, 174 pics/trip day