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RV Trip Planning

Tools, Tips and Tricks for Making the Most of Your Next Trip!

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Welcome and Thanks!

- Texas RV'ing and Camping ...
- North Texas RV'ing and Camping ...
- Central Texas RV'ing and Camping ...
- South Texas RV'ing and Camping ...
- United RV ...
- Jim Vititow!!!



Our Agenda ...

- Our story ...
- Some important mindsets we need ...
- The tools we use ...
- The tools we don't use just yet ...
- Planning a short trip ...
- Planning a long trip ...
- Q&A!



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Our Story ...

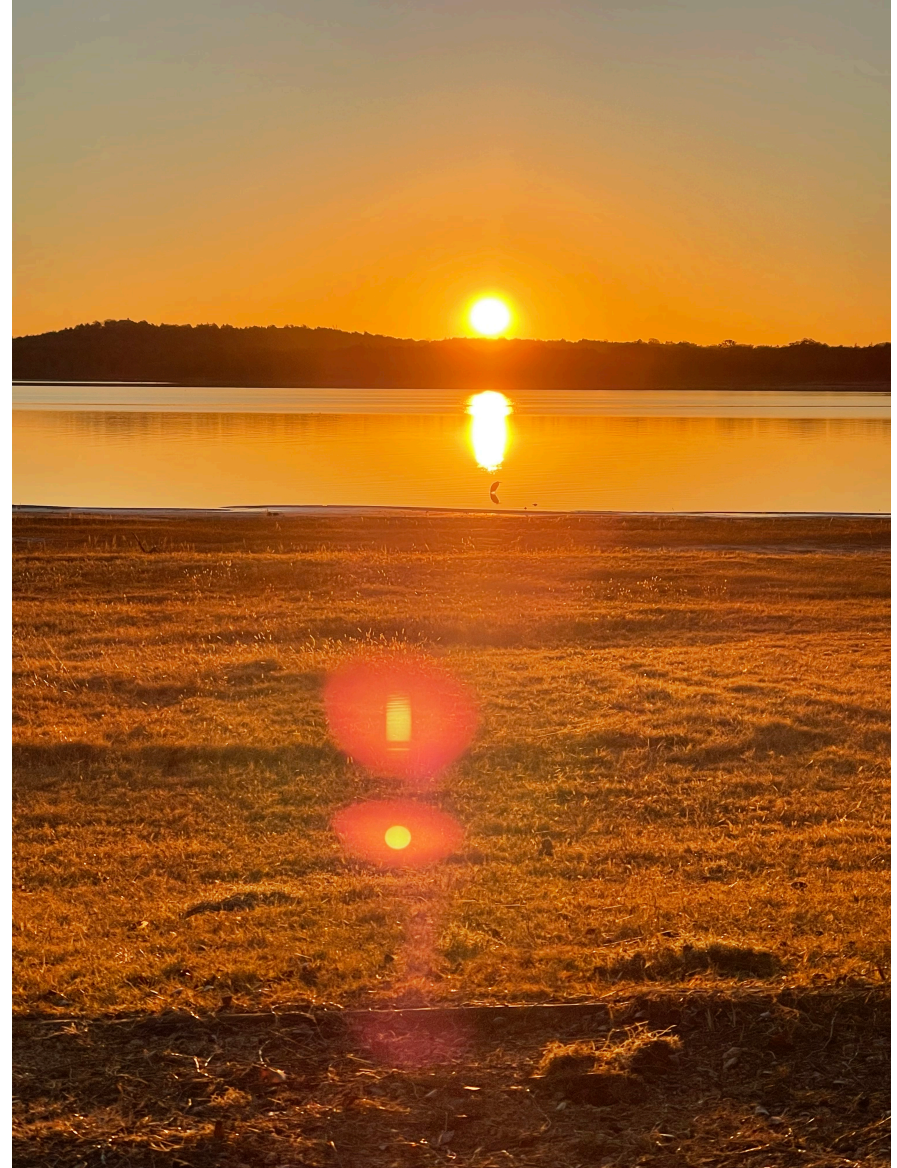
- Jim & Christie Jacobus – Team Jacobus
- Bought our first TT Valentine's Day 2019 ... on a lark!
- First trip was cold, cloudy, rainy and we loved it!
- Camped 6 out of the next 8 weekends!
- 3-4 months in ... the question! Answer?
- Started the process ...
- Went full time about 1 year ago!
- *"This lifestyle isn't for everyone ... but it suits us perfectly"!*



Jim and Christie Jacobus
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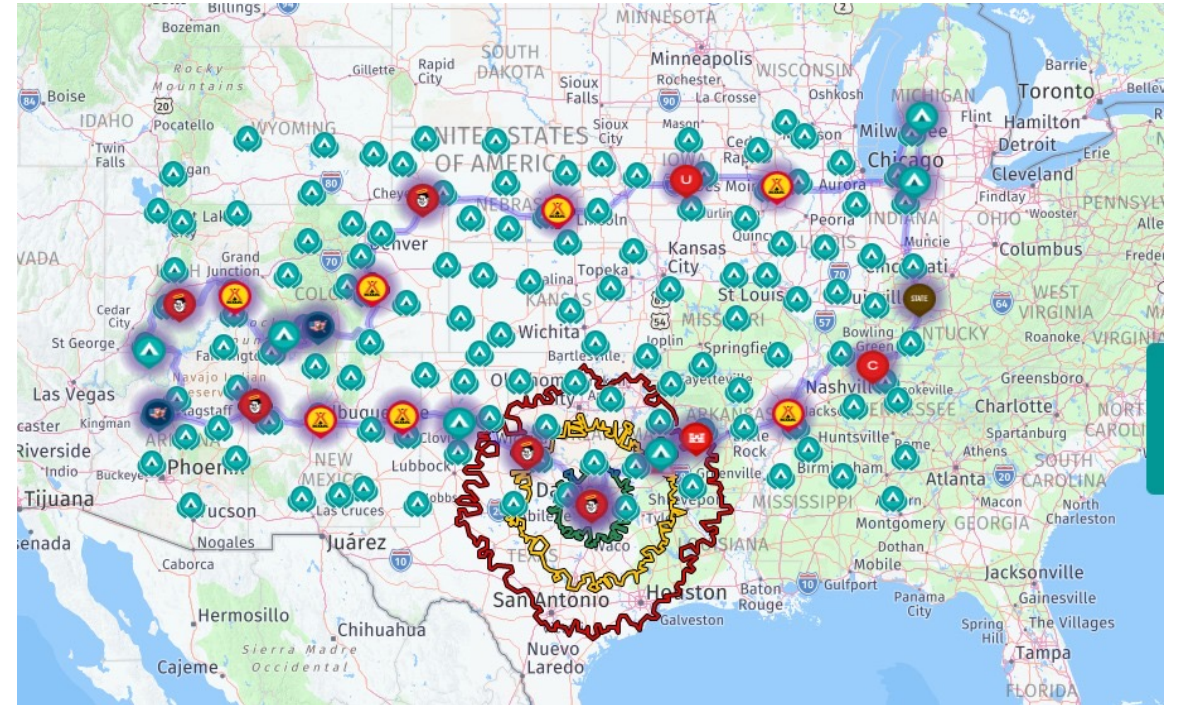
The Mindset ...

- We can always find a place to stay ...
- Sometimes we plan EVERY stop ...
- Sometimes we plan as we go ...
- We keep EVERY option open!
- We use EVERY tool available!
- We make the most of EVERY situation!



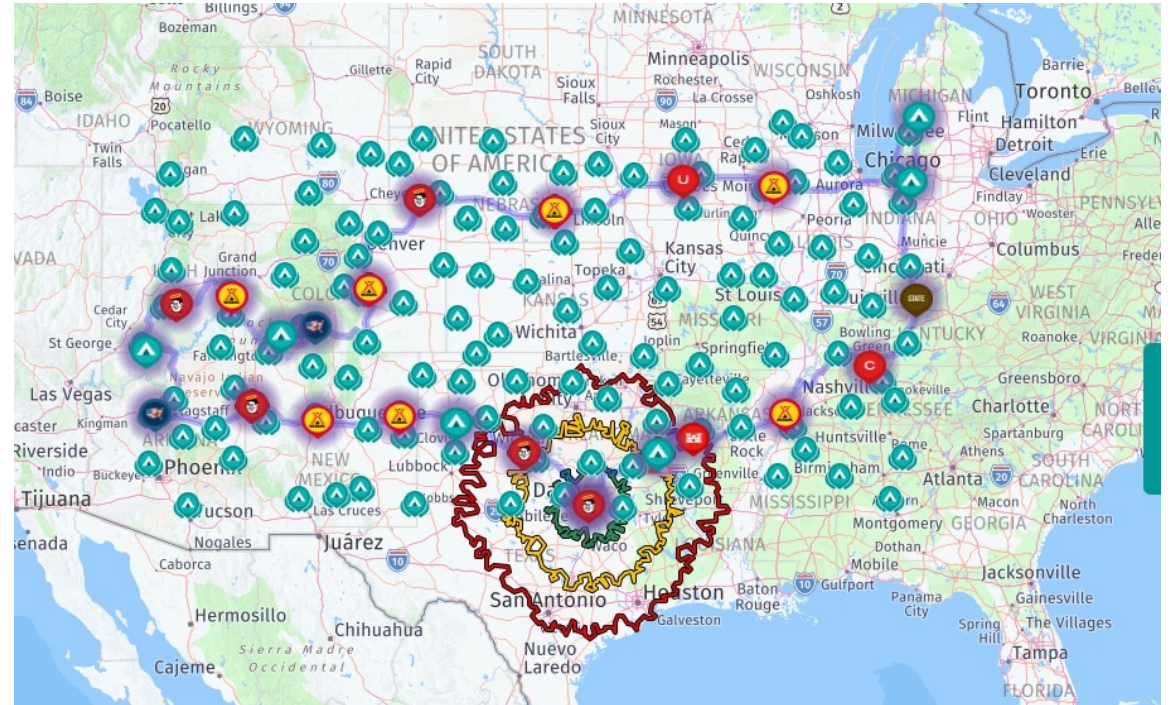
Our Tools Include

- RV Trip Wizard ... the backbone!
- ReserveAmerica.com ... State Parks
- Recreation.Gov ... National Parks and Corps of Engineers (COE)
- Kampgrounds of America ... KOA
- Harvest Host ... Boondocking
- Campground Reviews ... part of RV Life and RV Trip Wizard
- Google Earth
- Currently we do not use BLM, HipCamp, Boondockers Welcome and similar. Would love to learn more about those!



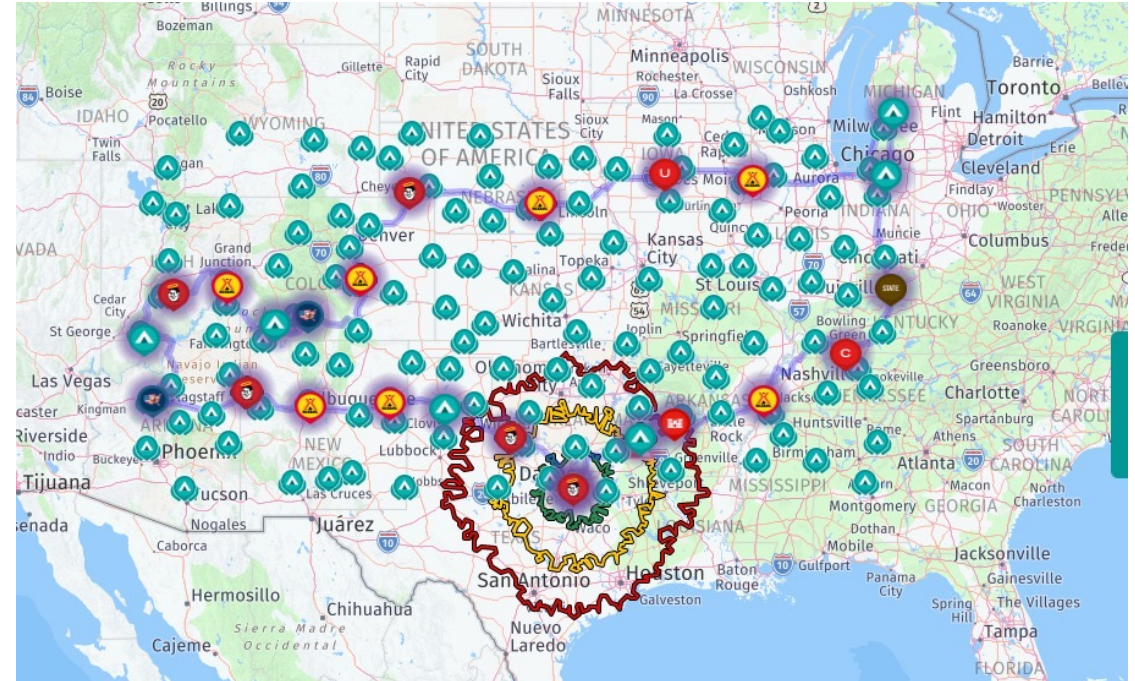
About RV Trip Wizard ...

- Set up your account ...
- Set up your default settings ...
- Open up a new trip ...
- Set defaults for the new trip ...
- Set your filters ...
- Plan your trip!
- Special TRVC discount of 50% off using TRVCSAVE50



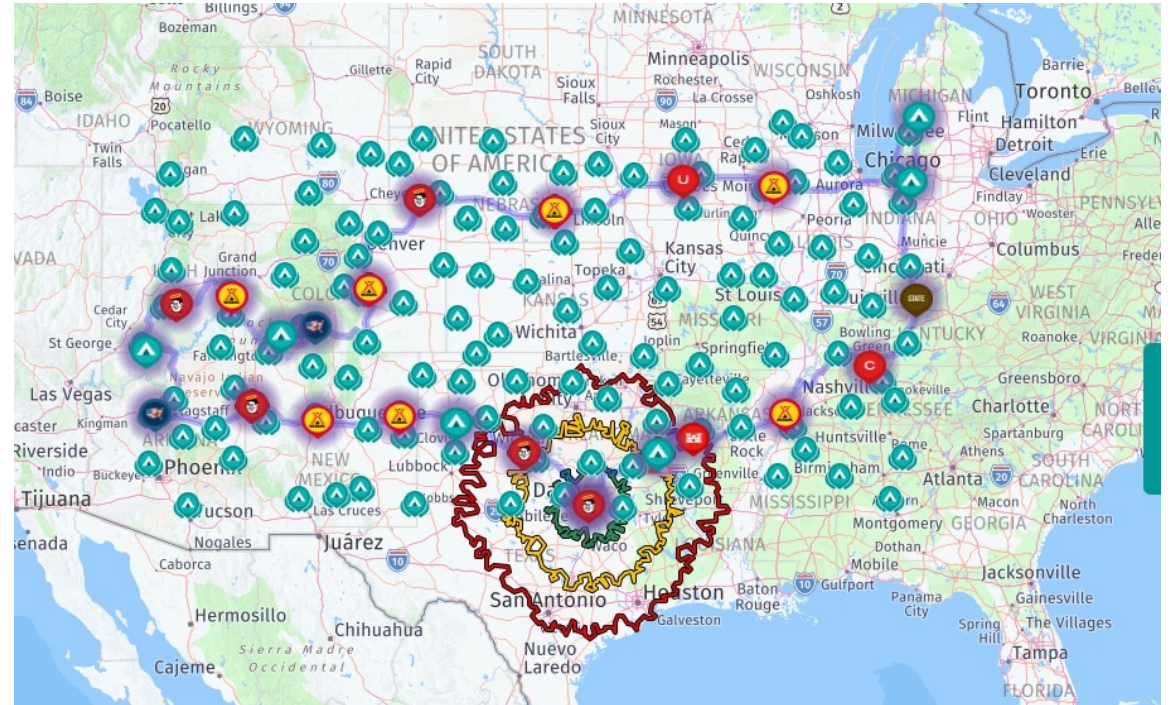
3 Kinds of Trips ...

- Last fall we went to Maine and stayed a month ...
- Trip style #1 ... 3 and 4 night stops!
- From Maine we went to Grand Design Rally in Myrtle Beach ...
- Trip style #2 ... 1 night stops!
- From Myrtle Beach we went to Shreveport out running a hurricane!
- Trip style #3 ... 1,100 miles in 2 days!
- They all have +/- ...



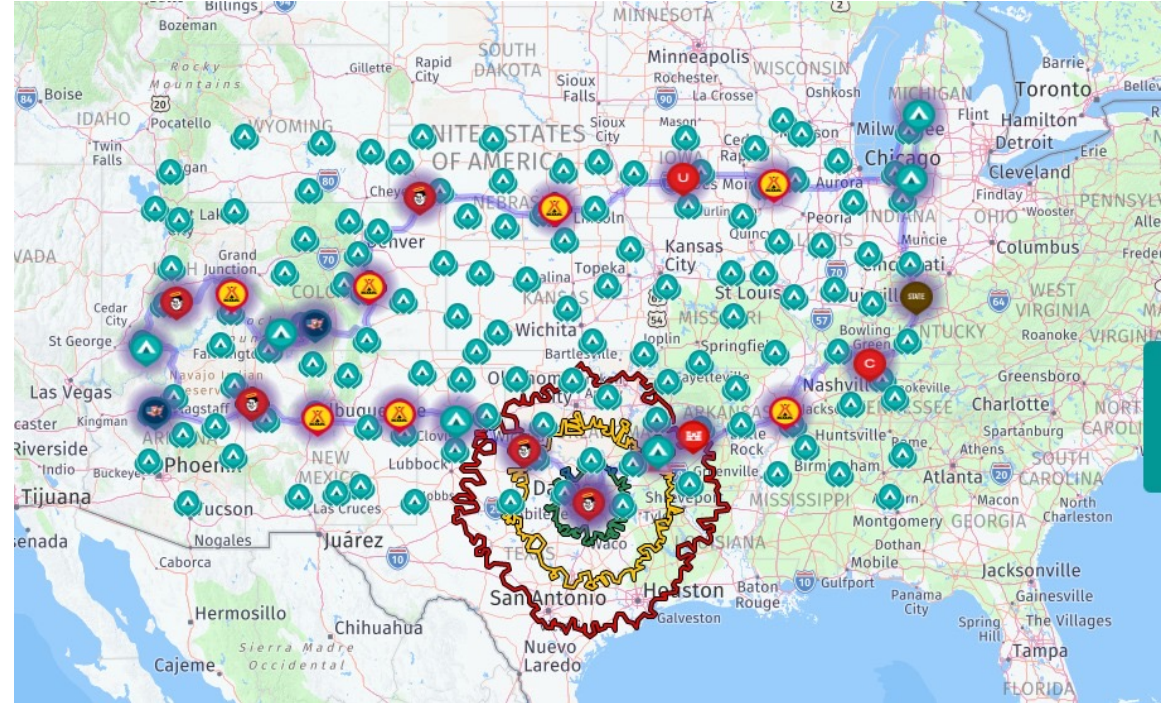
Planning A Short Trip ...

- Start with Point A and departure date!
- Add Point B and arrival date ...
- Plan your stop(s) if any ...
- Look for places to stay ...
- Book your stays ...
- NOTE: We use the 3:30/330 rule as a guide!

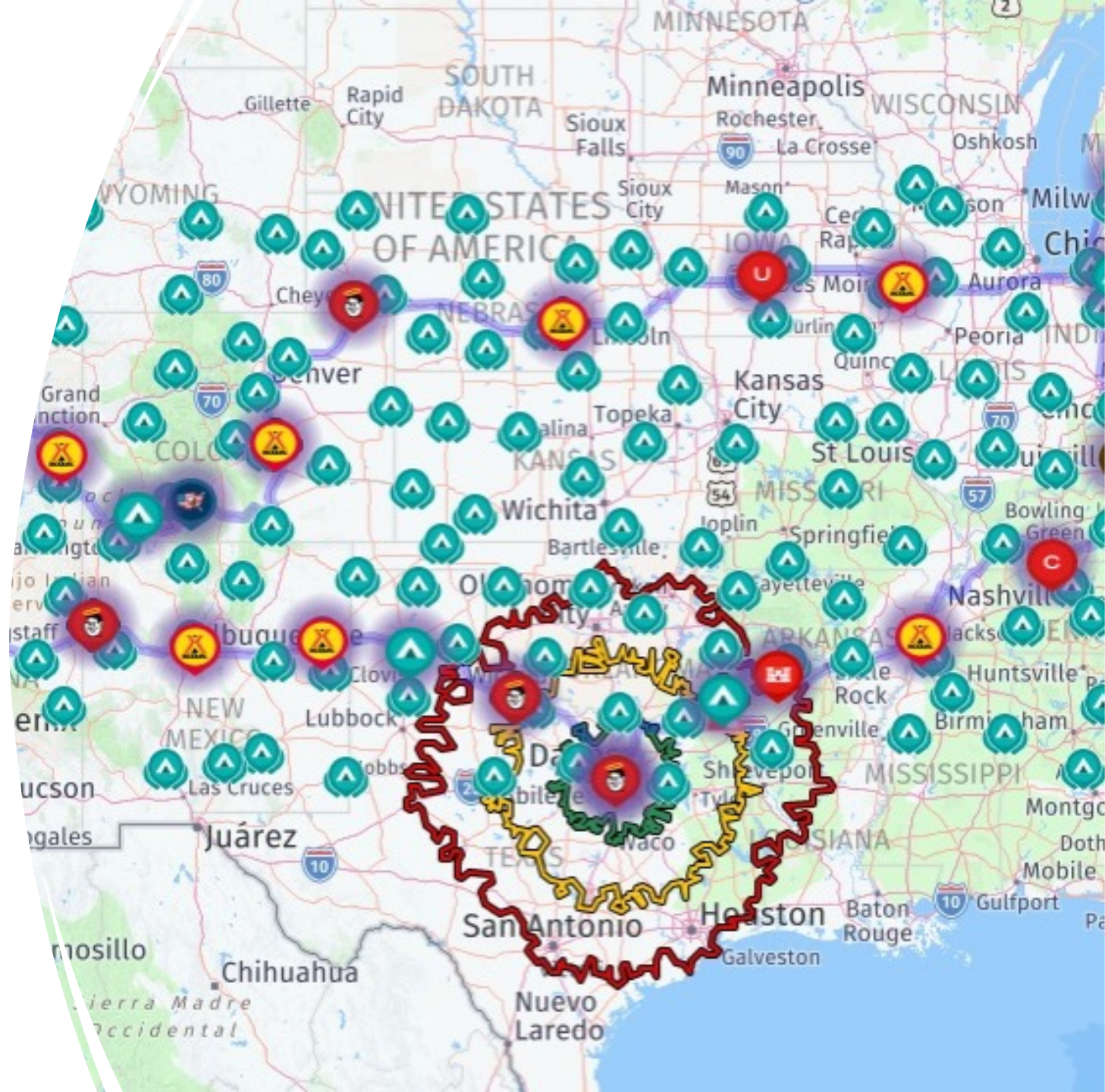


Planning A Long Trip ...

- Same as short ... Point A, Point B, start and stop dates
- Crowd source ... best route, places to stay, things to see
- Plan your stops, length of stay, use a placeholder
- Look for places to stay
- Research the options
- Book your stays
- Book your excursions, side trips, sightseeing
- ENJOY the anticipation of planning and looking forward to your trip!!!



Demo Time ...





Q&A ...