

We don't know John's precise route within the ellipse (neither does John, no doubt), except that we know he traveled from his car at the bottom of the ellipse to the cliffs at the top of the ellipse with a view of Zion Lodge. Somewhere between those two points in Lodge Canyon he was rescued. Those of us who hiked Deertrap Mountain had a bird's eye view of Lodge Canyon, as well as the East Temple, Twin Brothers, and Mountain of the Sun. If John had the agility of the bighorn we saw, he could have bounded up Deertrap to safety.