

# *Mount Rushmore September 5, 2010*



As part of our trip to Yellowstone National Park, we went to see Mount Rushmore. We really enjoyed this and glad we were able to fit this into our itinerary.



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There's a hiking trail that you can take to the base of the monument and get an up-close look at the sculptures. There is also an amphitheater that has a light and audio presentation regarding the monument.

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There was a nice visitor's center that had a film on how the monument was constructed as well as various exhibits containing actual models and equipment used during the project.



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We stayed at this hotel (in white). There are helicopter rides which we did not take, but we did take this ski-lift up to an observation point to view the monument from a distance.

There was also a 'luge' run that the kids loved. We did not do this though!



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**Hey, this is one way to get one's face on Mount Rushmore!**

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