

Mormon Battalion, LDS Church Last Camp on San Pedro Marker

Benson, Cochise County, Arizona

TRAIL SEGMENT

2. Main Command

TRAIL DATE

13 Dec 1846

DEDICATION DATE

1960

GPS COORDINATES

31° 58.223' N

110° 18.337' W

WGS84



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Description

Triangular white concrete roadside marker with stone cap and embedded black slate plaque, with LDS Faith in Every Footstep plaque attached. The encampment date on the marker is incorrect. The 13 December 1846 camp was located 1 mile to the east in the present Pato Blanco Lakes RV Park & Resort between I-10 and East Pearl Street.

Driving Directions

This roadside marker is located in Benson, Arizona at pull out on North side of West 4th Street (Business I-10 and Arizona Route 80) just east of Ocotillo Avenue.

Inscription

Plaque 1 of 1.



[LDS Faith In Every Footstep
Marker attached]

MORMON
LDS CHURCH
BATTALION
DEC 14 1846
LAST CAMP ON
SAN PEDRO
TURNED WEST
TOWARD TUCSON
ERECTED 1960
BY POST 34

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History

Erected 1960 by Sierra Vista Boy Scout Explorer Post 34.

Credits

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