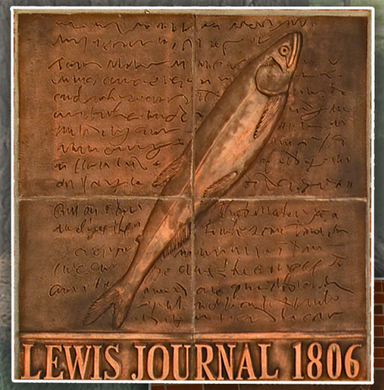
Iowa REST AREAS

Corps of Discovery

Sergeant Bluff

Woodbury County
I-29 southbound at milepost 140
Artist: David Dahlquist
Completed: March 2000

- The initial sight of canoe-shaped benches will pique the interest of many travelers stopping at this monument to Lewis and Clark's "Corps of Discovery" expedition. The names of every man, woman, child, and the dog who ventured with Lewis and Clark are carved into the masonry around the building. Tiled murals of Sacagawea and a boat-landing scene grace the walls.
- To trace the steps of the great explorers, an image of a Missouri River map is embedded in the floor, beginning in the welcome center and continuing through the lobby.
- Outside, a nature trail, adorned with plaques telling the stories and showing the images from the actual journals of Lewis and Clark, winds its way around the grounds.



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