

## **JOHN CANNON**

1. Why did you sign up for the hike?  
I was getting into backpacking,  
How old were you? 53
2. Favorite experience from the hike?  
Just doing it.
3. A moment of enlightenment or an "ah-ha moment"?  
Can't think of one
4. Favorite State and why? Colorado.  
I have backpacked 1000 miles in Colorado and also climbed 32 of the 53 1400  
feet mountains in Colorado
5. What was your least favorite part of the hike?  
None I can think of
6. How did the hike change you?  
Made me a stronger person in several ways
7. What do you tell people about your achievement now?  
Most of them are amazed
8. What would you change about the hike?  
ZERO
9. Did you pursue other hiking/backpacking afterwards?  
Long journeys or short weekends? Yes. Most of the backpacking trails in the U.S.  
and some in Europe (including Hawaii for 3 months), Also Appalachian Trail
10. What did you learn about yourself?  
That I needed the Lord even more in my life
11. Did it make you a stronger person?  
Yes
12. Are you proud of your accomplishment?  
Yes and thankful to the Lord Jesus Christ
13. What was the dumbest thing you did on the hike?  
By not having enough warm gear for a while.
14. What was your most vivid memory from the hike?

By getting to know Marcie and Monty. We traveled together a lot in Europe.

15. What was your funniest moment on the hike?

I had so many I can't think of the one that's favorite