

News from the Rock



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Mary and I started the 2001 in the Dry Tortugas



Loggerhead Key was a very pictures scene!

This trip to the Dry Tortugas was a great way to start the New Year.

At anchor off Fort Jefferson



Mary and I were amazed at the beautiful sunsets and the beautiful environment in the Tortugas area.

The First Wedding of 2001

In April we traveled to Matt and Linda were married in Seattle.



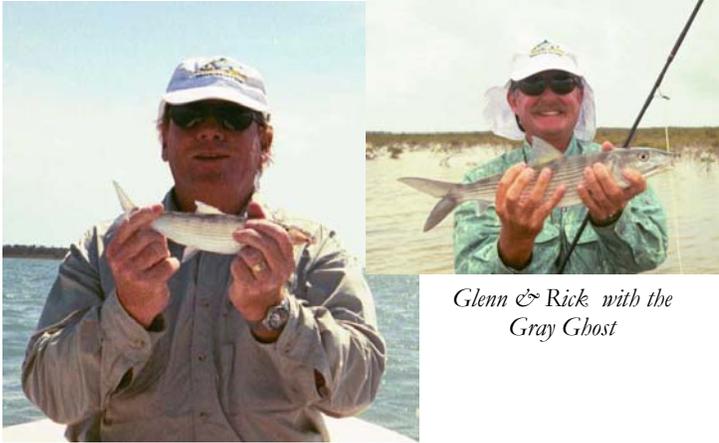
Catching Black Grouper for Dinner off Big Pine Key for Dinner was a delicious treat!!



The new bride Linda and groom Matt with Grandma Powell

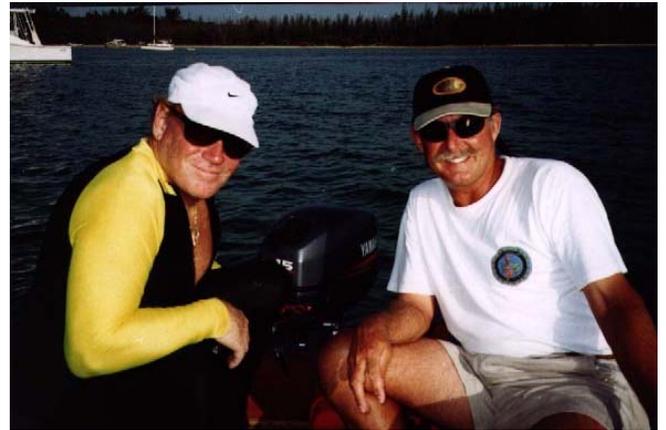
Summer time in the Bahamas, again

In April, Rick Howard and I did a 4 day trip to the Abacos in search of Bonefish. Used a flyrod for the first time, caught a nice Bonefish. It was more like hunting than fishing.



Glenn & Rick with the Gray Ghost

On June 23, we went to the Bahamas with Pat and Rick joining us in their boat the 'Bottomline'. Our plan was to cruise to Cat Island east of the Exumas, however when we reached the Exumas we had bad weather for several days which prevented us from getting to Cat Island.

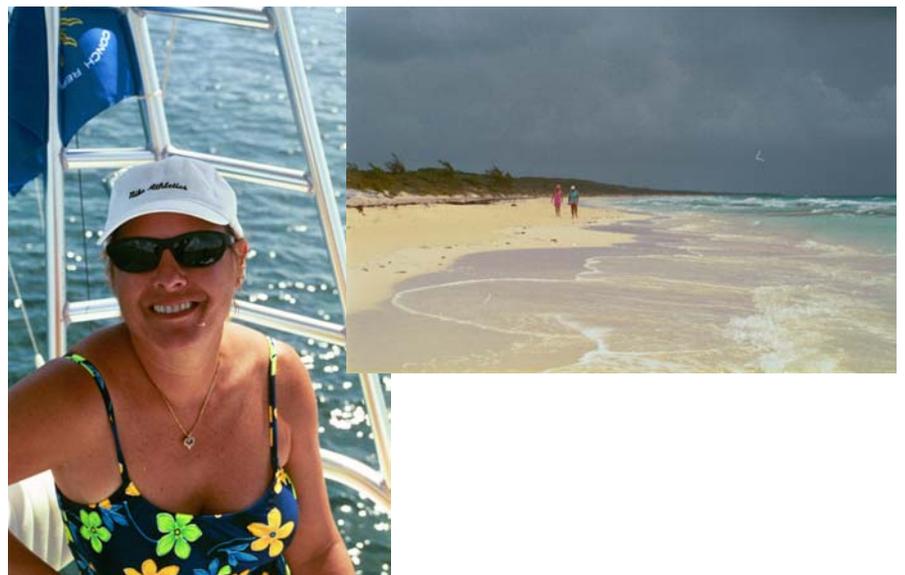


Glenn & Rick scooting around in the inflatable!

In May, Rick, Steve (Bottomline's Captain) & I went to the Freshcreek, Andros Island. We caught so many 30 pound Dolphins, we released at least a couple dozen.



The Bottomline setting anchor in Morgan's Bluff anchorage!



July Wedding – Pat & Beth

For the July 4th holiday we went to our longtime friend Pat Crenshaw and his new bride Beth Houston's wedding in Waupaca, Wisconsin. We got to visit Mary's old home and see how things have not changed in Norman Rockwell's world. Glenn had never been to Wisconsin—it was fun taking him to the old haunts. We spent time with Jimmy Balistreri and got to spend some time with his family.



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Mary in her favorite position on Sundance

Back to the Bahamas



Approaching the Bahama's, Gun Cay Light is the first island!



Grandpa Glenn with Sister Cookie and Grandson Steven holding a conch!

Sundance's Cruise with crew of seven

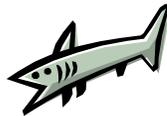
On July 23, Sundance departed for Cat Cay with a crew of seven. Mary's sister Barbara and her son Jake were on board. Our good friend Nikki Walker was on board with her daughters Jordan and Caitlen. The Walkers were able to get a room on Cat Cay which made Sundance a little less crowded at night.



On the Last trip of the summer the Sundance's crew of display a catch of lobster.....



On September 11, our way of life was forever changed with the attack on American.



Another Wedding—Ryan & Heather

On September 29, Ryan's way of life was forever changed he married Heather and they are living in Montana. The guys got to give Ryan a taste of the "Ole' Ball and Chain" for his bachelor party! I was a very nice wedding in Spokane, WA.



In September, The "Ole' Ball and Chain" strikes again!



Son Craig visits in October



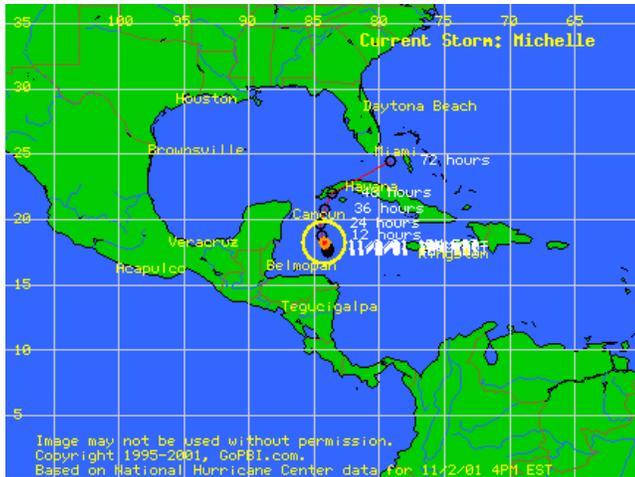
Craig spent some time here in October, we managed to get in some fishing catching a Barracuda was fun for Craig!



Hurricane Season—2001—Quiet Again



The 2001 Hurricane season was pretty quiet. Very late in the season, we went into hurricane prep mode only once for “Michelle” when it came over the southwest coast of Cuba.



The 2001 Hurricane Season produced more storms than average, but only Michelle came close.

Thanksgiving in Utah !

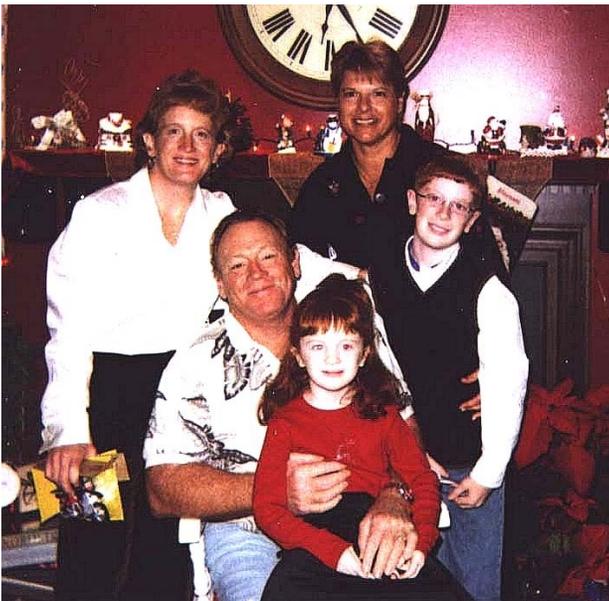


Carey, Barbara and Jake were our host for Thanksgiving in Layton, Utah.



Carey's Mom and Dad came for Thanksgiving Dinner and to keep Jake in line.

Christmas at ILSA's!



*Merry Christmas and
a Happy Year
Glenn and Mary*

