



THOUSAND SPRINGS SCENIC BYWAY

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The Thousand Springs Scenic Byway winds through 67 miles of the most remarkable geology and natural beauty in Idaho. Here, you'll find thousands (**really!**) of incredible waterfalls, soothing hot springs, charming small towns, and Idaho's famous trout. **Trail Begins: US-30, just after exiting I-84 at Bliss.**



Thousand Springs State Park in Hagerman, ID



Rest, Relax & Recharge at Miracle Hot Springs



Shoshone Falls Scenic Overlook in Twin Falls

Water, Water, Everywhere

You'll quickly see where Thousand Springs gets its name: There are **waterfalls** and **hot springs** everywhere. The vast Snake River Plain Aquifer flows 2,308 miles beneath volcanic rock from the St. Anthony to the Snake River, where it flows over the cliffs at Thousand Springs. Take a boat tour or dinner cruise to get close to these natural wonders. Worthy stops include the blue waters of **Box Canyon State Park** and the Nature Conservancy's **Thousand Springs Preserve**. If you're on a kayak, in a canoe, or on a paddleboard, be sure to check out the crystal clear waters of **Blueheart Springs**.

Have a Soak

Southern Idahoans have been enjoying the soothing waters of hot springs for generations. Have a soak yourself at **Miracle Hot Springs**, **Banbury Hot Springs**, or **1,000 Springs Resort**. Both have public and private pools, as well as camping and RV facilities.

Are fish more your style? Did you know that 70 percent the trout sold in the United States comes from Hagerman? The pure, cool, oxygen-rich water that flows from the Snake River Aquifer is perfect for raising these tasty fish. **Visit the Idaho Fish and Game Hagerman Fish Hatchery** check out Southern Idaho's sustainable aquaculture.

Higher Than Niagara

Towering **Shoshone Falls** is worth a side trip; this spectacular waterfall is 212 feet – higher than Niagara! See it at its peak in early spring before it is put to work irrigating the area's fertile farmland. While you're at **Shoshone Falls Park**, get on the **Centennial Trail**. You'll see unbelievable panoramic views and the launch site of **Evel Knievel's** ill-fated 1974 jump.

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