

Rock Art of the Adelbert Doyle Smith Family Archaeological Preserve



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Road Map

- Project mission
- National Register of Historic Places
 - What it is
 - Benefits of the Register
- The Smith Family Preserve
 - Property details
 - Connections across space and time
- Summary and call for volunteers

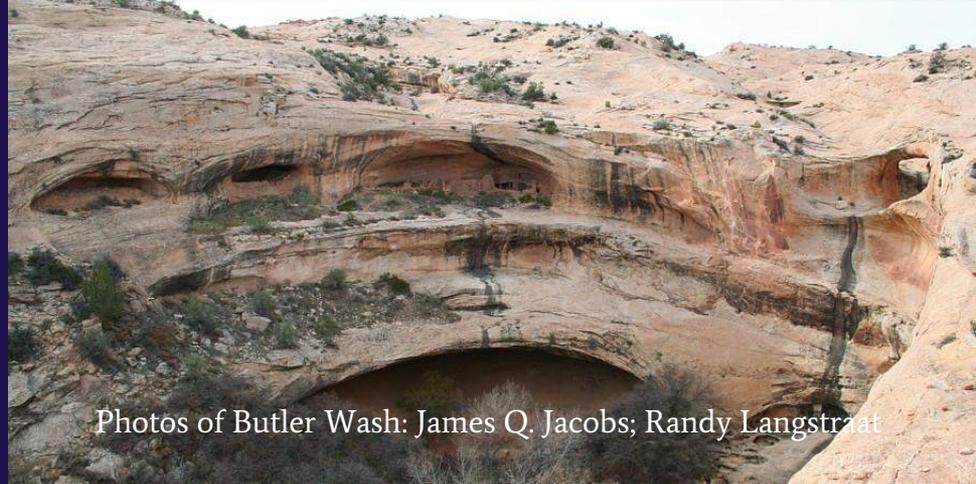


Photos provided by Steve Manning

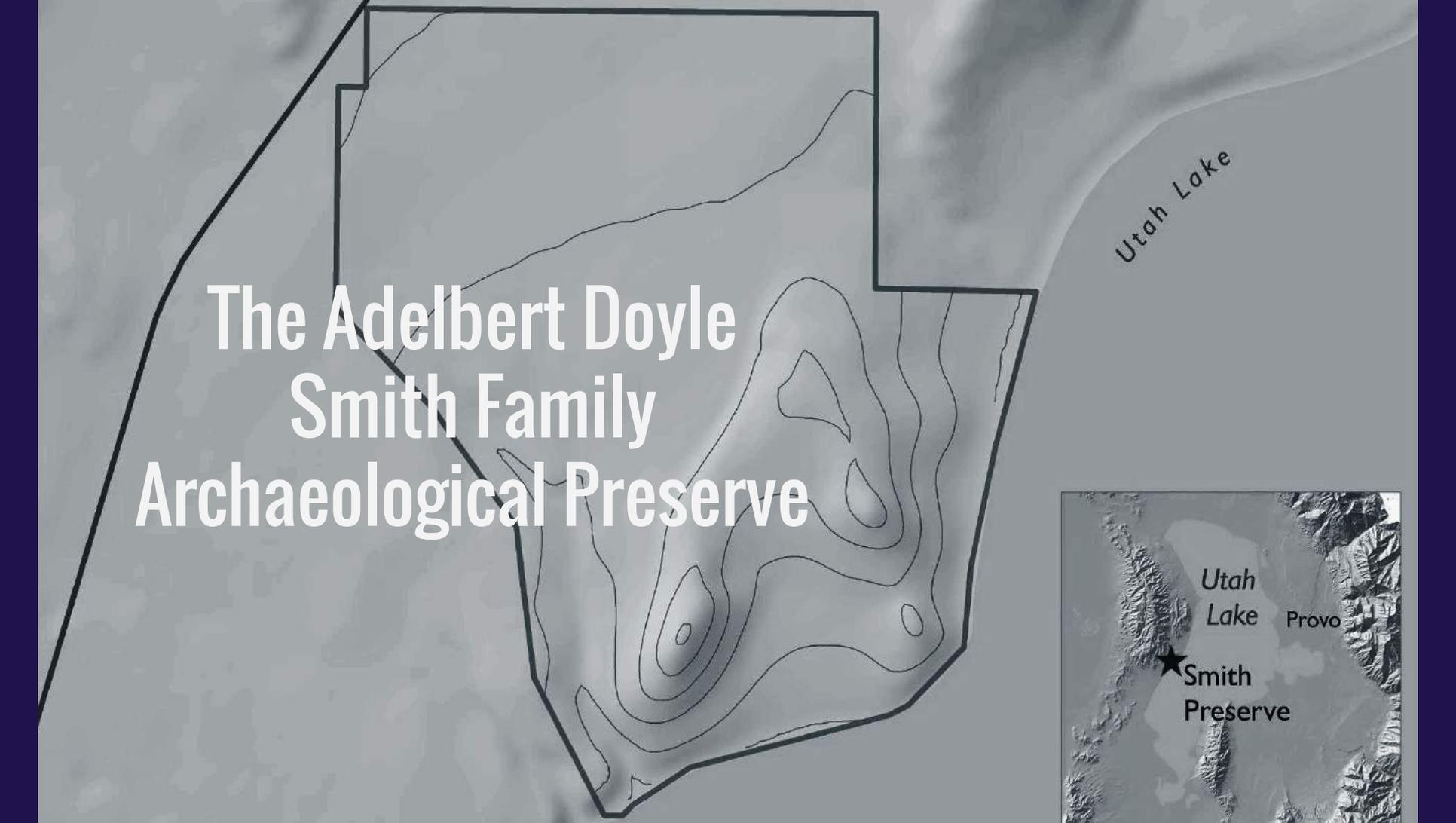
The National Register of Historic Places

90,540 total listings

1,752,995 total contributing resources
(buildings, sites, structures objects)



Photos of Butler Wash: James Q. Jacobs; Randy Langstraat



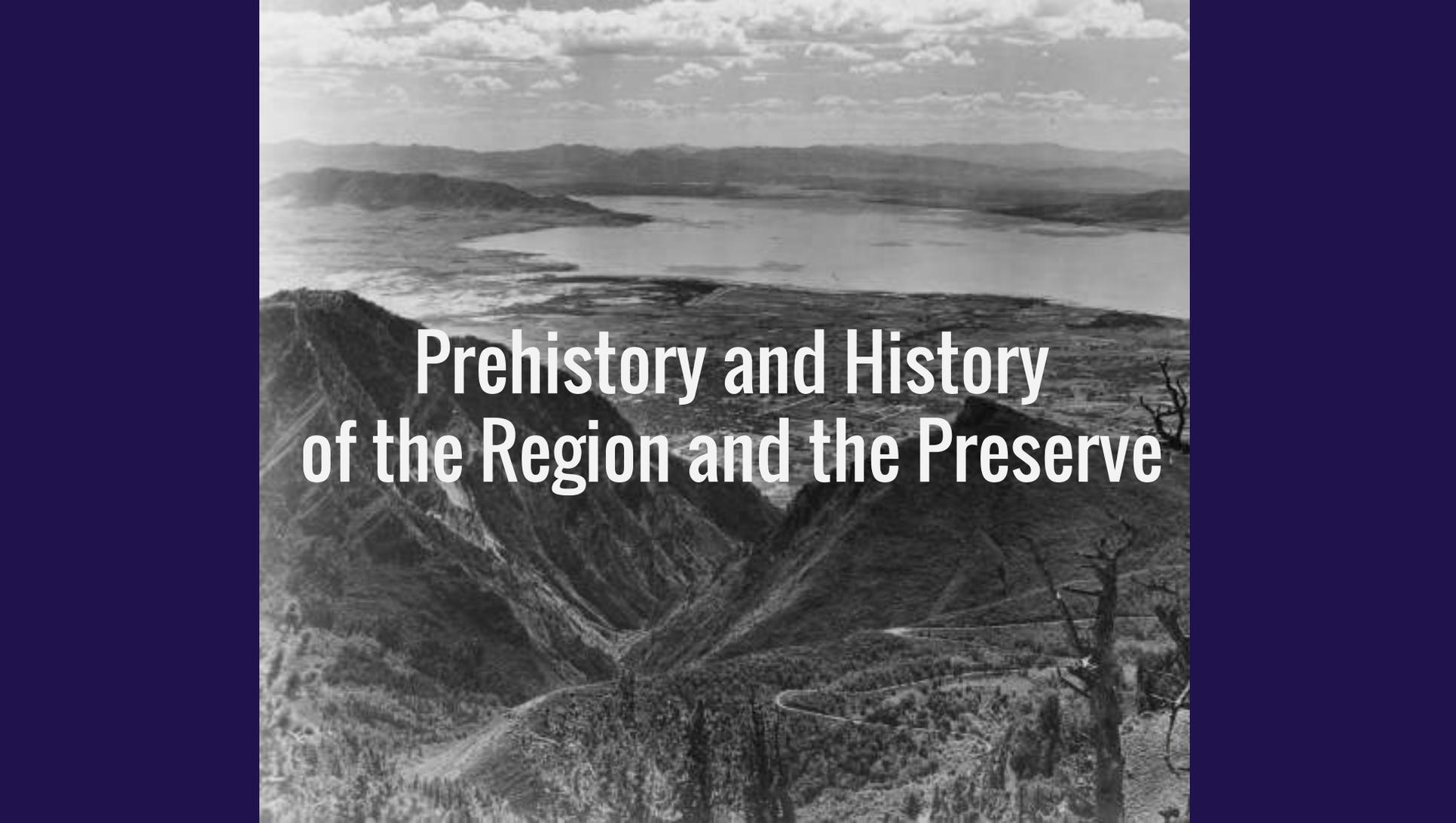
The Adelbert Doyle Smith Family Archaeological Preserve

Utah Lake





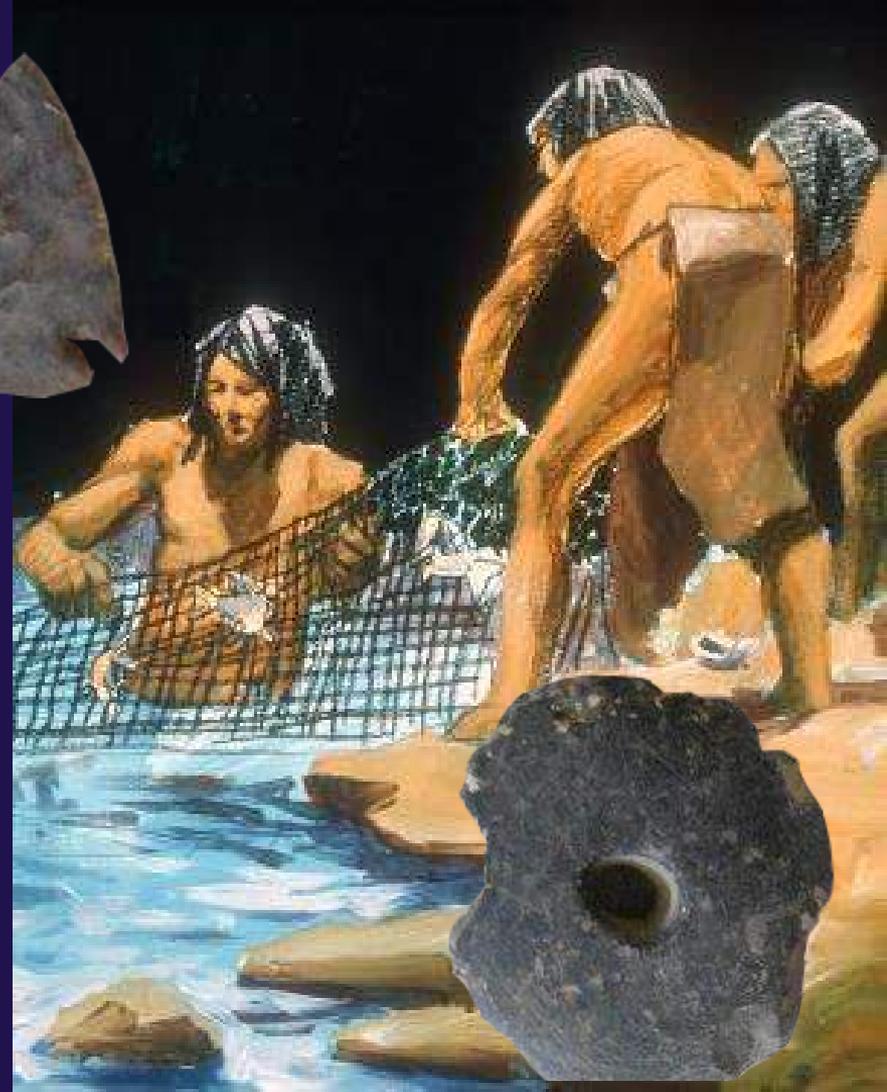
Fieldwork

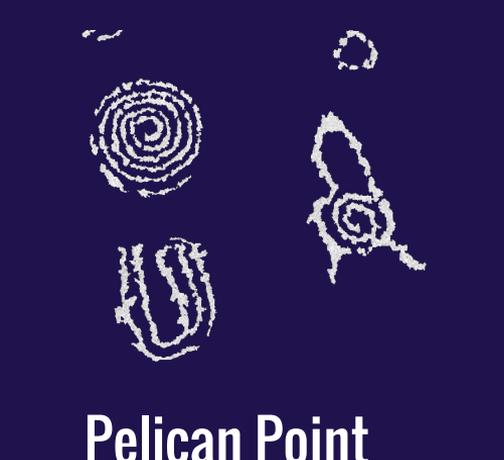
A black and white photograph of a vast landscape. In the foreground, a steep, rocky slope descends into a valley. A winding road or path is visible on the right side of the valley. The middle ground shows a wide, flat valley floor leading to a large body of water, possibly a reservoir or lake, which stretches across the horizon. The background consists of several layers of mountains, with the most distant ones appearing hazy. The sky is filled with scattered clouds. The overall scene is a wide, panoramic view of a natural landscape.

Prehistory and History of the Region and the Preserve

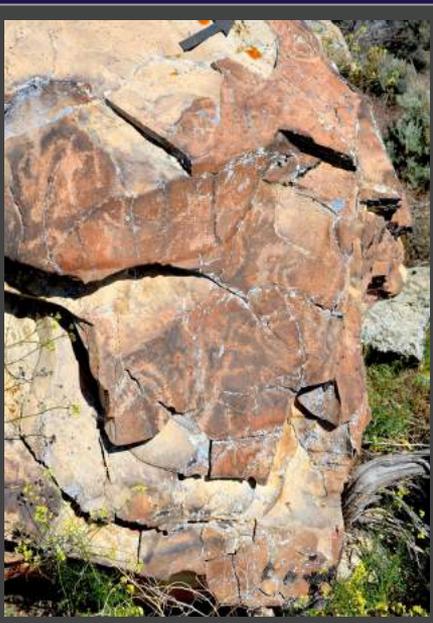
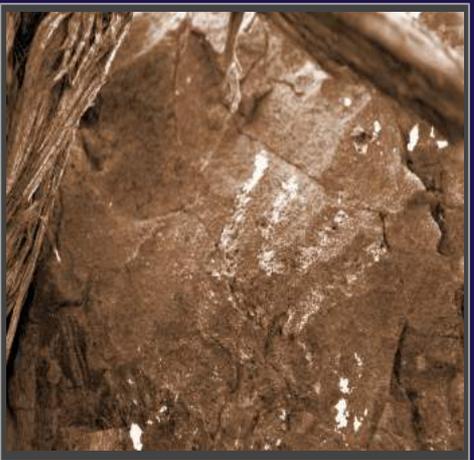
Archaic Period

- 8,000 B.C. through about A.D. 200
- People hunted and gathered





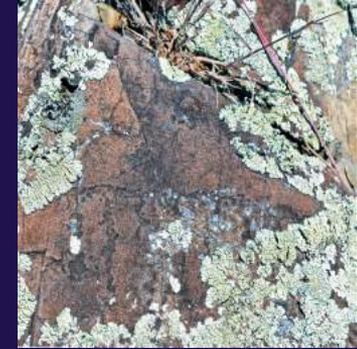
Pelican Point



Scott's Spring



Plants



Fringes



Circles



Fremont Period

- A.D. 200 through A.D. 1300
- Some people were mobile, some were more sedentary
- Specific regional styles take shape



Fremont - Representational



Protohistoric Period

- A.D. 1300 - 1850
 - Return to mobile lifestyle
- Ute, Goshute, and Shoshone
 - Timpanogos, or “Fish-eaters”
- Contact with Euro-Americans



Historic Period

- 1850 to 1950
- Provo founded in 1849

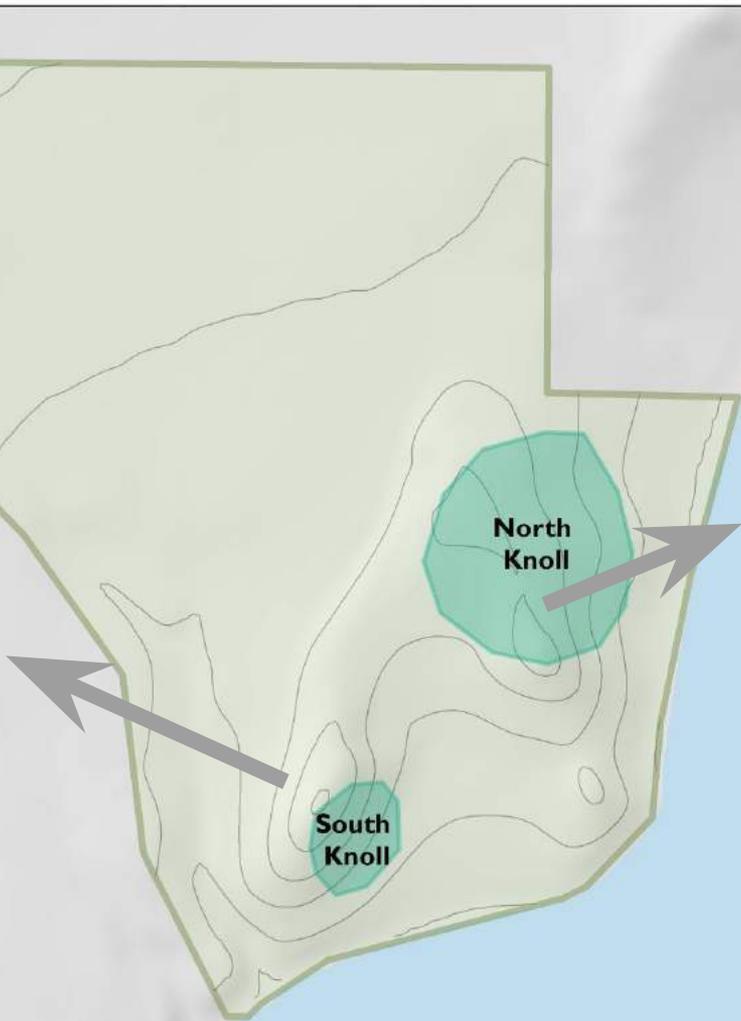


Modern Period

- 1950 through today
- Loss of petroglyphs
 - Looting
 - Bullet damage
 - Relatively little intentional defacing, so that's good!



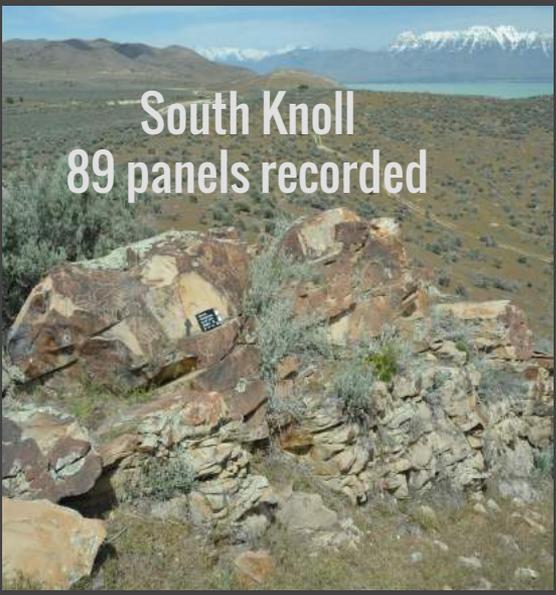
Highway 68



North Knoll
145 panels recorded



South Knoll
89 panels recorded

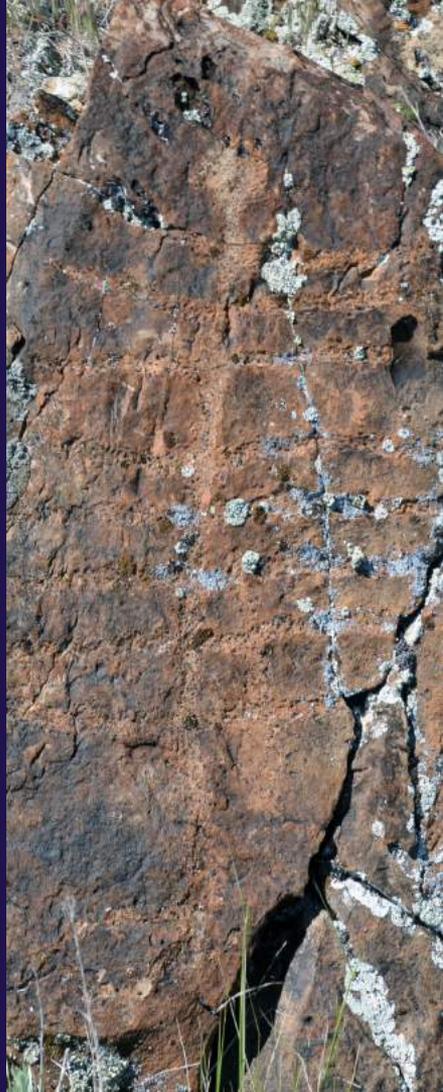


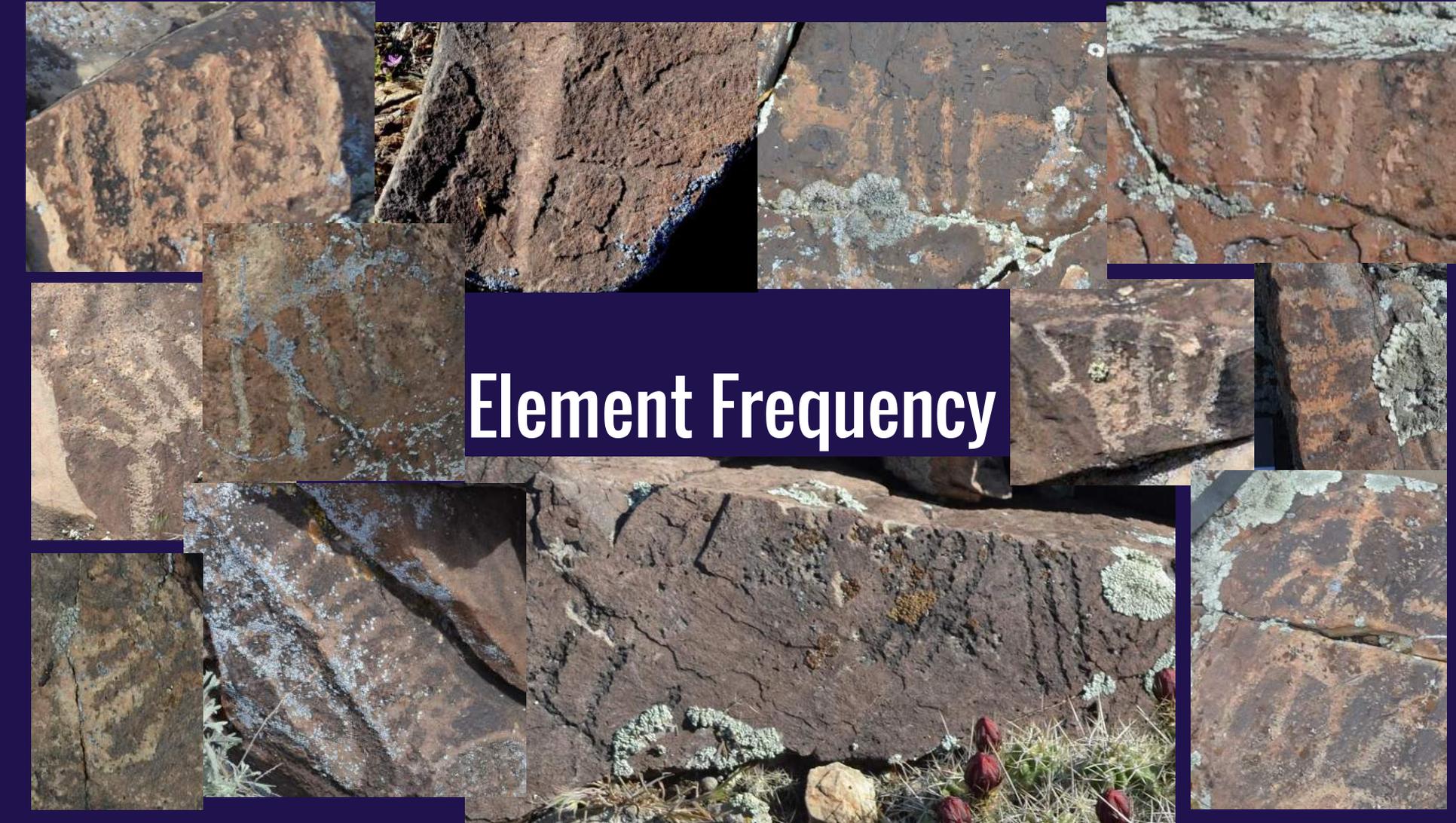
Variability

Method

Repatisation

Style



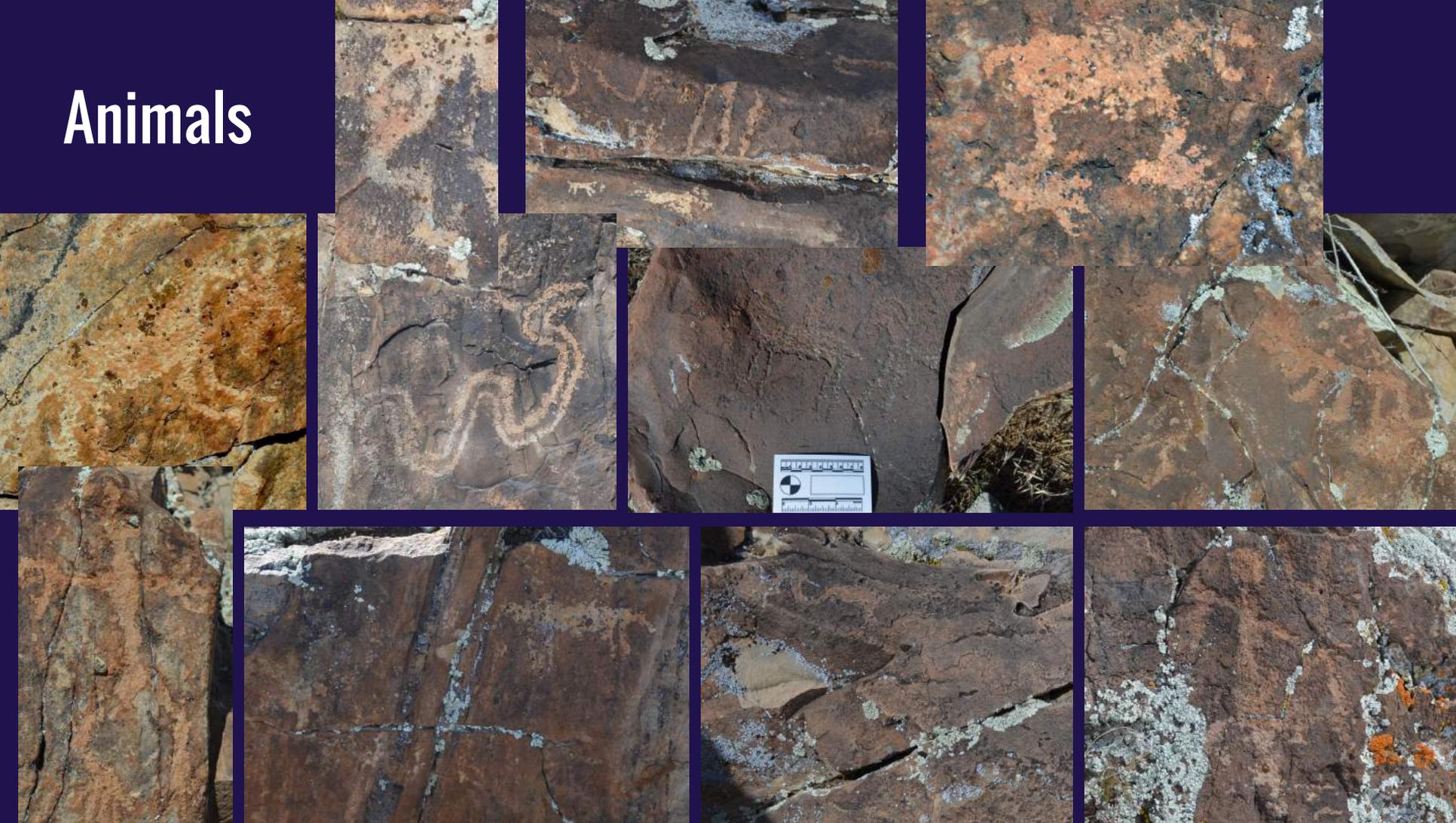


Element Frequency

Human



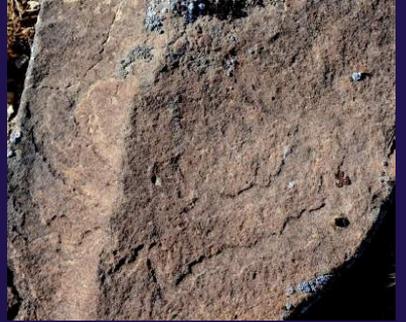
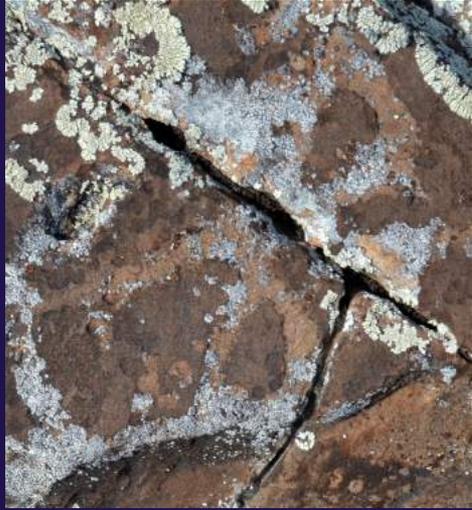
Animals



I Don't Know but It's Common



Circles and Spirals





Fishing Nets?

Upcoming Guided Tour at Smith Preserve

Provided by the Archaeological Conservancy Volunteers

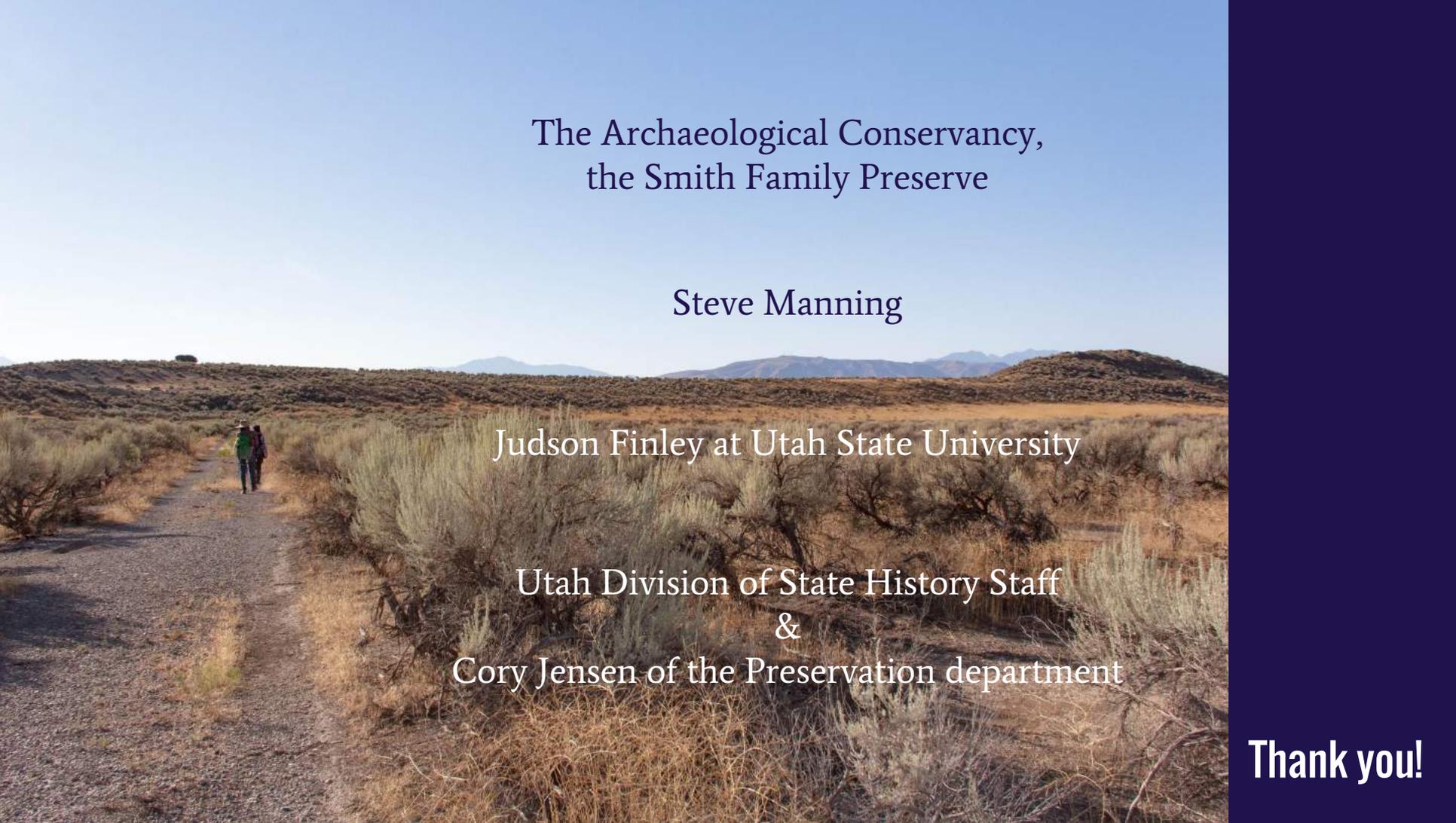
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Thank you!