



Dickeyville Grotto

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Dear Terri:

Received a letter from you dated April 13, 1989. I do not think that I responded to that letter.

Enclosed is more articles for your file re the Grotto.

I have not received any information or newsletter from SPACES this past year. Are we no longer a member?

The Grotto is very popular. Tourists come and go day and night. Many busses, especially of senior citizens, stop. Our Gift Shop is very well received. Besides the tourists' articles, there are many religious articles that appeal to people, especially Roman Catholics.

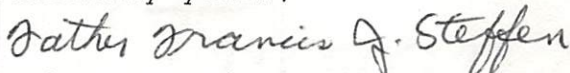
People can sign a guest book in the Gift Shop. A year ago I counted eleven foreign countries from which people came.

The water fountain in the patriotic shrine quit working last year. Recently we had the whole thing sandblasted and painted with a sealer. Next week we should have it working again. Personally, I love water fountains.

We do a lot of advertising via magazines, brochures, and billboards. Dubuque, Iowa (ten miles from here) and Galena, Illinois (30 miles from here) are becoming great tourists attractions. Many people come here from these two places.

Thanks for your continued support.

Sincerely yours,



Father Francis J. Steffen, pastor, Holy Ghost Parish