

BRIAN

Dive Number: 64

Date: Tuesday, January 10, 2006

Location: King Spring - Crystal River

Buddy's Name: Tom Hamill Angie Hamill

Entry Time: 12:00

Visibility (H): 5 ft

Bottom Time: 20 minutes

Visibility (V): 5 ft

Altitude: 0 ft

Air Temp.: 70 degrees

Avg. Depth: 20 ft

Surface Temp.: 65 degrees

Max. Depth: 50 ft

Temp. At Depth: 72 degrees

Pressure In: 3000 psi

Weight Worn: 18 lbs

Pressure Out: 1800 psi

Type of Dive: Spring

S.A.C. Rate: 1 cu. ft/min.

Tank Capacity: 80 cu. ft

Group In/Out: /

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Misc. Equipment Used: Wetsuit,
Camera, Light,

Comments/Description:

Shorty Wetsuit with 18lbs on red belt. Took off 5lbs when snorkeling with shorty wetsuit. Dive at King Spring. Snorkel at King Spring and Three Sisters. King Spring had 10 or more manatees in the sanctuary section. They came in all sizes. We encountered a pup at first. The young ones were very friendly. Most would swim up to you and enjoy the rub. I felt their flipper and shoulder and felt their rib bones when rubbing their side and belly. The older manatees had propeller scars and some had torn sections on their rear flipper. We saw a 3.5' tarpon at King Spring and schools of mullet. The fish were not as plentiful this trip compared to last year. Snorkeling at 3 Sisters we saw 8 manatee coming and going into the pond system. The largest of the ponds is 15' deep. Pics posted at <http://www.brianmorse.com/crystal>