



# Adventures of Larry & Dave

## Number 1 Delina, TN

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My friend Dave Raines and I rode up to Delina yesterday on a warm afternoon to get a good ole gut bomb for the belly. What we thought would be a nice ride turned out to be the first of a lifetime. All the rain was well north of us, so we thought and as we were eating we heard thunder. Yep time to leave but as we all know even a smart phone is dumb when there's "no service area" so you can't tell where the storms are. We headed home on shortest route then about half way on Hwy 274 about 3 miles north of Taft, we started running into some hard rain then the HAIL hit. We pulled over sit for a second and it got harder. I then unplugged we ran to get under a big tree till it stopped. We got beat up bad on shoulder and arms (several bruises) thank goodness we left the helmets on. It was noisy in the helmets with the hail but I don't know what we could have done without them. When this all stopped we sent out to check the bikes and yes, I have some damage but mine would not start and again no phone service so Dave was able to follow a person down to the store to make a call to rescue plus. After some other issues we had to overcome, I finally was able to get home around 9:30PM wet and frozen for standing in ice for hours. It took 2 hours just to get Roll back after the call. We would have been home by 5:00PM on a normal day. Well I have to say it really was a first in a lifetime experience and even though I have damage and a miserable time, I still have to thank the good Lord he let me live one more day for the next experience. Amen



Hail on the road



What a mess



Larry's Trike



Dave's Trike



Larry's Trike with Leaves Plastered to it