

We are happy to write and illustrate this guide to Albuquerque's terrific bike facilities. In our cumulative century in the city, we have seen the network of bike routes, lanes, and trails grow even faster than the city itself has grown. We are constantly finding something new and wonderful as we travel around the city, and we are happy to share a bicycle's-eye view of our adopted city with the residents and visitors of the city we love, whether they be the Lycra-clad racers who pass us on the bike trails, or the families out for a somewhat slower spin around a neighborhood to whom we wave as we pass them. We hope you will enjoy these additions to your trips around the Duke City.

This guide is incomplete in two ways: 1) we will want to get your feedback as to what we've said and what should be added [something in here about how to do that and how we'll incorporate their suggestions], and 2) we are giving the guide to the city piecemeal, one tour at a time, so you won't find it complete for a while yet.



Lance, Kathy and Marshall at La Luz de Amistad Park

Marshall's Bio

Marshall has lived and bicycled in Albuquerque for 40 years. He's worked in a variety of areas, most recently in mediation and consulting. Marshall utilizes his bicycle for the majority of his in-town travel and is fond of telling people he consumes less than half a tank of gasoline a month. He's also taken numerous long distance bicycle trips--including many with Lance-- in various parts of the country.

Lance's Bio

Lance has been a bicycle commuter to his Albuquerque pediatrician job for the last 37 years and makes the occasional bicycle house call. He bicycles for fun too, around Albuquerque and farther afield. Lance is among the authors (Kathy is another among the group of friends) of two New Mexico guides, published by UNM Press in the last century. He is happy to partner with Marshall on many rides and with both Marshall and Kathy in writing this guide to Albuquerque's bike routes.

Kathy's Bio

Aside from being Lance's wife, Kathy is his co-author and editor. Kathy is an artist, photographer and teacher, with legions of happy students in her most frequently-practiced art form, calligraphy. Kathy has

illustrated many books with her drawings and photographs. Though not a bicyclist, she enjoys walking Albuquerque's roads and neighborhoods, and is an expert in the behind-the-scenes history and stories of Albuquerque's many jewels.