



Into The Sky Monthly Newsletter



"The secret of success is to do common things uncommonly well."

- John D Rockefeller

Monument Valley - Utah

## February 2024 Stats

---

Flights: 4  
Miles Flown: 1,324  
Hours Flown: 9.07  
Airports Visited: 3

Welcome to the 8th Edition of the Newsletter!

It was bound to happen, a month with just a couple flights (4 legs). The only trip was to our place in Pagosa Springs and we had a great ski trip.

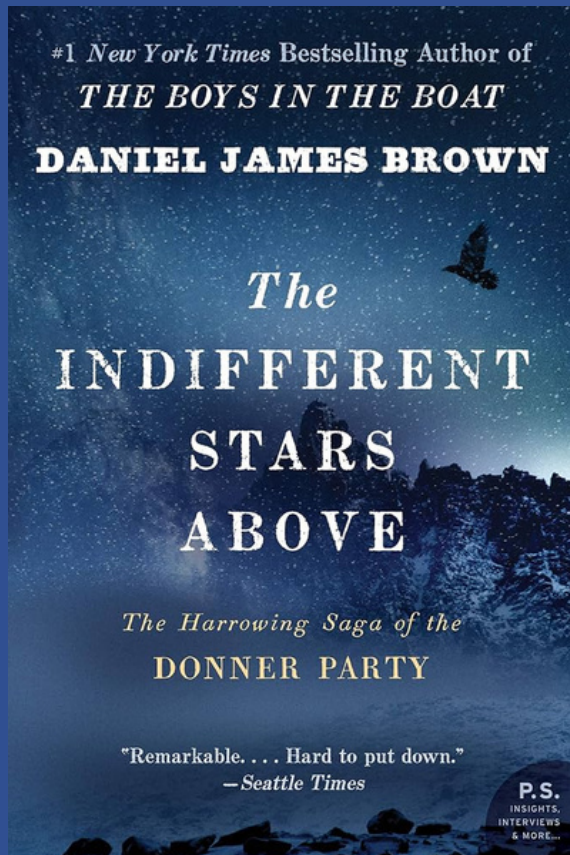
We were going to go to St. George the next weekend but it didn't come together. Then after that it was time to start removing all the inspection panels and get started on the annual inspection. The plane is in good shape and in addition to the regular items that must be completed, the only additions were replacing the brake pads and the hoses for the manifold pressure sensor and fuel pressure sensor.

March is off to a great flying month with articles to come in the next newsletter. Enjoy the write up below, book review, and Kathy's Corner.

## Headwinds, Clear Skies, and New Skiing PR's

---

We had headwinds both directions, it was bumpy on the way home, but the scenery was amazing. Oh, and we had a great time skiing too!



## Book Review: The Indifferent Stars Above: The Harrowing Saga of the Donner Party by Daniel James Brown

---

It's not a book about flying, and I was hesitant to read it given the subject matter. But, Daniel James Brown who also wrote "The Boys in the Boat" and "Under a Flaming Sky" is an excellent author, so I gave it a chance. I'm glad I did.

# Kathy's Corner

## Always Say I Love You

---

It doesn't happen often, but if it's just after sunset, just before you make a right turn onto the far east end of KFUL over to the South East Hangars, I see a ghost. I stop, I close my eyes, take a deep breath and imagine the serene moment that Richard stopped here to watch a plane lift up into the western sky.

[Read the rest of her story here....](#)

