

### CRESCENT BRIDGE CANYON SIDE CANYON

As mentioned in my trip reports for Lower and Upper Crescent Bridge Canyon, I cannot give out the location of this canyon.

After entering the main side canyon of Crescent Bridge Canyon, it quickly began to narrow down:



The canyon stayed somewhat narrow for a while, with some steep side washes branching off on occasion:



A little ways up the canyon, we noticed a small window high up on the canyon wall:



Just past this window, we encountered the only obstacle in this canyon: a 15-foot fall, easily bypassed on the right side of the canyon:



A couple turns after this dryfall, we encountered the first of three places where a chunk of the wall had fallen into the canyon and formed a sort of bridge:





Further on, the canyon narrows a little more, then splits into two canyons. We decided to explore the left fork first. Interesting rock “steps” formation on the side of the canyon wall, in a place where the canyon opened up a little:



The second of the three almost-bridges:



Just past here is another place where a boulder has fallen into the wash, this one forming a tight slot:



After exiting this slot, the canyon narrows down even more, just like the upper part of the main Crescent Bridge Canyon:





One of many short slots branching off the canyon:



The next six photos show the seemingly never-ending narrows of this canyon:









The third almost-bridge seen in the distance is in the middle of this set of narrows:



As the canyon finally started to get steep and have more boulders, we decided to turn around and check out the other side canyon while we still had daylight. This photo shows where we turned around:



This panoramic photo shows one of the many U-shaped bends in the narrows of this canyon:



The other side canyon that we explored did not have the long, tight narrows that the first one we explored did, but it still was interesting:

