

Menard - 141 miles

Take 277 south to Christoval and catch Toe Nail Trail till you hit highway 190. Turn left and go to Menard where you can catch 83 to Eden then 87 back to San Angelo. There's not much traffic usually and though there are a few curves, the scenery is mostly greener and nicer than what's immediately around San Angelo. There are good places to eat in Christoval. Lenard has an interesting downtown area but I'm not familiar with any of the restaurants there.

Good starting point: Stripes, 3925 S. Bryant Blvd. Head south on Bryant Blvd and take US 277 S exit. Follow 277 to Christoval. In Christoval, take Main St (110) and turn left onto 2084 (Toe Nail Trail). Note that after turning onto 2084, you go one block then 2084 turns right, Follow 2084 till it dead ends at US 190. Turn left (east) and follow 190 till you get to Menard. In Menard, turn left (north) onto US 83 and follow 83 to Eden. In Eden turn left onto US 87 and follow 87 to San Angelo.

Fuel available: San Angelo, Christoval, Menard, Eden