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At night, blue LED lights offer a totally new perspective to High Trestle Trail users. This popular bridge is a destination for visitors from around the US and internationally. At 130 feet high and nearly 1/2 mile long, the bridge offers a vista of the Des Moines River Valley that is breathtaking.

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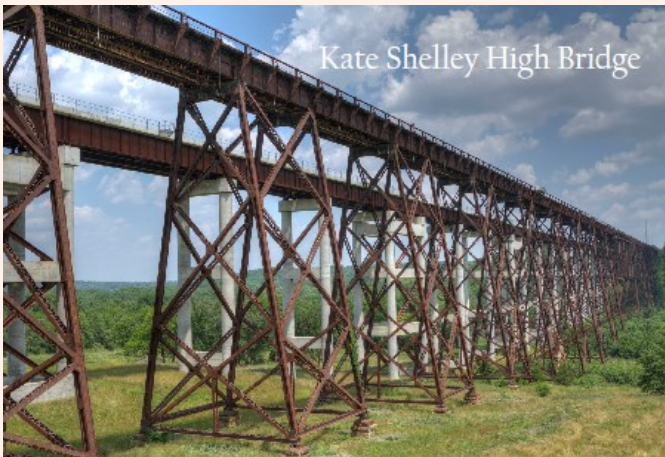
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Annually voted one of Iowa's top ten state parks, Ledges State Park, located two miles south of Boone, Iowa, officially open in 1924. Known for its one-way road through the sandstone "ledges", the canyon bursts with spectacular colors each Autumn.

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Kate Shelley High Bridge

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Constructed between 1899 and 1901, the 195 ft. tall Kate Shelley High Bridge was so named in honor of heroine Kate Shelley who helped save dozens of travelers from perishing on a train trestle that had washed out in a storm in 1881.

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Frosty Ledges...

Even in winter, Ledges State Park, located two miles south of Boone, Iowa, provides inspiring picturesque scenes.

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