

## Santa Fe Trail near Trinidad, CO

Match the following descriptions of sites and people associated with the area around Trinidad CO with the correct name from the **Word Bank**.

\_\_\_\_\_ The adobe house that was the home of the founder of Trinidad, Don Felipe Baca, is located at this museum.

\_\_\_\_\_ Trinidad lies at the base of this flat topped mountain at the entrance to Raton Pass. The mountain was used by travelers on the Trail as a pilot point to lead the caravan to the mountain pass.

\_\_\_\_\_ This man was a rancher who assisted travelers on the Mountain Route of the Trail by clearing a road through the treacherous Raton Pass. This toll road was later purchased by Santa Fe Railroad.

\_\_\_\_\_ This river's name came from a legend which told of a group of Spaniard explorers who discovered gold near Spanish Peaks and were later found murdered near this river. Because they died without receiving the last rites, legend says their souls can be heard moaning along this river.

\_\_\_\_\_ This man was a famous scout, military officer, sheep rancher, and buffalo hunter during Trail days. His hunting coat, which was said to have been presented to him by a Cheyenne chief, can be seen in the Santa Fe Trail Museum of the Baca Complex.

### Word Bank

Purgatoire River

Fisher's Peak

Marion Russell

The Baca Complex

Kit Carson

Uncle Dick Wooten