



Bishop Lake

Contrasts

What contrasts we find here in the mountains! The flowers are delicate yet they thrive in this environment. The winter can be deadly and yet the Sierras have the world's most forgiving summer alpine climate. One minute you may be sunbathing with your shirt off and the next minute it might be snowing. There are bubbling brooks and barren granite mountain tops. There are sheer cliffs that drop off for thousands of feet and lush mountain meadows with inviting gradual slopes. When I think about these things I feel fully alive!