Lunar Ecstasy V 5.9 C2+ **Moonlight Buttress** Zion N.P., UT

loose Approach: Cross Virgin River near Angel's Landing. Not loose recommended during periods of high water. Follow brown carsonite markers. Alternate approach involves rotten rock Δ crossing the Grotto Bridge and then following the hiker's NO! trail for Angel's Landing until it begins to radically climb rotten rock airy! and switchback away from the river. An indistinct С climber's trail will continue looks wider C1 than it is straight at a switchback. Trail will drop back down sb good hanging near the river. Allow 2 hours Jarrett 5 XXXX rotten bivy 5.6 with gear if hiking from Grotto. Finish rock C2 [110'] Old A4 8 Descent: Hike back and #3 Camalot Pitch good bivy, big ledge right to West Rim Trail. Turn left. XXXX [145'] C2 3/4 to 1 1/2 hours to Grotto Bridge Tram stop. C1 [90'] Farewell RACK 4 bivy loose 3'x 6' ledge XXXX Ledge 5.8 3 sets HB brass offsets 2 sets HB aluminum offsets XXX loose block Т 1 set Stoppers 1 ea. Lowe Ball #3 - #4 5.7 loose Half-Moon 1 ea. black Alien* C1+ C2+ bat hook 3-5 ea. blue, green, yellow Aliens* Traverse 2-3 ea. Camalot #.5 - .75 [185'] 2 ea. Camalot #1, #2 loose 1 ea. Camalot #3, #4 The Amoeba 5.9 mantle 1 ea. BD Talon [150'] 1 ea. Pika Toucan (left) SHEER LUNACY 3 X XX * Alien Hybrids are useful [50'] C1 sb (6) ххх UPDATED 2/02 loose 5.7 MOONLIGHT airy! 5.10 X X X C2 GOES CLEAN. Alien NO HAMMERS!! 5.6 Leapfrog NO! [120'] [120'] C2 C1 or 5.10 5 XXXX sb Get pigs over on to this ledge The first two original pitches which is 25' right of belay. of Lunar Ecstasy are EXTREMELY LOOSE Haul pitches 2 & 3 as one. 5.9 and not recommended. 5 loose 5.10 var [200'] Get pigs as high as you can. If leading the original 5.8 start, pull up haul line 3rd **£**3 and retoss around bush. Another option original is to take your haulbag to the stance at the beginning of the 5.8 corner and kick start it around the edge. Third option is to just illegal lead the 5.10 variation.

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