Johnson Canyon is a delightful scenic drive that will refresh the soul. You will quickly see why Hollywood used this beautiful canyon as a backdrop for several movies. After turning onto Johnson Canyon Road, stop and reset your car’s trip meter to 0.0 miles and enjoy your drive to the following sites. Most points of interest are on private property, but can be easily enjoyed from the road. Bring binoculars to view the Indian and cowboy glyphs. The tour ends where the pavement turns to dirt. Turn around and enjoy again the sites of Johnson Canyon.

HIGHLIGHTS:
1. Johnson Canyon: Several important Indian artifacts have been found in this area and can be seen at the Kanab Heritage Museum in Kanab (250 North, 200 W). Check with Visit Southern Utah for times.
2. The “Lion’s Head” is one of the most famous geological formations in the area.
3. On the right: Pioneer grave (3.6 mi)
4. On the left: Dairy Canyon (5.4 mi)
6. Great view of the White Mountains (5.5 mi)
7. On the right: Pioneer farm and equipment (7.0 mi)
8. On the right: Sunflowers in the summer fields (7.0 mi)
9. On the left: Crocodile/Hog Canyon trailhead and picnic area (7.5 mi)
10. On the right: Bunting Ranches (7.9 mi)
11. On the right: “Indian Runnings” and “Cowboy Glyphs” (7.9 mi)
12. On the right: “Pioneer billboard” and “Indian Writing” (7.9 mi)
13. On the right: Nephi Pasture 4wd Trailhead (9.1 mi)
14. Escalante Grand Staircase, the canyon to Montezuma’s Cave (11 mi)
15. On the left: Swapp Canyon (11.8 mi)
16. On the right: Beautiful sunset and night skies (11.8 mi)
17. On the right: End of pavement, beginning of backcountry adventure (15.4 mi)

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