

Hi Jim,

I bought TJs from you in 1999. I have used them camping and hiking in all seasons since then. I always carry them in my car when I go out in potentially stormy weather. (At first I wrote 'bad weather', but then I remembered that 'there is no bad weather, only bad clothing.') I have found that with my TJs, there is no bad weather.

Where I am from, it is considered foolish to drive your car in winter without a sleeping bag for emergencies. Now I consider it foolish to travel without my TJs.

I mentioned to you my experience wearing TJs under a wind shell at a white-water rescue class IN the Weber River the first week of April. Everyone else in the class wore wet suits, but I figured that my TJs should keep me warm, and be better than a wet suit in some ways. During the two day class I was swimming, floating, and walking through the river. I never felt cold while in the river, or when I was on the shore. Each time I got out of the water, water quickly drained from my TJs and within a short time they felt dry.

If I ever found myself without my TJs, my first priority would be to replace them!

Thank you for all of your work, it has been a blessing to so many.

Paul