



RE: If you need ride...

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Cc: jameson

Thanks, Mark. A roadside service company came by to jump the car, but it was clear it had electrical issues because even after they got it going, all of the warning lights on the dash were on. The service guy at Hertz that I spoke to told me that I should exchange it for another car anyway, and I sure didn't want to deal with a flaky car. But being Saturday night, the only place open was the airport. So I had to drive 45 minutes across town (after waiting 45 minutes for the service guy) to exchange the car. The less-than-courteous person at Hertz asked whether I had refilled the tank. Right. Me pay for the gas to bring their broken car back. I told her that the last thing I was going to do, after having waited 45 minutes to get the car started, was to turn off the engine to put fuel in it and risk not having the car start again!

So I should be good to go for tomorrow. Except that they gave me the exact same make and model car. Maybe not a good sign. So much for getting back to the hotel in time to work out....

Marcia

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Hi Marcia - I assume the rental car company took care of the problem. If not, let me know and I will be happy to get you there in time for the meeting.

Mark

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