TN NC

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ACCESS ROUTE: From the center of Copperhill, TN, go 2.2 miles E through Pantertown, and around a gradual curve to the S, to Harris Road off to the L. Go 0.15 mile on Harris Rd., then turn R on Jasper Rd. and follow the most traveled way for 0.3 mi., going down a hill, passing a house on the L. A short distance past the house, turn L and follow along the N side of Wolf Creek for 0.4 mi. The road bends around and approaches another house, and turns sharp R. This house is in TN, but the S side of their lot is the TN-GA line. Get permission to go on the property and follow the TN-GA line on the GA side for about 200 yds, going down hill to a dry creek bed and then uphill to a 4-way fence intersection which is the tri-point. The USGS marker was buried in dirt, and under a rock. We finally located it after digging around in the area.

The location of the TN - NC line has caused many disputes. Geological Survey Paper 909 (see Addendum, p. vi) gives the approximate position for the SW corner of NC and the SE corner of TN at N 34° 59.28', W 84° 19.32'.



Clark Hall points to the USGS survey marker at the intersection of the fence lines.