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A swallet sink hole containing a farm rubbish















The 4" drain installation and along the roof of the descending rift dig







### **The Bethlehem Pot developments:**

Above: Looking into the potential small black drafting hole.

Opposite top: Later Mandy exiting the Bethlem Pot Hole once opened up.

Opposite below: Andy, Matt & Mandy in the top rift below the entrance.









Above: The Store Room (Mandy & Andy)  
Below: The Mantlepiece in the Sitting Room







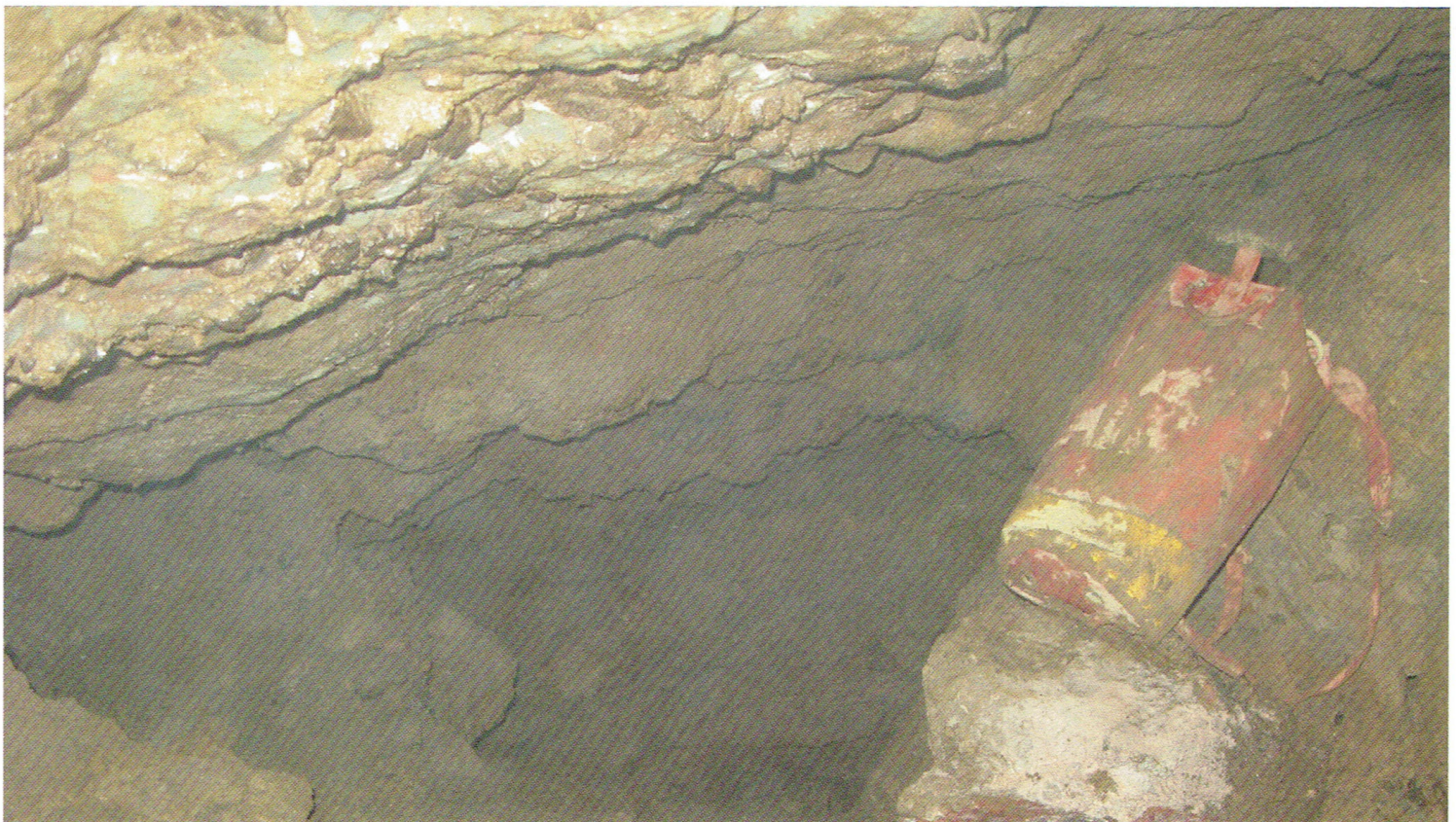
Looking at another "breakthrough point" Matt.  
Below: The just opened Trapdoor leading onwards.







The bedding chamber passage below the Trapdoor.  
Below still going down & the end so far Oct 2021.







During the 5 years digging journey.  
A muddy Andy. Drilling with plug n feathers.





# THE EARLY SQUEEZE







# Digging Tools in Sitting Room No.2





The cave gate/door & bat grill.





Paul & Sue tidying the swallet and  
doing some gardening in the sun!





More plastic appeared  
after the 2019 floods.





Occasional scaffolding to keep it safe



# Nazareth Rift





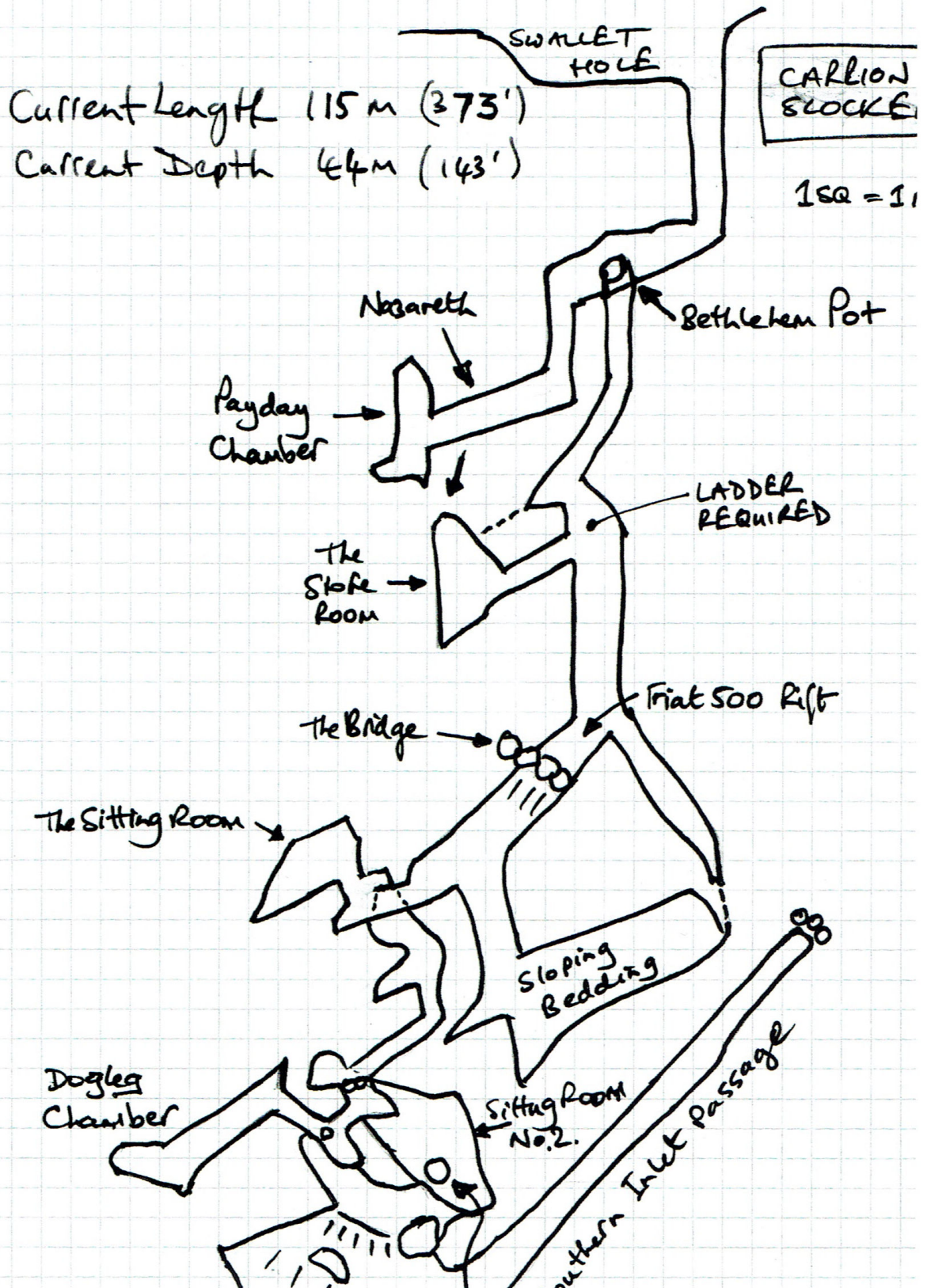
# Pay Day Chamber at the end of Nazareth Rift



As the bible says, nothing good came out of Nazareth. It was a dead end!



Our thanks go to Steve & Fran Britten and Daniel & Esther at Green Farm Downhead for supporting the dig. Work continues, slowly and safely as ever. Andy W, Paul S, our partners Sue & Ali, Matt V, Mandy V supported by Atlas diggers, and various Mendip cavers. Happy Christmas for 2021





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