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Lightning! How should one conduct one's self in a thunderstorm to reduce the chances of being struck? If in a building, stay there, preferably in the middle of a large room; or even better, descend to the cellar. Keep away from walls, fireplaces and stoves. If outside, seek shelter in the largest building available, preferably one of metal or metal framed. Keep away from isolated trees, wire fences, hilltops, open fields, and small sheds in exposed positions. It is best to seek a cave or depression in the ground, a deep valley, canyon or the underside of a cliff, lying prone. For the comfort of those who do not love lightning, it may be said that the number of fatalities from lightning is insignificant compared with those from other accidental causes.