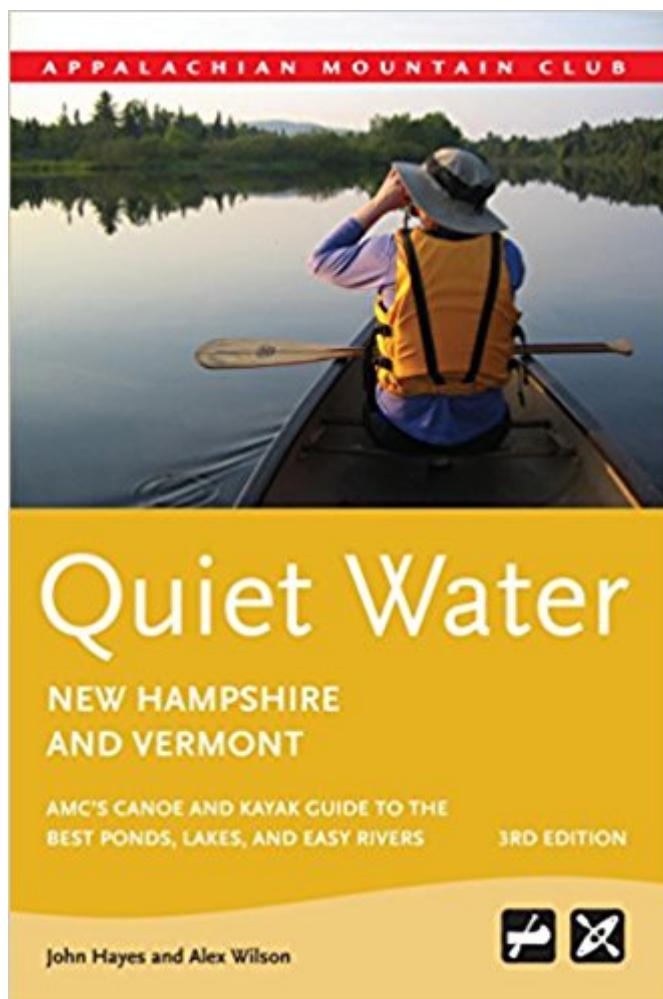


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# Quiet Water New Hampshire And Vermont: AMC's Canoe And Kayak Guide To The Best Ponds, Lakes, And Easy Rivers (AMC Quiet Water Series)





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“An excellent guide that should be in the beginner's as well as the most experienced paddler's home. ...[the authors] will save you hundreds of hours by [their] accurate, concise, and detailed descriptions.” Jim Mack, Executive Director, United States Canoe Association

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I purchased this book as a refresher to canoeing opportunities here in Vermont. While I found the actual descriptions of access to the bodies of water well described and informative, I was completely turned off by the continual political comments. While I am not a power watercraft user I found the reference to those who are as "consumptive users" very condescending. Throughout the book there are comments such as this expressing disdain for environmental occurrences that do not meet with the authors approval. This environmental "holier than thou" attitude has permeated Vermont over the last twenty years and has no place in outdoor recreation.

I was looking for a book that would give me info on great places to paddle in the white mountains with my kids. This was a terrific guide and fit the bill exactly. It includes info about fees you may have to pay for parking, good directions, and the map was good. only criticism: One of the places we went to --Long Pond in Benton, NH--it would have been helpful to note that the road leading up to the boat launch is steep and unpaved, and there didn't seem to be any hiking trails despite that being indicated in the book.

So far this has been a great buy! I have an guide rowing boat and this book, and the ones from Maine and Massachusetts have been great. My only suggestion for future editions is to say in the Take a Note section whether or not these places are dog friendly. We went to Walden pond with the intention of rowing with our very small dog, only to find that dogs were not allowed. We had no difficulty finding a place to row in the same vicinity but it was a little disappointing.

I gave this to my son who loves kayaking. He has used it and says it is an excellent guide to the best places to kayak. Clear directions and a handy size. He was very pleased.

As beginners, my wife and I have found many great places we would have never known about using this book. The listing information is very relevant and helpful for planning trips (how long, launch conditions, etc).I plan to use this book for quite a while.

Lots of places I had never heard of. Great selection.

Great places to take the kayak and camera. Exciting to know where all the wildlife hangs out.

An essential guide for anyone with a 'quiet boat' living in the region. I found some very beautiful spots to spend my summer days with the help of Quiet Water, thank you!

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