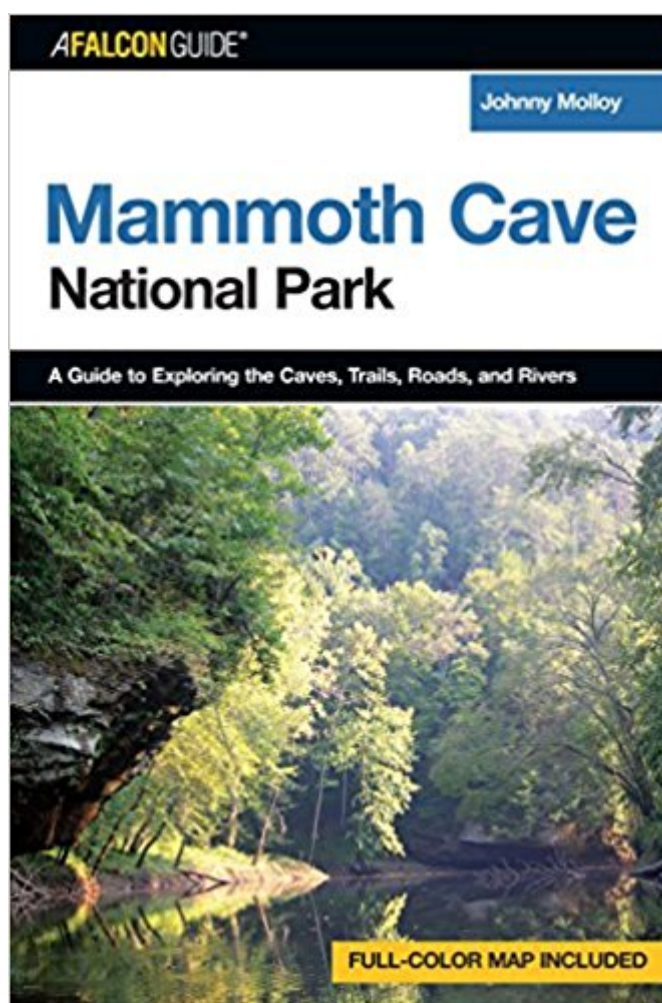


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A FalconGuide To Mammoth Cave National Park: A Guide To Exploring The Caves, Trails, Roads And Rivers



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A FalconGuide[®] to Mammoth Cave National Park covers in detail all of the aboveground and belowground activities in this 50,000-acre national park, including hiking, biking, scenic driving, camping, paddling, fishing, and of course, caving.

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For more than twenty-five years, FalconGuide[®] has set the standard for outdoor recreation guidebooks. Written by top outdoors experts and enthusiasts, each guide invites you to experience the endless adventure and rugged beauty of the great outdoors. Belowground, Mammoth Cave National Park in southwestern Kentucky is part of the largest known cave system in the world. Aboveground, the park offers two winding rivers, numerous creeks, and a lush forest full of trails waiting to be explored. Discover all of the activities available in this 50,000-acre wonderland with A FalconGuide[®] to Mammoth Cave National Park. Look inside to find: A foldout color map of the park, complete with trails and activities Cave tours, boat tours, scenic drives, and picnic areas Where to walk, hike, bike, paddle, fish, and ride a horse Facts about the area's weather, history, flora, and fauna Lists of park accommodations, campsites, and area B&Bs

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I bought this book to plan my trip to Kentucky earlier this year. This guide contains some brief background on the way people have interacted with the cave over the years, then dives right into descriptions of the underground tours you can take. Since it is wise to reserve a spot on the cave tours through the NPS ahead of time, it's wonderful to be able to read descriptions of each trip so you can make decisions on which ones you want to book ahead of time. This book also contains descriptions of hiking trails above ground in the park, as well as information on exploring on the rivers and roads. There's even a section detailing local campsites. I love the Falcon Guides series, and get a copy for almost every national park I visit. I enjoy marking each trail I take in the book with the date so I can go back for reference later. (This also makes labeling pictures easier!) This particular guide is an outstanding volume in the series.

Outdated. Several of the trails we were hoping to hike were no longer there.

Loved this book! Went over what to expect on each tour so it made choosing one easier. It also covered the above ground hiking system, camping options, and exploring the river system.

This guide to Mammoth Cave National Park is concise and detailed. Reading this book will save you time and possible frustration. You will know what to expect during your time in the park and this will make for a more pleasant experience. FalconGuide books have never let me down.

I really like this book. It has a lot of details, almost too much to read. It had accurate details about the campsites and trails.

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