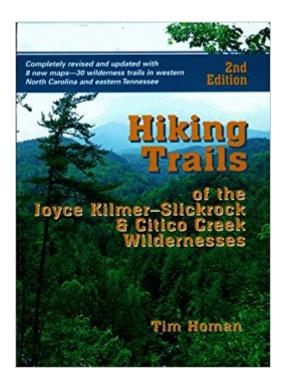


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An introduction to one of the most scenic and unspoiled areas of the Southern Appalachians. This invaluable aid for novice and experienced hikers alike explores the Appalachian wildernesses that straddle the North Carolina/Tennessee state line. Including new and rerouted trails as wellas revised directions, this guide describes 30 trails in full detail, with special attention given to the wildlife and the rich botanical diversity of the area. Length, difficulty rating, and access are also provided for each trail. An experienced hiker and outdoor writer, Tim Homan lends a special insight and concern to this region of the Southern Appalachians noted for its primitive beauty.

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Customer Reviews

Tim Homan is a writer and naturalist, and the author of THE HIKING TRAILS OF NORTH GEORGIA.

I bought this book, because I visited the area in June and want to go back in November. This is challenging wilderness to naviagate, and I wouldn't suggest you do it without a GPS. I too wish that the maps had been more detailed, the Tellico Plains map available through the Ranger station is more so. It is a great book, just was hoping for more knowledge gained, and it basically told me what I already know.

Tim Homan has done a great job of describing the trails of the Joyce Kilmer-Slickrock and Citico

Creek Wildernesses. Although the format is more oriented towards a readability style rather than a guidebook style, all the essential information was there and in a clear concise manner. He includes several maps that are useful, but I would have given it a higher rating if the maps had been more detailed.

Homan delivers a comprehensive and usuable trail guide-one of the best I have seen. A recent trip to the area he describes would not have been as successful without it-like where to find a water source near our camping site.

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