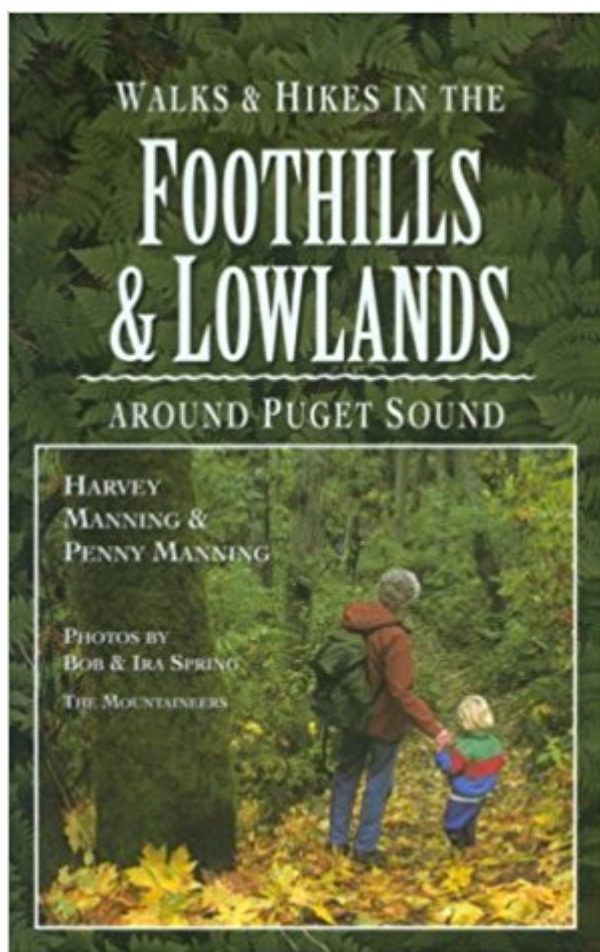


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I loved the trail selection and maps in this book. A good concentration of hikes/walks on the Eastside. (Not like other books that try to cover all of Western WA hikes in one book and only mention one or two hikes on the Eastside). Would have liked more detailed information on the hike, such as surface (e.g. paved, bark, gravel, etc.), accessibility (e.g. stroller/wheelchair) and a little bit more detail on exact trailhead locations (using same language found on trail head markers). Several trailheads were hard to find using the instructions in this book.

While Manning covers most of the interesting walks and hikes in the area, his/her writings are continually tainted with slurs and diatribes against cars, property owners, manufacturers, wealth etc, that it is difficult to focus on the matter at hand. His rants about insufficient regulation and the need for more government control lead one to question his judgement in other areas. It is a shame that

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