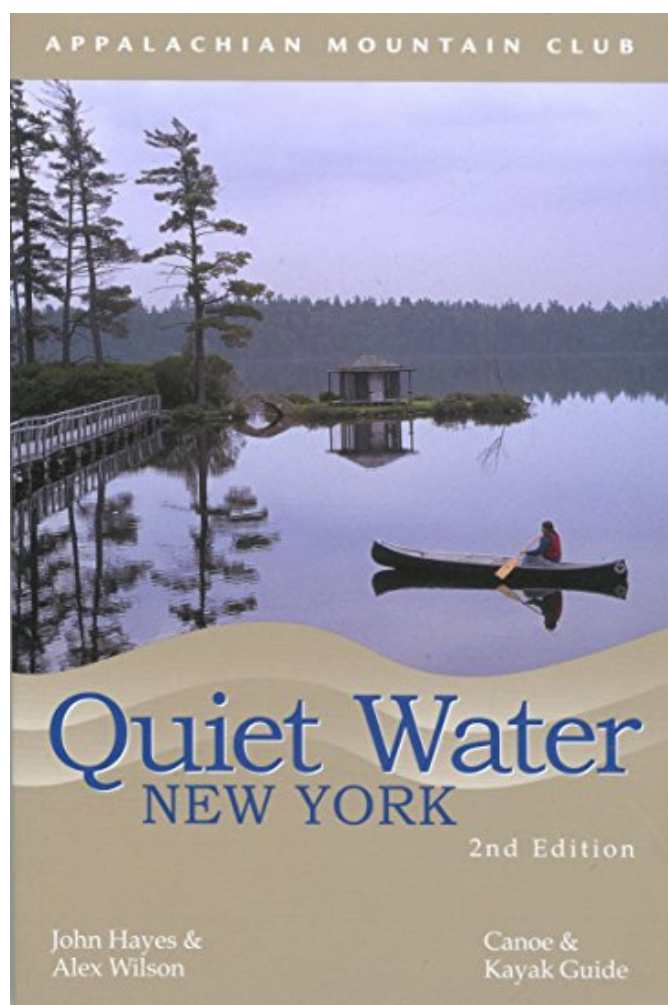


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AMC Quiet Water New York, 2nd Ed.



Customer Reviews

In time for spring and summer, the Appalachian Mountain Club (AMC) has released a new, second edition of *Quiet Water: New York, a Canoe and Kayak guide to the Empire State* compiled by John Hayes and Alex Wilson. As the title suggests, the authors are very clear that their new guidebook is designed for the canoe and kayak enthusiast who is looking for quiet or solitude. There is no whitewater assistance offered here. However, ninety different options around New York State including nine locations within Central New York are suggested in this book. "Quiet Water" also includes a plethora of helpful suggestions to plan your next outing on the water. The book provides maps, habitat descriptions of each area, phone numbers, websites, even a description of animal habitats one might encounter on the water. Scattered throughout the volume are photos from the water and profiles of local animals. A great companion guide to anyone who is looking to paddle this summer.

Definitely a nice book overall, with thorough descriptions of calm bodies of water in New York State. However, I'm disappointed with the lack of map detail. In addition, there are no coordinates given (i.e., latitude and longitude). This is an updated book and should definitely include coordinates for modern-day GPS users. I had to cross-reference another book that had better map detail and included coordinates (title: *The Hudson River Water Trail Guide*-6th edition).

Ah yes, the quiet waters!! My favorite kind of places, the shallows, the lakes, mountains and forests. Observing nature and all that is around me. Peace at last, to be savored. You will like this book, much info!! Ken

Good book. Lots of nice spots for your boat. My girlfriend doesn't have the same "It's not fun if you can't die" attitude that I have so this book has some nice locations for a more laid back experience.

This new edition clearly has updated information which in some cases, needed to be. It makes this book more useful and a fine resource for good paddling choices. It added a few new areas but left some still not included, which, in my opinion - is good - something should be left for the explorers out there. This series continues to improve and offer new paddlers some great choices to find and remind experienced paddlers some places they may have overlooked. Rick

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