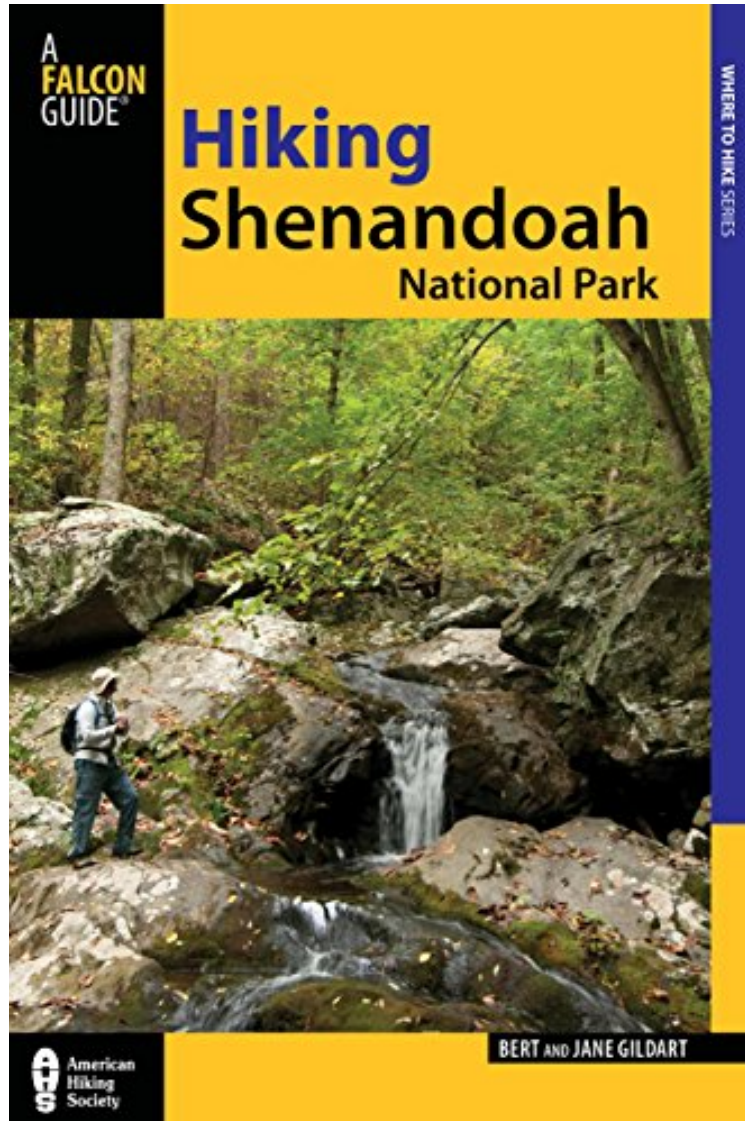


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Bert Gildart, Jane Gildart : Hiking Shenandoah National Park, 4th (Regional Hiking Series) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Hiking Shenandoah National Park, 4th (Regional Hiking Series):

6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Just what I wantedBy CustomerThis is a great reference book for someone looking for a strong assortment of trails in the Shenandoah National Park. The first 14 pages give general information including a brief history, information on weather, fees and permits, hiking with children, safety, and hiking essentials. The hikes are grouped into 5 'regions'(see below) with a short intro to each region. Each hike listed

begins with quick reference information- the mile marker, distance, approx. hiking time, difficulty, trail surface, traffic, canine compatibility, maps, and info on finding the trailhead. There is a topographic map along with a brief description that navigates you through the hike. It's pretty straightforward. The following is a sampling of the content you'll find in the book:

North District (Skyline Mile 0.0 to 31.5)

1. Dickey Ridge Trail, Skyline Mile 0.052.
- Fox Hollow Trail, Skyline Mile 4.63.
- Snead Farm-Dickey Ridge Trail Loop, Skyline Mile 4.64.
- Lands Run Falls, Skyline Mile 9.2

Compton Gap Hikes (Skyline Mile 10.4)

5. Fort Windham Rocks-Indian Run Spring, Skyline Mile 10.46.
- Compton Peak, Skyline Mile 10.47.
- Mount Marshall Trail and Beyond, Skyline Mile 12.358.
- Keyser Run Fire Road-Little Devils Stairs Lariat, Skyline Mile 19.49.
- Sugarloaf-Keyser Run Fire Road-Hogback Mountain Lariat, Skyline Mile 21.010.
- Traces Trail, Skyline Mile 22.211.
- Tuscarora-Overall Run Trail Loop, Skyline Mile 22.212.
- Thornton River, Skyline Mile 24.013.
- Knob Mountain-Jeremys Run Lariat, Skyline Mile 24.114.
- Byrds Nest Summit and Byrds Nest Shelter No. 4, Skyline Mile 28.5

Central District (Skyline Mile 31.6 to 65.5)

15. Pine Hill Gap-Broad Hollow Loop, Skyline Mile 31.516.
- Old Rag, Skyline Mile 31.517.
- Marys Rock North, Skyline Mile, 31.618.
- Marys Rock South, Skyline Mile 33.519.
- Buck Hollow-Buck Ridge Trail Loop, Skyline Mile 33.520.
- Hazel Falls and Cave, Skyline Mile 33.521.
- Corbin Cabin Cutoff-Nicholson Hollow-Appalachian Trail Loop, Skyline Mile 37.922.
- Stony Man Trail, Skyline Mile 41.723.
- Millers Head, Skyline Mile 42.524.
- Limberlost, Skyline Mile 43.025.
- Cedar Run-Whiteoak Canyon Loop, Skyline Mile 45.626.
- Hawksbill Summit, Skyline mile 45.627.
- Rose River, Skyline Mile 45.628.
- Dark Hollow Falls, Skyline Mile 50.7

The Central District hikes continue. The other sections contained in the book are the South District and Loft Mountain and Other Hikes from the Loft Mountain Complex. Overall I am highly satisfied with this purchase and use the book to 'scout' out hikes that might be fun for me and my young son.

6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. The Hiking Guide: Great Partner for on the Trails

By liberty girl

One of the best ways to enjoy hiking is to have a guide book. The guidebook Hiking Shenandoah National Park, 4th was the perfect choice to enhance my visit. The Hiking Shenandoah National Park, organizes the trails in a lot of ways. The traditional descriptions of easy, moderate, difficult, length of time but also location waterfalls, type of terrain, what to wear, loops. This are helpful things to know when you are a beginner/intermediate hiker. Hiking Shenandoah National Park is a very good book to help a visitor have a great experience in the park.

4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Ignores Appalachian Trail

By Johnny C

Decent book, but why not provide coverage for various sections of the AT as well? Still, useful perhaps for identifying and selecting from a multitude of available trails for day hikes. If I lived in the area and thus visited frequently, might be a handy reference to keep on my bookshelf; but for an infrequent visitor, better to check out from library.

Completely updated, this edition provides detailed descriptions and maps of fifty-nine of the best hikes in the park. From easy day hikes to strenuous backpacking trips, this guide will provide readers with all the latest information they need to plan virtually any type of hiking adventure in the park.

From the Back Cover

Lace up your boots and sample fifty-nine of the most popular trails Virginias Shenandoah National Park has to offer. This fully updated and revised edition describes well-defined trails through some of the most spectacular scenery, including prominent peaks and the largest red spruce trees in the park. Whether you're looking for paths to majestic waterfalls, a trek along the Appalachian Trail, or day hikes along Skyline Drive to enjoy with the kids, this book has the trail for you.

Look inside to find:

- Hikes suited to every ability
- Directions to the trailheads
- Trail Finder for best hikes with dogs, children, great views, or waterfalls
- Comprehensive trail descriptions with mile-by-mile directional cues
- GPS coordinates
- Difficulty ratings, average hiking times, and best hiking seasons for every featured hike
- Information on fees and permits, contacts, events and attractions, restaurants and accommodations, canine compatibility, and more

About the Author

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