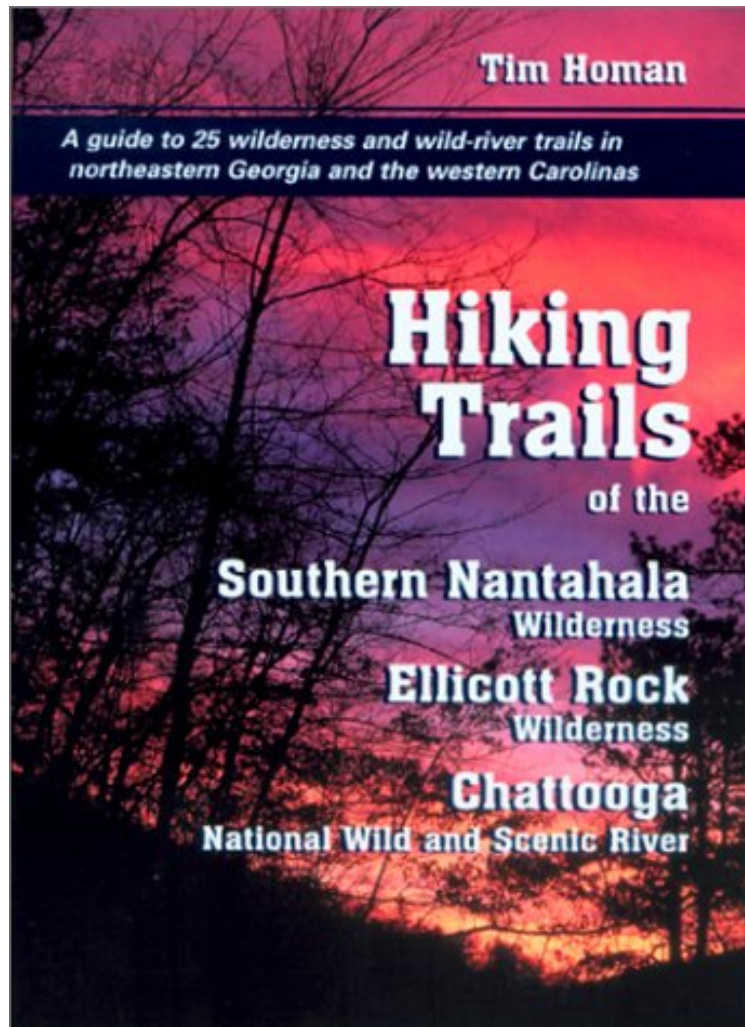


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Tim Homan : Hiking Trails of the Southern Nantahala Wilderness, the Ellicott Rock Wilderness, and the Chattooga National Wild and Scenic River before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Hiking Trails of the Southern Nantahala Wilderness, the Ellicott Rock Wilderness, and the Chattooga National Wild and Scenic River:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A pretty good guide book. By Joseph GA great trail guide for part of

northeast Georgia and the western Carolinas. The trail guides are very specific and list ample mile markers. The only problem with the book is that the trail guides are only written in one direction. I hiked the Chattooga River trail from north to south but the trail guide description reads from south to north only so I had to reverse engineer it prior to the trip. Otherwise, no complaints. 4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Great for NC, not so much for GA. By J. Smith I bought this book hoping to find some coverage of the Southern Nantahala in Georgia (anything from Eagle Mountain near Chatuge Lake east to Hightower Bald), instead, I found it to extensively cover North Carolina and a section of the Appalachian Trail that's exhaustively covered in numerous other books, websites, and guides. It will probably be useful in some future trips to NC and the Chattooga River, but for a guide for the Southern Nantahala in Georgia, the best we've found is Longstreet Highroad Guide to the Georgia Mountains (Longstreet Highlands Inactive Series) and even that should be used with great caution as a lot's changed since it was published in 1998. I've got several of Tim Homan's other guides, The Hiking Trails of North Georgia and Hiking the Benton Mackaye Trail and Hiking Trails of the Cohutta and Big Frog Wildernesses 2nd (second) edition Text Only, so no knocks on him, but I wish the description had been a little clearer on what this was going to cover and what would be missing.

Seasoned outdoorsman and writer Tim Homan guides fellow hikers and backpackers along scenic trails in eastern Georgia, and into the Carolinas, in his fourth hiking book. This new guidebook features detailed descriptions and directions to twenty-five trails and trail sections located within the Southern Nantahala Wilderness, the Ellicott Rock Wilderness, and the Chattooga National Wild and Scenic River. Some 114 miles of wilderness area is covered, including over 23 miles of the Appalachian Trail. Homan expertly maps out each area, describing the surrounding habitat, providing comments on the area's vegetation, and noting specific sights to see. Trailhead and regional maps are also included.

Here is most of the stuff serious hikers expect. You'll find some of the most readable trail descriptions you are likely to encounter. --Georgia Journal About the Author Tim Homan is an experienced hiker and outdoor writer and the author of several hiking guides. He lives in Georgia.