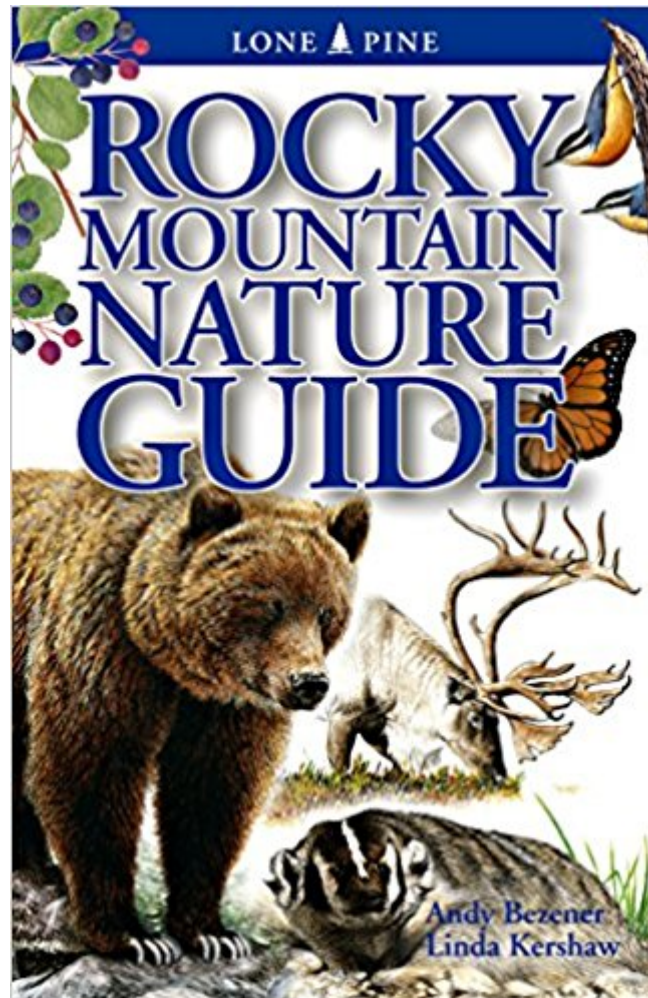




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We bought this field guide as we were preparing for our yearly trip out to Colorado. This book is beautiful and well made, you wouldn't be afraid of the book getting some wear and tear or even in rain. It was perfect for our whole family and my boys who can't read yet (3 & 5), love looking at the pictures.

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Very good information. Great Book

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small, light, durable, simple, arrived quickly, good price, that's all I can say but need 5 more words to submit..

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