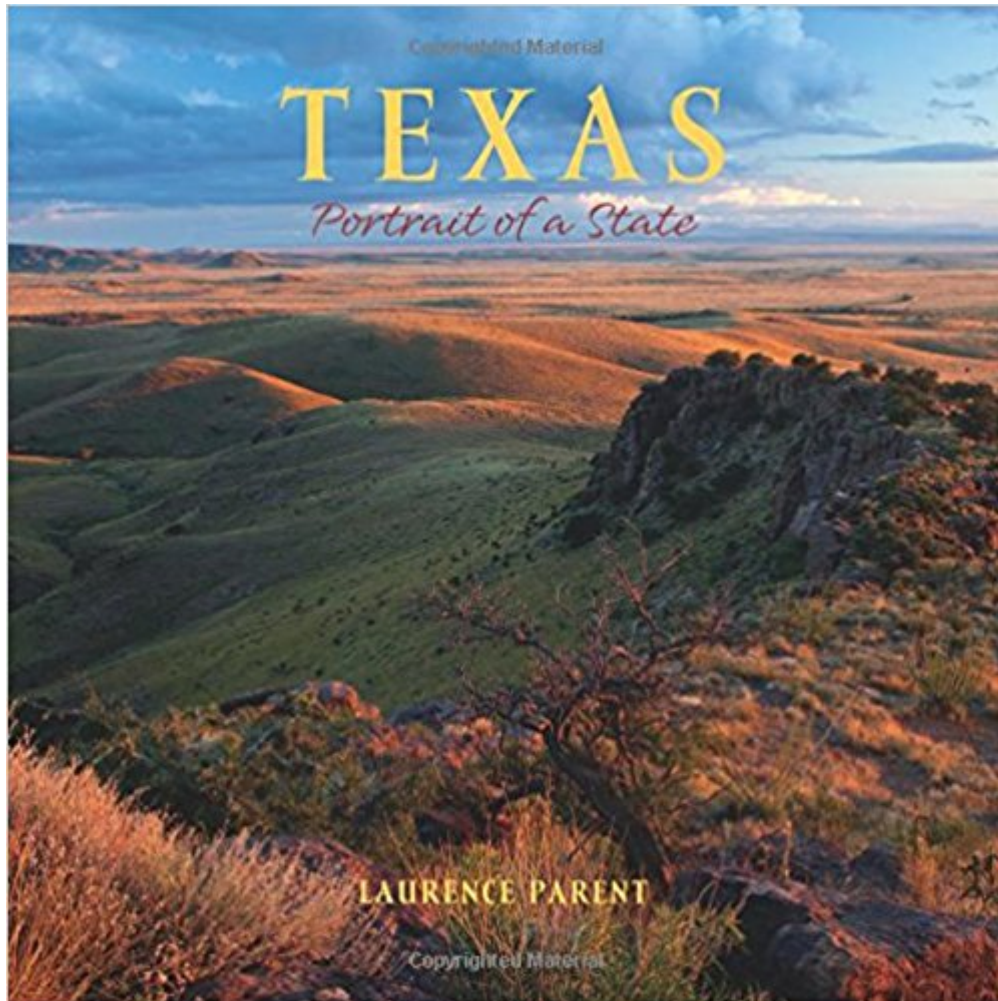




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great pictures of Texas!! perfect for a gift

Bought as a gift for someone visiting Texas for the first time. I looked over the book before wrapping it up, and now I want one! Beautiful pics & descriptions. The recipient of the gift loved it.

I was disappointed in that several photos did NOT identify where the picture was taken.

I used this as the sign in book at my wedding and it turned out BEAUTIFUL! It is the perfect size for a coffee table book and the photos inside are breathtaking.

This is a pictorial taste of Texas but a little more written narrative would have been welcome.

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