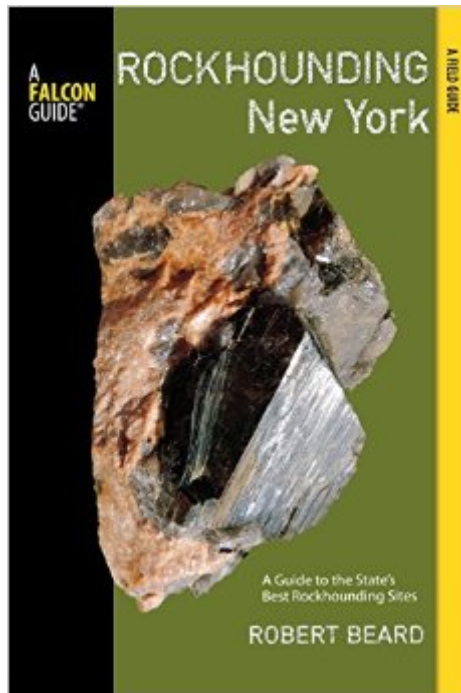


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Synopsis

With this informative guide, you can explore the mineral-rich state of New York, from the beaches to the mountains. It describes the states' best rockhounding sites and covers popular and commercial sites as well as numerous little-known areas. This handy guide also describes how to collect specimens, includes maps and directions to each site, and lists rockhound clubs in the state. Rockhounding New York offers a complete introduction to this many-faceted hobby and is an invaluable sourcebook.

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We have used this book a few times already even though I just got it. One site near Lake George was a bust, but I suspect that it's been picked clean in the 7 or so years since the book was written. Everything else we've checked out has been great. Definitely glad I bought this book.

Many rock formations were not discussed, and many mountainous, rocky areas of New York state were not mentioned. Had the author combined his knowledge with the enthusiastic, deeply-educated "rock-hound" geology students at Cornell University, I'm sure I'd have learned more. Is it a bad book? Not at all! It is merely unfinished and geographically secular.

Besides being a personal friend Rob Beard's his book is a neat summary of his years of experience in the field. Never knew there were so many more places in PA to collect. He puts you right there

with narrative and photos. Makes me want to get out with my rock hammer.

The book is excellent. It outlines locations and what to expect at each location. Enjoyed reading it. These guides are a much needed resource for information on specimens and locations they can be found at.

Looking forward to using this book. Also purchased "Rockhounding in Pennsylvania and New Jersey:..."- used the field guide over the weekend- it was awesome.

Everything I expected and more. Color pictures are great

I like the idea of this book but disappointed that many of the sites are on private property. Also, the directions to the Catskill areas are incorrect.

Super! Great Book! Words fail to express how good this guide is. A "Must-Have"

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