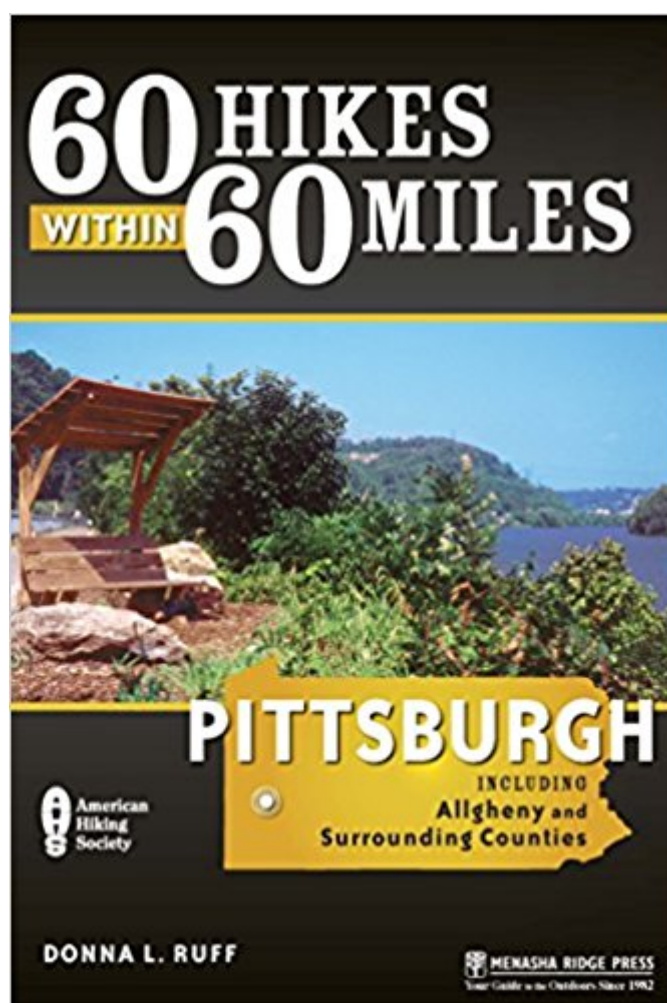


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60 Hikes Within 60 Miles: Pittsburgh: Including Allegheny And Surrounding Counties



Synopsis

From a city of smokestacks to a city of culture, technology, and trees, Pittsburgh's revitalized city parks, abundant state parks, tranquil state forests, and enhanced riverfronts offer endless opportunities to hike and explore. 60 Hikes within 60 Miles: Pittsburgh has something for explorers of every ability and interest. Diverse hikes include Frick Park, which can be combined with a visit to the Frick Art and Historical Center (free); Ohioypyle State Park, with views of the beautiful Youghiogheny River and Cucumber Falls; Beechwood Farms, where kids and adults can opt to participate in nature programs and walks; and Mt. Davis Natural Area, where hikers can stand on the highest point in Pennsylvania. History buffs will love Bushy Run and its museum and other historical site/hike combinations. Those seeking solitude will relish time spent walking in lovely Todd Sanctuary or one of the scenic and tranquil destinations of Forbes State Forest. Beautiful river, lake, waterfall, mountain, wildflower, and historical walks are all in your backyard. From the city's riverbanks to the Laurel Highland mountains of the south and southwest to the lakes and meadows of the north and northwest, every hiker will find trails to their liking in 60 Hikes within 60 Miles: Pittsburgh.

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Perfect for an explorative weekend...loaded with facts and statistics...detailed maps, far more specific than most...GPS coordinates. -- Emily Leone, Daily Courier, July 8, 2006

Donna Ruff has traveled extensively, following her passion for the outdoors and the environments and cultures of the world. A graduate of the University of Pittsburgh, she makes her living as a freelance writer and editor and small business owner, writing and managing technical publications. A Pittsburgh resident, her interests have led her to many countries, but she enjoys the diversity and beauty of Southwestern Pennsylvania.

Very neatly organized. I love that the author took the time to categorize the hikes into different groups which allows you to quickly identify scenic hikes, or hikes with overlooks, or hikes that are a specific distance. Definitely worth having if you live in the area and like to get outdoors.

I purchased this book when we moved to Pittsburgh. We are avid hikers and wanted to make sure we didn't miss out great hikes. We've used this multiple times and have never been disappointed.

Clearly written by someone who knows the local trails. We have used this book to explore new areas to hike. We were surprised how many there were.

So excited to try all of these hikes.

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