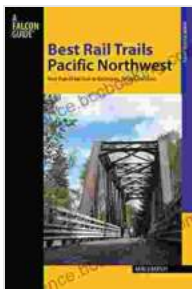


More Than 60 Rail Trails In Washington Oregon And Idaho: Your Guide to the Best Rail Trails in the Pacific Northwest

Step into a world of natural beauty and historical charm as you embark on an unforgettable journey along the best rail trails in the Pacific Northwest. From the lush forests of Washington to the rugged mountains of Idaho, this comprehensive guidebook will lead you through over 60 scenic trails that offer something for every outdoor enthusiast.

Whether you're a seasoned hiker, an avid cyclist, or simply seeking a leisurely stroll, our detailed trail descriptions, maps, and insider tips will ensure you make the most of your adventure. Immerse yourself in the captivating history of these former railroad lines, and discover hidden gems and breathtaking vistas around every bend.



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Chapter 1: Washington

Washington's diverse landscape offers a wide range of rail trails, from the iconic Burke-Gilman Trail along the shores of Lake Washington to the challenging Palouse to Cascades State Park Trail. Highlights include:

- **Centennial Trail:** A 31-mile paved trail connecting Spokane to the Idaho bFree Download, perfect for biking or inline skating.
- **John Wayne Pioneer Trail:** A 26-mile gravel trail through the scenic Cascade Mountains, named after the legendary actor.
- **Olympic Discovery Trail:** A 135-mile work in progress that will eventually connect Port Townsend to La Push, showcasing the beauty of the Olympic Peninsula.

Chapter 2: Oregon

From the rugged Oregon Coast Trail to the scenic Willamette Valley, Oregon's rail trails offer a unique blend of coastal charm and agricultural beauty. Must-visit trails include:

- **Oregon Coast Trail:** A 382-mile coastal trail that follows the rugged Pacific shoreline, offering stunning ocean views.
- **Willamette Valley Scenic Bikeway:** A 134-mile paved trail that winds through the heart of Oregon's wine country, featuring rolling hills and charming towns.
- **High Desert Trail:** A 117-mile gravel trail that traverses the high desert of eastern Oregon, providing a unique glimpse into the state's arid landscapes.

Chapter 3: Idaho

Idaho's rail trails showcase the state's pristine wilderness, from the picturesque Coeur d'Alene Trail to the remote Trail of the Coeur d'Alenes. Notable trails include:

- **Coeur d'Alene Trail:** A 73-mile paved trail that follows the scenic shores of Lake Coeur d'Alene, offering breathtaking views of mountains and forests.
- **Trail of the Coeur d'Alenes:** A 72-mile gravel trail through the rugged Silver Valley, known for its historic mining heritage.
- **Great Western Trail:** A 100-mile gravel trail that winds through the canyons and deserts of southern Idaho, connecting communities and showcasing the state's diverse landscapes.

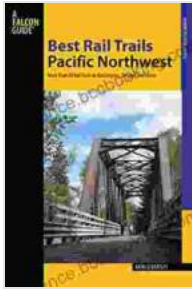
With its abundance of scenic rail trails, the Pacific Northwest is a hiker's and biker's paradise. Whether you're seeking a challenging adventure or a leisurely excursion, "More Than 60 Rail Trails In Washington Oregon And Idaho" will guide you to the best trails for your next unforgettable outdoor experience.

So gather your friends and family, lace up your boots or grab your bike, and embark on an exploration of the Pacific Northwest's hidden gems and natural wonders. The rail trails await your discovery!

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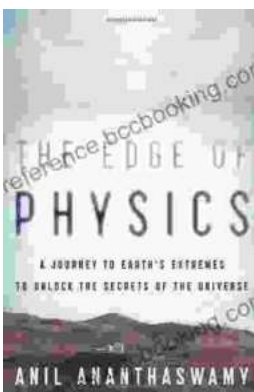


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