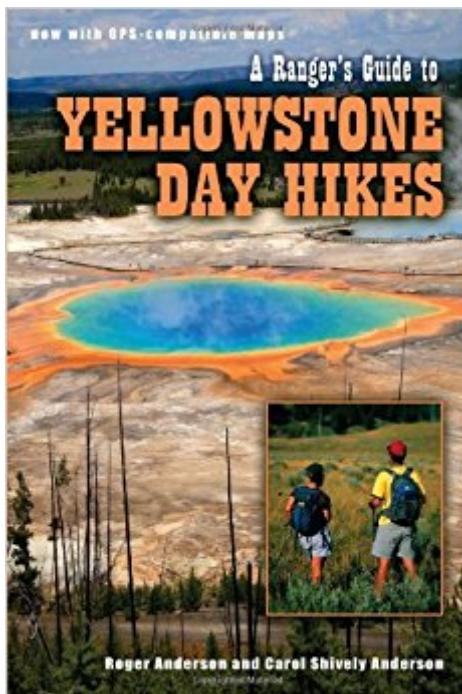


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# A Ranger's Guide To Yellowstone Day Hikes



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Newly updated for spring 2013. Two park rangers invite you off the beaten path and into the heart of Yellowstone in this highly popular guidebook for hikers of all levels and interests. A Ranger's Guide to Yellowstone Day Hikes features 29 day hikes of different lengths and levels of difficulty. Each hike in the book has a GPS-compatible map, color photograph, narrative about natural and human history, botany, geology, and other highlights along the trail. Visit [FarcountryPress.com](http://FarcountryPress.com) for more information.

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I tip my Gortex hat to Roger and Carol Shively Anderson for hiking every mile of the trails featured in their book, "A Rangers Guide to Yellowstone Day Hikes." Because they roamed up and down all over America's first national park, their personal experiences and expertise guarantee you will get an accurate description of every trail in their guide. Their guide's helpful format features notable highlights, a trail route contour map, and parameters. For quick reference, all twenty-nine hikes are organized by: level of difficulty; distance; elevation change; duration; best time of year; trail head; hiking directions; special attention; and naturalist notes. As you walk along, you may wonder, did famous men like John Muir or Jim Bridger follow this trail? Or what's the difference between granite and rhyolite? The Anderson's marvelous Naturalist Notes are included with many of the hikes -- spotlighting fascinating local history, personal observations, insider tips, and not to be missed opportunities to experience nature. Are there more hikes near Mammoth Hot Springs or Old Faithful?

You will have a general area map of Yellowstone National Park showing the location of each trail head. Wondering which hikes are too hard? All the trails are broken down in groups of easy, moderate, and strenuous hikes, and which area of the park they are located in. Also listed are round trip mileage and a short highlight description of each. Most hikes average 2-3-4 miles roundtrip. Hikers new to the area will find four pages of trail tips covering the topics of "What to Bring, Hiking In Bear Country, Wildlife Etiquette, and Lightning." How do I know the hike is worth doing?

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