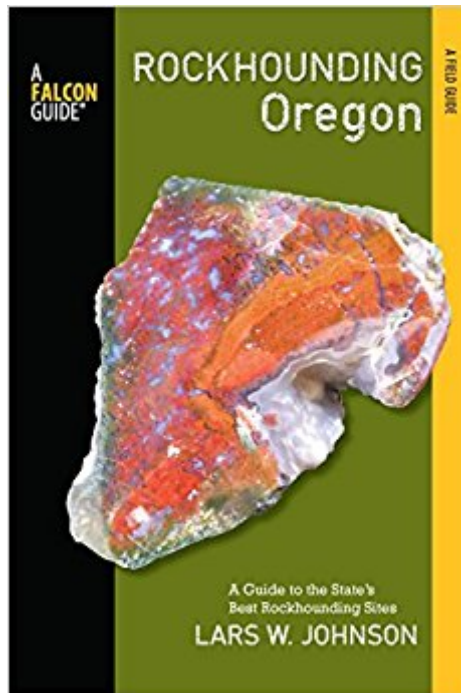


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Synopsis

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Rockhounding Oregon: A Guide to the State's Best Rockhounding Sites by Lars Johnson is gem of a book, please pardon the pun. It is very positive and used addition to already large collection of Rock-hounding books. I have many books on rock collecting in Oregon that discuss locations, identifying gems and minerals and where to find them. Many of these books have the same information in them. Not this book- it is TRULY different than the others by far. So what is special about this book? What do I like? First there are close to 100 collection sites discussed in length in this book. The introductory pages contain a Oregon State Map that keys and maps each sites in one big picture. Then the book discusses each of these locations at length. I am quite impressed with how this book is set up. Its an easy book to follow and is super user friendly. I found the introductory pages of Rockhounding Oregon: A Guide to the State's Best Rockhounding Sites by Lars Johnson are extremely clear and helpful. Its nice to know what equipment to bring to collect at

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