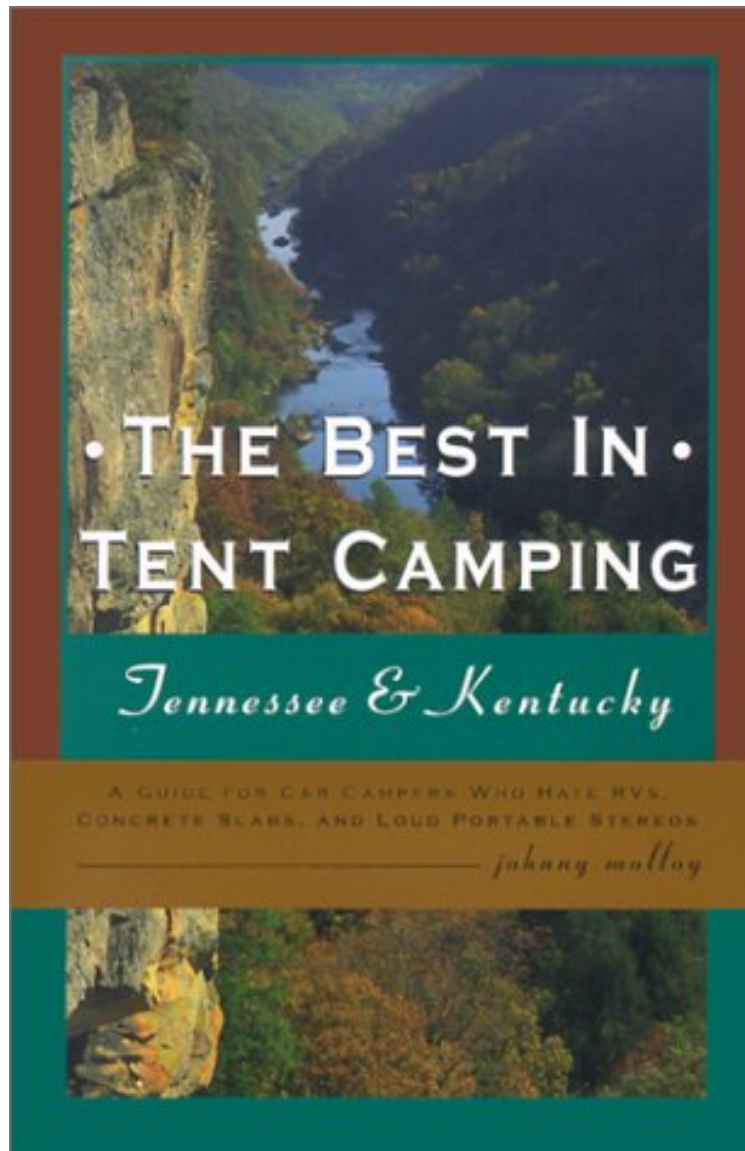


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From towering mountains to rolling bluegrass hills and from thundering waterfalls to placid ponds, the campgrounds profiled encompass the full range of natural beauty awaiting campers in both states. Also includes recreational and cultural activities.

From the Back CoverIf you subscribe to the opinion that televisions, Japanese lanterns, and electric guitars are not essential camping equipment, The Best in Tent Camping should be your constant companion.From the Blue Ridge Mountains to the Mississippi River, camping has never been better in both the Volunteer State and the Bluegrass State. The Best in Tent Camping: Tennessee Kentucky is a guidebook for tent campers who like quiet, scenic, and serene campsites. It's the perfect resource if you blanch at the thought of pitching a tent on a concrete slab, trying to sleep through the blare of another camper's boombox, or waking to find your tent surrounded by a convoy of RVs.The Best in Tent Camping will guide you to the quietest, most beautiful, most secure, and best managed campgrounds in Tennessee and Kentucky. Painstakingly selected from hundreds of campgrounds in both states, each campsite is rated for: beauty, noise, privacy, security, spaciousness, and cleanliness. Each campground profile provides essential details on facilities, reservations, fees, and restrictions, as well as an accurate, easy-to-read map, making the campground a snap to locate. (6 X 9, 224 pages, maps)