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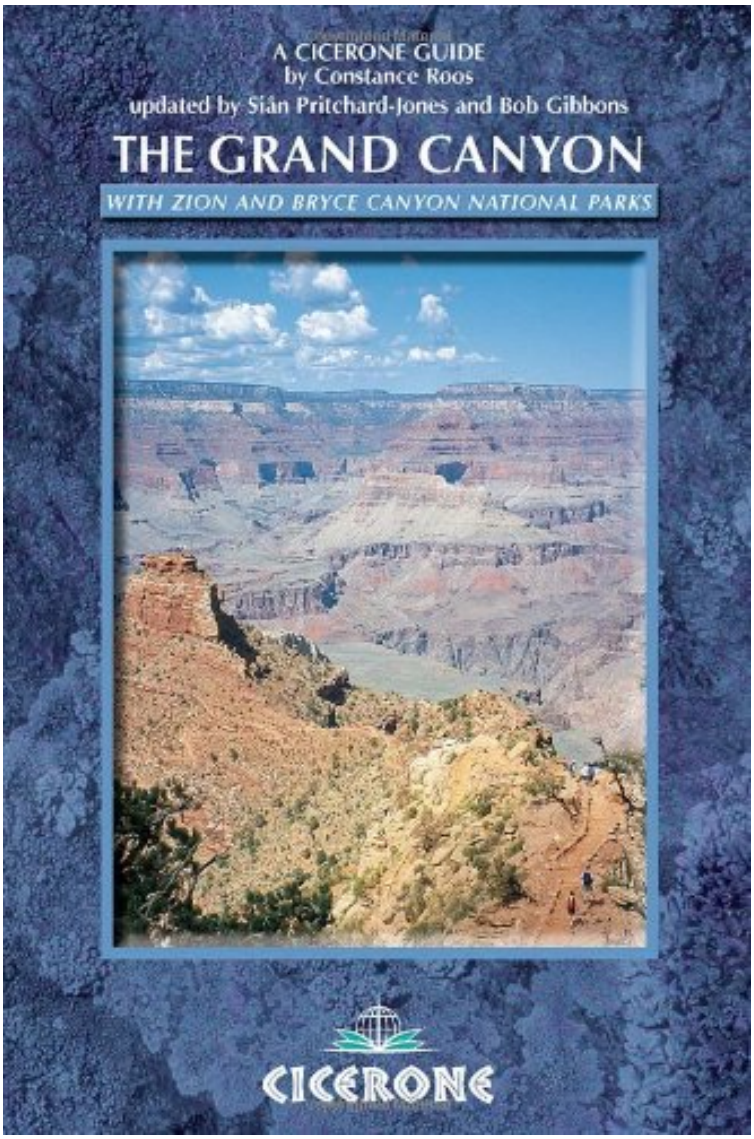

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Constance Roos : The Grand Canyon: With Bryce and Zion Canyons in America's South West (Cicerone Guides) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Grand Canyon: With Bryce and Zion Canyons in America's South West (Cicerone Guides):

1 of 2 people found the following review helpful. I wish I would have known it was a hiking book.By Steve Melanie IrwinIt looks like a good one. It's just that I was looking for a book to apply more for a road trip which is what we're

doing soon. There will be a time when the kids are old enough to get into hiking, but at this point, road trips. I also didn't know it was an author writing for UK travelers. If I would have had more time, I could have skimmed the intro and table of contents and discovered this. But since I was taxiing on the runway getting ready to takeoff, I didn't have the time. I think "hiking" should have been in the title, along with UK.5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. An excellent guide that could keep an enthusiastic canyoneer busy for years!By Canyon HikerBeing a UK publication, I was not familiar with the Cicerone series, but I must say I have been very impressed with this one. There are numerous Grand Canyon hiking guides available, but this one is one of the most complete and well prepared ones I have found. The trail descriptions are clear without being too wordy and include the wise usage of benchmarks and landmarks on USGS topographic maps for the more remote trails of the canyon.This book does not just cover your basic Corridor (Bright Angel, South Kaibab, and North Kaibab) trails either; it includes trails that will keep the enthusiastic canyoneer busy for many years.And because it is written for people coming from afar, it is an excellent guide to assist one in all their planning (permits, transportation, shopping, food, lodging, camping, etc.)And what it does for Grand Canyon trails and planning, it also does for Zion and Bryce National Parks! I highly recommend this guide!

The Grand Canyon is one of the wonders of the world. Its 277-mile length is protected by 1.2 million acres of national park. The fabulous views of nature's sculpture are known world-wide - indeed are even better than our wildest imaginings. The walking trails are equally awesome. Many are serious endeavours only for the most experienced trekkers.The American South-West hosts a profusion of national and state parks and wildernesses. It boasts a seemingly endless variety of deep canyons, deserts high and low, snow-capped mountains and raging rivers. The Grand Canyon is only the largest of these canyons; the smaller Zion and Bryce National Parks are less famous, but lose nothing in comparison.Come and view this magnificent corner of the United States. Join in touring these parks on foot. Walk the high country of Zion and veer down into the valley from atop its towering red walls. Weave amidst the hoodoos of Bryce and descend into the hidden depths of the Grand Canyon. Walkers can easily steer clear of crowds and enjoy the backcountry.

About the AuthorConstance Roos was born in San Francisco, where she made her home and practised psychiatry.She was an avid traveller, hiker and climber. She had explored and climbed in Africa, New Zealand, Bolivia, Mexico, Europe and Alaska as well as the western states.Si