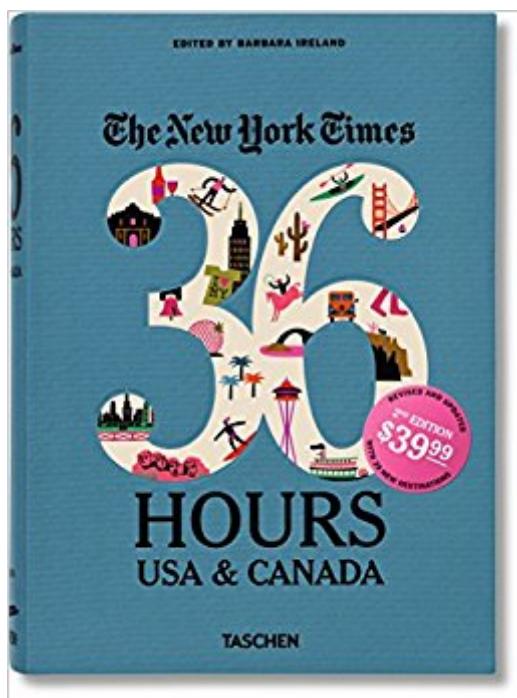


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I've bought multiple copies of this book after discovering it on my sister's coffee table! It is a great gift for couples, newlyweds, or anybody who loves to travel. It is my go-to for quick weekend getaways, and I also see it as sort of a "challenge" to see if we can knock everything off, and not get distracted by the less significant attractions.

This is fantastic and makes me so excited to travel! It is a beautiful book, well organized with pictures and colored tabs for the different regions of the states. Having lived in a few different major cities, I can say that it definitely includes the hidden gems that you wouldn't get from normal travel guides or just searching online.

I love reading this column in the Times. While realistically, you may forget to consult the book before a big trip - or some of the recs may get out of date - I still love cozying up on the couch and reading and dreaming about cities I want to visit. I think it's one of those great coffee table books (i love the whimsical illustrations too) to have around to peruse every once in a while :) And, if you remember to consult it before travel, the recommendations are usually very good.

Got this as a gift for a friend who takes multiple trips a year in the US and Canada and they loved it. Said it would be a great resource when planning future trips. It provides photos of different attractions as well as maps to show you where everything is located for each city.

It's so much fun to read and see what a place has to offer in 36 hours! Went to one of the restaurants in Vancouver and it was a hit! (no other travel guide recommended it!) Great coffee table book as well!

Gave this as a college graduation book - it has short itineraries for weekend trips around the USA. Pretty little book and made a nice graduation gift. It isn't a hard cover - but a little heavier than a paper back..

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