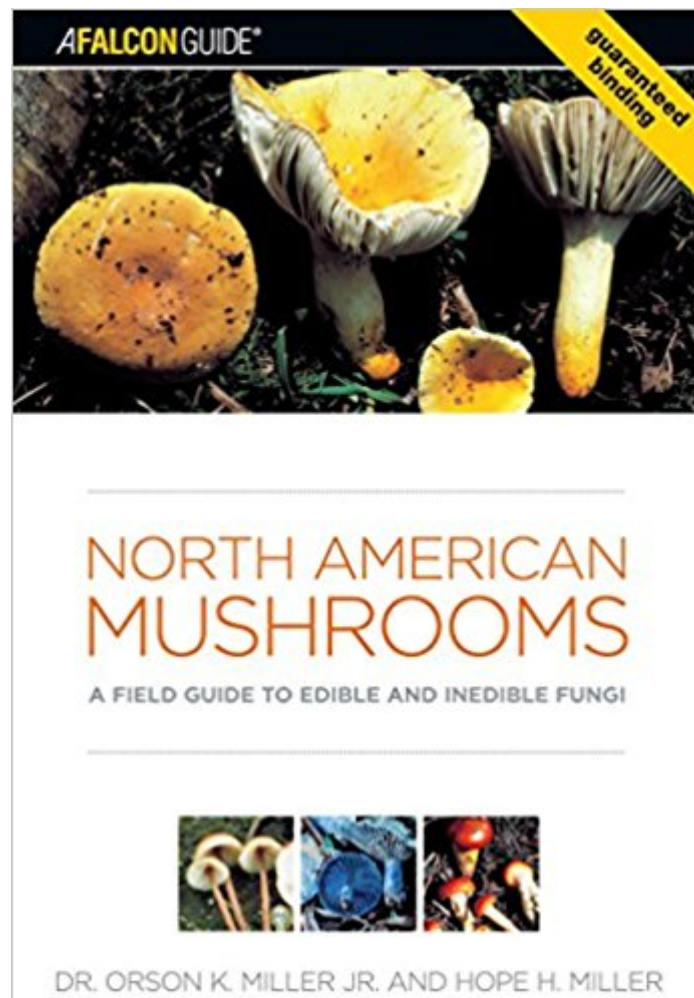




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# North American Mushrooms: A Field Guide To Edible And Inedible Fungi (Falconguide)



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North American Mushrooms is a field guide to more than 600 edible and inedible mushrooms that can be found across the United States and Canada. Filled with full color photographs, detailed identification information, and illustrated keys and glossaries to assist with identification, this book also features mushroom lore and helpful information on gathering and using wild mushrooms.

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With more than 600 brilliant color photographs, detailed line drawings, informative and illuminating descriptions, and critical identification keys, NORTH AMERICAN MUSHROOMS is the definitive guide to the fungi of the United States and Canada. This comprehensive book for expert and amateur alike offers tips on how, where, and when to collect wild mushrooms; suggestions for culinary uses; a section on mushroom toxins; and pictorial keys and glossaries to aid the user in precise identification. This is a must-have reference book for anyone interested in wild mushrooms, their uses, and their habitats. Dr. Orson K. Miller, Jr. is one of the preeminent mycologists in the United States. His wife and research partner, Hope H. Miller is the author of a wild mushroom cookbook.

Dr. Orson K. Miller Jr. is one of the premier mycologists in the United States. His career has included work with the U.S.D.A. Forest Service, many books and articles on mushrooms, and national television and radio appearances as a mushroom expert. He taught biology and mycology

at Virginia Tech for many years. Hope Miller is a mushroom expert in her own right and is the author of cookbooks featuring the bounty of North American mushrooms.

This is a very good read your knowledge of mushrooms that can be harvested to eat or to use as medicine and what mushrooms to avoid

Unless you know the exact name of the mushroom it's difficult to find a match especially when it's not organized by region, it also has mushrooms that are known but are listed with vague or no detail.

nice pictures, good resource book

excellent. IT has great pictures and good descriptions.

I still use this book often. Over the years I've used this book as a reference for many of the mushrooms shown on my YouTube channel, MiWilderness. Two things that make me want to recommend this book are the emphasis the author puts on describing impostors or "look-a-likes" and the section on toxicity in mushrooms. The author takes great effort to prevent you from accidentally poisoning yourself by eating the wrong mushroom. If you do poison yourself, at least you'll have an idea of the toxin and effects it may have on your system. Many mushrooms are covered and the book is easy to read and cross-reference. I always use and strongly recommend using multiple sources for identification of plants and fungi. If you're serious about hunting fungi for the table this book is a must have.

Excellent field guide! Pictures help to adequately identify mushrooms found in the field. The descriptions provide a good starting point of knowledge on every mushroom in the book.

excellent source and very well put together book. there are numerous blurry photographs or, just plain poor, but the information is incredible!

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