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**Steve Roper : A Climber's Guide to Yosemite Valley** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised A Climber's Guide to Yosemite Valley:

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