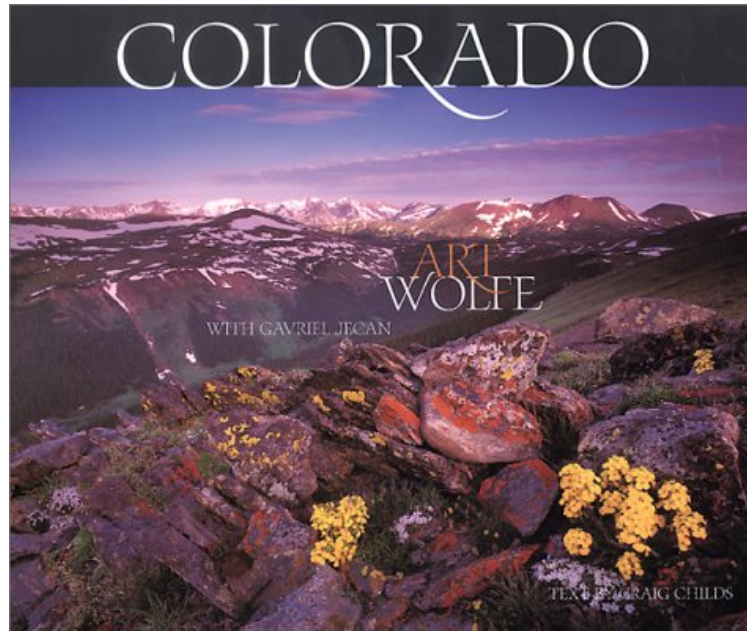


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Four Stars By Peter Davis Good pictures of a beautiful State. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A fine set of artistic images typical of Art Wolfe By I. Giles This book, along with its companions in the series, is a marvellous record of a photographically rewarding part of America. As a photographer living in the UK and most unlikely to visit this area of the world, I have found the series to be photographically inspiring as well as being educational in a most enjoyable way. However, I note that local residents or visitors to the area have found the photographs to be too selective to be completely useful as a reference work. I simply do not know enough of the area to judge the book on that basis so that assessment will need to be left to those with more specific knowledge of the area and with particular local requirements of the imaging. Art Wolfe's photography seems to have that priceless combination of technical excellence coupled with creative imagination. This turns fine photographs into fine works of art. As such, in my opinion, I would expect these books to be rewarding on a number of complementary levels for many people and therefore fully deserving of a 5 star rating. 13 of 14 people found the following review helpful. A Few Brilliant Photographs, But..... By A Customer I bought this book because I am in the process of photographing a Colorado photography book myself, and I wanted to see what else was out there. Although there are about 10 very impressive "close-up" photos in this book, the rest of the images, especially the landscapes, are fairly marginal. In addition, most of the images were taken from just 4 or 5 locations throughout the state. So it doesn't really give a thorough representation of the variety of scenery in Colorado. I do believe that Art Wolfe is one of the nation's best nature photographers, but I think he puts out a few too many books, thereby sacrificing quality. I would recommend this book over any of John Fielder's books, but David Muench's Colorado II is still the best Colorado photography book I have seen.

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About the Author Art Wolfe is one of the world's most acclaimed photographers. His work is published widely in National Geographic, Smithsonian, and Outside, among other publications. He has published numerous books and is based in Seattle. Craig Childs is a naturalist, a river guide, and author of five books, including *Crossing Paths* and *The Secret Knowledge of Water*.