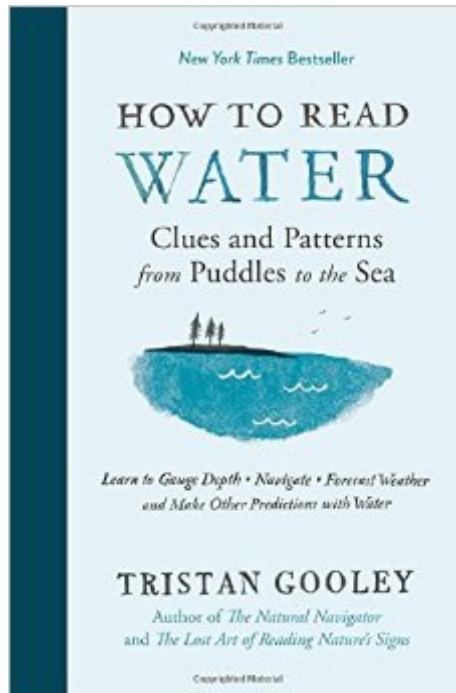


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How To Read Water: Clues And Patterns From Puddles To The Sea



Synopsis

A New York Times Bestseller Read the sea like a Viking and interpret ponds like a Polynesianâ with a little help from the âœnatural navigatorâ •! Â In his eye-opening books The Lost Art of Reading Natureâ™s Signs and The Natural Navigator, Tristan Gooley helped readers reconnect with nature by finding direction from the trees, stars, clouds, and more. Now, he turns his attention to our most abundantâ yet perhaps least understoodâ resource. Â Distilled from his far-flung adventuresâ sailing solo across the Atlantic, navigating with Omani tribespeople, canoeing in Borneo, and walking in his own backyardâ Gooley shares hundreds of techniques in How to Read Water. Readers will: Â Find north using puddlesForecast the weather from wavesDecode the colors of pondsSpot dangerous water in the darkDecipher wave patterns on beaches, and more!

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Only partway through, but I'm thoroughly enjoying it. I pre-ordered this book based on reviews from Britain. While waiting for the US release, I read Gooley's "Lost Art of Reading Nature's Signs" which I loved. It is informative and entertaining, covering a wide variety of topics from wild places like Borneo, to cities. I was then really looking forward to "How to Read Water" but was unsure if an entire book on one topic would be as riveting. Halfway through and I can honestly say, it is. I'm torn between wanting to read more and more, to wanting to read and reread a section deeply and see if I can find examples. Many examples can be found far from oceans or large bodies of water, so this is not just a book for people on shorelines. The author's knowledge, excitement and joy of learning

and teaching new things really comes through in his writing.

Absolutely fascinating! Had to dock the author a star, though, for getting completely wrong the explanation of hydrogen bonding in water.

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