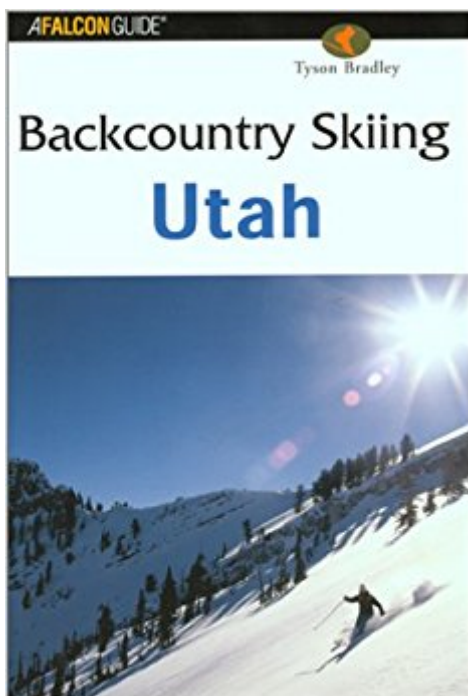




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Synopsis

Guides the reader from the urban backcountry of the Wasatch Front to spectacular desert destinations in Zion and Bryce, with detailed maps and information on backcountry equipment, techniques, and safety.

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Home to the greatest snow on Earth, Utah offers some of the best terrain and easiest access to backcountry skiing in the United States. Here are the couloirs, the pristine open slopes, and the tree skiing that can only be found outside ski area boundaries. Backcountry ski guide, avalanche-safety instructor, and author Tyson Bradley supplies information on sixty-five tours with hundreds of descents across Utah, from the Wasatch Mountains just outside Salt Lake City to the remote Tushar Mountains. Trip planning, avalanches, and technique are all covered. Inside you'll find: easy-to-use statistics for tour length, vertical relief, and the level of required fitness; the best time of the year to ski different routes; a trip-rating system to aid in planning; the essential equipment needed for alpine touring, telemarking, and snowboarding; maps, elevation profiles, and photos. (6 x 9, 288 pages, b&w photos, maps, elevation profiles)

Tyson Bradley (Salt Lake City, Utah) is a nationally recognized extreme and backcountry skier. He writes a regular skiing column for Sports Guide, and has published articles in the American Alpine Journal, Rock & Ice, and other magazines.

Tyson knows his backyard, the Wasatch, like the back of his hand. The book has led me to the most amazing ski days of my life, with more to come. The snow safety information is very reliable as Tyson is also an Avalanche Course instructor. The trailheads are sometimes hard to find, but that is because there are not signs. Once you find them the book will lead you to the powder stash!

This book is outstanding. It has maps, trails, distances and times, difficulty, and best descents for pretty much every mountain in UT. If you've seen a coulier that looks intriguing it most likely has a description of it. A great guide for anyone looking to get out, intermediates to extremely advanced.

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