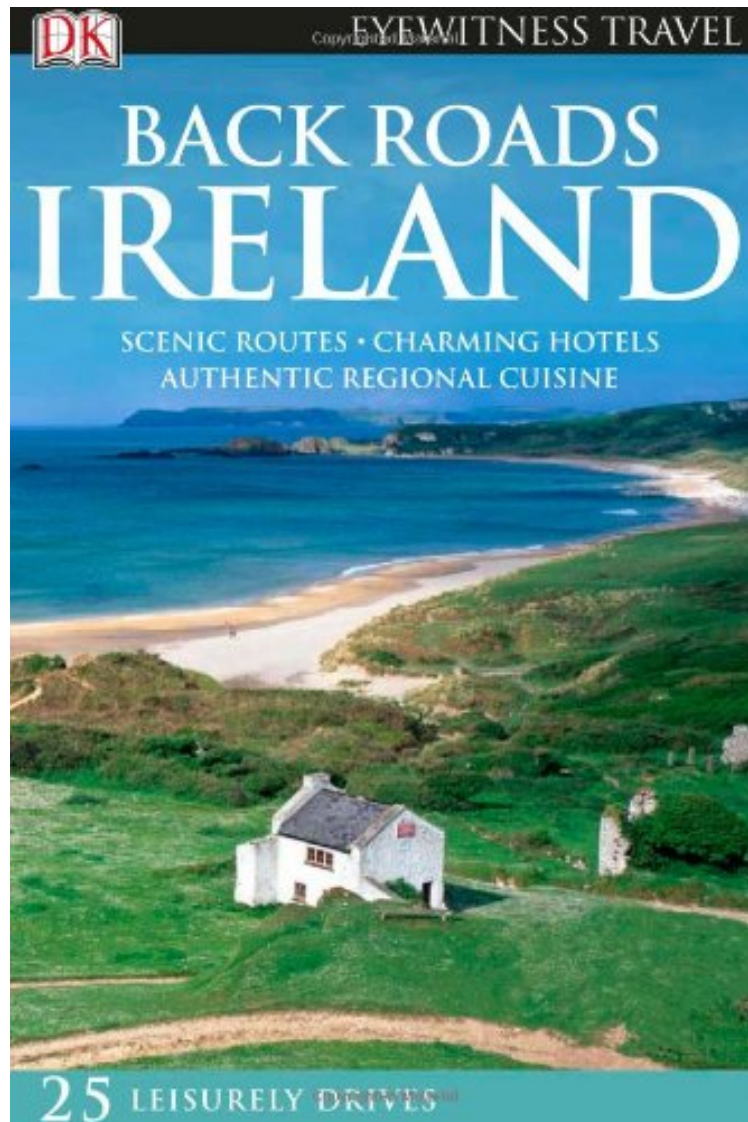


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DK Publishing : Back Roads Ireland (Eyewitness Travel Back Roads) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Back Roads Ireland (Eyewitness Travel Back Roads):

78 of 78 people found the following review helpful. This Book Showed Me the Ireland I Wanted to See By AngieD On a whim we decided to go to Ireland for 5 days. I had only 10 days advance notice, so I immediately jumped onto to purchase my go-to travel guides (Fodor's and Lonely Planet.) They were invaluable in helping me decide quickly which areas of Ireland interested me the most. However, I didn't want a tour of Ireland. I wanted to really see Ireland. I wanted to be away from the hustle and bustle of the tour buses and meet the true locals. Back Roads Ireland did that

for me. I was able look at the drives that were in the general areas we had decided to go, and pick out smaller towns off the beaten track. We did 4 different areas of Ireland in 5 days and this book really made a difference for us. I highly recommend it to all.6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Essential for Backroads travelBy IRB Beach GalThis book is Essential if you plan to go on the backroads in Ireland (plus you need a Garmin or some other GPS device). It leads you to some beautiful places and gives a great explanation of what you are viewing. It also gives you driving distances and an idea of how long the trip will take. I recommend it Highly to anyone who wants to get back and see the Real Ireland :)16 of 16 people found the following review helpful. Very helpful if on a driving trip in IrelandBy MeMawWe just got back from a short trip to Ireland where we drove in order to see some of the places tours could not go. We used the descriptions to find historical sites and certainly used the written directions to find many of the sites. When our large map wasn't enough we could count on the precise directions given in the book. Due to the short length of our trip we couldn't do most of the drives but it was an invaluable tool for the few we were able to take. The car is certainly the way to see the historic sites when you are not interested in seeing the tourist centers. If you do drive, try and go before tourist season as the roads can be tricky and having to deal with less traffic, busses and people really makes the trip enjoyable. This is a great book for the self driving tour of Ireland. Keep in mind that many of the archaeological sites are in sheep fields and you will need shoes for climbing up and down steep hills, over large and small rocks and plenty of sheep pastures (manure piles).

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