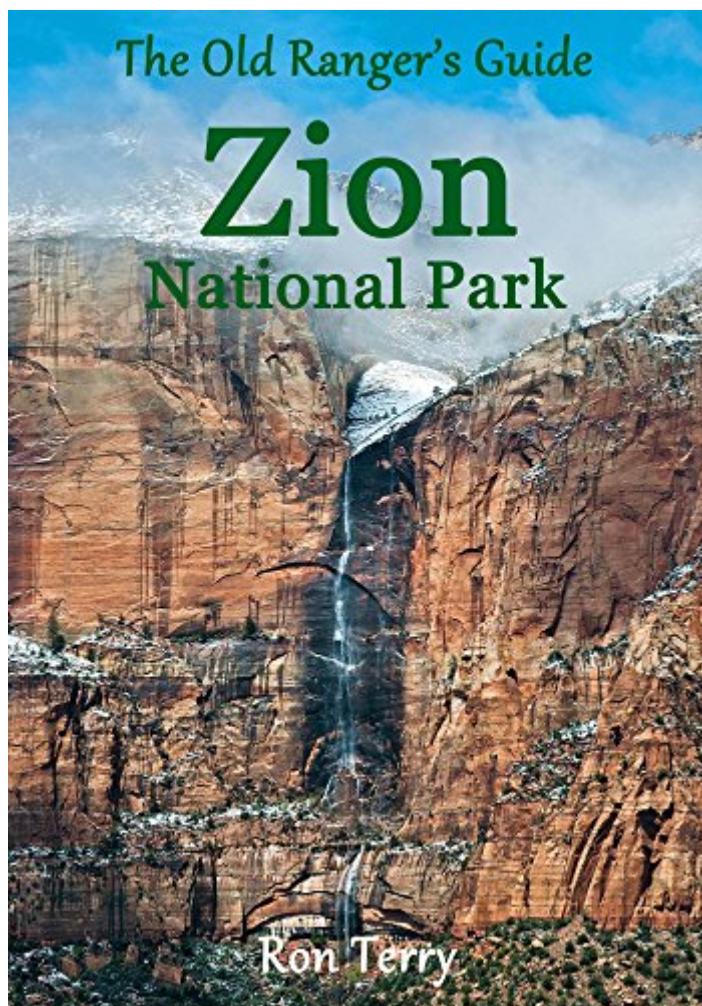


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Synopsis

A guide to Zion National Park revised in 2017. The author was a career National Park Service employee who ended his career as the Chief of Interpretation and Visitor Services at Zion National Park. His 10 years' experience working in Zion provides valuable insights for park visitors. The book includes essential information about fees, permits and park passes as well as camping, lodging, restaurants and other services and facilities, both in the park and in nearby communities. The guide provides maps, trail descriptions for the five sections of the park, and information about a variety of other park activities. The author identifies lesser known places in Zion and reveals his favorite places and hikes. Suggestions for what to see and do in half-day, one day, and more than one day visits make this guide an indispensable resource for planning your visit to Zion. Throughout the Guide, the Old Ranger shares his personal recommendations, things to watch for or be aware of, and safety information. Experience the beauty and wonders of Zion National Park with The Old Ranger as your personal guide.

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