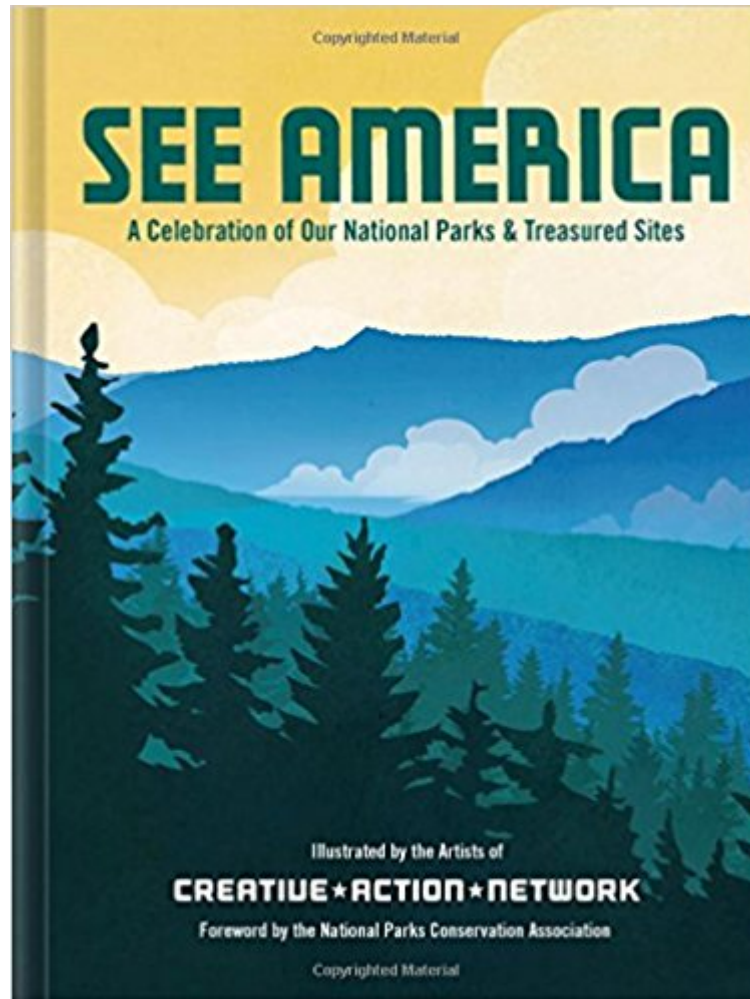


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See America: A Celebration Of Our National Parks & Treasured Sites



Synopsis

To coincide with the 2016 centennial anniversary of the National Parks Service, the Creative Action Network has partnered with the National Parks Conservation Association to revive and reimagine the legacy of WPA travel posters. Artists from all over the world have participated in the creation of this new, crowdsourced collection of See America posters for a modern era. Featuring artwork for 75 national parks and monuments across all 50 states, this engaging keepsake volume celebrates the full range of our nation's landmarks and treasured wilderness.

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Customer Reviews

I received my copy today and it is an awesome book. I love the idea that a group of young artists collaborated to honor our National Parks. The posters are beautiful. Although I've visited several National Parks, I didn't realize there were so many. And some I was unfamiliar with. It makes me want to add many of the parks to my "bucket list." I recommend this book and I plan to give it as a holiday gift.

I pre-ordered my See America book and was lucky enough to get it a day early! It's gorgeous and does an amazing job of capturing the spirit of the National Parks. I love the decision the authors made to order the parks chronologically based on when they were established - this really helps to convey their beauty while also educating the reader on their rich history. I can't say enough good things about how cool this book is. Ps. this makes an awesome coffee table book and would be a great gift for anyone!

A cross country history lesson of the past 100+ years has never been so fresh, hip, approachable, and evocative of everything that inspires us about our national parks. The gorgeous book walks you through the history of our national parks, often referred to as our country's "best idea" with stunning illustrations along the way by artists including one with family ties to Franklin Roosevelt -- so cool! As a lifelong national parks visitor and supporter, there were many familiar park "faces" to me along the way, but with artwork from parks in all 50 states, is certainly connects to people from all over the country - and the millions more who travel internationally to our national parks each year!

Love this book--wonderful art depicting many national parks and monuments. A paragraph of information is included with each one as well as brief profiles of the artists. Just be aware that this is a small book--only 6.5" by 8.5". That said, it will inspire you to visit more of our national natural treasures!

To be honest I was a bit disappointed. I LOVE the content of this book, but the size of the book and the images are really small for what it is. It's a book featuring images of posters, and the book is only 8x6 (yes that detail is on the listing, I know)... but it's made worse by the fact that the images are not even shown as full page. Were the book available in a larger format, with full page images I'd be buying a boatload more as gifts. What you're getting with this book is essentially just a catalog.

This is a great book. It really makes you want to see more of America and appreciate the natural beauty of our country. It definitely makes me want to get out hiking. Unlike other coffee table books I have, I actually have been showing this to guests when they come over. As well, I might order a few of these illustrations as posters as some are truly unique and inspiring. That said, I wish the book was a little larger and also a few of the images were more lackluster and were less evocative and powerful as the others. Bottom line - it's a great buy. I can't wait to see what these folks comes up with next!

This is just a beautiful book, coffee-table style but smaller in size. Each page displays one of the beautiful 'See America' posters with some narrative about the park or site in question. One page is prettier than the next. The pages are arranged in chronological order, starting with The Washington Monument and ending with the Pullman National Monument. Of note, you can purchase these

posters by going to the "See America" website at [...]. Enjoy!

You will learn a lot about our precious national parks and sanctuaries by reading this book. It also includes brief descriptions of each artist who contributed to the book. A perfect way to celebrate a century of preservation.

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