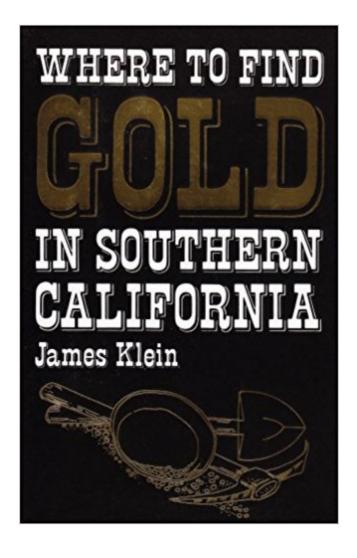


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Where To Find Gold In Southern California





Synopsis

Expanded and updated, Where To Find Gold in Southern California is an updated edition of a classic best-seller. Find out where the best gold locations are found in the byways of Southern California. In fact, probably more is out there to be found by the determined prospector than at any time in recent years. Millions of acres of public land in Southern California are available for prospecting, but some sites are better than others. Amazingly enough, the old diggings are still the best places to look for gold. Ride along with veteran prospector, James Klein, miner and author of numerous books on gold mining, as he discusses the possibilities for you to find gold within a day's drive anywhere in Southern California. Helpful detailed maps make locating gold easy. Learn about the geology of placer deposits, where to pan in the desert, how to stake a claim, and much more! Filled with helpful photos, detailed illustrations, and descriptive text and glossary that will help you on your way to "showing color!"

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I have only read about half of this book so far. It's easy to read and very interesting. The author discusses various prospecting sites "by region" rather than jumping from one part of the state to another. He describes the locations of many sites and how to get there. I have actually been to some of the sites (on camping and fishing trips). So I can attest that the directions and descriptions in the book are accurate. The book contains tidbits on the history of many sites, prospecting equipment, maps, photographs and tips on "where to look" once you get to your destination. There is also some great information on how to pan, how to determine where gold might be found, and

how to stake an official claim. The author packs a lot of information into 100 pages. He gets right to the point and doesn't say more than is necessary. I'm glad the author was nice enough to share his knowledge. I respect people who are willing to share what they know. Also, I am very glad that I bought this book.

This is a MUST have book if your into gold and live in Southern California. I got it and read the whole thing I couldn't put it down. Tons of old information about where to look, it has maps.

Not a bad book, just pretty limited in the number and location of areas described; I was hoping for more locations. The short history and rumors of treasure sections are interesting.

This book is a good bathroom reader. Great stories of the old California west, the peoples, lengends and tales of stolen or lost gold. This is a good reference for history of the area.

This book taught me alot about southern california and showed me where to go. I can't wait to see some of the areas described in the book.

Great info I could find the places that he wrote about without to much problem. The book is well done.

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Useful basic information.

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