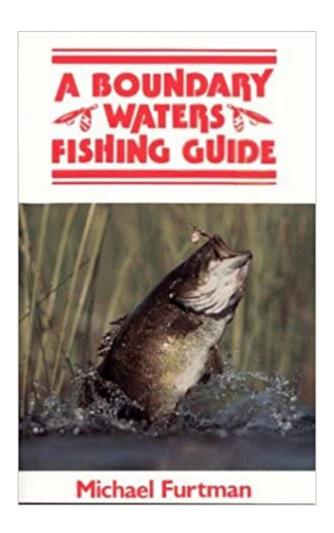


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# **A Boundary Waters Fishing Guide**





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A good overview of the fishing in the area and the techniques used. For the experienced fisherman, some of this information is going to be redundant. I found out later that a new version is available for purchase with updated information. I found this book loaded with enough information that I decided to purchase the new version as well.

This book was perfect and covered information on all major fish species and every lake in the Boundary Waters. It was a little confusing in some parts (ie some of the lure and fishing technique terminology was beyond me - a beginner), but it was a very useful resource.

Let me first say that this is one fantastic reference book. It's almost worth the purchase price just for the lake data at the back, which includes among other things the species that inhabit almost every fishable lake in the BWCA and Quetico. The book has some occasionally confusing illustrations of underwater land formations, as well as diagrams of how to fillet the fish you catch. Furtman clearly knows his stuff. I read through the whole text as a canoe guide who didn't know much about fishing and who had never even cleaned a fish. I still haven't filleted my own catch, but I feel confident I

could do it if the situation called for it. As a tenderfoot fisherman, I had to read and re-read the book to absorb all of the valuable details, and I am going to purchase my own copy to bring on trail as a reference this summer. Like I said, the lake data, combined with the best lure types for each species, is worth the purchase price and will improve your results 100%.\*Note - I understand there is now a new version of this book.

This book is an excellent general reference for fishing in the BWCA, covers catching, cleaning and cooking. It also provides much-appreciated reminders on disposing of the carcass appropriately and proper camping etiquette. The charts review all the lakes of the BWCA and what you'll be fishing for. Please don't forget to read the epilogue. It is a beautifully-written and touching short story that captures the essence of what the BWCA means to so many people.

This is an excellent book, with lots of great tips for the novice and perhaps the expert. There are techniques that are very specific for the BWCA and the species of fish, time of year, etc. Michael Furtman goes into good detail of all fish found in the boundary water. He also discusses how and when to catch them. If you love fishing and are heading to the BWCA, I would recommend bring this book with you! Jeremy Duluth, MN.

A Boundary Waters Fishing Guide was the only book I chose to portage in the Boundary Waters of northern Minnesota and it guided me to the best lakes and streams and told me what fish types are best in the locations I was traversing and how to catch them. While I am a fishing novice, this book provides location-specific information even pros will appreciate. Only available used I believe.

Great book, easy to read, and to the point. We will see if it helps when I get to do some fishing in the bwcaw. I do think you should know a little about the lakes up there before you go and this book dose tell you alot about them, how to fish them and what to use, for the different fish that you will find in the lakes.

A DOWN TO Earth and useful book on the BWCA.I take north with me every time I go canoeing.i totally recommend this book to any who canoes and camps in the BWCA and for that matter anywhere else. Furtman has the local expertise and knowledge to make your trip safer, better, and more enjoyable. The FURTMAN name is well known and respected in the northern Minnesota region.

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