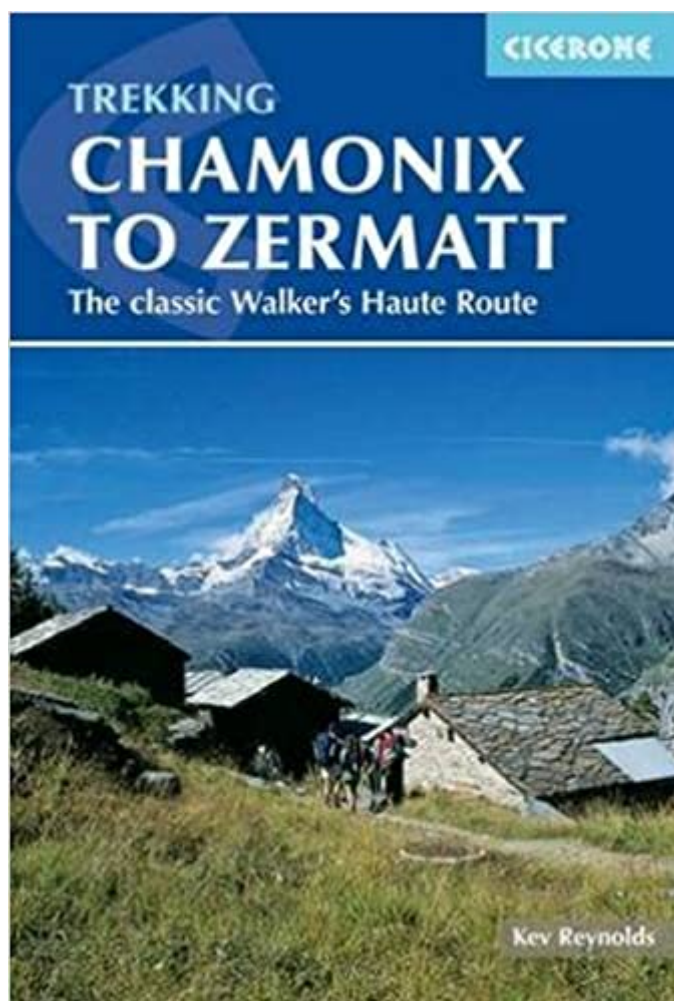


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Trekking Chamonix To Zermatt: The Classic Walker's Haute Route



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A guide to the classic Chamonix to Zermatt trek, from Mont Blanc to the Matterhorn, in the northern slopes of the Pennines Alps, described in 14 stages. In two weeks of mountain travel you will see the greatest collection of 4000 metre peaks in the Alps and visit some of the most spectacular valleys. You will discover delightful villages and remote hamlets, wander flower meadows and forests, skirt exquisite tarns that turn mountains on their heads, and clamber beside glaciers. The way intrudes on lonely stone-filled corries, with marmots along the boulders and ibex on the heights, and provides a surprise around every corner. The route crosses 11 passes, gains more than 12,000 metres in height and is a strong contender for the title of Most Beautiful Walk in Europe. This new edition has been thoroughly updated, and now includes the exciting two-day Europaweg - a true high-level path that carries the Haute Route way above the Mattertal and into Zermatt - a worthy conclusion to a great trek.

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We are planning to do the Hikers' Haute Route this summer on a self-guided tour, and have

compared the company's agenda for our route with the book - the book has great information which has already been helpful to get our heads wrapped around what the trip will entail, where it goes, what we can expect and what we should bring.

Reynolds books are *the* guides for the do-it-yourself alps trekker. Buy this, buy a plane ticket, prepare for a phenomenal holiday.

Totally comprehensive... and entirely packable! Will use it to plan our adventure, and will carry it with us during the trek.

Lots of info in here but very poorly organized which makes it very difficult to actually use for planning, particularly if you are not from the area. I would not recommend.

While while it is possible to quibble with some of the details, including estimated distances, this book enabled a group of us to successfully complete the journey from Chamonix to Zermatt without the expense of a guide. It was a trip of a lifetime!

Excellent book A must for Trekkers

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