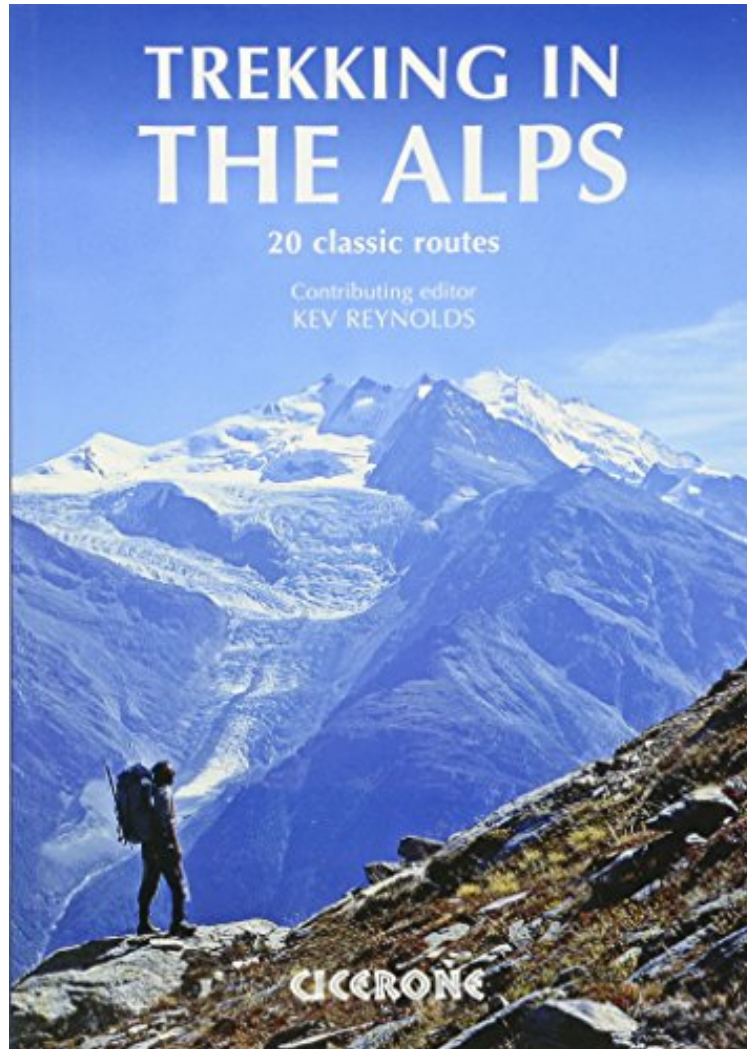


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If you are in the planning stages for any alpine hike, this book is a must have. I have personally used Kev Reynolds' Cicerone Press guide books for the Haute Route and Tour du Mont Blanc and don't know what I would have done without them. In fact, last year at the end of the TMB, while puffing to the top of Le Bervent above Chamonix I heard a voice call "HELLOOOO" down to me from high above. It was the older, bearded man and his wife with whom I had hiked on and off for the last 10 days around the Mont Blanc. At the top while getting my breath and looking at my guide book he asked me if it was a good book. I of course replied ABSOLUTELY! He gently said, "Well, that's my guide book." I can still feel the goose bumps when I realized with whom I had been hiking and for some reason I had not asked their names. One of my treasured possessions is now my Kev Reynolds Tour du Mont Blanc guide book with their inscription in the cover. Experiences like this cannot be bought at any price. They happen because one has a dream, then makes it happen. Reading "Trekking in the Alps" is the first step you must take to begin an experience that will stay with you for the rest of your life. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Brilliant! By Martin G. Abegg Jr We have used this book as the starting point for 6 glorious treks in the Alps, from France to Slovenia. We have reviewed the hikes by means of this book, picked one according to our own interests, and then purchased the more detailed Cicerone guide for the actual trek. Brilliant. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Beautiful photographs By eileen millar Very well written descriptions of the various hikes available in the Alps. Will help me to plan my Haute Route hike later this year.

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About the Author Kev Reynolds is a freelance writer, photojournalist and lecturer. A prolific compiler of guidebooks, his first title for Cicerone Press appeared in 1978; he has since produced 27 titles for Cicerone, with others being researched. A member of the Outdoor Writers' Guild, the Alpine Club and Austrian Alpine Club, his passion for mountains and the countryside remains undiminished, and he regularly travels throughout Britain to share that enthusiasm through his lectures.