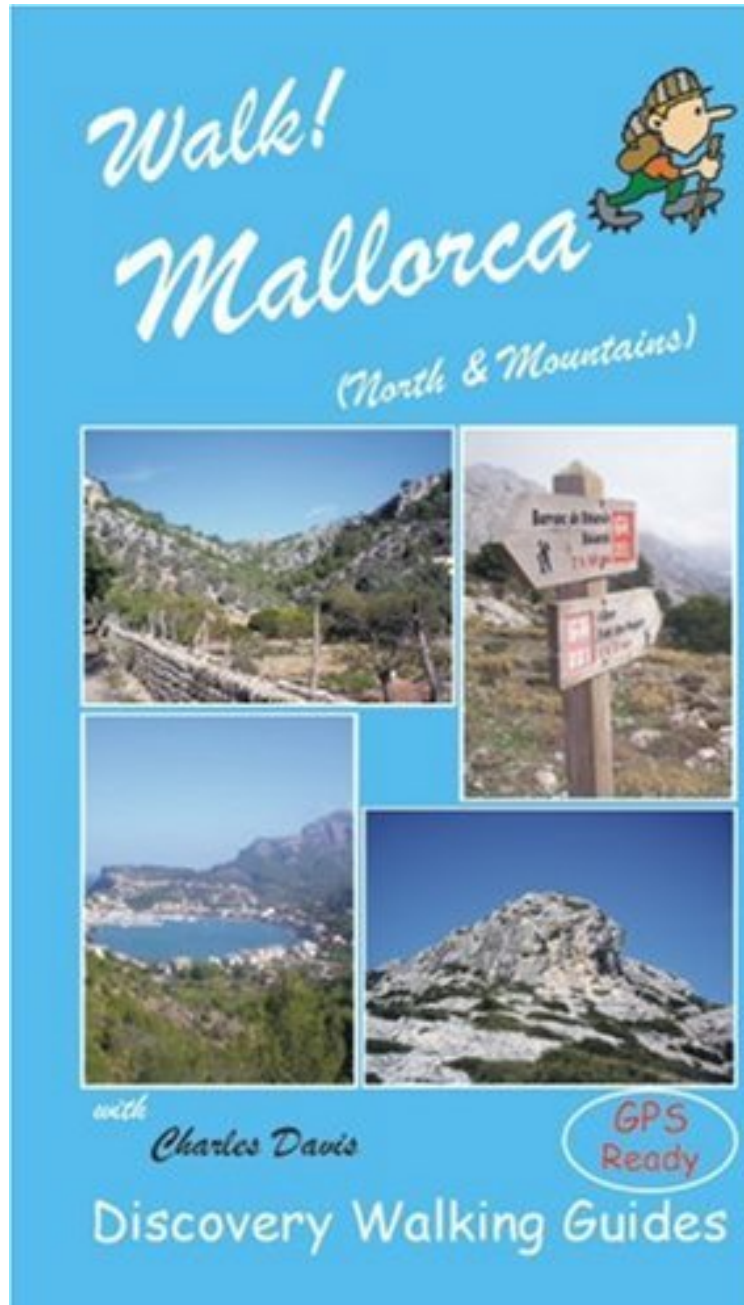


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**Charles Davis : Walk! Mallorca North and Mountains** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Walk! Mallorca North and Mountains:

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By Brookes Robert  
If ever proof were needed that Mallorca is more than a holiday island with beaches, this book will show you it's also a place for good walks. The layout is clear and the symbols offer a rough guidance as to what you can expect along the way. But unless you are speeding like a mountain goat and not looking at the scenery, the times of the walks will appear way out...multiply by one and a half or two. The author's warning was welcome. We, a group of seven plodders, were unsure of the way on a couple of the walks described and other walkers we met carrying the same book also seemed confused. This guide has its limits with mapping too; the scale seems too small. We even had a problem to find the starting point on one occasion. This book will no doubt see further use and enjoyment...and it fills a need in giving background and tempting the reader to do exactly what the title commands - Walk!

Walk! Mallorca North and Mountains 3rd edition is now a 168 page full colour guidebook containing 46 fully detailed walking itineraries, complete with gps waypoints and 1:40,000 colour map sections for every walking route, plus colourful background information; providing everything you need to explore the beautiful landscapes of the Tramuntana mountains and Northern Mallorca. Full colour map sections for each walking route are from the latest 5th edition of Mallorca North Mountains Tour Trail Map. All of this brought together in Charles Davis' inimitable inspirational writing style to produce another classic title in DWG's Walk! series of guidebooks. Walking routes range from strolls up to full 5 Walker ratings for fit, adventurous, mountain walkers. Charles has unearthed routes not found in other books, along with the classics of this beautiful region. To quote from Charles' Preface to his 3rd Edition:- 'My intention throughout this revision has been to produce enough new or substantially altered walks to make the 3rd edition a worthwhile purchase for people who have already visited the island several times, but would like to return for another dedicated walking holiday. Apart from checking access to extant itineraries and revising certain routes and descriptions according to the suggestions of readers, eleven itineraries have been rewalked in order to incorporate new paths, variants proposed by readers, or to check that tricky trails had not been completely overgrown, and eight new walks have been incorporated.' Thank you to the thousands of walkers who have enjoyed the 2nd edition of Walk! Mallorca North Mountains, and especially to the many who have contributed ideas, advice and observations that Charles Davis has incorporated into his new 3rd edition; Mallorca's most popular walking guide book has just got even better.

I've planned a couple of holidays around Charles Davis' books in the past and they were both great successes, but I don't normally buy 'updated' versions of books I've already got because they often seem to just incorporate a few readers' letters and no new research. So I was a bit wary when someone gave me this, the 3rd Edition of a book I'd used previously. Turns out, though, that this is a genuine update. It's got eight new walks (did four on our last trip to Mallorca, all excellent) and several that have been substantially changed (I can recommend the new approach to Teix from Valldemossa). It's certainly worth investing in a new copy. The descriptions are detailed and accurate, and there are plenty of amusing and informative asides. A must have for any walker visiting Mallorca. Kenneth S. Shaw "Ken" (Wales)  
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Charles Davis is the indefatigable author of 34 Alpujarras Walks, Walk! La Gomera, Walk! La Palma, Walk! Andorra, Walk! The Axarquia, Walk! Mallorca West, Walk! The Lake District South, and Walk! Dorset.