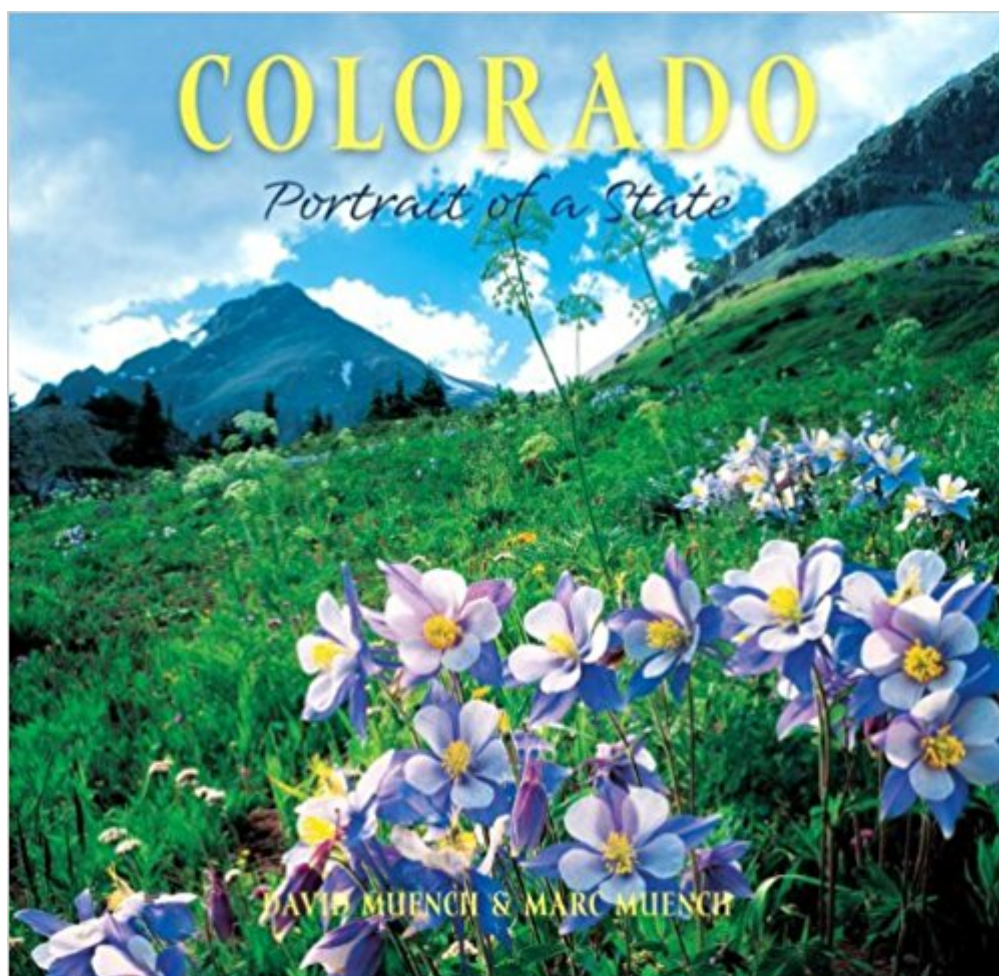


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David Muench is a master professional photographer with more than 50 books, countless exhibits, magazine articles, and image merely point to his life work in large-format photography which has become a benchmark in American landscape photography. Colorado is one of David's favorite places to photograph the American landscape. David lives near Albuquerque, NM. Marc Muench, David's son, has established his own right in the field of landscape photography. He has a number of book titles to his credit, and shares credits with his father in this Portrait series book. Marc lives near Santa Barbara, CA.

I got this for my dad, who's a photography buff and he really enjoyed the quality of the pictures.

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Needed a Christmas present for my brother-in-law. Worked perfectly.

Anyone who's been to Colorado and wants to remember its beauty would love this book. The pictures are so well done. This is the kind of book you have sitting out or on display.

Beautiful depiction of an incredibly beautiful state.

As usual, David and Marc Muench have published a fairly solid photography book. However, this is by no means their best book, and it's not even David Muench's best book on Colorado. It appears that Marc Muench took the photos for this book over the last few years, whereas David Muench's photos may have been leftovers that weren't included in 'Colorado II' (which was published before 'Colorado'). After seeing this book, I still rank Colorado II as the #1 book in my list of 'Best Colorado Picture Books' (which can be seen by clicking on my name), and I therefore recommend that book over this one.

The book has some stunning photographs but I am struck by the frequent clash between the photos on opposite pages. There seems to be no attention to balance in the assembly of photos in this book.

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