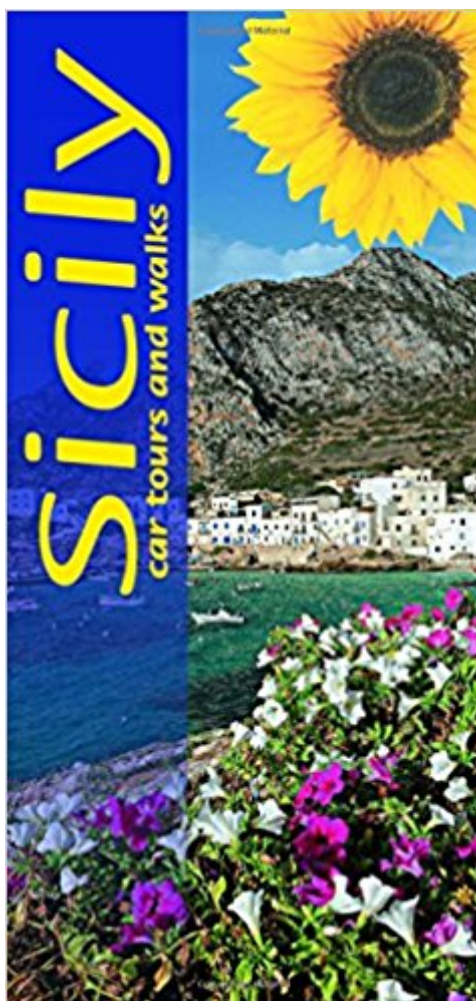


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Synopsis

Sicily, the largest island in the Mediterranean and long a Mecca for culture freaks, also rewards the countryside lover with its magnificent landscapes. Peter Amann knows the island intimately; he leads walking groups on Sicily and works for the preservation of its monuments. Key Features 55 long and short walks 1:50,000 topo maps 8 drives, covering some 2000km/1200mi GPS tracks available from the author's website fold-out touring maps showing all walk locations ideal for planning 27 picnic suggestions (very short walks) online update service There is enough material in this book for several holidays. For those touring Sicily by car, the eight car tours (mostly circular and covering 2000 km) follow little-used secondary roads wherever possible. But note that the book does not cover a very small part of the island: the far southwest. If you're walking in Sicily, the routes are as varied in length and grade as the landscape itself a distillation of the best on the island.

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The best months for walking in Sicily are March to June and September/October. This guide is part of the Landscapes Series, with 50 destinations dubbed the blue Bibles by the Sunday Times and chosen by readers of Which? as one of the four top travel guide series (from a field of 18). No holiday would be complete without one of these guides. In fact it has got to the point of seeing what destinations are covered and planning our next trip accordingly. Very much more than just a walk book. Sicily is a stunner scenically. (AL,) Good old Sunflowers, those thin blue books that walkers on the Continent trust like seasoned friends from Sicily to the Azores they never fail to find you a really good walk. (Christopher Somerville, Weekend Telegraph) I purchased this guide having

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Excellent resource for finding hikes in Sicily. There are just very few clear hikes explained on the internet for Sicily, this book is invaluable if you want to do any hiking there.

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