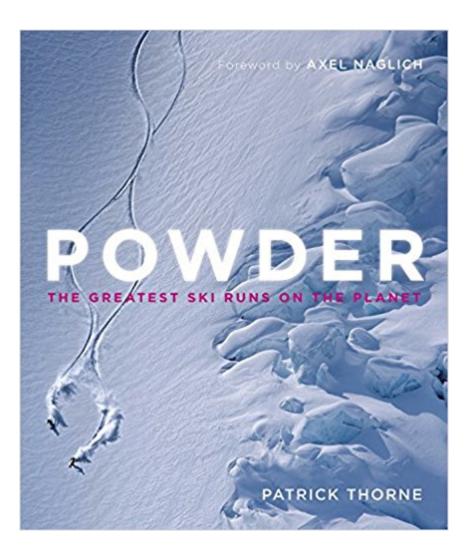


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# Powder: The Greatest Ski Runs On The Planet





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Great Book

Stunning and beautiful. Got as a gift for someone and it was a huge success.

Got it for my brother, I haven't had a chance to look through it myself, but he loved it!

Nice quality. Bought this as an xmas present for a family friend.

This book will make you drool over the slopes to be skied around the world. Stunning photos and great text.

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Great photos and writeups, giving it 4 stars just because I'm now frustrated that I can't go to all the exotic places it covers (mostly outside the US)

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