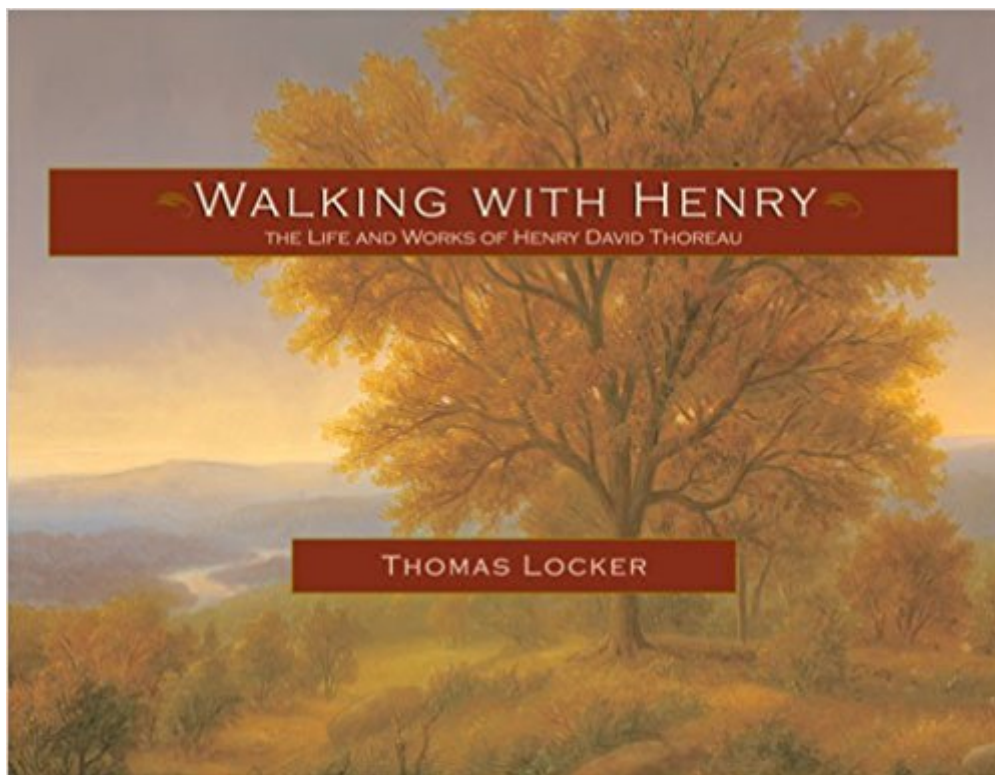




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Walking With Henry: The Life And Works Of Henry David Thoreau (Images Of Conservationists)



Synopsis

Footstep by footstep, this wonderous introduction to the poet-philosopher offers readers of all ages the chance to understand Thoreau's belief that wilderness offers truth, beauty, and goodness to us all. He was a serious field biologist who studied nature, but also a man who showed us that nature was more than facts to be assembled, arranged, and measured.

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Customer Reviews

Thomas Locker has illustrated more than 30 books, many of which he has written, including Skytree, Walking with Henry, John Muir, Hudson: The Story of a River, and Rembrandt and Titus. His books have received many awards, including the Christopher Award, the Knickerbocker Lifetime Achievement Award, the John Burroughs Award, and the New York Times Award for best illustration.

Good quality book. good price

My almost 5 y.o. and I always spend time in New England's wilderness. Now based in Maine, but frequently in New Hampshire, this book inspires and reminds us to enjoy all that we have around us.

My daughter and I talk of living in the forest frequently and Thoreau's solitary living in the wilderness via this bedtime tale is the stuff of peaceful dreams. Thomas Locker as always (Cloud Dance, Water Dance, Mountain Dance , etc) illustrates this perfectly. For all those with a romantic love of the wilderness and an intelligent , less infantile narrative for budding minds.

The illustrations in this book captured our hearts and imaginations. We were working our way through American Literature as a home school family. This book was relevant to all three levels, high, middle and elementary school. As the older child read the works of Thoreau, the younger enjoyed this gorgeous work of art. They created a small cabin shadow box and wrote their own short journals while hiking in the woods. This book is for all ages and was by far our favorite about Thoreau.

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