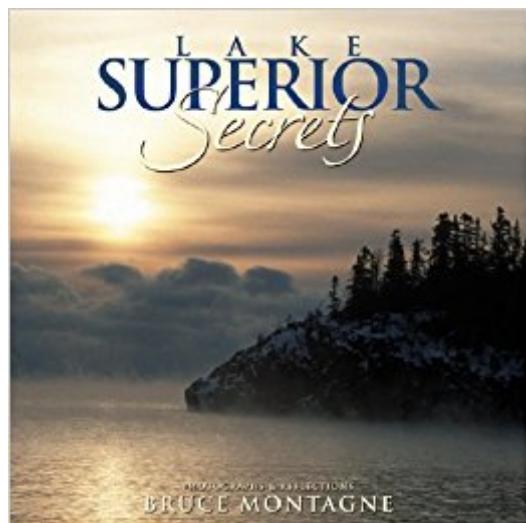


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# Lake Superior Secrets: Photographs & Reflections



## **Synopsis**

Breezes traveling across its large expanse cool the skin. The scream of a bald eagle as it sweeps a salmon from Agawa Bay slices the fog. The fragrance of untouched places permeates the boreal forest. August blueberries are bittersweet. Photographer Bruce Montagne finds a dimension of the lake rarely observed, the intangible one. The journey has been long and unpredictable. What started out as simple excursions to the region became a quest to unravel its hidden themes, the secrets of Lake Superior. The resulting images flow from quiet and contemplative to breathtaking and grand. Montagne invites all of us to discover Lake Superior through this intimate experience.

## **Book Information**

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Photographer Bruce Montagne has explored wild locations in Canada, the northern United States, and the Lake Superior region for more than 15 years. His journeys have taken him from Ontario's Algonquin Park to the Northwest Territories' remote barrenlands to canoe 150 miles on one of North America's wildest rivers. Bruce's images are widely published by clients including Audubon, Smithsonian, Discovery, National Wildlife Federation, Sierra Club, and Lake Superior Magazine.

Beautiful photos and the author/photographer writes beautifully as well. Brings back so many good memories of growing up in Michigan.

This book is better than I thought it would be! I purchased it for my grandmother, who grew up in the northern peninsula, and she recognized a lot of the photos. It brought back many memories for her,

so I know this was a good buy.

Beautiful book! It captures some amazing photography of the North Shore. EXQUISITE!!

Photographer Bruce Montagne has produced a spectacular book of photographs and reflections of and about Lake Superior. For over ten years, Montagne traveled by foot, kayak and snowshoes taking photographs and ultimately writing his thoughts about Lake Superior. Montagne's photographs are stunning and evoke as many emotions as there are pictures. Each looks to be carefully and lovingly thought out and then captured through his lens. As beautiful as Montagne's photographs are, so is his narrative. It is rich and multi-layered and accurately depicts the beauty of a magnificent region of our country. I devoured Lake Superior Secrets and found myself longing for a road trip to watch the changing colors that occur each fall. And I wanted to visit the places Montagne photographed to try and view them as he saw them, with awe and wonder of their splendid majesty. Armchair Interviews says: This is a beautiful book that the reader will cherish forever. It is a perfect gift for all nature lovers. I highly recommend it.

Lake Superior Secrets is a dazzling photography book of the flora, fauna, and scenery of Lake Superior. A caption of one to two sentences garnishes each beautiful, full-color image, caught on film by Bruce Montague, a nature photographer with over 15 years experience. An especial treat for nature lovers, as its photographs illuminate everything from wind-blown sand and snow dunes to ancient pictures written in red ochre on stone cliffs to a stunning image of a ring-billed gull against a clear blue sky. Highly recommended.

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