

rivers of Texas

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selected readings

- *The Texas Red River Country: The Official Surveys of the Headwaters, 1876* edited by T. Lindsay Baker (Texas A&M Press, 1998)
- *Splash Across Texas: The Definitive Guide to Swimming in Central Texas* by Chandra Moira Beal (La Luna, 1999)
- *Rio Grande: Mountains to the Sea: Photographs* by Jim Bones (Texas Monthly Press, 1985)
- *The Tecate Journals: Seventy Days on the Rio Grande* by Keith Bowden (Mountaineers Books, 2007)
- *John Graves, Writer* ed. by Mark Busby and Terrell Dixon (University of Texas Press, 2007)
- “Holy Trinity” by Gary Cartwright, October 2003 *Texas Monthly*
- *Colorado River* by James Cody (San Marcos Press, 1974)
- *Promised Lands* by Elizabeth Crook (Doubleday, 1994)
- *Crossing Rio Pecos* by Patrick Dearen (TCU Press, 1996)
- *The Swamp Monster, a Hardy Boys Mystery* by Franklin W. Dixon, ghostwritten by Neal Barrett, Jr. (Wanderer Books, 1985)
- *Paddling the Wild Neches* by Richard M. Donovan (Texas A&M Press, 2006)
- *Through Time and the Valley* by John Erickson (University of North Texas Press, 1995)
- *Crown Jewel of Texas: the Story of San Antonio’s River* by Lewis F. Fisher (Maverick Pub. Co., 1997)
- *Child of Many Rivers: Journeys to and from the Rio Grande* by Lucy Fischer-West (Texas Tech University Press, 2005)
- *Summertime* by David Fleming (TCU Press, 1986)
- *North to Yesterday* by Robert Flynn (Knopf, 1968)
- *The Rio Grande, River of Destiny* by Laura Gilpin (Duell, Sloan and Pearce, 1949)
- *House of Breath* by William Goyen (Random House, 1950)
- *Goodbye to a River* by John Graves (Knopf, 1961)
- *Texas Rivers* by John Graves; Photographs by Wyman Meinzer. (Texas Parks & Wildlife Press, 2002)
- “The Old Man and the River” by S.C. Gwynne, November 2007 *Texas Monthly*
- “The Perfect River” by Stephen Harrigan. Originally appeared in August 1981 *Texas Monthly*; reprinted in *A Natural State: Essays on Texas* by Stephen Harrigan (University of Texas Press, 1994)
- *Death on the River Walk* by Carolyn Hart (William Morrow, 1999)
- *The Valley/Estampas del valle y otras obras* by Rolando Hinojosa (Quinto Sol, 1973) Additional novels in Rolando Hinojosa’s “Klail City Death Trip Series” include *Dear Rafe/Mi Querido Rafe*, and *Rites and Witnesses*
- *The Millennium Tuber: One Man’s Journey to Help Save a River* by John Hohn (Marquette Books, 2007)
- *Great River: The Rio Grande in North American History* by Paul Horgan (Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 1954)
- *Home from the Hill* by William Humphrey (Avon, 1957)
- *The Ordways* by William Humphrey (Knopf, 1964)
- *Rivers of Texas* by Verne Huser (Texas A&M Press, 2000)
- *The San Marcos: A River’s Story* by Jim Kimmel; photographs by Jerry Touchstone Kimmel. (Texas A&M Press, 2006)

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- *A Guide to Texas Rivers and Streams* by Gene Kirkley (Lone Star Books, 1983)
- *The Bottoms* by Joe R. Lansdale (Mysterious Press, 2000)
- *A Fine Dark Line* by Joe R. Lansdale (Mysterious Press, 2003)
- *The Perfect Sonya* by Beverly Lowry (Viking, 1987)
- *Paddling the Guadalupe* by Wayne McAlister (Texas A&M Press, 2008)
- *No Country for Old Men* by Cormac McCarthy (Knopf, 2005)
- *Bridges over the Brazos* by Jon McConal (TCU Press, 2005)
- *All My Friends are Going To Be Strangers* by Larry McMurtry (Simon and Schuster, 1972)
- *Lonesome Dove* by Larry McMurtry (Simon and Schuster, 1985)
- *Tales from the San'tone River Bottom : A Cultural History* by Louise S. O'Connor (Wexford Pub., 1998)
- *Look To The River* by William A. Owens (Atheneum, 1963)
- "Undammed and Unforgiving: The Devil's River" by Joe Nick Patoski (*Texas Parks and Wildlife*, July 2002)
- "Texas Water Safari: 260 Miles of Rowing Your Boat" by Joe Nick Patoski (*Dallas Morning News*, June 27, 2003)
- "Guad is Good; Guad is Great" by Joe Nick Patoski (*Texas Parks and Wildlife*, July 2004)
- *Pecos Tales* by Paul Patterson (Encino Press, 1967)
- *Tales of the Sabine Borderlands: Early Louisiana and Texas Fiction* by Théodore Pavie (Texas A&M Press, 1998)
- *Hold Autumn in Your Hand* by George Sessions Perry (Viking, 1942)
- "The Meanest River" by Jan Reid. Originally appeared in July 1988 *Texas Monthly*; reprinted in *Close Calls: Jan Reid's Texas* (Texas A&M Press, 2000)
- *Rio Grande* edited and with a text by Jan Reid (University of Texas Press, 2004)
- *The Cruise of the Red Turtle: A Brazos River Sketchbook* by Robert Reitz and Gardner Smith. (Sun and Shadow Press, 1997)
- *El Camino del Rio: a novel* by Jim Sanderson (University of New Mexico Press, 1998)
- *Homeland : Essays Beside and Beyond the Rio Grande* by Jan Epton Seale (New Santander Press, 1995)
- *Texas Riverman: The Life and Times of Captain Andrew Smyth* by William Seale (University of Texas Press, 1966)
- *Ancient Texans: Rock Art and Lifeways along the Lower Pecos* by Harry J. Shafer (Gulf Publications, 1992)
- "Rapids Round the Bend" by Edwin "Bud" Shrake. Originally appeared in the April 15, 1974 issue of *Sports Illustrated*; reprinted in *The Land of the Permanent Wave: An Edwin Bud Shrake Reader*, edited by Steven L. Davis (University of Texas Press, 2008)
- *The Trinity River*, Photographs by Luther Smith; Essays by Mike Nichols and Thomas W. Southall (TCU Press, 1997)
- *Reflections of the Brazos Valley* by D. Gentry Steele (Texas A&M Press, 2007)
- *Circling Back: Chronicle Of A Texas River Valley* by Joe C. Truett (University of Iowa Press, 1996)
- *Reflections On The Neches: A Naturalist's Odyssey Along The Big Thicket's Snow River* by Geraldine Ellis Watson (University of North Texas Press, 2003)

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