



Golden Gate Bridge

History and Design of an Icon • By Donald MacDonald and Ira Nadel

Nine million people visit the Golden Gate Bridge each year, yet how many know why it's painted that stunning shade of "international orange"? Or that ancient Mayan and Art Deco buildings influenced the design? Current bridge architect Donald MacDonald answers these questions and others in a friendly, informative look at the bridge's engineering and 70-year history. This accessible account is accompanied by 70 of MacDonald's own charming color illustrations, making it easy to understand how the bridge was designed and constructed. A fascinating study for those interested in architecture, design, or anyone with a soft spot for San Francisco, *Golden Gate Bridge* is a fitting tribute to this timeless icon.

Donald MacDonald is the first architect to work on the Golden Gate Bridge since its completion. He lives in San Francisco.

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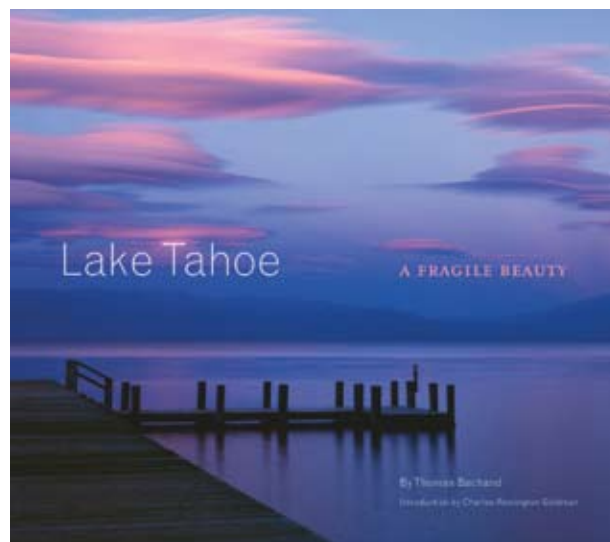
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A Fragile Beauty • By Thomas Bachand

Introduction by Dr. Charles Goldman

Thomas Bachand's stunning photographs of Lake Tahoe capture the sublime allure and fragility of this beloved leisure destination. Bachand's images document a gorgeous, and changing, environment; as hundreds of thousands of visitors flock to the region each year, environmental researchers work tirelessly to preserve the ecosystem for future generations. Bachand's work reveals the delicate balance between conservation and recreation, as images of both majestic landscapes and development are juxtaposed. Dr. Charles Goldman, Director of the Tahoe Research Group at UC Davis and a leader in the efforts to preserve Lake Tahoe, introduces this picturesque and thought-provoking volume.

Photographer **Thomas Bachand** has explored the shores and mountains of Lake Tahoe for 35 years. He lives in Oakland, California.

Dr. Charles Goldman is a professor of Limnology at UC Davis.

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