

PORTRAIT OF THE GALLOWAY COASTLINE

Keith Fergus

The Galloway coastline begins at Gretna near the Scottish border; then meanders its way south-west down to the Mull of Galloway (Scotland's most southerly point), from where it heads north to Corsewall Point before reaching its conclusion near the port of Stranraer. In between lies a magnificent and diverse stretch of coastline, one that contains idyllic villages, beautiful beaches, great hills and mountains, rocky coves, historic buildings and forts, some wonderful flora and fauna, and views which are remarkable in their breadth and beauty.

Keith Fergus spent much of his childhood holidays in Galloway, where he got to know the coastline intimately and he is still a regular visitor; whether this is to walk along the fantastic coast or be amongst her rolling hills and mountains, all the time photographing this beautiful stretch of Scotland. In over 140 full-colour images, he captures the full glory of this stunning coastal landscape.



ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Keith Fergus was born in 1972 in Glasgow where he still lives with his wife and two children. The outdoors and photography have always played a crucial role in Keith's life and combining both seemed to be a natural progression. Keith finally realized a long-held ambition by turning professional in 2008. His first book, *The River Clyde – from the Source to the Sea* was also published in 2008.

RELATED TITLES AVAILABLE

Portrait of Skye

ISBN 978 1 84114 934 9 £14.99

Portrait of The Borders

ISBN 978 1 84114 721 5 £14.99

Portrait of The Hebrides

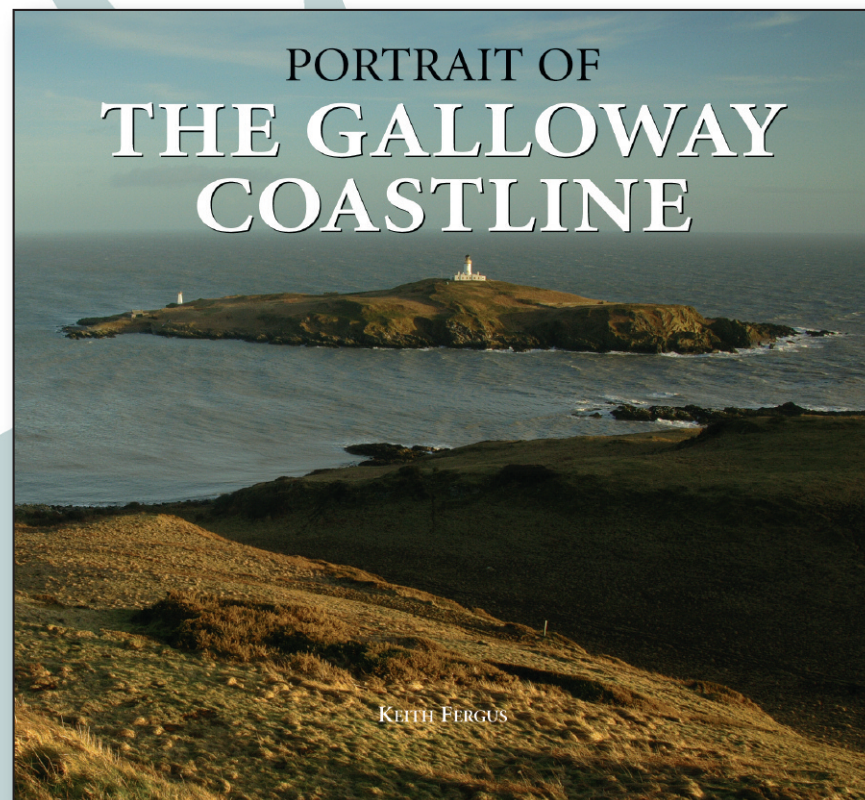
ISBN 978 1 84114 740 6 £14.99

Portrait of The Northern Isles

ISBN 978 1 84114 881 6 £14.99

Halsgrove Publishing
Halsgrove House,
Ryelands Industrial Estate,
Bagley Road, Wellington,
Somerset TA21 9PZ
Tel: 01823 653777
Fax: 01823 216796
www.halsgrove.com
e-mail: sales@halsgrove.com

HALSGROVE TITLE INFORMATION



Format: Hardback, 144 pages, 214x230mm,
profusely illustrated in colour throughout

Price: £14.99

ISBN: 978 1 84114 926 4

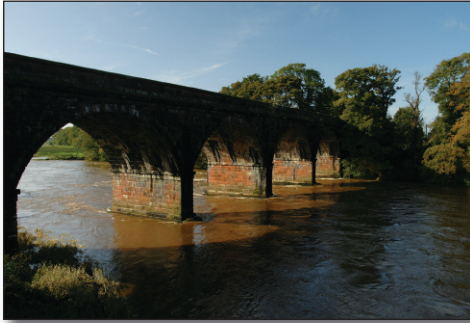
Imprint: Halsgrove

Published: April 2009

Trade sales: Sue Rhodes-Thompson – DDI 01823 653770 suet@halsgrove.com



Great Books from your Local Bookseller



Above left: The railway bridge at Annan spans the width of the River Annan as it makes its way to the Solway Firth only a mile or so down river.



Above right: The dramatic remains of Caerlaverock Castle, a thirteenth-century triangular moated castle, lie a few miles from Dumfries.



Right: Mull of Galloway Lighthouse.

Example of a double-page spread.



Cliff reflected in the River Urr at dawn near Caerlaverock.

Right: The Solway Firth provides dramatic reflections at sunset over Galloway.



Stormy skies at dusk, Isle of Whithorn. In the 1800s, the Isle had strong links with both Ireland and the Isle of Man. The harbour is still the main focal point of the village with boats bringing in their catches of crabs, lobsters and scallops.



Looking across Rough Island to Hestan and Castle Point from Mote of Mark. Not surprisingly, given its position, the Mote of Mark was once a defended hilltop and was supposedly a court of a mighty Dark Age chieftain.