

A BOOT UP THE RIVER TEIGN

Philip Carter

The Pixz Boot Up Series is fast becoming a phenomenon in local walks books that attract families and others to exploring the countryside in a leisurely way. It includes short walks for those living in or visiting popular areas of the country, written by those who know the area well. They provide a healthy hour or two of exercise, exploring parts of Britain's countryside that the casual visitor might otherwise miss, pointing out interesting features along the way. These are perfect walks for families.

Philip Carter has made his name in walking books through his long involvement with the South West Coast Path Association. In *A Boot Up the Teign Valley* he offers walkers fresh ideas and gives a different perspective to a familiar ramble. Whether following a broad river estuary, strolling through wooded valleys or following a long-abandoned canal, here is a convenient pocket-sized companion designed to add an extra dimension to the enjoyment of a leisurely walk.

Among the 10 walks included in this book are:
Bradley Woods, Newton Abbot • Hackney,
near Kingsteignton • Teignbridge along the
River Teign • Stover Lake, near Drum Bridges
• Bovey Tracey • Hisley Bridge, Lustleigh
Cleave • Steps Bridge area near Dunsford •
Teign Gorge near Drewsteignton.

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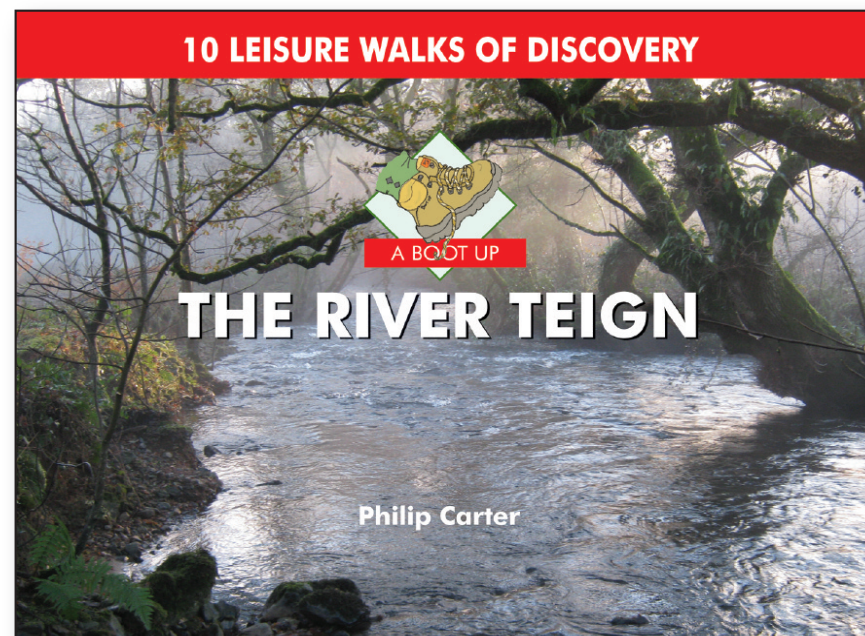
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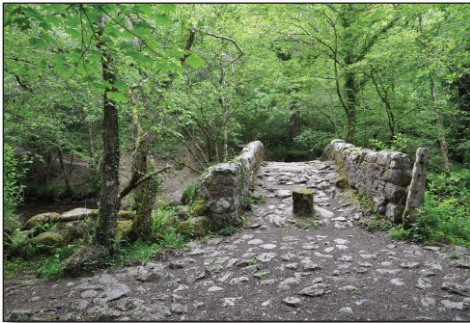
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Cockington Forge



One of the whimsical carvings on the Stover Walkway



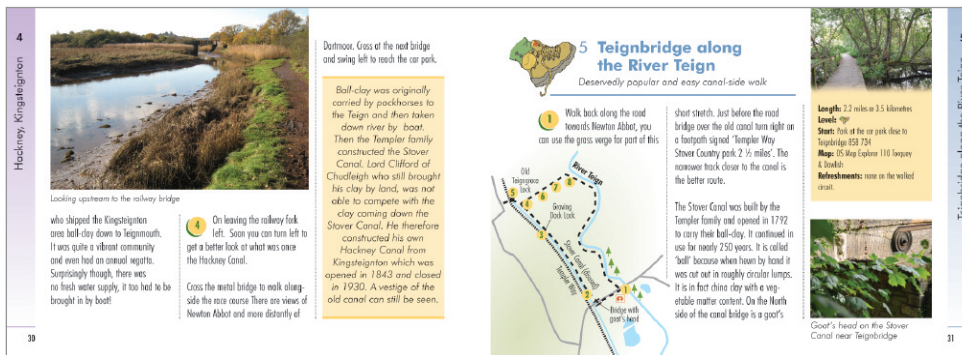
Hisley packhorse bridge



Autumnal view down the Teign estuary



Kingskerswell beyond the bell tower of St Mary's Church



Example of a double-page spread.



Parke Weir, Bovey Tracey