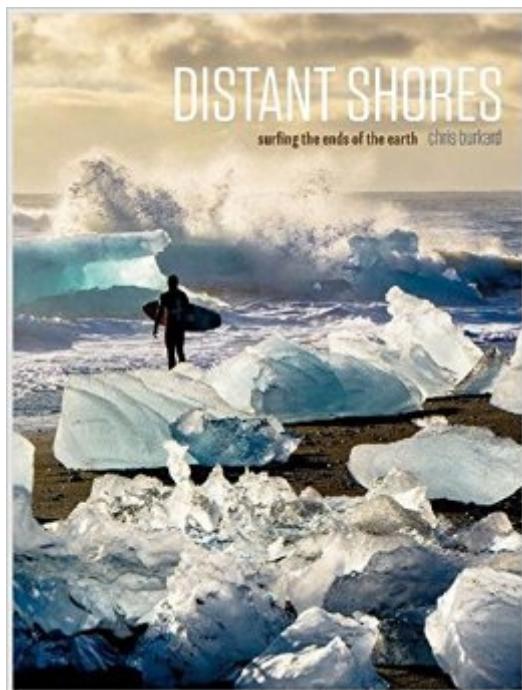


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Distant Shores: Surfing The Ends Of The Earth



Synopsis

The latest book from the award-winner global surf photographer Chris Burkard! Chris Burkard's photographs are punctuated by energized landscapes and moments of bliss, by adventure seeking and the lifestyle that it encompasses, and by movement and intuitive light-working capabilities. With the ocean as his main muse, Burkard has consistently captured this subject in timeless and expansive photographic impressions, utilizing the tool of surfing to approach the ocean's intricate personality and then extending out to include the human personalities that draw meaning from this same source. Searching for wild, remote destinations and offbeat landscapes, Burkard portrays the humble placement of the human in contrast to nature. At just 26 years of age, Burkard has spent the last eight years seeking out remote surf in the most rugged conditions in the world. In the process, he has established himself as a major photographer in the surf and outdoor community. Burkard serves as senior staff photographer for Surfer magazine and contributes regularly to various international publications and companies such as Patagonia. Burkard has completed two book projects, one with friend and co-author Eric Soderquist, titled "'The California Surf Project'" (2006), and the other, "'Plight of the Torpedo People,'" accompanying Patagonia body surfing film, "'Come Hell or High Water'" (2012).

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Just received my copy of this great book. I have been surfing more than 1/2 my life and this book definitely captures the lifestyle and beauty of surfing. Not in another glossy California dream way but

the way real surfers desire to explore the world looking for a new, unridden, unexplored ways. Russia, Alaska, Iceland, India and others are shot in a unique point of view and style most other surf photos can't. The printing is fantastic, full bleed spread shots and a large format size add to the epic adventures. I'll never surf most of these spots but i'm stoked to live the dream through this book.

The book is incredible! Given I am a huge Chris Burkard fan, the book was a great buy. It is much larger than you may think, so check out the dimensions before buying! The paper is all high quality, as are the prints. It appears very durable as well. Makes a great table topper

By far my favorite book Chris has put out yet. It's obvious that lots of quality time was spent selecting the photos and organizing them in a way that tells a story. Many photo books end after only a few pages and this one just continues on - saturating the reader with adventure. I'll continuously dive back in every time my thirst for wanderlust kicks in.

Incredible photos - well worth having on the coffee table for continuous inspiration. Must have for any surfer or adventurer.

Bought this as a Xmas gift for my Dad and he loves it. It's full of amazing images from around the world and looks great out on display.

Amazing book! A must buy for every surfer, it translates the true surfing spirit, going travel searching for the perfect wave.

Looks good - my niece is a photographer, and lately has found she loves surfing, so we bought it for her for her birthday.

Gorgeous photos... Chris is a favorite of mine and this book is stunning. Any surfer or ocean-lover will love this book!

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