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**Terry Davis : Triking Down the Pacific Coast: A Tour Journal: Portland, Oregon to San Francisco, California** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Triking Down the Pacific Coast: A Tour Journal: Portland, Oregon to San Francisco, California:

7 of 7 people found the following review helpful. A real-world experience and very refreshing read. By Ernest Havner Being at the stage of my life where the painful results old surgeries to repair broken bones and damaged and twisted joints, heel spurs and gout flares have forced me to seek some low impact form of exercise that won't irritate the prostate, a recumbent trike seemed a very attractive choice. However, after reading several books about triking down the West Coast (where I live) I thought it was mandatory that I assume an attitude of disdain for normal people that use dreaded petroleum, eat meat and actually contribute to society. Then along comes Terry Davis!!! An individual that, while my polar opposite politically, doesn't denigrate those that live life with a different opinion and viewpoint than his. Nor does he punish the reader with a myopic blathering of disdain. Here's a man that, while introspective and thoughtful is very comfortable in his own skin. A very refreshing individual. Frankly, Mr. Davis seems like a man I would love to get to know well enough to call a friend. While I'm more than a decade his senior his openness and honesty has inspired me to move ahead with the purchase of a trike. I figure it will take a year to condition myself to go from Huntington Beach to Seattle. It'll be my 70th birthday adventure. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Instructional and entertaining. By misfitsailor The book is a day-to-day diary of a three wheeled cycle trip. It does not pretend to be prize winning literature. As someone who aspires to take recumbent trike trips like the one in this book, I found lots of useful info. Terry Davis does a decent job of keeping things interesting and moving along. The only part I skimmed over were the days he spent at a Zen retreat. I am here for bikes, not Buddha. The author may come across as somewhat elitist when he crosses paths with strata of society outside of his standard orbit, but traveling beyond one's comfort zone is what adventure is all about. The greatest favor Mr. Davis does for us is to include a post-trip review of all equipment used on the journey. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Informative for those seeking to tour on a trike. By Bishopdunn Terry tells an interesting story of the journey down the Pacific coast from the perspective of a normal traveler. He gives a good perspective from someone who is not a mechanically inclined individual. His choice of nourishment along the way makes the journey's logistics manageable. A good read.

In this personal journal about an 808-mile tour from Portland, Oregon to San Francisco, California, author Terry Davis describes his day-to-day travel experiences on a recumbent tadpole trike. Included are reflections on a minimalist approach to touring, personal insights and observations, and impressions from a four-day stay at a Zen monastery along the way.