

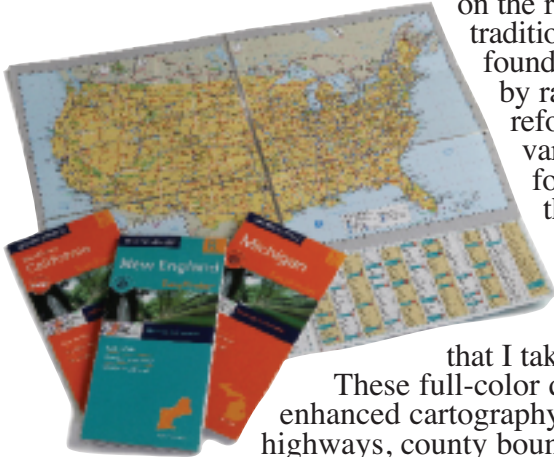
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RAND MCNALLY EASYFINDER MAPS

I wouldn't hit the road without one

WITHOUT MAPS I WOULD BE COMPLETELY directionless in life, especially when on the road. Over the years I have traditionally used paper maps, but found they were easily damaged by rain, or ripped by folding and refolding. So, I moved to using various types of atlases, but found I rarely need maps of the whole country for a single trip. I recently came across Rand McNally's EasyFinder maps, and now have a new favorite map that I take on every road trip.

These full-color quality maps feature enhanced cartography, with clearly indicated highways, county boundaries, points of interest, and more. Each map also has a quick-reference legend and city index — all things I would expect from a company like Rand McNally. The difference with these maps is that they are laminated with heavy-duty protective covers. This design makes it easy to fold the maps any way I want to display individual sections without worrying about ripping



them. And since the maps are laminated, I can easily mark my route or make notes on the map, then wipe the surface clean for future use.

The dimensions of the EasyFinder maps are 9" x 4-1/4" folded, and 18" x 17" unfolded. Maps are available for all 50 states, the District of Columbia, most major US cities, and some regional areas like New England. Each map will set you back between \$6.95 and \$7.95, depending on the series or state.

So if you're ready to eliminate the headache of refolding a paper map and want a durable, convenient map that will take all the wear and tear your journey can dish out, you need to get yourself some Rand McNally EasyFinder maps. They are a must for navigating this great country of ours. Now, if only I could find some direction in life, I'd be all set. AIM

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