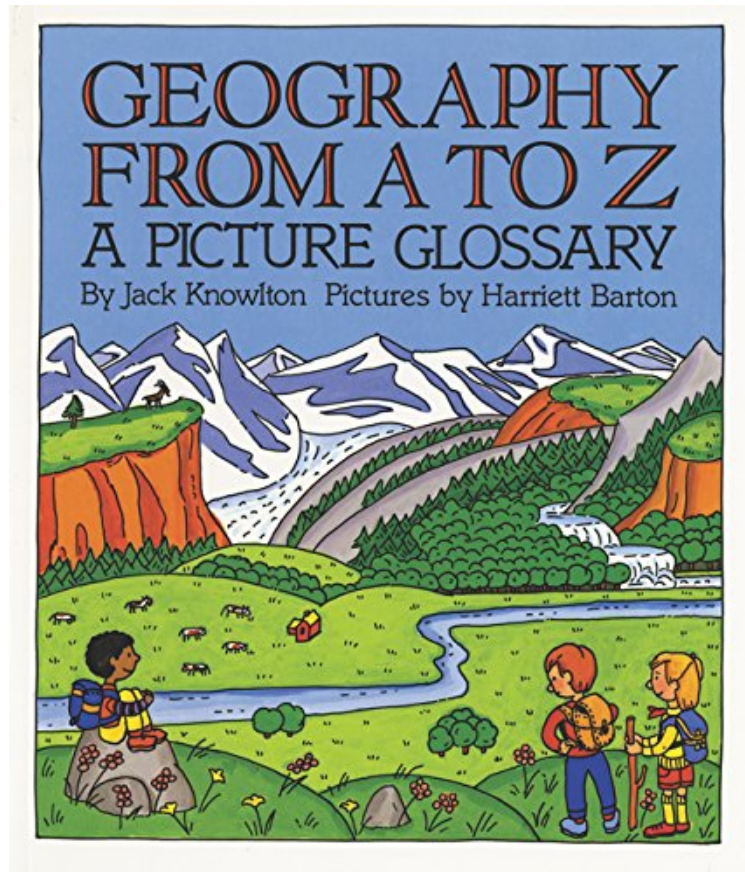


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This resource will be valuable for young geographers. (ALA Booklist)An attractive introduction to geography's rich vocabulary; it should also be an inspiration to budding word-collectors (Kirkus s)From the Back CoverHave you ever wondered what a badland is? What about a gulch? Do you wonder what an isthmus is? Or a seamount? What about the difference between a plateau and a plain, or a knob and a knoll? Well, here are the answers!The sixty-three entries from A to Z describe the earth's features -- its physical geography -- from the highest mountain peak to the deepest ocean trench, in clear, concise terms. Each entry is beautifully illustrated in full color.This is a perfect introduction to the dramatic and fascinating face of the vast world around us. The author and artist of the best-selling MAPS GLOBES team up again, this time to prove that geography can indeed be an adventure.About the AuthorJack Knowlton was born in Florida. He is a free-lance writer living in New York City and is the author of Geography from A to Z and Maps and Globes, which was featured on Reading Rainbow.