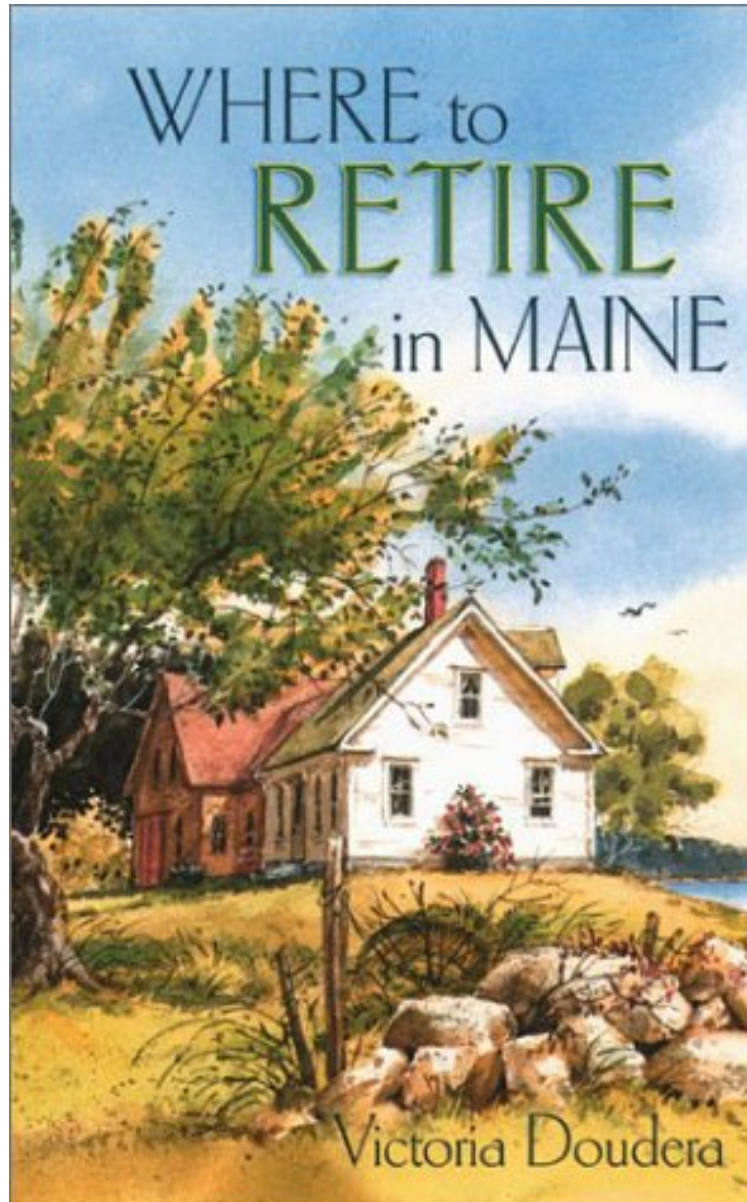


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About the Author  
Freelance writer Victoria Doudera is the author of *Moving to Maine: The Essential Guide to Get You There* and articles for *Yankee*, *Parenting*, *Readers Digest*, and *Maine Boats Harbors*, among other magazines. When they first moved to Camden, Maine, in 1986, she and her husband operated a bed-and-breakfast, and Vicki says that conversing with their guests helped give her a good idea of what attracts people to Maine and what makes them want to stay.