

**BAJA CALIFORNIA
LAND OF MISSIONS**
ISBN: 9781495191213, Retail: \$29.95
Author: David Kier
Publisher: M&E Books
Pub Date: 5/16, Format: SC

This book contains a detailed history of the activities by the Spanish and others attempting to colonize the peninsula of California from 1535 to 1855, it is glovebox or backpack friendly and contains the GPS waypoints for the mission sites. Over 125 photographs, maps, and drawings, provide the reader with a view of the actions of the Spanish Empire using missions to colonize California. The author's research resulted in new discoveries and facts which are included.



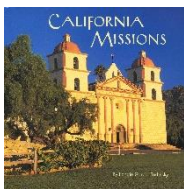
**BEST OF CA MISSIONS,
MANSIONS AND MUSEUMS**
ISBN: 9780899973982 Retail: \$21.95
Publisher: Wilderness Press
Author: Ken McKowen, Dahlynn McKowen
Pub Date: 8/06, Format: SC

This two-color traveler's companion features more than 130 of California's best missions, mansions, and museums. In addition to insider information on many of the destinations, the guide features theme tours that will appeal to tourists and armchair travelers alike, history buffs, as well as teachers and parents.



CALIFORNIA: A HISTORY
ISBN: 9780812977530 Retail: \$18.00
Publisher: Modern Library
Author: Kevin Starr
Pub Date: 3/07, Format: SC

The bestselling definitive one-volume history of California from the greatest historian of the Golden State, Kevin Starr.



CALIFORNIA MISSIONS
ISBN: 9781931153881
Retail: \$35.00
Publisher: Stoecklein Publishing
Editor: Carrie Lightner, Becky Prunty
Photographer: Londie Padelsky

Pub Date: 1/06 Format: HC

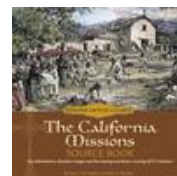
Photographer Londie Padelsky takes us on a pictorial tour of the old California missions, their historical significance, and wide range of architectural styles.



CALIFORNIA MISSION COLLECTOR CARDS
2nd Edition

ISBN: 9780982504758 Retail: \$9.95
Publisher: Pentacle Press
Pub Date: 5/11, Format: Collector Cards

The California Missions Collector cards feature full color photographs plus essential facts on each mission. Bonus card shows map of missions and flags of the period. These are shrink-wrapped inside a handsome thin opaque case, which has a hanger tab.



**CALIFORNIA MISSION SOURCE
BOOK 3rd Edition**

ISBN: 9781937313135
Retail: \$24.95
Publisher: Pentacle Press
Author: David J. McLaughlin

Pub Date: 12/16, Format: HC, Spiral Bound

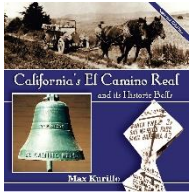
Reflects years of research and contains key information, dramatic images and fascinating anecdotes covering all the CA missions with 23 categories of information; a historic 1823 Map of Alta California; population data for the missions, presidios and pueblos; 57 line drawings; 15 paintings; 20 plat maps; 15 architectural drawing and over 80 full color photographs.



**CALIFORNIA MISSIONS'
TIMELINE: ALTA CALIFORNIA
1768 TO 1853**

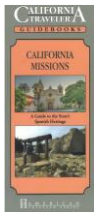
ISBN: 9780982504789
Retail: \$7.95
Publisher: Pentacle Press
Pub Date: 6/11, Format: SC

This is a timeline of The California Missions from 1768-1853 and includes important dates, significant events and intriguing facts. The timeline now includes a reinforced cover and comes in a clear, sealed bag.



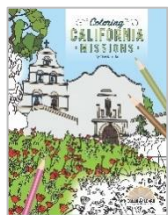
CALIFORNIA'S EL CAMINO REAL AND ITS HISTORIC BELLS
ISBN: 9781532318948
Retail: \$22.95
Author: Max Kurillo
Publisher: M&E Books
Pub date: 11/16, Format: SC

California's Historic El Camino Real and Its Historic Bells is the first book to trace the history, development and preservation of this historic West Coast transportation corridor. It chronicles the determined efforts to renew El Camino Real and the familiar roadside bell markers, unique and enduring symbols of California's cultural heritage. With over 40 maps, and 70 illustrations, that focuses on documenting, and conserving the natural and historical heritage of this unique historical road.



CA TRAVELER: CA MISSIONS
ISBN: 9781558381223 Retail: \$9.95
Publisher: American Traveler Press
Author: Gregory Lee
Pub Date: 5/92, Revised 11/19
Format: SC

Follow the footsteps of the Spanish missionaries who settled in California with this full color 4 x 9 guidebook. Features a map of Mission locations and an overview of each Mission's history.



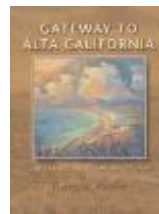
COLORING CALIFORNIA MISSIONS
ISBN: 9781941384381
Retail: \$9.95
Author: Max Kurillo,
Publisher: Sunbelt Publications
Pub Date: 7/18, Format: SC

In the year 1769 Spanish soldiers with some Franciscan Padres came to a place called San Diego. The military moved northward to Monterey but some Padres stayed behind and started the first mission in Alta California, mission San Diego de Alcalá. The next mission was in Monterey San Carlos Borromeo de Carmelo in 1770, the last mission was Sonoma in 1823. These 21 missions are the last of the Spanish missions anywhere in the world.



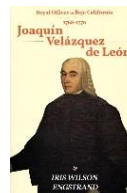
EXPLORING CA'S MISSIONS & PRESIDIOS
ISBN: 9780762727933 Retail: \$15.95
Publisher: Falcon Press Publishing
Author: Tracy Salcedo
Pub Date: 1/05, Format: SC

Today, the missions and presidios are among California's most popular historic landmarks, and enduring reminders of California's Spanish and Mexican past. This book contains short hikes, biking, and other outdoor recreation opportunities, plus travel information and natural history.



GATEWAY TO ALTA CALIFORNIA: THE LAND EXPEDITION TO SAN DIEGO, 1769
ISBN: 9780932653574 Retail: \$39.95
Sales Price: \$10.00
Publisher: Sunbelt Publications
Author: Harry W. Crosby
Pub Date: 11/02, Format: HC

The story of the Spanish expedition to found San Diego is told through diary excerpts and the author's comments, taking the reader day-by-day on the journey through the unexplored, desolate wilderness of northern Baja California. Listed for the first time are the names of all Hispanic members of the expedition party. Full-color maps provide a graphic statement of the journey.



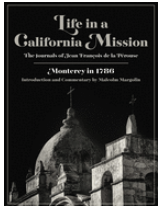
JOAQUIN VELAZQUEZ de LEON: Royal Officer in Baja California, 1768-1770, 2nd Edition
ISBN: 9786079828608, Retail: \$24.95
Author: Iris Wilson Engstrand
Publisher: Editorial Museo Ruta De Plata
Pub Date: 12/18, Format: SC

Joaquín Velázquez de León: Royal Officer in Baja California, 1768-1770 brings to life the eighteenth century efforts of Velázquez de León, who served the Spanish Crown in Mexico, documented the 1769 Transit of Venus from Baja California's first civilian settlement, Real de Santa Ana, and saw the Serra/Portolá expedition depart to found San Diego.



**JUNIPERO SERRA:
ILLUSTRATED TIME LINE**
ISBN: 9780982504741 Retail: \$6.95
Publisher: Pentacle Press
Pub Date: 9/10, Format: SC

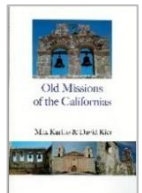
This is a time line of Junipero Serra extending from his birth through his death and subsequent recognition and beatification. The timeline now includes a reinforced cover and comes in a clear, sealed bag.



**LIFE IN A CA MISSION
(MONTEREY 1786)**
ISBN: 9780930588397
Retail: \$15.00
Publisher: Heyday Books
Author: Jean Francois de la Perouse
Pub Date: 4/89, Revised 4/18

Format: SC

This account from the journals of the commander of the French expedition which visited Monterey Bay in 1786, describes the abundant wildlife, the Spanish presidio, and Carmel mission.



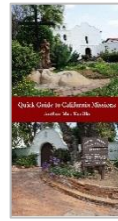
**OLD MISSIONS OF THE
CALIFORNIAS**
ISBN: 9781532350313, Retail: \$20.95
Author: Max Kurillo and David Kier
Publisher: M&E Books
Pub Date: 6/20, Format: SC

All 48 of the California missions are detailed in the order of their founding and not based on a border that didn't exist when the missions were built. Maps and photos from past and present provide a look at the missions from yesterday and today. Also included are chapters on the founding Catholic Orders, on the mission road, El Camino Real, and a complete reference list of additional mission history sources. This comprehensive yet compact work belongs in your glovebox, backpack, and home library to enrich your travel and mission history experiences.



**PATRON SAINTS:
CALIFORNIA MISSIONS 2nd Edition**
ISBN: 9781937313067 Retail: \$14.00
Publisher: Pentacle Press
Pub Date: 5/11, Format: Collector Cards

Learn all about the Patron Saints of the California Missions.



**QUICK GUIDE TO CALIFORNIA
MISSIONS**
ISBN 9781941384428
Retail \$8.95
Author: Max Kurillo
Publisher: Sunbelt Publications
Pub Date: 9/18, Format: Foldout Guide

Learn about all 21 California Missions with this handy fold out guide. This guide contains the location of each Mission, the founding order, indigenous band of Native Americans in the area, the California Historic Landmark number and more fun facts specific to each Mission.



**SOLDIERS, SCOUNDRELS, POETS,
& PRIESTS, 3rd Edition**
ISBN: 9781937313142 Retail: \$21.95
Publisher: Pentacle Press
Author: David J. McLaughlin
Pub Date: 6/18, Format: SC

The living history of California's missions is a mosaic of piety and passion, heroism and greed. In 30 biographies and over one hundred illustrations, historic and contemporary, the splendor that is the California mission system unfolds before your eyes. The book is organized into three sections – covering the Spanish, Mexican and American eras, each of which has a summary history for that period and ten chapters featuring the lives of individuals. This new edition includes definitions of over 150 words and phrases (architectural, military and religious terms and Native American terms and place names); a map showing the Historic Missions, Presidios and Pueblos; and a full color, ten page, richly illustrated timeline of California History from 1768-1853. Soldiers, Scoundrels, Poets, and Priests tells a wonderful tale and provides a unique glimpse into the heart and soul of California's missions.



THE CALIFORNIA MISSIONS

ISBN: 9780847861514

Retail: \$55.00

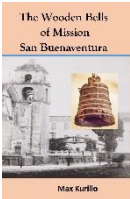
Publisher: Rizzoli International Publications

Author: Ruben G. Mendoza

Photographer: Melba Levick

Pub Date: 3/18, Format: HC

Magical spaces rich in history, the missions of California, featured here in all-new photography, invite reverie and hint of romance. This colorful, informative exploration of all twenty-one missions, each with its own rich story to tell, journeys along the historic Camino Real, from Mission Dolores with its flower-strewn courtyard gardens, in San Francisco, to San Juan Capistrano, famous for the swallows that flock to its inviting grounds. With lush photography that captures the missions' details so splendidly, this is the perfect book for mission visitors and lovers of their strong and simple forms.



**THE WOODEN BELLS OF MISSION
SAN BUENA VENTURA**

ISBN: 9781532327605

Retail: \$18.95

Author: Max Kurillo

Publisher: M&E Books

Pub Date: 11/16, Format: SC

While the intrigue and romance of bells have, for centuries, captured the imagination of people from all walks of life, the bells found in the museum of the mission in Ventura are so unique and so mysterious as to almost defy reason. Since early in the 1900s they have quietly resided there, inspiring awe and wonder in those who viewed them. For these bells are like no others, they are beautifully, masterfully hand carved from wood. With no recorded history to inform us, no memories among the living to guide us, no apparent logical reason for their being, they seem to be waiting for some to uncover their secret.