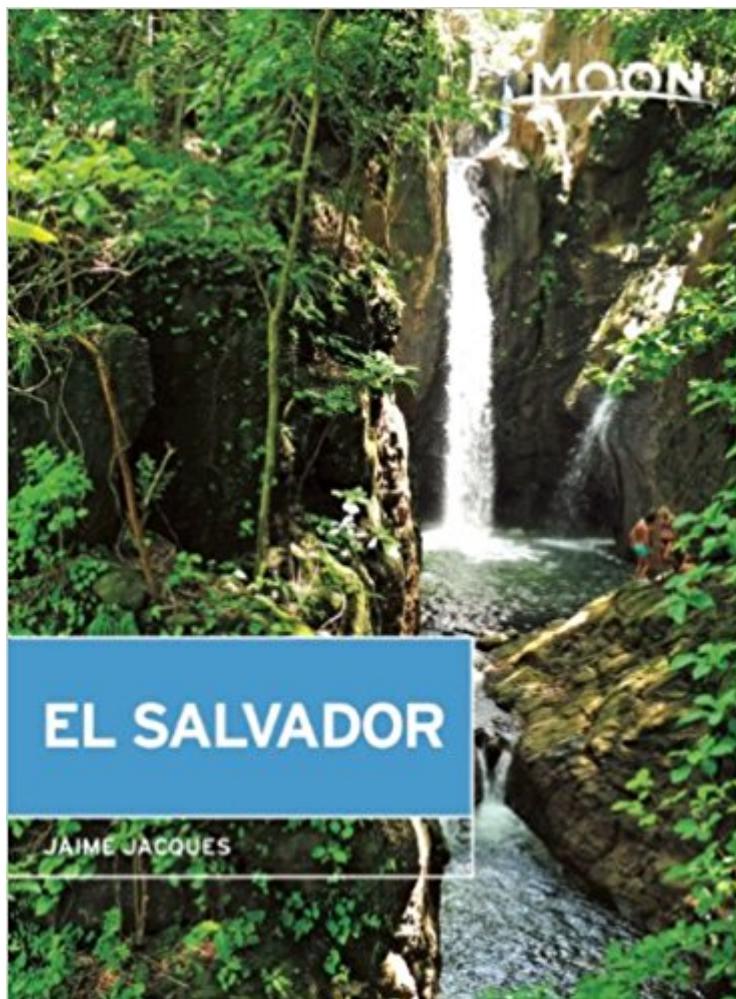


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Moon El Salvador (Moon Handbooks)



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Moon Handbooks give you the tools to make your own choices. Can't-miss sights, activities, restaurants, and accommodations, marked with MEssential info on San Salvador, El Salvador's resilient urban heart. Suggestions on how to plan a trip that's perfect for you, including: The Best of El Salvador; Surf's Up! From Cool Cloud Forests to Warm Waves; Art and Culture: Past and Present; 13 detailed and easy-to-use maps. The firsthand experience and unique perspective of author Jaime Jacques.

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Customer Reviews

Jaime Jacques has been fulfilling her passion for travel ever since she traveled to India as a two-year-old to meet her dad's side of the family. Frequent family travel soon had her mesmerized by the sights, sounds, and smells of other cultures. After earning a bachelor of science from Dalhousie University in her hometown of Halifax, Nova Scotia, she set out on her first backpacking trip through Asia. She returned to Canada to complete a postgraduate degree in magazine journalism at Ryerson University in Toronto. She later lived and worked in Cambodia, Bulgaria, Ghana, and Sudan before deciding it was time for something new. In 2011, Jaime dusted off her backpack and headed off on her first Central American adventure. She spent a year and a half exploring before ending up in El Salvador, which captured her heart with its striking landscape and altruistic people. She has since traveled throughout this small but diverse country by bus, bike, car, and on foot, encountering random acts of kindness in every corner. Jaime spends her time

hiking through El Salvador's beautiful cloud forests and climbing its volcanoes, exploring San Salvador's romantic historic center, and indulging in national dishes and drinks—especially pupusas and horchata. Jaime's work has appeared in The Cambodia Daily, The Sofia Echo, The Ghanaian Chronicle, New Internationalist, Adbusters, and Spacing. She currently splits her time between El Salvador and Canada.

My wife and I are going to stop over in San Salvador for a couple of days on our way to Belize from Mexico City. It turns out that flying from Point A to Point B isn't so easy, and going through San Salvador was the best of the very few choices. So I thought I would pick up a guide book, and this appeared to be the best of the few on the market. The Moon guide is well written and describes lots of places to see and things to do. I'm knocking off a star because I prefer color photographs like the ones published in the Insight Series, which unfortunately doesn't include an El Salvador guide. Small and light so it will pack well.

This book was our saving grace on our first trip to El Salvador! Great recommendations which were pretty up-to-date. I definitely recommend reading this book prior to arriving in San Salvador, as it has lots of information on various cities to visit and accommodations in each one. This is a MUST READ when planning your trip!

Good info.

A+

This book saved my life this summer! I traveled to the Salvadoran capital for a conference and had this book with me at all times when I had time to explore. The author's passion for the country despite its well-deserved reputation as a sometimes dangerous and violent place was in tune with how I felt about the country (I was born in Guatemala and return there for research purposes in the summer, so I understand completely). Information about gang warfare is included and not meant to scare potential travelers, but rather to give a full panoramic view of the current situation. What I loved most about El Salvador was its people. Despite ongoing problems, just as in other Latin American countries, it was the warmth and resilience of the Salvadoran people that made my visit truly special. I'd like to see more restaurant options included in the next edition!

Persuasive and entertaining advice for the casual traveller.

This is one of the best travel guides I have ever read. Well laid out and so easy to follow around the countryside.

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