

THE NATIONAL PARKS: AMERICA'S BEST IDEA

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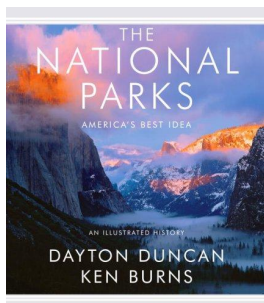
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Filmed over the course of more than 6 years, THE NATIONAL PARKS: AMERICA'S BEST IDEA chronicles the stories of people from a multitude of backgrounds - rich, poor, soldiers, scientists, known, and unknown - who were willing to devote themselves to saving some precious portion of the land they loved, and in doing so reminded their fellow citizens of the full meaning of democracy.

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