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**Gordon Stainforth : The Cuillin: Great Mountain Ridge of Skye** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Cuillin: Great Mountain Ridge of Skye:

2 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Stunningly beautiful book.By H. PichetteAfter spending many days up and down and in and around The Cuillins, I wanted to treat myself to a volume of photographs that do the range justice. It's an eerie but magical place. This book does it justice. You can tell the photogapher loves the area and is able to capture it's many moods and seasons. I can't imagine how he was able to do the climbs with his equipment under what must have been some terrible conditions.It's been out of print for several years and I've been unable to find a copy in good condition at a reasonable price. Mine was bought for \$70.00, which I think, is very fair for a book in such demand.(I've seen it sold at \$200.00.)The seller, Park Place Books, was very honest, and very pleasant to deal with. I'm VERY pleased with my purchase and the service. (The book was an anniversary gift for my husband who had just returned from a climbing trip there.) Thank you.

The Cuillin, on the Isle of Skye, form the finest single chain of mountains in Britain, rising straight out of the sea to a height of over 3000 feet, and presenting a landscape of light and rapidly changeable weather. This award-winning volume of photographs, taken by British photographer Gordon Stainforth, explores the savage beauty of this unique mountain region, and captures the essence of rock climbing and scrambling in the area.

"\* I can imagine the book glowing in the dark. The Cuillin is far more than a collection of brilliant photos. It is a coherent whole, a homage in images, poems and prose to the best mountain ridge in Britain. Gordon Stainforth has had the last word on the subject' - Jim Curran, High Magazine \* 'Gordon Stainforth's photographic tour de force... revealing him as something of a philosopher besides master landscape photographer' - Stephen Goodwin, Independent \* 'A masterpiece' - Alpine Journal

About the Author Gordon Stainforth is one of Britain's leading mountain photographers, and the author of several other books of mountain photography including the award-winning Eyes to the Hills.