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**Jerome Pohlen : Oddball Minnesota: A Guide to Some Really Strange Places (Oddball series)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Oddball Minnesota: A Guide to Some Really Strange Places (Oddball series):

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By ificouldonlyfly  
What I love about this book, is how helpful it is. Chapters are broken down by regions of Minnesota. Throughout the chapter, it lists quirky, interesting sights to see and a little write-up of each one. At the end of the chapter, it shows you a map, with the cities marked on there along with the tourist sight given in the book. So for example, on the map of Northeast MN, it'll show you exactly where International Falls is and under the town's name, tell you what is there of interest - Big Thermometer and Smokey the Bear statue. It's a quick fun read, but also one of the most helpful tourist books I've looked at to help me decide where to stop in MN. A lot of the books I've looked at, just list sights in no real particular order, or they group things in relation to each other (fish statues), but then you have to research yourself where everything is, and if it's even close to where you happen to be traveling. I highly recommend this book and am excited to get more of the Oddball series of books!  
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By Jeanne  
Lots of nice fodder for weekend trips if you live in Minnesota or nearby, but I found too much emphasis on tacky oversized fiberglass sculptures, just like the one pictured on the cover. Are we really that boring? Maybe. However, I think the average citizen will find enough of interest to justify the purchase.  
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By Becky  
Surprisingly, I found out from a friend that I'm named in this book! I'm mentioned as having built the "puny version" of a duck in Blackduck, MN. My claim to fame. For me this book has special meaning since it's the only book (that I know of!) in which I'm named.

Off-the-wall adventures throughout Minnesota

"This is not your parents' travel book, but in the new millennium, all guides will be written like this."  
About the Author  
Jerome Pohlen is the author of Oddball Illinois, Oddball Indiana, Oddball Wisconsin, and Oddball Colorado. He has researched 43 states for his Oddball travel series and is a regular travel commentator for 848 on WBEZ, the Chicago affiliate of National Public Radio. He lives in Chicago.