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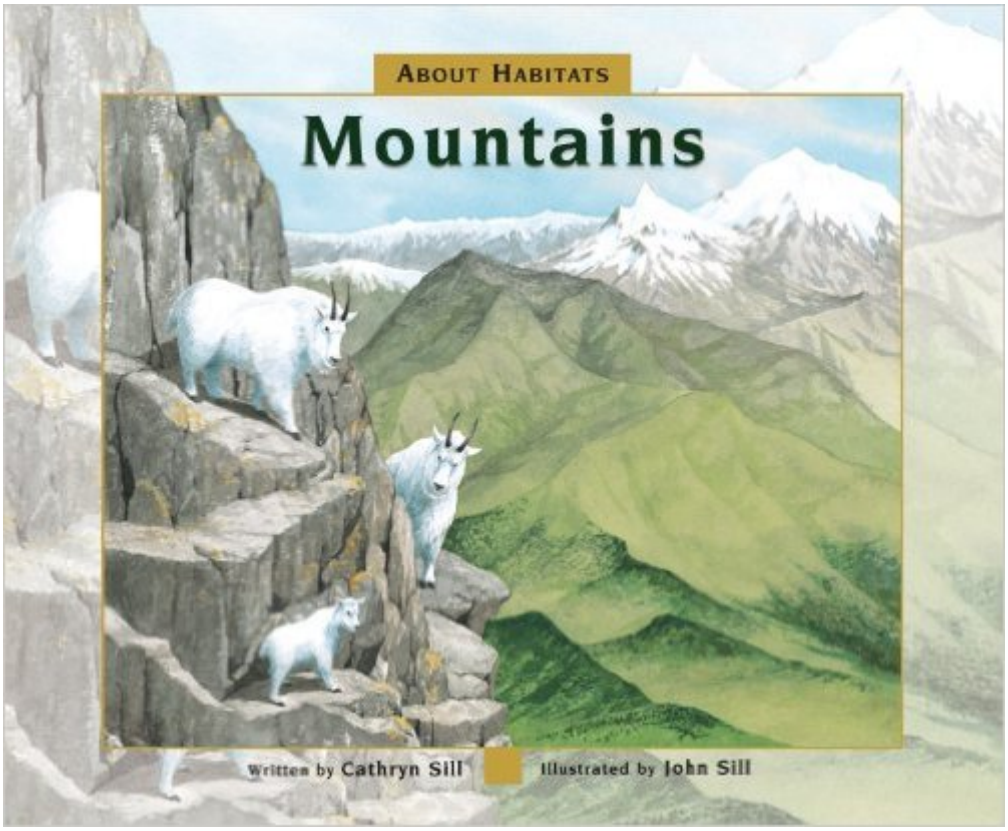

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Synopsis

Award-winning author Cathryn Sill and her husband, noted wildlife illustrator John Sill, offer readers a first glimpse into mountain habitats. In simple, easy-to-understand language, this guide teaches children what mountains are and what kinds of animals and plants live there. John Sill's superbly detailed full-color illustrations reflect the diversity of mountain landscapes-from the snow-covered peaks of the Himalaya Mountains in Asia to the forested slopes of the Appalachians in the United States. A wide variety of the plants and animals that live on mountains are also represented. A glossary and afterword provide readers with further fascinating details about mountains.

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Customer Reviews

I really liked the pictures; they were very well done, but I would have liked more text explaining mountains. Text was limited. There wasn't nearly enough information for my 3rd grade class. Still, the paintings are well done showing the types of animals and plants that live there. It's a good backup or supplemental book, but I wouldn't use it as my main instructional text.

We love this series of books. The words are simple, but the drawings are beautiful complex, and our son finds something new in successive readings. I'm thrilled to have such a nice ecology book for

our three-year-old.

One couldn’t find a better source for introductory information about a habitat than the Sills volumes. One gets the basic knowledge in a clear, concise way with beautiful illustrations and then more information in the back if desired.

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