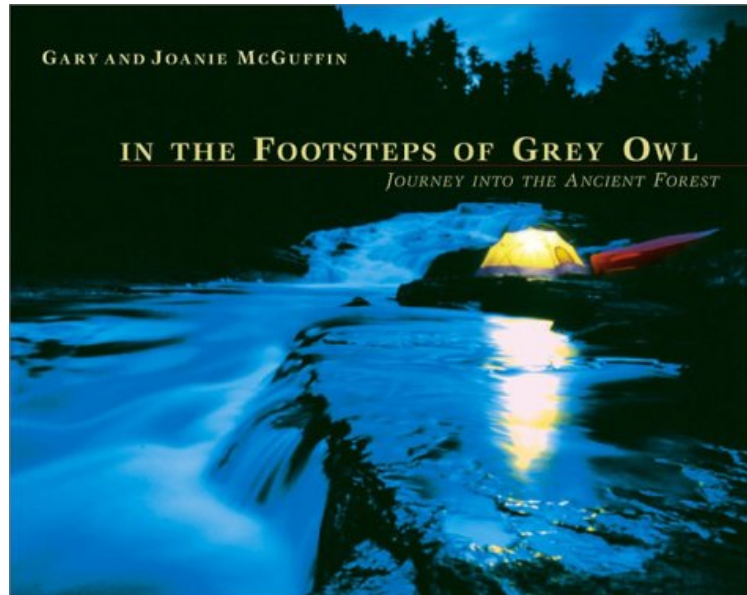



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Trail, scaled mountains in the Ecuadorian Andes, sea-kayaked Greenlands fjords, and cycled along Canadas most rugged northern trails. Their other books include *Superior: Journeys on an Inland Sea*, which won the 1996 Great Lakes Booksellers Award; *Paddle Your Own Canoe*; and the best-selling *Where Rivers Run*. Gary and Joanie live on the shores of Lake Superior in Goulais River, Ontario.