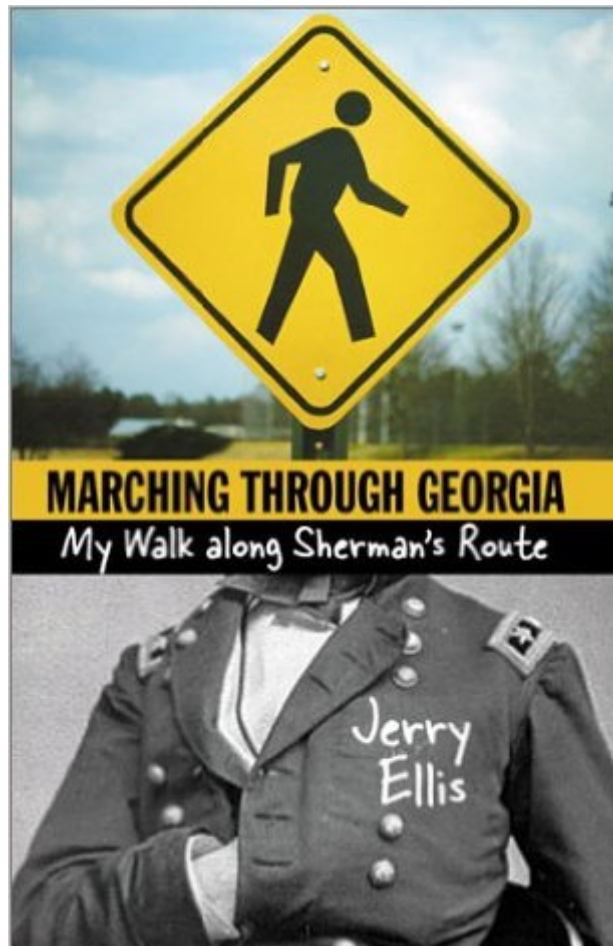


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# Marching Through Georgia: My Walk Along Sherman's Route



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In 1864 William Tecumseh Sherman made Civil War history with his infamous March to the Sea across Georgia. More than a century later, Jerry Ellis set out along the same route in search of the past and his southern and Cherokee heritage. On Ellis's trek by foot from Atlanta to Savannah, he confronts the contradictions and complexities of his native region as he reflects on his own. From Macon's fabled Goat Man to Arthur "Cowboy" Brown, the Savannah street musician, we meet a vibrant, unregimented people, all of whom, like Ellis, are looking for their place with one eye on the past and one on the present.

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Ellis retraces Sherman's march one conversation at a time. He interweaves Sherman's deconstruction of the Confederacy with Ellis's own childhood as a son of the South. The author frames these recollections through numerous very personal conversations with the many diverse people he encounters during his reunion of Sherman's path and his own past. While seemingly unambitious, the book is surprisingly memorable. One of the best travel books I've read.

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