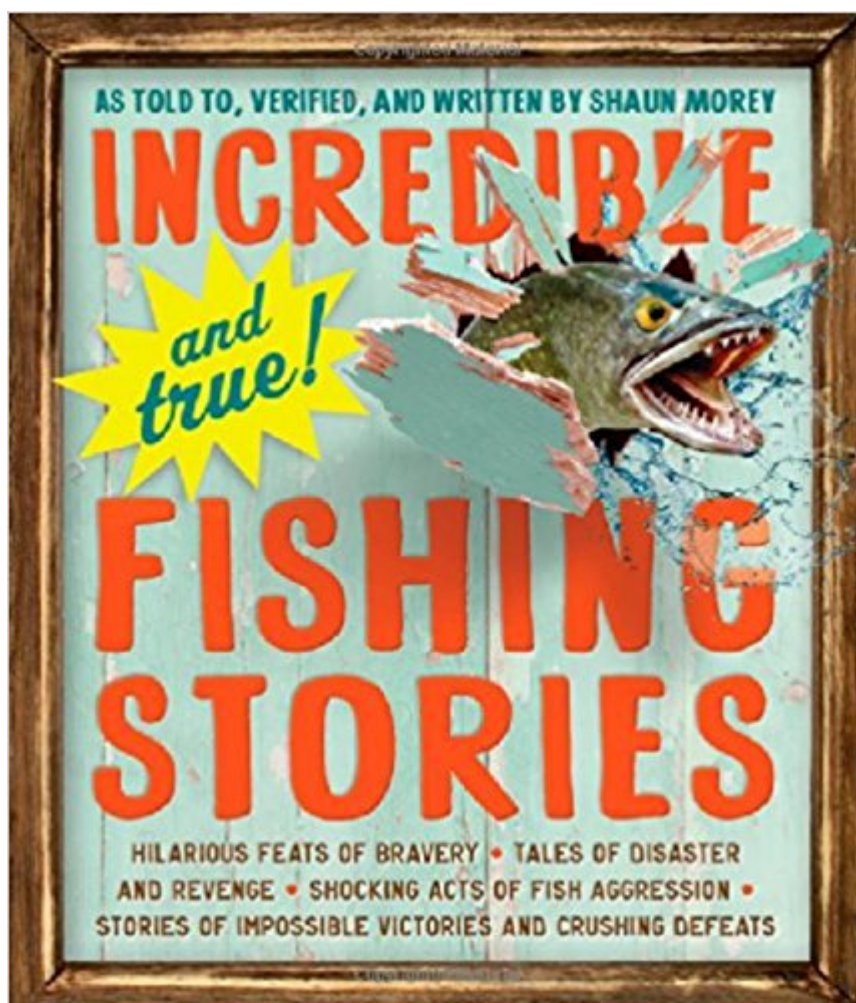




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Incredible--and True!--Fishing Stories



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What's almost as good as going fishing? Hearing, telling, and swapping great fish stories. Shaun Morey is a fisherman, a connoisseur of fish stories, and a journalist with a novelist's eye (and vice versa) in this collection of over 100 incredible (and true!) fishing stories. Here are Remarkable Catches—like the time Billy Sandifer caught a 1,000-pound tiger shark in the surf (he released it after nabbing a souvenir tooth). Grueling Battles—like Bob Ploeger's record-breaking 37-hour fight with a Pacific salmon. Hilarious Feats of Bravery, like the exploits of Matt Watson, who leapt out of a helicopter to land on the back of a marlin. And, in what can only be considered poetic justice, Shocking Acts of Fish Aggression, like Mitchell Lee Franklin's visit to the emergency room with a 5-pound catfish attached to his chest via an impaled dorsal fin. Includes illustrations, photos, and links to videos on the author's website.

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Shaun Morey started fishing at the age of two. Today his passion for the sport is shared with his son, Connor, the catalyst for the author's second book, *Kid's Incredible Fishing Stories*. When he's not casting jigs with his son, the author can be found exploring vast stretches of beach in Baja California with his famous crab-catching fishing dog, Panga.

I bought this book because I just like reading about fishing along with fishing. It's a lot of short stories about bazaar fishing experiences that most of us will never have and in some cases, never

want to have. It is not written with same same skill and intent as John Gierach's or Nick Lyon's essays, but that wasn't it's goal. These are short recounts of professed 'true accounts'. The author claims they are verified and I have no reason to doubt him. You will find them astonishing in some cases and it just goes to show: if you do something long enough, some bazaar S*** can happen. I held back one star because I prefer the former referenced authors and that style of writing and I wouldn't want a steady diet of these stories. It's a book that will beg you to retell the stories to your fishing friends and even loan them the book so they will know you are not making this stuff up. You know, just so you can preserve your reputation as a truth teller with your fishing buddies.

This was a gift for my 9 y/o son and it has been read and re-read in just a couple months, my 11 y/o also enjoys reading the stories.

I was really hoping for diverse stories from regular fishermen in a multitude of different fishing situations. The book relies heavily on interviews with charter captains and their clients. I enjoyed the book, it's an easy read too, but longed for more depth.

great book. bought it for my brother & got really into perusing through it & couldn't put it down . So interesting & enjoyed all the real life experiences pictures. I did give it to my Bro for his birthday but was kind of hoping he wouldn't like it & would give it back. no such luck.

Book very interesting for teen aged boy.

Great gift for my grandson he was riveted stopped opening his other christmas presents to start reading well done1

VERY quick read. Interesting stories. Good gift for a fisherman. They'll want to pass it on to a friend after reading it. Certainly not something to make a permanent part of your library.

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