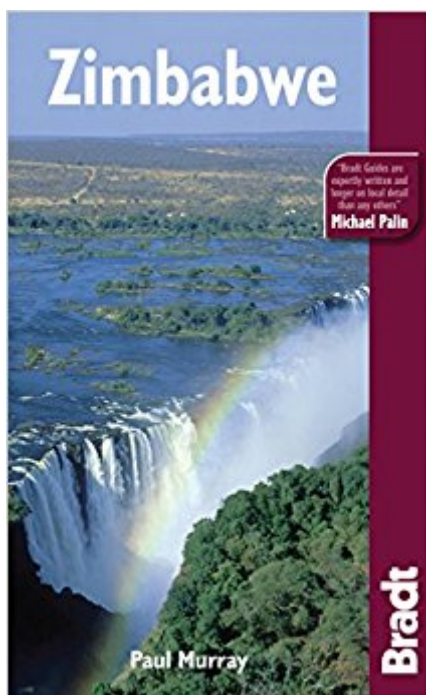


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'Paul Murray has shown real dedication to the country and its people by carrying out research for this guide whilst the political situation was still fragile, and I praise Bradt its continuing commitment to covering destinations that have suffered, and for which tourist revenue is a vital means of recovery. It is my sincere wish that this book will assist in Zimbabwe's regeneration.' From the foreword by Sir Ranulph Fiennes OBE, Explorer 'Paul Murray has done the hard miles on the road to make sure that this guide is the most comprehensive and up-to-date'. SA 4x4 Magazine 'Zimbabwe by Paul Murray is the best guidebook.' The Daily Telegraph

Paul Murray fell in love with Zimbabwe 20 years ago. He spends most of the year touring the

country and also works as a manager at a safari camp.

I especially appreciated the personal note about the safety level of the country in the introduction to the book. We were there two weeks before the last election as tourists and felt completely safe. There was no danger. Unfortunately the major tourist sites are suffering because of lack of tourists in the country.

Guide did a nice job of summarizing history, politics and attractions from a true insider's viewpoint. The country is in better shape in 2013 than when this was published in 2010. Currency exchange is no longer an issue. Couldn't find any more recent guide.

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