

“A Must-Read for Anyone Planning to Build a Log Home”

“A great resource! There aren’t a lot of books that focus on the nuts and bolts of log home construction. Fewer still that focus on the energy efficiency possibilities. Rex and LaVonne’s book tackles them both and does it well. It’s broad enough to give you an accurate perspective on the entire process and detailed enough to serve as a manual during construction. **This book should be at the top of your list for any log construction project.**”

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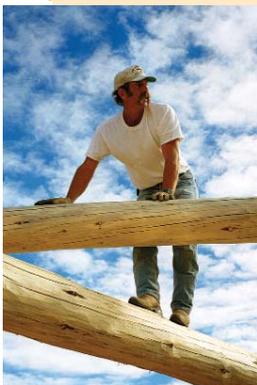
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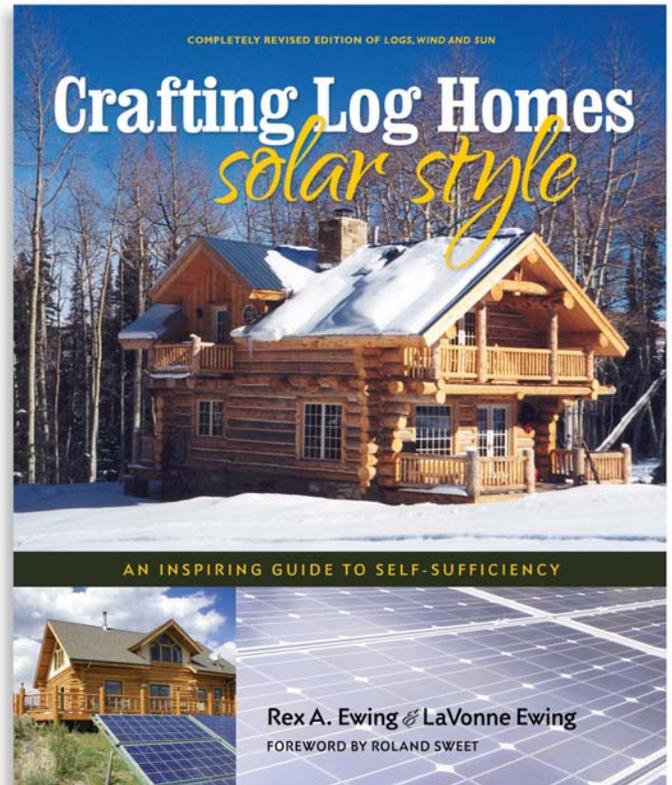
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“An outstanding book! It is very informative about log-building basics and will easily be understood by the homeowner. Of the 120 books in our bookstore, ***Crafting Log Homes Solar Style* will be at the top of our must-read-before-building list.** If you’re planning to build a log home, read this book first!”

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