

Moving West Maps



This map shows how travelers from the northeastern United States used the current US 30 from Philadelphia to Chambersburg, then took the Great Valley Road (US Highway 11 and Interstate 81) along the Shenandoah Valley until they reached Roanoke, Virginia. At Roanoke, they took the Wilderness Road to Kentucky. This image is courtesy of the National Park Service.

Appalachian Mountains

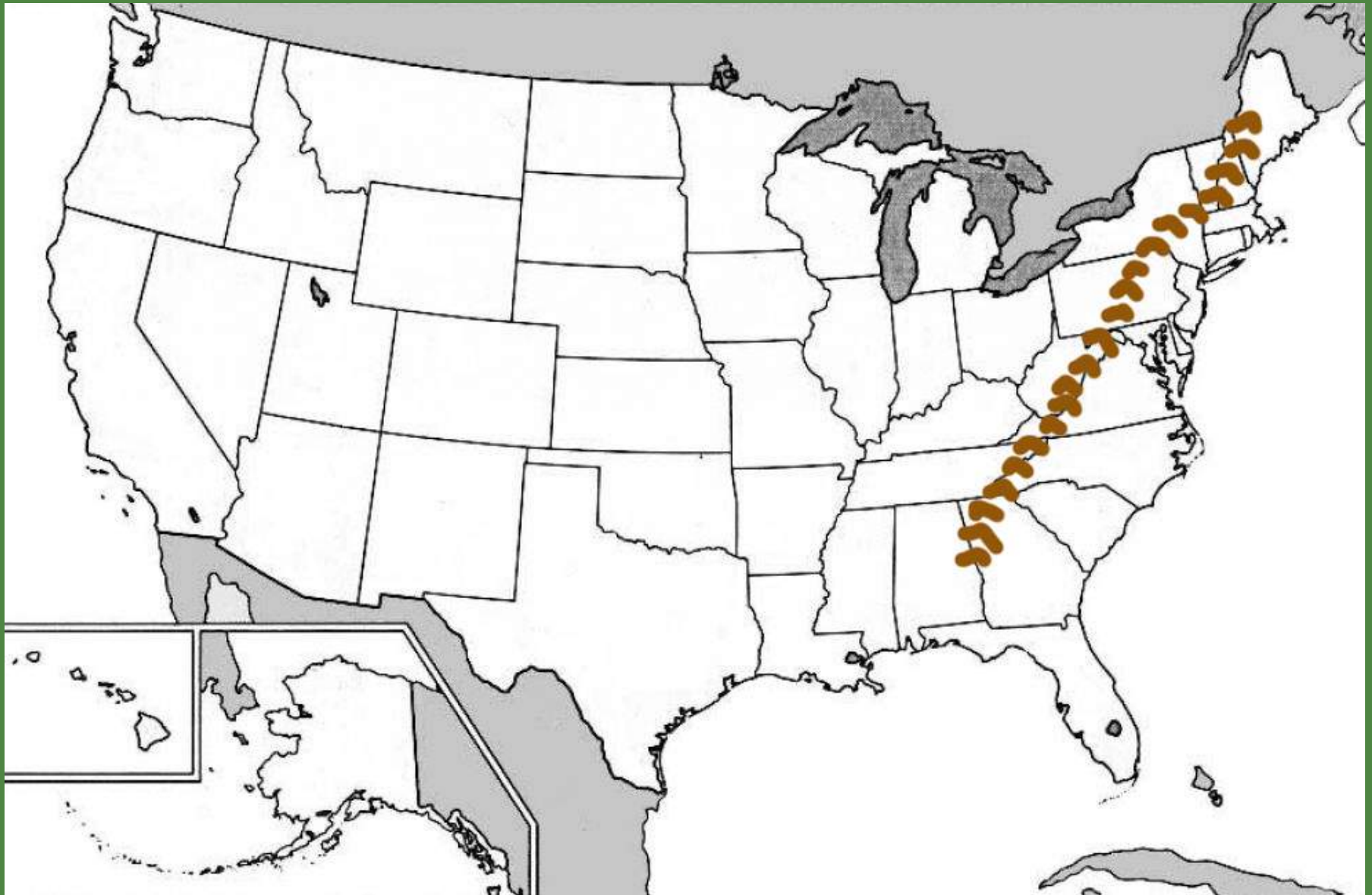
Find the Appalachian Mountains on this map of what is now the United States.



This map shows the present boundaries of the states. The image is courtesy of imageck.com.

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This map shows the fine artwork of Mr. Housch in placing brown lines in the approximate area where the Appalachian Mountains are located. The image is courtesy of imageck.com.

Cumberland Gap

Find the Cumberland Gap on this map of the current United States.



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Cumberland Gap is now marked by a red dot and the words "Cumberland Gap." Cumberland Gap is located in a "gap" in the Appalachian Mountains where the states of Kentucky, Tennessee, and Virginia meet. This image is courtesy of the University of Texas.

Wilderness Road

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The Wilderness Road is now a red line from the approximate location of Roanoke, Virginia, through the Cumberland Gap, to Lexington, Kentucky. This image is courtesy of the University of Texas.

National Road

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The National Road is now a red line from the approximate locations of Cumberland, Maryland, to Vandalia, Illinois. This image is courtesy of the University of Texas.

Hudson River

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The approximate location of the Hudson River is now colored blue. This image is courtesy of the University of Texas.

New York City

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New York City

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Albany, New York

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Albany, New York

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Lake Erie

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Buffalo, New York

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Buffalo, New York

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Erie Canal

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The approximate location of the Hudson River is now colored blue. New York City is marked with a red dot and the words "New York City." Albany is marked with a red dot and the word "Albany." Buffalo is marked by a red dot and the word "Buffalo." Lake Erie is colored blue. The Erie Canal is the red line connecting Albany to Buffalo. This image is courtesy of the University of Texas.