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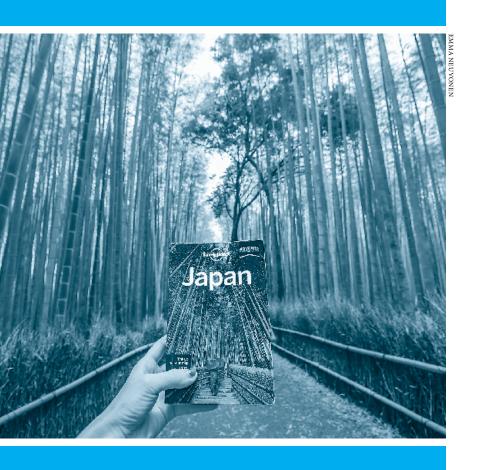
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- C Taoist
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Eating

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Entertainment

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Shopping

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Cliff - Wall

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Dry/Salt/Intermittent Lake Reef

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Cemetery (Other)

Glacier

Mudflat

Park/Forest

Sight (Building)

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