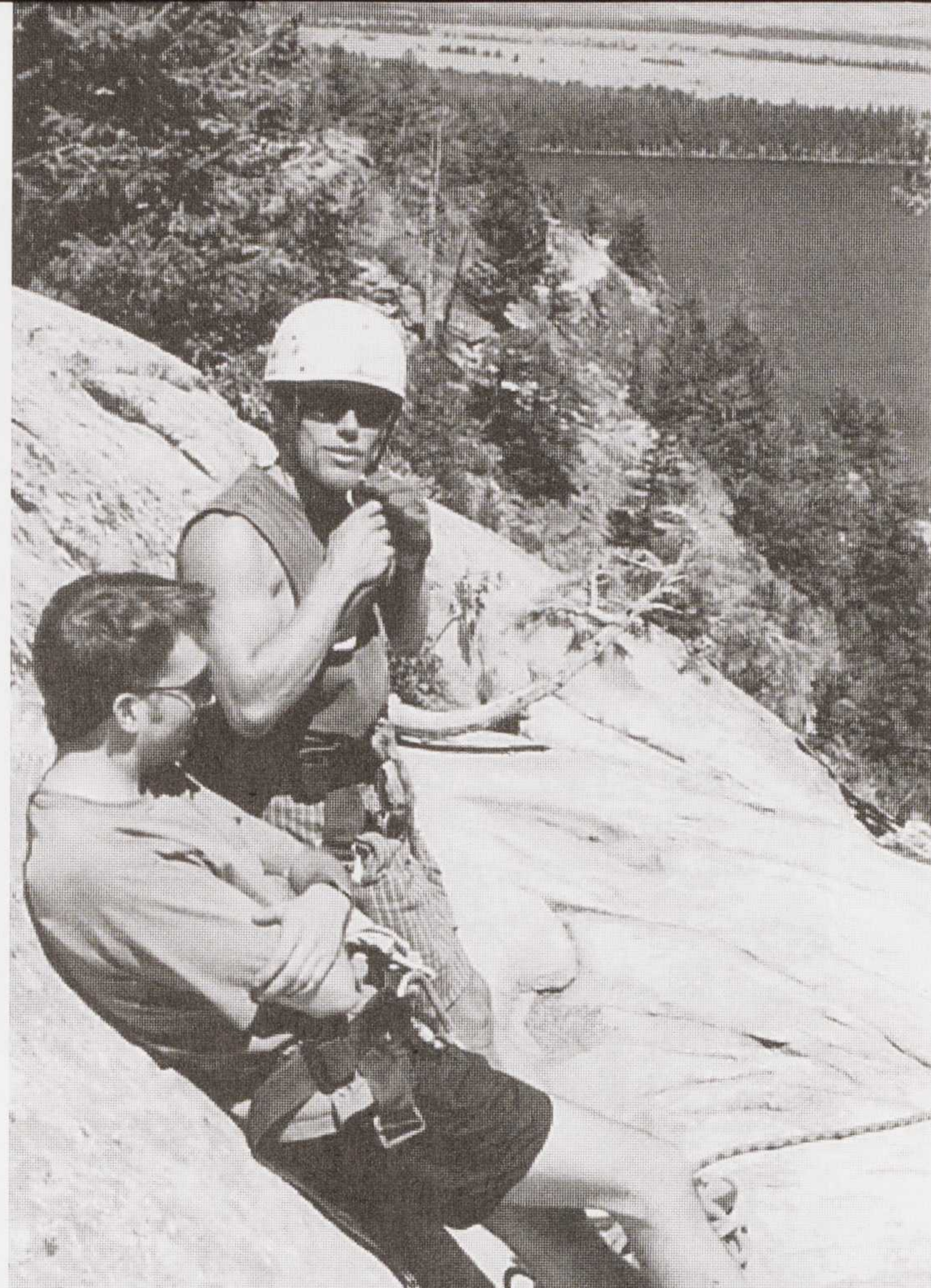
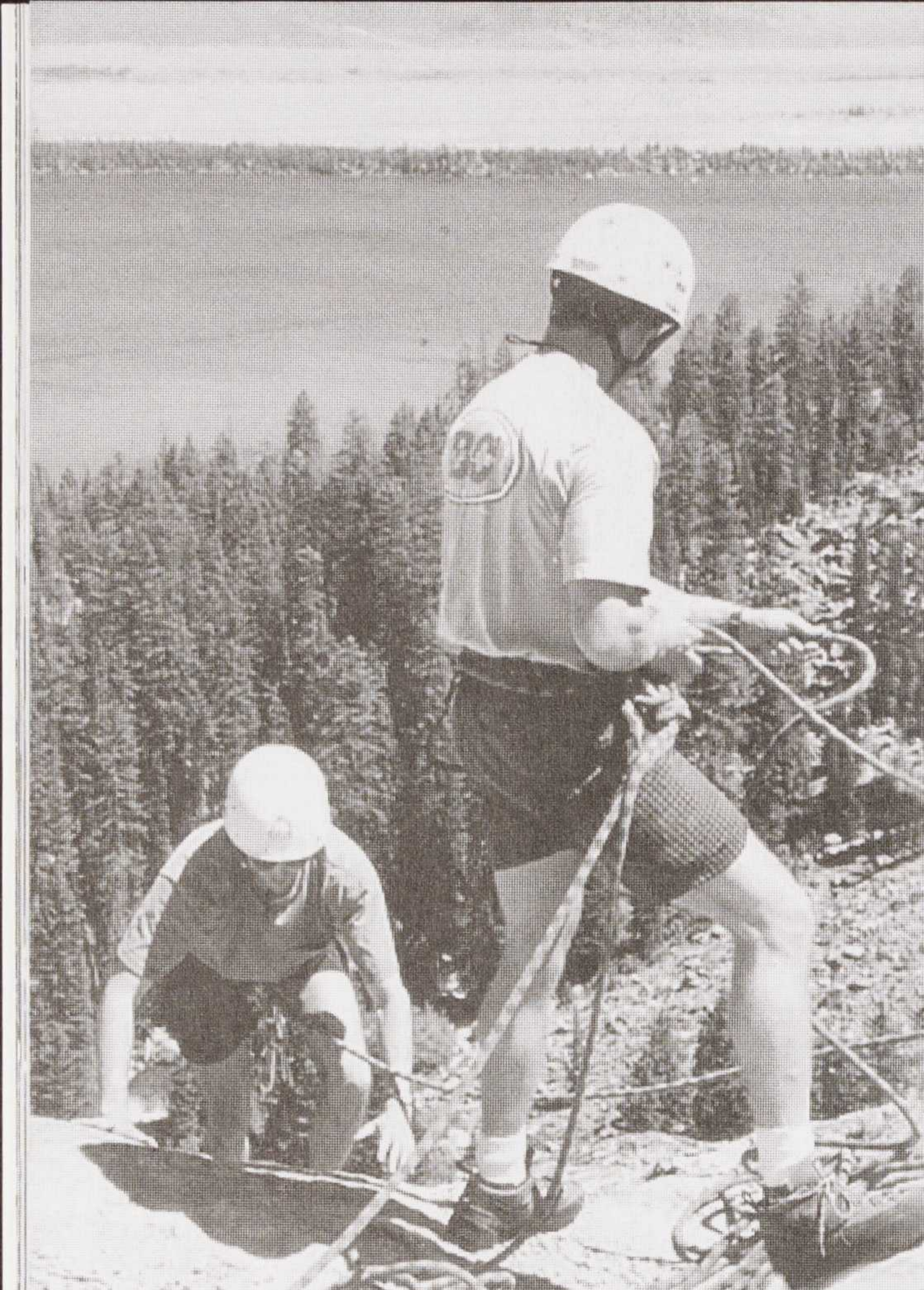




The Grand

Climb America's grandest peak

Get ready for the most exhilarating day of your life!

7 days, \$1395. (Single supplement: \$300)

Based in Jackson Hole, Wyoming

July 26 to Aug. 2, 1998

Price includes:

- Accommodations (until our night on the mountain) in deluxe 2- and 3-bedroom condominiums with living room and full kitchen;
- Breakfast supplies in condo every day;
- Lunch on 4 days; 5 dinners;
- Use of equipment;
- 2 days of climbing instruction and practice;
- A hiking day, and a free day to explore Jackson Hole or Yellowstone;
- 2-day ascent of the Grand Teton (or other selected climb).

Not included:

- Airfare;
 - 2 lunches and 2 dinners;
- (You will also need to supply suitable clothing, backpack, and climbing shoes, which can easily be rented in Jackson.)

Since the dawn of history, humans have stood in awe of the Teton range. Those who have seen it agree that the Grand Teton is our nation's most dramatic peak, rising over a mile from the valley below. We'll have three days of climbing instruction and hiking, with lots of hands-on practice, followed by a free day on which you can hike, swim, visit Yellowstone, or enjoy Jackson Hole's myriad other activities. Then we head up the mountain. Get ready for the most exhilarating day of your life!

- ★ Learn knots, rope work, safe climbing technique, and rappelling from expert instructors.
- ★ Cool off in the crystal waters of Jenny Lake.
- ★ Hike through rugged forest, then a valley strewn with boulders the size of log cabins, on our way to base camp.
- ★ High ratio of 1 experienced local guide for each 4 or 5 climbers.
- ★ Stand at the 13,770-foot peak known as the American Matterhorn.

"The interplay of everyone's personality, the climbing instructors' good looks, and the challenge that awaited us created a magical week in the Rockies!"

Greg Barbutti, Austin, Tex., on The Grand

Is this the right trip for you? No prior climbing experience is needed, but you should be in good aerobic condition. We will be led by experienced local guides; nonetheless, mountaineering of any sort involves inherent and unpredictable risks. Occasionally our guides may feel someone should not attempt the Grand; in such cases, we'll substitute another climb for that participant.

