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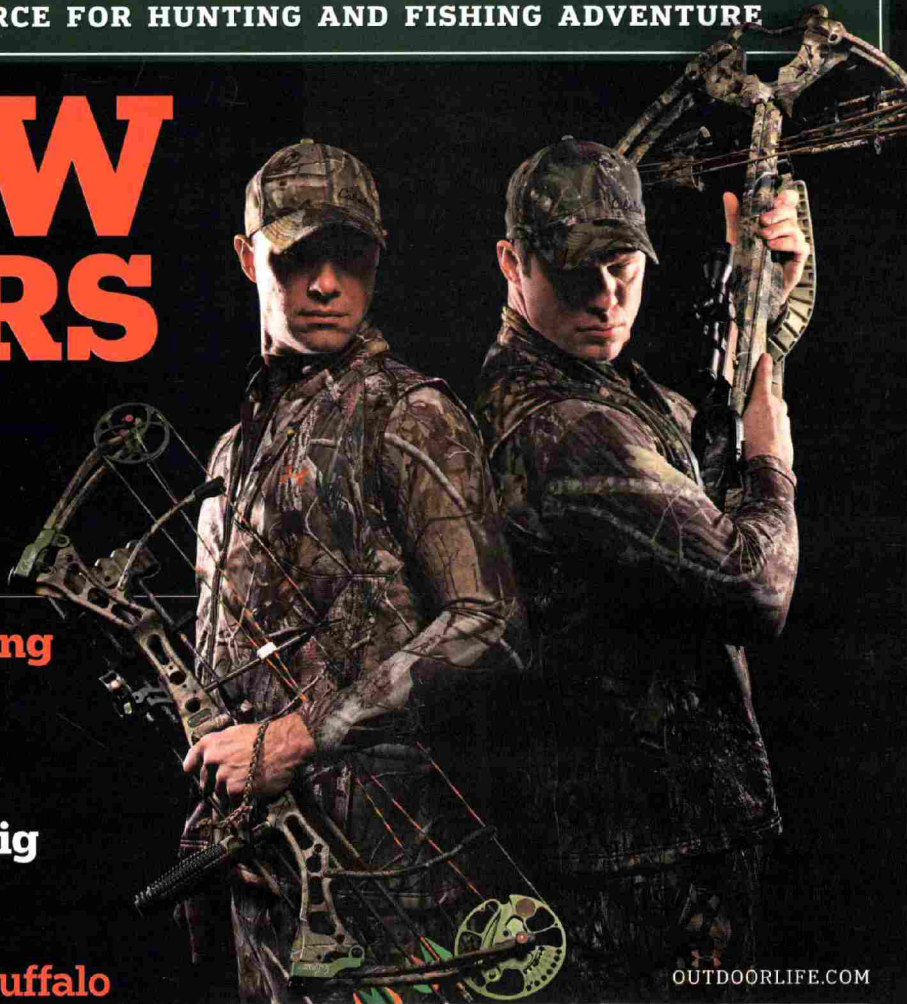
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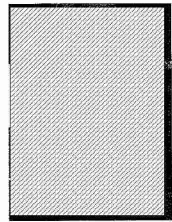
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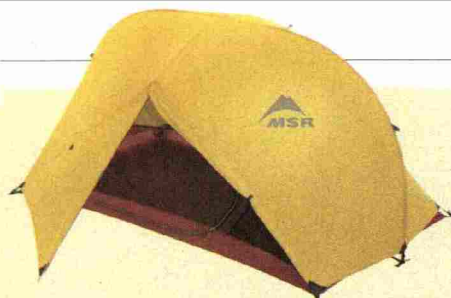
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The Light Stuff

It's the camping season. And now that you know where to go, here's what you need to stay comfortable on all your summer fishing treks



✦ **3-Season Tent** The carbon-fiber poles and unique design make MSR's Carbon Reflex 2 tent one of the lightest and sturdiest models on the market. (\$500; msr.com)



✦ **Ultra-Light Bag** The Hydrogen sleeping bag from Marmot weighs only 1 pound, and can be scrunched down to nearly nothing. Need we say more? (\$300; marmot.com)



✦ **Waterproof Hikers** Check out the Gore-Tex-lined Renegade boots from Lowa. They're comfortable, waterproof and as tough as the rocks you'll be scrambling over. (\$150; lowaboost.com)



✦ **Mid-Size Pack** Osprey's Exos 46 is ultra-comfy, thanks to its AirSpeed suspension. It holds up to 30 pounds but somehow still feels lightweight. (\$180; ospreypacks.com)