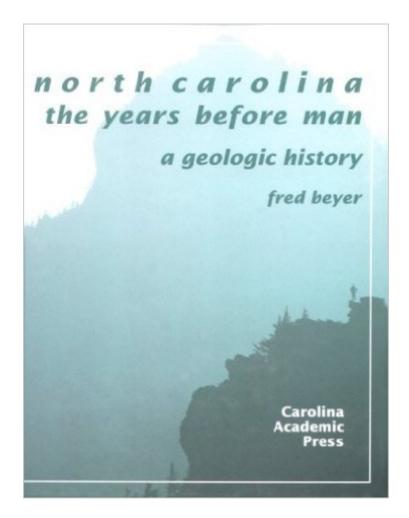
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# North Carolina: The Years Before Man : A Geologic History





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