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Palm Beach: The Essential Guide to America's Legendary Resort Town By Rick Rose

Globe Pequot \$19.99

Browse the exclusive boutiques of Worth Avenue with author and local aficionado Rick Rose. Peak inside the exclusive Breakers Palm Beach, where American aristocracy has enjoyed sophisticated, tropical elegance since the Gilded Age. Explore, indulge, and relax in this celebrated tropical paradise. This illustrated guide offers in-the-know advice to make the most of a Palm Beach visit. Historic sites and architectural landmarks

include Henry Morrison Flagler's Whitehall, President Trump's Mar-a-Lago estate, and the art deco House of the Future featured at the 1939 World's Fair. Arts, cultural, and sporting events, from the Kravis Center for the Performing Arts to the Winter Equestrian Festival, keep guests entertained throughout the season. Enjoy the outdoors with a bicycle ride along the Lake Trail or an airboat tour in the everglades. Meet the wildlife at Manatee Lagoon, Lion Country Safari, and Loggerhead Marinelife Center.



Palm Beach: A Complete Guide to the Island

By Pamela Acheson Myers Twomoose Press \$14.95

The island of Palm Beach is known as a winter retreat for the wealthy and the famous, but all year round it is a town full of wonderfully fun things to do and see, from shopping along legendary Worth Avenue to hitting the beautiful beaches, from riding a bike to searching for the best espresso martini, from joining a spooky ghost walk to relaxing in a stunning sculpture garden. *Palm Beach: A Complete Guide to the Island* covers all this and more. Written by a local author, the book offers everything you need to know

to have fun and enjoy this famous and exclusive island. You will find out about wonderful restaurants, bars, shops, beaches, sports, art galleries, happy hours, museums, activities, historical sights, spas, and more. There are also seven walks designed to help you fully explore the island. Whether you want to walk the island, enjoy a leisurely brunch, paddle board with your dog, shop until you drop, wander through art galleries, relax with a massage, or dine under the stars, this book is for you. Note: This book is only on the island of Palm Beach. West Palm Beach is not included.



A Year in Palm Beach: Life in an Alternate Universe

By Pamela Acheson Myers and Richard B. Myers

Two Thousand Three Associates \$26.95

This book is an adventure, a memoir, a love story, and a coming-of-age book for baby boomers. On a whim, the authors move to Palm Beach for one year. What begins as a playful adventure turns into a life-changing event. This wise book shows it is not the stuff we have but how we live our life that is important. In the style of Peter Mayle's A Year in

Provence and Frances Mayes' Under the Tuscan Sun, this book shows that sometimes a move to a new location can also mean a move to a new and better place in your life. As the authors' year unfolds, they also provide a finely-painted portrait of Palm Beach, from the mega yachts, mansions, and millionaires to laws that forbid dogs from barking or dictate the height of one's lawn. The authors swap stories with Jimmy Buffett, kick soccer balls with Rod Stewart, and have cocktails with monkeys on a yacht. This remarkable book gives readers the chance to live a fun, adventure-filled year in Palm Beach and to see how one couple came to find out what was most important to them and how they wanted to live the rest of their life.



Adventures with Old Vines: A Beginner's Guide to Being a Wine Connoisseur By Richard L. Chilton Jr.

Rowman & Littlefield \$24.95

Adventures with Old Vines offers an engaging and knowledgeable guide to demystify wine for novice enthusiasts. Richard Chilton provides detailed information about buying and storing wine, how to read a wine list, the role of the sommelier, wine fraud, how wine is

really made, and how weather patterns can influence the quality of a vintage. A vineyard owner and lifelong wine lover, the author encourages readers to discover wine by tasting, taking notes, and tasting again. The book also includes a richly illustrated, full-color reference section on a select group of vineyards from all over the world, describing their history, winemaking philosophy, terroir, and top vintages—what Chilton calls benchmark wines. The characteristics of these memorable wines provide the essential starting point to understand what to look for when evaluating any wine. Equipped with this easy-to-read reference, readers will have all the tools they need to begin their own wine journey.

Osteria: 1,000 Generous and Simple Recipes from Italy's Best Local Restaurants; Hardcover; By Slow Food Editore



Rizzoli \$45.00 This celebration of the simple, hospitable cooking of Italy's small regional restaurants is unmatched in both authenticity and scope. Slow Food, the international defender of local

unmatched in both authenticity and scope. Slow Food, the international defender of local food traditions, scoured the countryside of every region of Italy to collect and share the best traditional recipes from osterie, the humble local taverns that preserve the heritage

of true Italian cooking. This cookbook is the culmination of that research--1,000 compelling recipes that highlight ingenuity with rustic ingredients and the generous hospitality of these off-the-beaten-track gems where we all dream of dining. Within the book, these homegrown chefs share their knowledge of local ingredients worth searching out, cooking techniques that vary from region to region (and even from town to town), and charming culinary customs. From cornmeal pizza with chicory and zucchini parmesan to pork ribs with cabbage and mushrooms, this is eminently cookable Italian food, perfect for everyday family meals and feasts alike. Each recipe is labeled with its region of origin, and indexes by both region and principal ingredient are provided. Osteria is an essential resource for every cook (and armchair traveler) who wants the secrets of Italian cooking straight from the source.

Food in Vogue



By Vogue Editors Abrams \$75.00

Food in Vogue collects the most striking, mouthwatering food photography and finest food writing from one of the most respected magazines in the world. Combining legendary essays by longtime *Vogue* food critic Jeffrey Steingarten, as well as contributions from

rising food writers such as Tamar Adler and Oliver Strand, with original behind-the-scenes interviews, the book pairs portraits of world-renowned or rising chefs along with iconic food photography, much of it shot by Irving Penn and conceived by editor Phyllis Posnick. *Food in Vogue* examines how Vogue's relationship with and treatment of food has changed in its pages through lavish and challenging food photographs, and its career-defining interviews with the world's hottest chefs. *Food in Vogue* is more than a book about food. It's a book about trends, fashion, and culture, told through the world's common language.



Kitchen Creativity: Unlocking Culinary Genius with Wisdom, Inspiration, and Ideas from the World's Most Creative Chefs

By Karen Page Hachette \$40.00

In this groundbreaking exploration of culinary genius, the authors of *The Flavor Bible* reveal the surprising strategies great chefs use to do what they do best. Beyond a

cookbook, *Kitchen Creativity* is a paradigm-shifting guide to inventive cooking (without recipes!) that will inspire you to think, improvise, and cook like the world's best chefs. Great cooking is as much about intuition and imagination as it is about flavor and technique. *Kitchen Creativity* distills brilliant insights into these creative processes from more than 100 top restaurant kitchens, including the Bazaar, Blue Hill, Daniel, Dirt Candy, Eleven Madison Park and the NoMad, Gramercy Tavern, the Inn at Little Washington, Le Bernardin, Oleana, Rustic Canyon, Saison, Single Thread, and Topolobampo.



Cuba: 101 Beautiful and Nostalgic Places to Visit

By Michael Connors and Jorge A. Laserna, Photographer Rizzoli \$50.00

At a time when more travelers are discovering or rediscovering Cuba, this book is an in-depth exploration of 101 of the most authentic and compelling sites that reveal the real Cuba. Caribbean antiques expert, art historian, and adventurer Michael Connors

presents the breadth of this island's most intriguing destinations and architectural treasures. The book features iconic places such as the tobacco plantations in Pinar del Río, the fortresses and palacios, Hemingway's home outside of Havana, Xanadu (the DuPont mansion), the old French Triolet Pharmacy in Matanzas, and the Sugar Mill Valley in Sancti Spíritus. The lush photographs were shot exclusively for this book, bringing each location and treasure alive. It is a traveler's mantra these days: see Cuba before it loses its 1950s nostalgia and turns into a tourist trap.



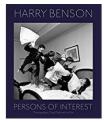
New York Living: Re-Inventing Home

By Paul Gunther, Gay Giordano and Charles Davey, Foreword by Adele Chatfield-Taylor, photographed by Mick Hales

Rizzoli \$60.00

What does a home look like in twenty-first-century New York? While the city's name alone brings to mind very specific ideas—the Fifth Avenue penthouse, with its elegant moldings and crystal chandeliers; the SoHo loft, with its bright spaces and air of

bohemian ease; the Brooklyn brownstone, with its fireplaces, parquet floors, and lush backyards—the truth is, New York today is much more than this, and the potential for variety in ways of living is, now more than ever, virtually limitless. As a result, in the twenty-first century, the combined design professions enjoy an unprecedented menu of prospective solutions, whether based upon respect for a classically inflected New York past, an emphatic denial of such a tradition, or, most often, some hybrid response that often yields the best innovation possible.



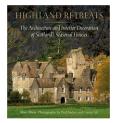
Harry Benson: Persons of Interest

By Harry Benson

Powerhouse Books \$85.00

With decades spent deliberately being in just the right place at just the right time, Benson's photographs and writings of his encounters and adventures are sure to be of broad interest to photography afficionados, history lovers, and people young and old. With subjects ranging from Queen Elizabeth to Amy Winehouse, from Frank

Sinatra to Brad Pitt, from Greta Garbo to Kate Moss, from Winston Churchill to Hilary Clinton and Donald Trump, Benson explores and delights our public fascination with his images of the lives of the rich, powerful, and famous.



Highland Retreats

By Mary Miers

Rizzoli \$65.00

Featuring breathtaking photographs of some of Scotland's most remarkable and little-known houses, this book tells the story of how incomers adopted the North of Scotland as a recreational paradise and left an astonishing legacy of architecture and decoration inspired by the romanticized image of the Highlands. Known as shooting

lodges because they were designed principally to accommodate the parties of guests that flocked north for the annual sporting season, these houses range from Picturesque *cottages ornées* and Scotch Baronial castles to Arts and Crafts mansions and modern eco-lodges. While their designs respond to some of Britain's wildest and most stirring landscapes, inside many were equipped with the latest domestic technology and boasted opulent decoration and furnishings from the smartest London and Parisian firms. A good number survive little altered in their original state, and some are still owned by descendants of the families that built them.



Big Words for Little Geniuses

By Susan and James Patterson Little, Brown \$17.99

There's no "gobbledygook" in this clever, *New York Times* bestselling picture book by James and Susan Patterson, with each letter of the alphabet providing a sophisticated word and definition for "Lilliputian" children to learn. Adults will appreciate the "juxtaposition" of young kids properly using impressive words that many grownups may not have heard of before! Includes a list of extra words in

the back for further learning. Delightfully whimsical artwork by artist Hsinping Pan brings these big words to life, making this early foray into learning fun for all.

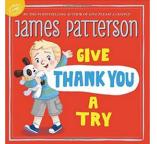
Give Please a Chance



By James Patterson and Bill O'Reilly Little, Brown \$17.99

In this inspired collaboration, bestselling authors Bill O'Reilly and James Patterson remind us all that a single word--"Please?"--is useful in a thousand different ways. From finding a lovable stray dog to needing a partner on a seesaw, from reading a bedtime story to really, really needing a cookie, *Give Please a Chance* depicts scenes and situations in which one small word can move mountains. With a vivid

array of illustrations by seventeen different artists, this charming, helpful book is a fun and memorable way for children to learn the magic power of one simple word: *please*.



Give Thank You a Try

By James Patterson Little, Brown \$17.99

In *Give Please a Chance*, bestselling author James Patterson showed little ones the magic of the word "please." In his second picture book, he takes young readers on a delightful search for kindness and appreciation in everyday life. Sweetly illustrated scenes from a variety of artists show children saying "thank you" for simple gifts like tickles, ice cream, and Mommy and Daddy's love, reminding us of all we have to be grateful for.

Penguins of America By James Patterson and Jack Patterson



Little, Brown \$20.00

Penguins--our lovable, cute, flightless friends who are constantly dressed for a formal occasion--have always fascinated humans. As we shuffle through life one day at a time, it's easy to take things far too seriously, but when we see penguins taking a walk in our shoes it's impossible not to recognize how silly we can actually be. Featuring humorous illustrations with captions that show penguins in the day-to-day situations that we've all experienced--from a relaxing day at the beach to a stressful morning commute--PENGUINS OF

AMERICA is a hilarious and charming send-up of daily life.



The Sleeping Beauty

By the New York City Ballet, Illustrated by Valeria Docampo Simon & Schuster \$17.99

In this stunning follow-up to the bestselling holiday classic *The Nutcracker*, The New York City Ballet presents another timeless tale for a modern ballet lover with *The Sleeping Beauty*. The New York City Ballet presents classic stories of the ballet with their trademark stylish, modern sensibility. This lavishly illustrated book follows the storyline, choreography, costumes, and sets of the New York City Ballet's production of *The Sleeping Beauty*. With beautiful art illustrated by Valeria Docampo, this magnificent retelling is a

perfect gift for an aspiring ballerina or any family who wants to add this enchanting fairy tale classic to their library.