



250 True Italian Pasta Dishes

With the right recipes and techniques, you can make pasta in your own kitchen that will outshine that produced in almost any restaurant. This book will provide you with all the inspiration and skills you'll need to create a wide array of mouthwatering dishes, using both fresh and dried pasta and ranging from festive to everyday. Most are very easy to make and can be on the table in about 45 minutes, from prep to plate. Some are more complex and time-consuming, making them perfect for special occasions. Pasta is an affordable pleasure, which with the help of this book, you'll enjoy making time and again because the results are so delicious and satisfying.

Create delicious regional Italian cooking in your kitchen with these dishes: Linguine with Lemon and Mint, Penne with Salmon and Leeks, Spaghetti alla Vesuviana, Orecchiette with Chicken Breast and Rosemary, Fettuccine with Radicchio, Tortellini with Sun-Dried Tomato and Walnut Pesto, Ravioli with Zucchini, Baked Cannelloni with Beef Ragù, Rigatoni with Turkey, Zucchini and Tomatoes, Linguine with Clams, Gnocchi with Butternut Squash and Sage, Fusilli Pudding with Ricotta and Honey, Fresh Chocolate Pasta Dough

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A pasta glossary features over 50 pasta shapes with accompanying photos



- Includes a chapter on how to make fresh pasta for saucing, baking, filling and dessert.
- Features recipes for everything from baked and filled pasta, seafood, meat, poultry, gnocchi, polenta, crespelle, salads, pasta for kids and even leftovers and desserts.

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Easy & Authentic Recipes
Inspired by Quartino Ristorante
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