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Luxury Hotels Best Of Europe Volume 2



Synopsis

This new edition takes us across Europe, exploring the finest hotels the continent has to offer. From Paris to London, Rome to Majorca, these accommodations have exceptional standards and unique, personalized charm. Their styles range from classically elegant to the cutting edge in contemporary design. Whichever you may prefer, you can be certain these lodgings will offer you every possible indulgence, not to mention the most attentive service and exquisite dining options you can hope to receive. With this comprehensive reference, you'll have no excuse not to see the best of Europe from locations as diverse as the French coastline or the streets of your favorite metropolis.

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Customer Reviews

"Luxury Hotels Best of Europe" is a truly beautiful coffee table sized book that is filled with gorgeous photos taken in some of the best hotels in Europe. While I have traveled in Europe as a business executive and have stayed in some very "fancy" hotels, none of them come close to ones showcased in this collection. The author has taken a minimalist approach with his text and has let the excellent photos do the talking. Each of the roughly 50 hotels featured has a very short write up highlighting interesting facts and history of the establishment (in English, French, and German), followed by several pages of photos that work fantastically well to convey why the hotel was included among the "Best of Europe". I very much enjoyed this book! Highly

Recommended! CFH Note: I was provided a review copy of this book by the publisher, but the in no way influences my rating or comments.

You will see baroque and traditional styles competing with ultra modern interiors and exteriors. This should appeal to a variety of tastes. I personally love the baroque and rococo and secondarily elegant modern. While there are pages with large single photos, there are just as many with 2 smaller ones. Four or more photos per hotel would have conveyed a lot more impressions. I have been in many European hotels that would be better examples of both the luxury of the past and innovative modern design. So the book cannot be said to be the ultimate exemplar. But seeing rooms that the public is generally excluded from was enlightening. It may be that the rich prefer this decor and so the book realistically depicts the current standards. If you have an interest in an even greater number of styles, I found *Luxury Hotels Top of the World* included some of the same hotels and photos. But it also showed hotels on other continents influenced by their traditional architecture.

Beautiful book! Makes me want to book vacations and actually visit some of these places!

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