

Exploring Wine Regions-Bordeaux France

Summary

Exploring Wine Regions-Bordeaux France is the second book in its series that brings a unique approach in educating and inspiring readers about the wine regions of the world. *Bordeaux* takes you on a journey exploring the long and fascinating history of wine, gastronomy, castles and *joie de vivre*, the French way of living life. The perfect companion for any wine lover or travel enthusiast.

With a passion for wine and travel, author and photographer Michael C. Higgins delves deep into the history of Bordeaux, which he refers to as the “center of the universe for wine.” Combining wine education, insiders travel guide and his spectacular photography, Higgins continues to dazzle his audience with another informative and beautiful book.

Higgins helps readers understand the complexities of Bordeaux wine by presenting each region separately and explaining their nuances. He helps them navigate their own way through this historic wine region by highlighting the chateaux, including the ones where you can stay in their castles, restaurants and experiences with detailed maps and insider tips.

With breathtaking photography and personal commentary, readers are mesmerized by the Bordeaux world of wine, food and travel. Extensive resources are provided for wine lovers who want to know where to go, what to look for, what questions to ask, and how to understand complex answers. Everyone can learn how to develop a palate to appreciate the finest wine and food the French has to offer. Both connoisseurs and novices turn to this book series for insider information and inspiration. A must-have book for expanding your knowledge of Bordeaux and its wines.

Condensed Summary

EWR-Bordeaux (2nd in its series) follows *EWR-Argentina*, the debut with 2 awards. It uniquely combines wine education, insider’s travel guide, amazing photos and fun personal narrative for all travel, wine & food lovers. Eye-catching and in-demand.

Author Bio

For more than 20 years, author, photographer, and wine expert Michael C. Higgins is the publisher of *Flying Adventures* magazine, a lifestyle travel publication for food and wine lovers who own and travel on private airplanes. As a private pilot, travel enthusiast, and food and wine lover himself, Higgins continues to live the story he’s been sharing for decades.

Between the magazine and this book series, Higgins has participated in some of the most extraordinary experiences. He has virtually done it all: from pruning vines, picking grapes, working alongside winemakers, to participating in blind tastings, food and wine pairings, judging Cru Bourgeois wines, and sharing many meals with world renowned winemakers, over countless hours, discussing everything wine. His time in wine regions add up to thousands of days and counting. And as an accomplished photographer, he has captured even more spectacular images of the wine world.

Higgins has participated in many unique wine experiences, indulged in the most exclusive culinary affairs, been pampered in highly luxurious destinations and jumped into the wildest of adventures. His goal is to inspire his readers to join him in exploring the wine regions of the world and experiencing the unimaginable. Higgins has a BA in Commercial Art, an MBA and a PhD in Business Administration. He is a California native and lives in Pasadena, California.

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Travel through the Médoc (Margaux, Pauillac, etc.), Graves (Pessac-Léognan and Sauternes), Saint-Émilion, Pomerol and Fronsac, and discover Chateau Y'Quem, Chateau Latour Petrus, Chateau Margaux, Chateau Cheval Blanc, Chateau Mouton Rothschild, and more. And marvel in their medieval cities and villages.

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Exploring Wine Regions – Bordeaux France... 494 full-color pages. Over 950 spectacular photographic images! This second edition explores Bordeaux France's top wine regions of the Médoc (Margaux, Pauillac, etc.), Graves (Pessac-Léognan and Sauternes), Saint-Émilion, Pomerol and Fronsac. The book is a beautiful coffee-table quality book that is also a detailed travel guide. Packed with spectacular photography, entertaining stories and a very educational journey into exploring Bordeaux, with food and wine adventures in the cities of Bordeaux and

Saint-Émilion. Plus, a beach getaway on the Médoc Atlantic Ocean and a side trip to Cognac and a cooperage.

Twentyone weeks in Bordeaux France, three years researching, during spring, summer and fall harvest times, working with people who are at the forefront of wine and wine hospitality... researching, writing, designing, and producing this spectacular book. Today now brings a one of a kind insiders-guide to Bordeaux's wine regions like never seen before. If you have any interest in Bordeaux wines, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot or other Bordeaux varietals, and especially if you want to travel to Bordeaux, this book is exactly what you need.

This book details all the information you need to travel to the Bordeaux Wine Regions. Names, addresses, phone numbers, websites, email addresses, languages spoken, and more... of the wineries, hotels, restaurants and other culinary opportunities. Also, numerous outdoor activities. Twentynine maps of the regions are included. Winemakers, agronomists, oenologists, sommeliers, chefs, and more, are included throughout the book. With each winery is the entire line up of each châteaux's wines.

This book is written for both the beginning wine lover and the advanced wine professional. Even if you did not drink wine, this book offers a variety of extraordinary experiences in culinary, romantic, cultural, and outdoor adventures. The book starts at the basics of winemaking and the basics of what makes Bordeaux special in the wine world. And for the experienced professional, this book digs deep into the micro-appellations and sub-regions and their special terroir and characteristics. Innovative and cutting-edge oenologist provide their insight into making unique and spectacular wines. It is a 494-page education into the rich heritage of the French wine and culinary scene in Bordeaux France.