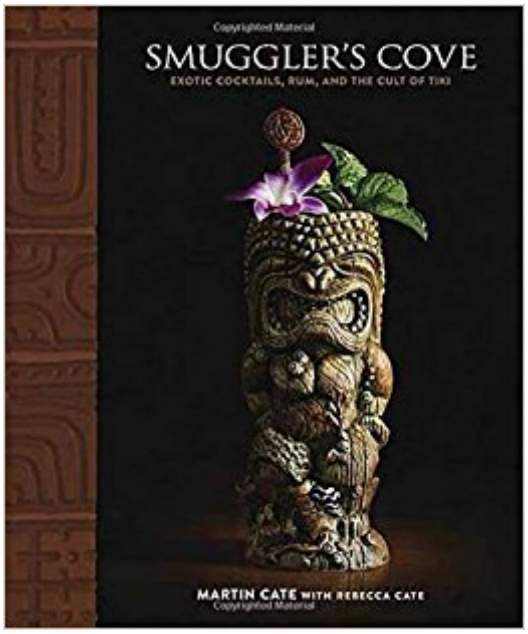
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Smuggler's Cove: Exotic Cocktails, Rum, And The Cult Of Tiki



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Synopsis

Martin and Rebecca Cate, founders and owners of SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Cove (the most acclaimed tiki bar of the modern era) take you on a colorful journey into the lore and legend of tiki: its birth as an escapist fantasy for Depression-era Americans; how exotic cocktails were invented, stolen, and re-invented; Hollywood starlets and scandals; and tikiÃ¢â ¬â„¢s modern-day revival, in this James Beard Award-winning cocktail book. Featuring more than 100 delicious recipes (original and historic), plus a groundbreaking new approach to understanding rum, SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Cove is the magnum opus of the contemporary tiki renaissance. Whether youÃ¢â ¬â„¢re looking for a new favorite cocktail, tips on how to trick out your home tiki grotto, help stocking your bar with great rums, or inspiration for your next tiki party, SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Cove has everything you need to transform your world into a Polynesian Pop fantasia. Make yourself a Mai Tai, put your favorite exotica record on the hi-fi, and prepare to lose yourself in the fantastical world of tiki, one of the most alluringÃ¢â ¬â •and often misunderstoodÃ¢â ¬â •movements in American cultural history.

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enmeshed with rum, and the authors offer a master class on it, covering its history and many varieties, as well as digressions on coring pineapples for cocktails and where to score cocktail umbrellas. ItÃ¢â ¬â„¢s a terrifically fun and informative read, and the definitive resource on the topic.Ã¢â ¬Â•Ã¢â ¬â œ Publishers Weekly, Starred ReviewÃ Â Ã¢â ¬Å“The book walks readers through the history of tiki, as well as 100 recipes for cocktails. Not sure where to start with rum? There's a beginners' guide. There are also party tips, garnishing guides, and much more. In other words, all you need are some paper umbrellas and your summer is made.Ã¢â ¬Â•Ã¢â ¬â œ EpicuriousÃ Â Ã¢â ¬Å“Happily, the modern tiki era now has its own Magna Carta Ã¢â ¬Â¦Ã Â ItÃ¢â ¬â„¢s a lavishly illustrated, seriously researched, 350-page tome with more than 100 recipes, along with a well-written history and sketches of some of the lesser known tiki lights . . .Ã¢â ¬Â•Ã¢â ¬â œ The Daily Beast"Martin and Rebecca Cate have managed to create an irresistible shrine to the magic of Polynesian pop culture. Beautifully designed and dripping in kitsch by way of photos by Dylan + Jeni, this is set to be the cocktail book of the summer."Ã¢â ¬â œ PunchÃ Â "Your new tiki bible."Ã¢â ¬â œ EaterÃ Â "With more than 100 recipes, both classic and modern (including homemade grenadine and coconut cream, of course), Smuggler's Cove is for anyone who appreciates the beauty of tropical drinks and wants to dig in deeper. A primer on essential tiki techniques as well as a thorough, authoritative guide to rum take you further than the typical booze book."Ã¢â ¬â œ Saveur"Martin Cate is a scholar of tiki, and this long-anticipated cookbook is a respectful (and even academic) glimpse into that culture. . . .Ã Â SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s CoveÃ Â isn't just a book of recipesÃ¢â ¬â •it's a guide on how to transplant a beloved bar into your home."Ã¢â ¬â œ EpicuriousÃ Â "A lively exploration of our country's drinking history (and the current tiki scene), it's essential reading for rum lovers, offering the best categorization of the headspinning-ly diverse spirit that I've encountered."Ã¢â ¬â œÃ Â Serious Eats"It's a must-have for any Mai Tai lover, Trader Vic's devotee or Hawaiian traveler . . . Ã Â The book works equally well as a cocktail how-to, a rum guide, tiki party inspiration or must-do itinerary."Ã¢â ¬â œÃ Â San Jose Mercury News

MARTIN CATEÃ Â is a rum and exotic cocktail expert and the owner of SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Cove in San Francisco. SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Cove opened in 2009 and has been named one of the WorldÃ¢â ¬â„¢s 50 Best Bars (Drinks International, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, and 2015), 50 Best Bars on Earth (The Sunday Times, London), Top Ten Food and Beverage Concepts of the Last 25 Years (Cheers Magazine), 13 Most Influential Bars of the 21st Century (Liquor.com), and AmericaÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Best Bars (Playboy, 2012 and Esquire, 2013).Ã Â Smuggler's Cove was also

awarded Best American Cocktail Bar at the 2016 Tales of the Cocktail Spirited Awards. A member of the United States Bartenders Guild (USBG), Martin conducts educational seminars and adjudicates rum and cocktail competitions across the United States, Europe, and the Caribbean. In 2015, along with partners Alex Smith and John Park, Martin opened Whitechapel in San Francisco to bring the same passion for history and craft to the world of gin. He is also the co-owner of Hale Pele in Portland and a partner in Lost Lake in Chicago and False Idol in San Diego. In 1999, REBECCA CATEÃ Â inadvertently fueled MartinÃ¢â ¬â„¢s madness by famously uttering words (which she thought were a joke) about making a spare bedroom a home tiki bar. Since then, however, she too has been swept up in the tiki fantasia, first as an enthusiast, then helping Martin open and run SmugglerÃ¢â ¬â„¢s Cove, while juggling a full-time career as a research psychologist Ã¢â ¬Å“on the side.Ã¢â ¬Â• Rebecca earned her PhD in personality and social psychology from The University of California at Berkeley in 2006, and has spent over a decade leading large-scale studies of behavioral health interventions as well as topics related to retirement and longevity. The opportunity to coauthor this book has allowed what had been just a weekend and vacation escape to turn into a full-time journey.

A guide to Tiki and it’s libations. Martin sets the context of Tiki today and gives us the guidance only a bar owner and cocktail nerd/doer can. A cumulative passion expressed in 300+ pages. It is also about community as he draws on many others’ knowledge, ability, and love to bring together a great resource for the Tiki enthusiast and the Tiki curious. This book will be on the shelf of every respectable bar in the world soon.Smuggler’s Cove: Exotic Cocktails, Rum, and the Cult of Tiki

I’ve been developing a liking for tiki cocktails lately, and this book is poised to turn that affinity into a full-blown addiction.The writing is clear and well-thought-out. The recipes give you all of the information you need and a lot of fascinating history in addition.Not only is this book a wonderful guide to making some of the most interesting libations the 20th century had to offer, but it’s also a historical record of where Polynesian Pop originated and proliferated, until its untimely demise in the 70s and 80s. This book comes to us at a time when Tiki is undergoing a revival.And it makes me want to be a part of that!Fun, informative, useful, and might just lead to a full-blown addiction. Or at least a new hobby.

Wow! This book blows me away -- it’s epic! A hefty 352 hardcover pages jam-packed with great information on the history of tiki and rum... beautiful photos of tiki bars, drinks and more... tips to

build one of your own... and get this: 100 tiki cocktails curated by one of the world's most highly lauded bar owners. To be sure: A new "must have" for any tiki-phile -- or for any fan of craft cocktails and cocktail culture, period. Nicely done, Martin and Rebecca!

Wow-what an amazing book. The sad part is that it is pushing me back into the world of the Tiki. Ok, maybe not a bad thing. The Cate's love for Tiki is clearly evident, and unlike a good fishing hole, they are willing to share all with whoever glances into these pages. I'm hooked. Just the info on rum was worth the price of the book...but there is much more including; well written sections on the history of the tiki culture, how to create your own tiki bar, throwing a tiki party,etc. All interspearsed with tons of great exotic drink recipes. I look forward to visiting their restaurant and plan to check out all the old and new tiki bars in between. Thanks Martin and Rebecca. Job well done.

This is my new favorite tiki cocktail book, and I have at least five of them. Cate not only goes into the extra techniques that makes the drinks at Smugglers Cove great, but discusses and categorizes the various rums in a simple to understand way that Jeff Berry's books do not.Cate's book deserves a spot on any exotic drink fan's shelf. It's beautiful enough to sit on the coffee table, but this book will sit right along my Jeff Berry books - and deservedly so.

Excellent book on everything tiki! with equally excellent photos. Very comprehensive and detailed in every way and it's thick! also contains it's own version of a better, clearer and more useful rum classification based on the proposed so called "Gargano classification" which classifies rums from production methods instead of the misleading way of colors. This book is a must have for tiki and exotic drinks enthusiasts!

What an Amazing book!!Even before I opened up the cover I had fallen in love with it. This book is filled with 300+ pages of not only great photo's of the past and present Tiki revival but so many great cocktail recipes, information on the history of Tiki Pop Culture, rum selections to use for each cocktail your making and even how to make your own mixing ingredients.I'll be keeping this book on my tiki bar, can't wait to dive in and try some of these great cocktails!!!Mahalo's Martin for making such an Awesome book!!!

Literally all you need. Amazing content, amazing pictures. Wonderful structure (story, recipes, story, recipes...). Covers the craft cocktail aspect of tiki in detail but also give you so much more. History

behind the rise of the tiki movement, history behind their bars, rum!, tiki cocktail technique, doing your own tiki parties, resources (where to buy tiki stuff, great tiki bars, etc.) and more.Made 2 drinks so far with what already had on hand and both were epic. Haven't been able to put it down!

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