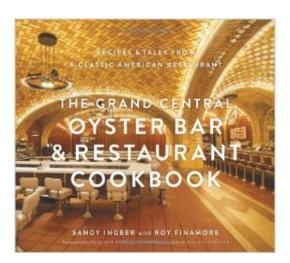
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Grand Central Oyster Bar And Restaurant Cookbook





Synopsis

In any discussion of New York City landmark restaurants, the Grand Central Oyster Bar & Restaurant stands in a class by itself. From its unique position in the Terminalâ ™s lower level, with the famous " Whispering Galleryâ • at its entrance, waiters have been serving up platters of the freshest seafood for a century. Here are more than 100 of the restaurantâ ™s classic recipes—some dating back to its opening in 1913—along with behind-the-scenes stories, historical anecdotes, and a wealth of expert information on buying, cooking, and serving fish. An oceanâ ™s worth of delicious eating is provided: from raw bar and seafood buffet favorites, to stews and chowders, to fish dishes fried, broiled, and grilled. Featured throughout are vintage images and ephemera, along with sumptuous food photography. Part history, part souvenir, The Grand Central Oyster Bar & Restaurant Cookbook is a must-have for visitors and New Yorkers alike. Praise for The Grand Central Oyster Bar and Restaurant Cookbook: " A big, handsome book full of wonderful photographs, nostalgic tales and enticing recipes—some dating back to the restaurantâ ™s opening 100 years ago . . . you will appreciate the no nonsense instructions for buying, cooking and serving seafood.â • —Miami Herald "Helps uncertain home cooks navigate the world of clams, crabs, shrimp, and more. Starting with a very simple yet comprehensive oyster list (including source, flavor, and size) and then delving into recipes for a Maryland Crab Cake Sandwich, a Manhattan Clam Chowder, and Dover Sole Meuniere, the cookbook tackles it all, and provides helpful tips and loving historic tidbits throughout.â •—Epicurious.com Â

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The photography was excellent, the subject coverage was thorough, and the recipes were simple and clear. I especially liked the listing of the many regional varieties and their differences. I found the size a little unwieldy and it won't fit well in my bookshelves. Altogether, however, it was everything I hoped it would be!

If you like oysters and seafood, you have to go to the Oyster Bar at Grand Central Station....but when you're not in NYC, you can either try the recipes in the book yourself, or go through the history and amazing pictures....and start choosing what you will order next time around....highly recommended!

Such a great book that touches on all the right points. With equal parts of oyster information, history and recipes you will never get bored reading through this book. I loved that the side bar was full of tips and commentaries. The best parts are the 11 pages of tables that connect each oyster to their source along with their size and flavor. Such a great reference! Highly recommended!

Having eaten at the Oyster Bar for many years I was happy to come across this cookbook. I can now make (or at least attempt to make) some of the delicious meals I've had in the past. If you are an oyster lover this is the book for you.

Bought this book as a gift for someone and decided to keep it for myself. I think that sums it up pretty good right there. I'm not a man of many words but a man with a great appetite for great food.

Greatbook. Good read with many ideas. One of the view restaurant cookbooks who actually put there dishes in the book. All add on stories and history gives you enough knowledge to open your own oysterbar and grill

This book is a must have for anyone who loves oysters and seafood. Since I received mine several of my friends have ordered copies. This is an excellent book.

I bought this for my son and he was impressed with all the oyster information. Awesome pictures

and many presentations. He is very happy with this gift.

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