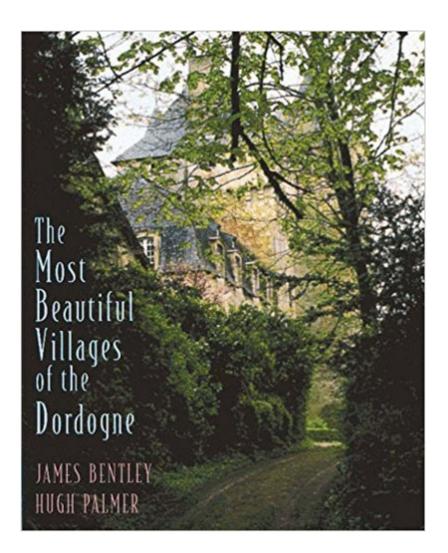
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Most Beautiful Villages Of The Dordogne





Synopsis

The Dorodogne offers splendid scenery, exquisite food and wine, the finest examples of prehistoric art and some of the most enchanting villages of France. This guide offers a journey through the region, from northern gems such as Brantome to "grand" villages such as Hautefort, found further south among the hills and limestone valleys. Gastronomy and prehistory distinguish the villages of the two southern-most areas, from the white wine of Monbazillac to the prehistoric cave paintings of Les Eyzies, while the ancient fortified towns of Montfort and Montpazier recall the struggles of the Middle Ages. The book comes complete with a travellers' gazetteer.

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Customer Reviews

Of all the places I've been, I've never seen an area where reality surpasses the most breathtaking photos--until I visited the Dordogne. This book does, however, give the reader a glimpse into what treasures can be found at every turn. The book prepared me well before my trip and brings fond memories now that I'm home.

This book, with its artistic photographs and evocative descritions of an enchanting land where bright sunlight, a warm climate, fragances of the country side, and nostalgic medieval villages perched on cliffs and hilltops, immerses the reader in a fantasy land of great beauty and ancient heritage.

This is a lovely book with beautiful pictures and a helpful history of the Dordogne. The author

introduces us to over thirty-five villages in four distinct sections, illustrating the four regions of the Perigord. Whether you're planning a visit to the area, already have been there or are content to relax and dream of far away places, this book makes a superb travel companion.

This book beautifully captures the enchantment of Dordogne. Cozy villages, medieval chateaux, rivers snaking through the charming countryside all describe Dordogne. Also, I would like to point out that the architecture and topography are different from its neighbor, Provence.

The colour and photos are beautiful, however within the printing or the book we got two sections of the same pages. Whether we missed out on another section we do not know.

All the books in this series are beautiful. The books are big and heavy, so I can't travel with them. How about a color kindle edition?

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