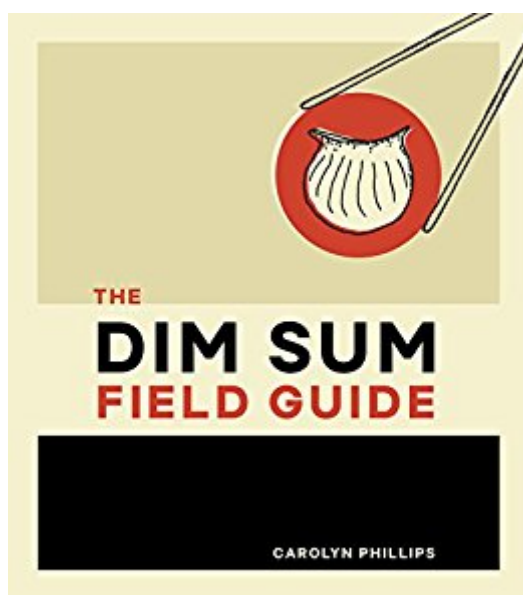


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The Dim Sum Field Guide: A Taxonomy Of Dumplings, Buns, Meats, Sweets, And Other Specialties Of The Chinese Teahouse



Synopsis

A whimsically illustrated yet authoritative guide to the "taxonomy" of dim sum, based on a popular Lucky Peach story. Author and illustrator Carolyn Phillips demystifies the rich, nuanced culinary institution of teahouse snacks in *The Dim Sum Field Guide*, a pocket-size, definitive resource featuring 80 hand-drawn illustrations. With entries for all the dim sum classics--including siu mai, xiaolongbao, char siu, roast duck, and even sweets like milk tarts and black sesame rolls--this handy reference is perfect for bringing on-the-go to your next dim sum outing. Armchair travelers and Asian food enthusiasts alike will be delighted by this detailed yet accessible look at the distinctly Chinese art of eating well. *"NPR's Best Books of 2016"*

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Customer Reviews

The explanatory texts and details about each dish are excellent. Unfortunately the line drawings are not as helpful. Adding color or using photos would have been better.

I mistakenly thought this was a cook book, and it's not. That's my own fault -but- there are no actual photos in this book so I'm not sure how well it would work as a "field guide" either. I'm donating this

book to my local thrift store.

Though accurate, the sketches of dim sum are not adequate. Photographs of the various items are necessary.

Warning: This is a "field Guide." It is not a cookbook. I didn't see a single recipe in it.

Handy for those who want to know more.....

It's an interesting book, but I would have liked a few recipes, too.

Wish there were some easy recipes here, but so fun to drool over just reading it. Alas, I don't live near a "dim sum" café.

Christmas present for my children who love dim sum. Now they can go n order on their own. Both of them n their other half looooooove this

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