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Take a life-changing journey with a fashion insider through the neighborhoods of Paris—and become the most glamorous girl in town (without even trying).

After spending much of her life mining the secrets of *La Parisienne*, Angie has discovered there are as many ways to be Parisian as there are *arrondissements*. Find out what *Saint Germain* women wear, where *Canal Saint Martin* girls shop and hang out with their friends, the décor tricks of the artistic ladies in *Montmartre*, and how to cook and entertain—as if you just rolled out of bed and onto the cobblestone streets of *Le Marais*...

Featuring hundreds of stunning photographs and original fashion illustrations, as well as fabulous tips from celebrities, fashion designers, bloggers, chefs, and more!

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Tracy Morgan says

I loved this book. It was beautifully put together, fun, and interesting. Whether you're planning a trip to Paris or just interested in Parisian culture, this book is not only a great reference, but incredibly enjoyable to look at. You'll find lots of information here about fashion, beauty, recipes, opera, dance, food, shopping, and culture. The list goes on and on. I've been wanting to visit Paris for quite a while, and this book only increased that desire. I highly recommend it.

Jackie says

A beautiful book on Paris. The writing is very personal and invites you to see Paris thru the author's eyes. The pictures throughout the book are eye candy. If you have been to Paris you will love this book and if you have not been to Paris you will want to go there and take in all the beauty of this City of Lights.

Roaming Rosie says

This book wasn't exactly what I was expecting, but it was so fun to browse. I thought it would be more like a travel journal or something, but it was really a guide book. It's full of descriptions of individual places, including shops and restaurants, brimming with gorgeous photos, laden with tips and suggestions, and even includes a few recipes. This was something I checked out from the library, but if I was going to go back to Paris for even a few days, I'd buy it and bring it along.

Lori Helke says

Love this book! Perfect travel guide for those of us that want to cultivate a distinct type of Parisienne style. Each chapter is broken down by the main neighborhoods such as Latin Quarter, Saint-Germaine, Montmartre, and the Marais where you are guided on what to see and where to shop to develop the unique style of the neighborhood. I will read it again and again before I take my fall trip to Paris!,

Brandi says

"Bright Lights Paris: Shop, Dine & Live...Parisian Style" by Angie Niles is an exceptional book that I would rank in the top 2% of books I have read in the past few years. It is very colorful and informative. I could spend hours just looking at the photographs included in the book. Many of the photos do make me kind of hungry, though. I also enjoyed the sections on fashion and shopping. I would definitely rate this book 5 stars and would recommend it to anyone interested in travelling to, or just learning about, Paris.

I received this book from Goodreads.com and appreciate the opportunity to read and review it.

Katie (ReadiculousGirl) says

This book had wonderful tips about what to visit in each *arrondissement*, it contained beautiful photography, and was just a lovely introduction to the City of Lights. My only question is: when can I go?

Lindsey says

A comprehensive and beautifully photographed guide to all the spots in Paris for living *la bonne vie*!

Dana Al-Basha ????? ?????? says

If I visit Paris again, this is one of the books I'll bring with me! It's really amazing! Angie has covered every aspect of fashionable Paris, in a fun way and she's observant. You are going to find addresses, shops, tips, recipes (like a Rachel Khoo's one!), and tidbits of personal stories.

It's a great traveling companion. Angie chapterized Paris into 12 chapters, writing about 12 arrondissements of 20. With each chapter/arrondissements, she describes the Parisian women occupying each section. She starts with the top, the richest Parisians occupying Trocadero with their Hermes scarfs and Chanel bags, and finishes in Champ de Mars with the hippie, laidback style.

Of course, I would love to be Trocadero girl but I guess I'm mostly something between Lower Marais, Latin Quarter and Saint-Germain. An honorary Parisian at heart! Beautiful book, detailed and fun!

Sandra says

Looks like a fun book to take along on a trip to Paris, especially if you have been to Paris before and are looking for new off-beat excursions.

Rachel says

I bought this book based on the high average rating and because I always love to page through photos of Paris. Not only does this book make gross generalizations ("All Saint-Germain girls shop here," "all Canal

Saint-Martin girls wear this," etc.) and give stale recommendations (Did you know Café de Flore is a great place to people watch? Or that Pierre Hermé has great macarons? GROUNDBREAKING!) but this book has quite possibly the most typos of any book I have ever read. I kid you not, most of the French words are misspelled. I can overlook one or two typos and am slightly more lenient when it comes to foreign words, but this is inexcusable. It's very clear Niles doesn't know French, but who in the world edited this book?! Ladurée was spelled "Lauderée", and Paris, the SUBJECT of this book, was once spelled as "Piaris" at the START of a chapter. This was aggravating beyond belief and the lack of focus or purpose in the book's structure--even the beautiful photos--weren't enough to make up for any of it.

Christina says

This is a beautiful book every Paris-lover should have in their bookshelf! There's a chapter for each arrondissement and you get suggestions on where to dine, live and shop, which I found very inspiring and helpful! The book contains so many glossy pictures and short stories- it made me so excited about my upcoming stay in Paris.

Mary Lynn says

A must read for any woman interested in fashion, culture and shopping who is planning a trip to Paris. I'm not but it made me want to!

cloudyskye says

The chocolate box version of Paris and the Parisienne.

I'll go easy on it because it is a very pretty coffee table book and it does make me want to board the next TGV to Paris - under 4 hours from Stuttgart, why not indeed?

Except I'd have to rob a bank first, obviously ...

Anyway, what I find slightly off-putting is the number of typos. I mean, "sillouette"? Chocolate in French is "chocolat". Tip of the iceberg, sadly. Had to deduct one star for that.

I don't regret buying this, but when it comes to Paris, I prefer Jennifer L. Scott's insights.

Jan Polep says

Set up by neighborhoods, this 2015 book is a great visual travel guide as to where to eat, where to shop, and what to see in Paris. The fashion tips are wasted on an old bird like me, but the photos and short snippets about food, restaurants, and what to see/ do were fantastic...and the book is small enough to fit in your purse or backpack.

Stacie says

I won a copy of this through Goodreads Giveaways and was so pleased when it arrived in the mail. It's beautifully put together and so fun to look through! Being a girl that adores Paris, fashion, and good food this book is a treat.
