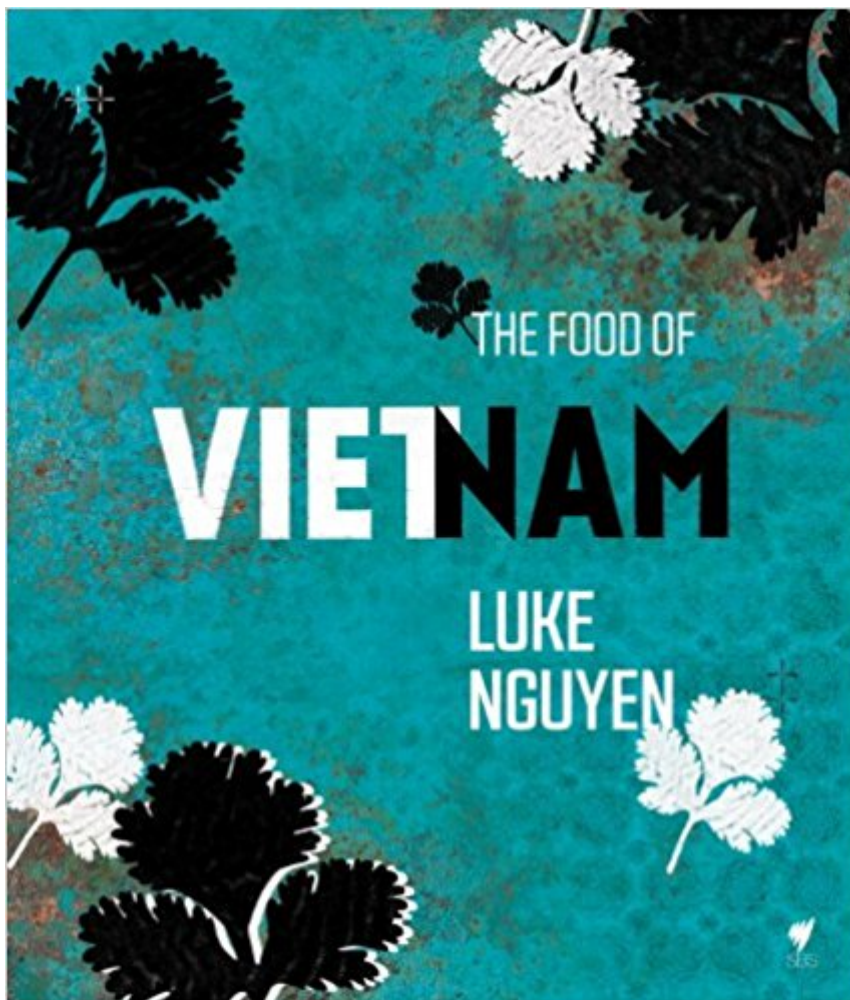


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# The Food Of Vietnam



## Synopsis

A beautifully packaged cookbook and highly personal culinary and cultural journey through the diverse regions of Vietnam. Join Luke Nguyen on a culinary and cultural journey through the country of his heritage to discover the people and recipes that have endeared Vietnam to the millions of travelers who visit each year. Luke Nguyen's Vietnam follows his trip from northern Vietnam down to the south, through marketplaces and kitchens of strangers and family alike to find the best recipes Vietnam has to offer. Luke records his experiences with the people he meets and the places he visits along the way, breathing life into the classic recipes of Vietnam, from pho to banh mi and everything in between. Luke Nguyen's Vietnam is a culinary showcase of Vietnam filled with heartwarming stories, breathtaking location shots, and mouthwatering food photography. This is a must-have cookbook that will be treasured for years to come.

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## Customer Reviews

"This gorgeous coffee table-worthy cookbook from the dashing Australian chef and host of Cooking Channel's "Passport To Asian" strikes the perfect balance between beauty and brains. The National Geographic-style color photos are visually breathtaking and the interesting-but-doable recipes will have your travel hound friends reaching for their passports, with a slight detour to the kitchen of course." ~The Oregonian "...this book is big and beautiful. Its recipes deliver Vietnamese dishes without a lot of specialty-store shopping." ~Washington Post

Luke Nguyen is a well-renowned Vietnamese Australian chef, best known for his television series

Luke Nguyen's Vietnam and Greater Mekong. His shows have aired throughout the world and can currently be seen on The Cooking Channel (US), The Food Network (US), UKTV, The Living Channel, and XYZ Entertainment Pty Ltd. Luke was raised in Australia in Sydney's vibrant and notorious Vietnamese quarter. His parents opened and ran a local Vietnamese restaurant, and it was this passion for food that first ignited Luke's interest. After learning the basics from his parents, Luke trained with a number of well-respected Sydney chefs before opening The Red Lantern restaurant with his sister, Pauline. Since then, The Red Lantern has become one of Sydney's most acclaimed restaurants.

I have come across quite a few cookbooks, not just Vietnamese but Italian, French, Mexican, from the Southern US, etc. I am sure the hard copy is quite beautiful but I was blown away by how nice the kindle edition was. I have a few cookbooks in kindle where the formatting was so far off, with the recipe centering by 3-4 inch widths per page. I immigrated to the US in April 1975 when I was only two yrs old. I am able to speak the language to my parents and relatives but I cannot read or write in Vietnamese. Therefore to try to write down the recipes from my mother was quite difficult especially when she doesn't exactly need to measure. This recipe book is great because from the ingredients to the pictures, they are almost identical to how my mom made it! Now I have the precise measurements.....because people like myself were not exactly born to cook. I can't wait to try out these pictures and to salvage the many recipes I have been trying to write down from my mom before it's too late. The most beautiful part of the book are the stories about Vietnam and the pictures are just stunning. Thank you for making this book available in Kindle! I saw it in hard copy and was praying it would be available in kindle. Thank you! thank you! Thank you!

Made a few of these recipes today and they were quite tasty. The book itself has lovely images and a lot of interesting background info. I found it helpful to look through to learn about regional specialties prior to traveling to Vietnam. But be warned before you buy--the book is massive! Much larger than I expected and quite heavy

I felt like I was traveling through Vietnam and sampling the food. Very entertaining. Well written. The photos are quite good. I know much more about Vietnam now and am grateful for the experience.

Love the traveling stories and simple recipes. I purchased the ebook, not the actual book so it kind of hard to read on the android phone.

Coffe table style book with okay photography. Not of the highest quality. The recipes are kinda repetitive. Just okay.

This book is amazing, the recipes, the stories, the pictures, I just can't rave enough about it. It is way better then my expectations. I have the first book which I also love, now I have the second, I can't wait for the third.

Big and Bulky. But overall great book, beautiful pics and great recipes

This is a great cookbook that tells you about each area of Vietnam, and then recipes that are relevant to the area. I have tried many of the recipes and while some were not easy, they all tasted great!

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