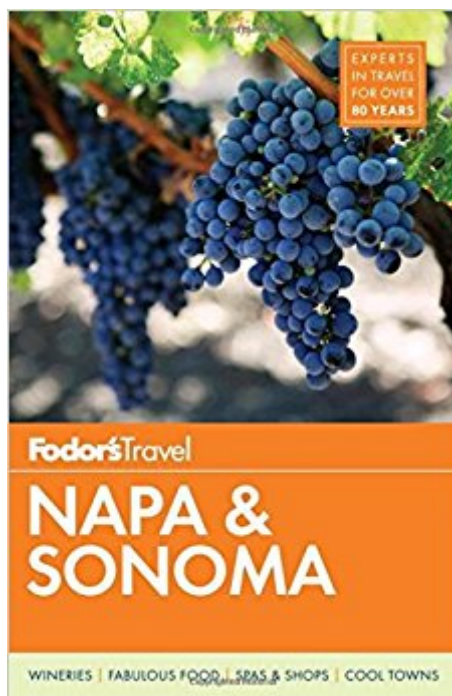


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- Coverage of Napa, Yountville, St. Helena, Calistoga, Sonoma Valley, Healdsburg, Geyserville, Russian River, and West County

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The Fodors guides are always my go to guide when traveling. This one is small enough to travel with as some of the guides are huge. This guide covers everything from the restaurants, the wineries to visit and the best hotels. It is accurate and reliable. The restaurant reviews will not steer you wrong and the activities described are spot on. There are maps galore and suggestions for a journey to wine country for any type of visit i.e.. two days or longer. I have never been to Sonoma but after perusing this guide, I feel confident in how to structure a visit there. In the guide, there is even a Wine 101 dicussion aimed to the novice which should get you well on your way to not only enjoying the wines of Napa and Sonoma but anywhere else. If you are visiting wine country, this guide is indispensable. Highly recommended.

We used to live in Healdsburg (in Sonoma County) and love to visit every few years. This guide is accurate where we have experiences and we are looking forward to trying new restaurants and excursions based on this book. The surprising omission is that they do not cover Sonoma Coast destinations such as Bodega Bay, Jenner, Duncan's Mills, Fort Ross and Sea Ranch, nor does it cover Cloverdale, Windsor and Petaluma. However it does have good coverage all the well known destinations as well as other lesser known (lesser known to wine tourists I mean) destinations such as Santa Rosa, Occidental and Geyserville. For those new to wine touring, it has a good overview of the whole grape to bottle process.

We live near the area and we probably visit more often than tourists, but still not often enough. However we do know that this book's recommendations and information are solid and accurate. It covers all the basics: lodging, restaurants, and wineries. It's a concise guide for must go to places in

NorCal wine country. What's not in the book? Anything new, novel, and upcoming will not be in the book which makes sense. That should be left for later after you've come here a few times and that's best left to the internet.

This is an awesome little guide. It is easy to keep in the car, for those quick trips to Napa or Sonoma (we live just a couple hours away). It has tons of useful information and guides. We are very happy with this order. Definitely Recommended!

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