

<b>Title</b>	Little Italy
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## Description

In *Little Italy*, Italian food writer Laura Zavan uncovers the fascinating culinary history of her beloved homeland.

The earthy wonders of regional produce and the traditions of cheese making, pasta and salami are described in vivid detail as Laura takes us on a journey through Italy. Imbued with a passion beautifully represented in her recipes from her native Veneto and her favourite holiday destinations in southern Italy, Laura will bring the flavours of Italy right to your kitchen. From antipasti to pizza, pasta, gnocchi, risotto and sweets, *Little Italy* combines your favourite Italian dishes with an introduction to choosing the right condiments for your meal, step-by-step instructions on how to make your own pasta or pesto, and tips for shortcuts or variations to the recipes.

Lavishly illustrated with photographs of preparation and finished dishes and interspersed with images capturing the Italian lifestyle, this book invites foodies and armchair travellers to sit back and enjoy the Italian 'dolce vita'.

## Sales Points

- Information on the history and origins of foods from around Italy are interspersed with personal anecdotes from author Laura Zavan
- Wide range of easy to follow short-order recipes along with over 100 full length recipes covering all regions of Italy
- Modern, stylish design with over 170 photographs will attract a new generation of readers and inspire experienced cooks to rediscover their Italian favourites
- A comprehensive collection of Italian recipes published in a fresh, captivating, great value book

## Author Profile

Laura Zavan is a native of Treviso in Veneto, and has lived in Paris for the last twelve years. She is a contributor to numerous magazines and has worked as both a food stylist and a recipe writer. She has a passion for products with a history: recipes are often inspired by her native Veneto region as well as southern Italy where she spends her holidays. Her cooking is a reflection of herself – generous and uncomplicated.