Venezia: Food & Dreams

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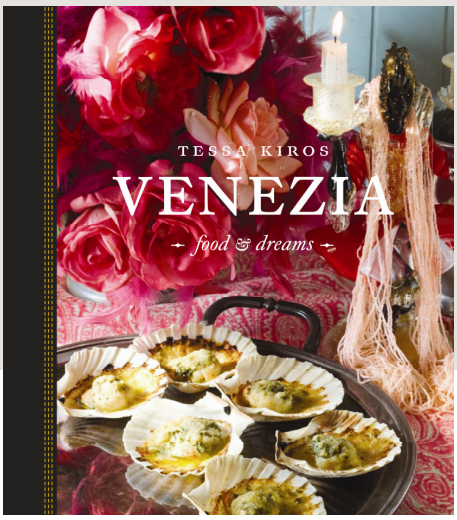

Description

Food is the essence of any country's people, a quilt that is patchworked together by their language, culture, traditions and way of living. In *Venezia: Food & Dreams,* Tessa Kiros explores the magic and charm of the famous Italian city of Venice. She embroiders the recipes of this city of canals, bridges and carnivals with her own unique colours and threads.

Venice is Italy's kingdom of salt and pearls, prosecco and mermaids, bigola and polenta. Tessa travels through the city, breathing in its atmosphere and letting its bejewelled past and dark alleyways fuel her imagination. Mingled among Tessa's unique recipes and the stunningly beautiful food and scenic photography are Tessa's diary jottings on Venice's life and culinary delights.

Sales Points

◦ One of the **Four Fabulous Feasts** titles, featuring in Murdoch Books' major consumer advertising and point of sale promotion for Christmas 2008
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◦ Features the beautiful, captivating photography and unique, gorgeous design that are such a feature of all of Tessa's books
◦ Offers a window into the world of Venice, with its classic beauty and rich food traditions
◦ Provides recipes for the whole family, encapsulating the European way of eating

Author Profile

Tessa Kiros was born in London to a Finnish mother and a Greek-Cypriot father. She has lived in South Africa, London, Sydney, Athens and Mexico and is now based in Tuscany, Italy. Her cooking is influenced by her childhood experiences and a life of travel and exploration in various parts of the world. Tessa has collected and created her unique recipes over many years and continues to share special memories and moments with her readers along with wonderful, eclectic food. This is Tessa's fifth book to be published with Murdoch Books.

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