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### **Observations, Historical, Critical, and Medical, on the Wines of the Ancients** Mitchell Beazley

"Meticulously researched history...look[s] at how wine and Western civilization grew up together."  
—Dave McIntyre, Washington Post  
Because science and technology have opened new avenues for vintners, our taste in wine has grown ever more diverse. Wine is now the subject of careful chemistry and global demand. Paul Lukacs recounts the journey of wine through history—how wine acquired its social cachet, how vintners discovered the twin importance of place and grape, and how a basic need evolved into a realm of choice.

### **Only the Best** ASCSA

There are nearly 1,400 known varieties of wine grapes in the world—from altesse to zierfandler—but 80 percent of

the wine we drink is made from only 20 grapes. In *Godforsaken Grapes*, Jason Wilson looks at how that came to be and embarks on a journey to discover what we miss. Stemming from his own growing obsession, Wilson moves far beyond the "noble grapes," hunting down obscure and underappreciated wines from Switzerland, Austria, Portugal, France, Italy, the United States, and beyond. In the process, he looks at why these wines fell out of favor (or never gained it in the first place), what it means to be obscure, and how geopolitics, economics, and fashion have changed what we drink. A combination of travel memoir and epicurean adventure, *Godforsaken Grapes* is an entertaining love letter to wine.

### **The Impossible Collection of Wine**

Independently Published

Since the 1990s, the Greek wine industry has grown its exports significantly while the wines increasingly win internationally recognized awards. This reference to the 11 official wine-

producing regions of Greece covers the vineyards, wines and wineries and grape varieties, with in-depth producer profiles for each. The unique historical aspects of Greece's wine industry - from its wine laws to vital wine-production statistics focusing on continued wine developments - are covered in full. A practical guide to reading Greek wine labels and buying Greek wine is included, and 15 maps detail the key winemaking areas.

*A Tour of Greece* Assouline Publishing

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[Greek Medicine from Hippocrates to](#)

[Galen](#) Princeton University Press

At the outset of an adventure filled with disaster and delight, Jack Aubrey and Stephen Maturin pursue a prize through the stormy seas and icebergs south of Cape Horn, where the hunters suddenly become the hunted.

*Report on the Cheap Wines from France, Germany, Italy, Austria, Greece, Hungary, and Australia* Bookline & Thinker Ltd

The New York Times Editors' Choice

collection of recipes featuring the seasonal foods and flavors of Greek and Mediterranean cuisine. The classic cookbook of Greek cuisine, Rosemary Barron's *Flavours of Greece* is regarded as the most authentic and authoritative collection of Greek recipes. Food explorers and cooks of all levels will enjoy more than 250 regional and national specialties—from the olives, feta, and seafood of mezes; to delicate lemon broths, hearty bean soups, grilled meats and fish, baked vegetables and pilafs; to fragrant, gooey honey pastries. Based on decades of research and refinement from Barron's legendary cooking schools on the island of Crete and in Santorini, these delicious recipes have set the standard for contemporary Greek cuisine, showcasing seasonal foods and flavors perfect for informal eating with family, friends, and entertaining.

[Godforsaken Grapes](#) Penguin

In this book, Catherine E. Pratt explores how oil and wine became increasingly entangled in Greek culture, from the Late Bronze Age to the Archaic period. Using ceramic, architectural, and archaeobotanical data, she argues that Bronze Age exchange practices initiated a strong network of dependency between oil and wine production, and the people who produced, exchanged, and used them. After the palatial collapse, these prehistoric connections intensified during the Iron Age and evolved into the large-scale industries of the Classical period. Pratt argues that oil and wine in pre-Classical Greece should be considered 'cultural commodities', products that become indispensable for proper social and economic exchanges well beyond economic advantage. Offering a detailed diachronic account of the changing roles of surplus oil and

wine in the economies of pre-classical Greek societies, her book contributes to a broader understanding of the complex interconnections between agriculture, commerce, and culture in the ancient Mediterranean.

*The Aesthetics of the Greek Banquet*  
Hachette UK

Stone age wine -- The Noah hypothesis -- The archaeological and chemical hunt for the earliest wine -- Neolithic wine! -- Wine of the earliest pharaohs -- Wine of Egypt's golden age -- Wine of the world's first cities -- Wine and the great empires of the ancient Near East -- The Holy Land's bounty -- Lands of Dionysos : Greece and western Anatolia -- A beverage for King Midas and at the limits of the civilized world -- Molecular archaeology, wine, and a view to the future.

**The Wine-dark Sea** BRILL

This volume makes available in English translation a selection of Jacques Jouanna's papers on Greek and Roman medicine, ranging from the early beginnings of Greek medicine to late antiquity.

**Pure Wine and how to Know it** Pocket Books

In this stunning addition to the Assouline Ultimate Collection, Enrico Bernardo, the world's best sommelier, imagines the perfect cellar filled with the most exceptional wines of the twentieth century: The Impossible Collection of Wine. Weighing the virtues of rarity, terroir, taste, and historical mystique, Bernardo's is a list any connoisseur could only dream of. To turn grapes into bottled poetry, the winemaker must be a kind of alchemist. Despite changes in technology and tastes over the past 100 years, the craft has remained largely unchanged; a great wine remains the product of countless factors, not least of

which is the smile of providence. In these pages, Bernardo celebrates the most exquisite vintages around the globe, from the 1928 Krug Champagne to the 1951 Penfolds Grange Bin 95 to the 1973 Stag's Leap Estate SLV, inviting the reader on a journey through history to savor an impossible collection. This hand-bound oversize luxury edition, featuring hand-tipped images and presented in a wooden crate, will be a must-have for the library of any true wine connoisseur.

*Vine And Wine In The Ancient Greek World* Macmillan

The world's first botrytis wine, Hungary's Tokaji won an enviable reputation centuries ago, but never before have the development of its wine types and the story of its ups and downs in fame and prestige been presented so fully in English. Relying on an array of Hungarian source materials, author Miles Lambert-Gócs sets the information out in encyclopedia fashion, with easily digested, A-to-Z entries that discuss the people, places, vineyard-tracts, grape varieties, and wine-making associated with this wine. Besides being an outstanding reference work, Tokaji Wine is sprinkled with fascinating notes and bacchic humor that make it a delight to read.

**The Food and Wine of Greece**

Lockwood Press

Travel globally sip locally! - At that rustic taverna in Athens, don't order Chardonnay with your moussaka, try it with a bottle of Malagousia. - Dining by the Galata Bridge in Istanbul? Forgo the Merlot and pair those kebabs with a crisp Kalecik Karasi - The Hittites did it over 3000 years ago! - In Taormina, the waiters on the Corso Umberto will gladly serve you Pinot Grigio, but watch their reaction when you order a glass of local

Carricante, grown just over their shoulder on the eastern face of Mount Etna. In *Mediterranean Wines of Place*, Al Leonard, a Professor of Classical Archaeology and wine aficionado, pairs his love of the Mediterranean World with wines that are crafted from the heritage grapes that have been so much a part of its history. This locavore's guide to Mediterranean wines provides a historical introduction to more than sixty heirloom grapes and the wines they produce. Places visited include mainland Greece and the Greek islands, Cyprus, Turkey, Italy, Croatia, Spain, and Malta. [Tokaji Wine](#) Independently Published

You'll love this Wine Tasting Journal An essential tool and resource for wine lovers to log their tasting notes and save labels. This helpful reference journal creates a single, convenient place for tracking wines. The guided log includes: Producer, Region, Country, Type, Test Location, Aroma, Body, Finish, Rating and more. 110 pages Easy To Fill-In, Prompted Format Compact book size: 8.5x11 inches; Fits in most backpacks Durable matte, sturdy paperback cover, perfect bound, for an expert finish.

*Vine and Wine in the Ancient Greek World* Sunward Books

Headed to Greece to taste wine? Remember your trip forever with this fun Greek wine journal. From Crete to Santorini, this beautiful journal was designed to assist wine lovers in reviewing and documenting their Greece wine journey and travels. Prompts assist wine drinkers to rate the appearance, body, taste, and finish of each glass. Document the winery, alcohol percentage, serving temperature, and pairing ideas. There is even extra space provided on each page so wine tasters can remember the people and event that led them to trying a new -and hopefully

fantastic - Greek wine! Perfect companion while traveling through Athens, Thessaly, Macedonia, the Aegean Islands, Samos, Limnos, the Peloponnese, and Kefalonia. Ideal wine diary for a budding sommelier, wine connoisseur, winery owner, or a travel enthusiast heading to Greece..

[Wines of Greece](#) Cambridge University Press

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*Report on the Cheap Wines from France, Italy, Austria, Greece and Hungary* Board and Bench Publishing

"A hip, new guide to wine for the new generation of wine drinkers, from the sommelier creators of the award-winning site WineFolly.com"--Provided by publisher.

[Ancient Wine](#) London : H. Renshaw

Humans have been making and taking pleasure in wines for millennia. Of them, the ancient Greeks seem to have especially delighted in wine. Homer stands out among the Greeks. The proposal of this small, lighthearted book is very simple. The more you know about wine, the more you'll enjoy drinking it. The project's adventure, then, is to join Homer and the earliest Greeks in their experience and enjoyment of wine. Shout it out, HADES YEAH!

**Drinking Wine with Homer and the Earliest Greeks** W. W. Norton & Company

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*Wine and its Adulterations* Princeton University Press

Greece and its many islands are rich with traditional and regional culinary dishes that go far beyond the standard fare of moussaka and spinach pie. To gather these special recipes and the culture that surrounds them, Kochilas spent over 15 years living and traveling in Greece. From home cooks and professional chefs she coaxed a

wonderful array of authentic recipes to augment her own creations. Line drawings.

*The Wine Bible* Workman Publishing Company

Although this booklet is based on broken pottery found during the excavation of the Agora, the author ranges far beyond the confines of Athens in her discussion of the purpose and significance of different amphora types. Amphoras were used in the ancient world to transport various different types of products, including wine and oil. The author shows how chronological variations in shape and the geographical clues offered by stamped handles make amphoras a fascinating source of economic information. The booklet illustrates many different forms of amphora, all set into context by the well-written text.