



## Synopsis

Packed with irresistible facts and photos, this beautiful gift book reveals the untold story chocolate, of the world's favorite indulgence. Did you know that M&Ms were invented for WWII soldiers as the chocolate that wouldn't melt in their hands? Or that Marie Antoinette had her own personal chocolate maker? Or that Thomas Jefferson predicted that chocolate would outstrip coffee as the most popular drink in America? Featuring 20 sinfully delicious chocolate recipes from around the world, this entertaining romp through chocolate history will delight chocoholics everywhere.

## Book Information

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A rich book that is fun to look at and fun to read: well-illustrated, bite-size chunks of chocolate history from the Aztecs to the astronauts. Chocolate has more lore and legend attached to it than any other comestible except perhaps wine, and Great Moments in Chocolate History ranges happily from chocolate's association with witchcraft to chocolate syrup filling in for the

blood in the famous shower scene in the movie Psycho. The recipes too cover a wide range, from elegant chocolate tiramisu to a cacao and banana drink of the Kuna people off the coast of Panama, which protected them from heart disease. It is a great book for the holidays, any holidays.

Great!

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