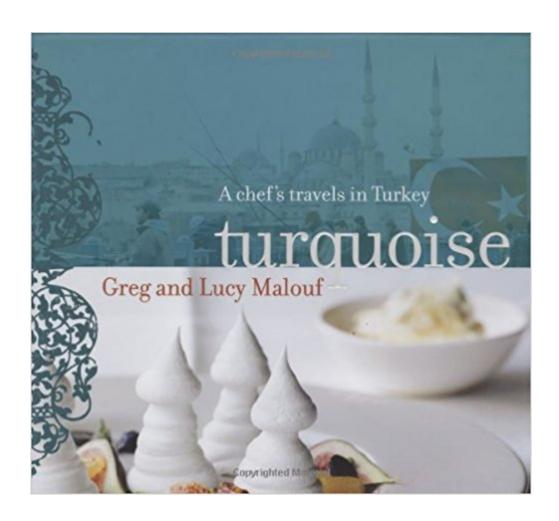


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# **Turquoise: A Chef's Travels In Turkey**





## **Synopsis**

With terrain from rugged mountains to idyllic coastline, Turkey has become a sought-after travel destination, enjoyed not only for its beauty, but its culinary wonders. In Turquoise, Greg and Lucy Malouf visit spice markets and soup kitchens, enjoy fish sandwiches on the Bosphorus, and drink in ancient teahouses. The recipes inspired by their travels capture the enticing flavors that define Turkish cuisine from the ancient ruins of Pergamum to modern day Istanbul. Some are traditional favorites, such as Little Kefta Dumplings in Minted Yogurt Sauce, while many morefrom Roast Chicken with Pine Nut and Barberry Pilav Stuffing to Pistachio Halva Ice Creamare Greg's own, flavored with his years of experience cooking Middle Eastern food. With its hundreds of luscious photographs, Turquoise is a chance to share in this unforgettable Turkish journey.

## **Book Information**

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### Customer Reviews

Greg and Lucy Malouf live in Melbourne, Australia. The Maloufs have co-authored Saha, Arabesque, and Moorish.Lisa Cohen and William Meppem are photographers specializing in food.

I wanted this book from the moment I spotted it in my local book store. I didn't buy it and when I realized how much I thought about it I went back to buy it, but the last copy was GONE! I ordered it on and keep it on my dining room table where I flip through it everyday.

A really inspiring cookbook!

Beautiful book with wonderful pictures and recipes from Turkey

How can it be other than stunning? The writing, the photography, the love ... places, people, food, all totally temptatious

Beautiful inside and out. One of my most treasured cookbooks.

I gave this book as a present to several of my collegues and they all loved it. I think a book about Turkish cuisine will be insufficient as long as you do not tell something about the culture behind it. I think this book does that nicely. The quality of the print and the way the photos were picked is appropriate for a book of this price.

I have only recently discovered Turkish cooking and this book is certainly going to increase my appetite for it. A travelogue within a cookbook with the kind of photos that let you imagine the sunshine on your shoulders and the aroma of roast lamb with spices you have never tried before. Turkish cooking is basic, healthy, quick and tasty. The Maloufs explain the recipes in a straight forward way. Most of the ingredients are available in city supermarkets especially if you explore some of the smaller middle eastern shops. I tried the lamb shaslicks first up then the pomegranate drink. A real change from steak and 2 veg.

Turquoise: A Chef's Travels in Turkey is an incredibly beautiful book that can be left on a coffee table for constant browsing. The photographs brought us right back to stunning Turkey. The book also "reads" like a novel, and the recipes look wonderful...I have not have a chance to try one yet! A must buy!

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