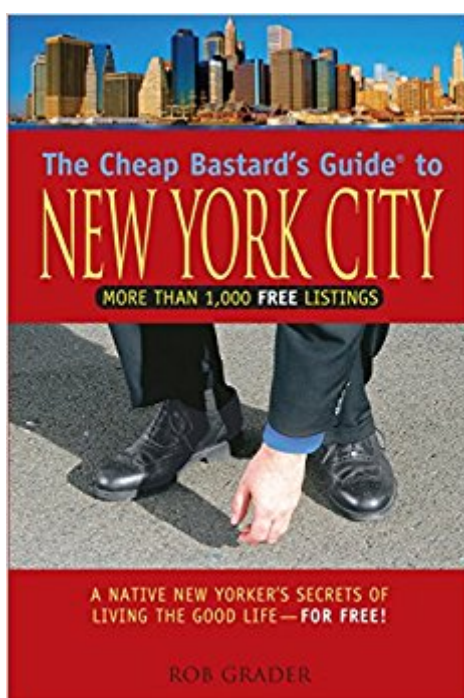


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# The Cheap Bastard's Guide To New York City, 4th: A Native New Yorker's Secrets Of Living The Good Life--for Free!



## Synopsis

This book catalogs the endless free opportunities available in the Big Apple, from theater, concerts, and museums to yoga classes, haircuts, and massages--for native and visiting cheapskates alike.

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## Customer Reviews

"The last word on living well and cheaply in the Big Apple--and no, it is not an oxymoron."--June Sawyers, Chicago Tribune  
"A penny-pincher's nirvana; it's as if we wrote it!"  
"Arthur Frommer's Budget Travel Magazine"  
"A thoroughly impressive roundup of freebies and cheapies found throughout the boroughs."  
"New York Post"  
"Grader hilariously dissects the city to come up with his innovative money savers."  
"John Deiner, The Washington Post"

Completely revised and updated, stuffed with attitude and humor, The Original Cheap Bastard reveals even more great finds for visitors and natives alike:  
• How to land a low-cost apartment in a luxury building; without paying a broker's fee  
• Where to find half-price meals and free food, including coffee, sushi, and pub grub  
• How to gain free entrance to plays, concerts, museums, and television tapings  
• Where to find free classes in anything from yoga to small business development  
• When and where to find great furnishings in other people's trash  
• How to get a free haircut, color treatment, manicure, or low-cost massage

Cool ideas but you really have to be committed to getting things for free example free dance classes if you help cleaning the studio twice a week ( say what? nobody has time for that) but definitely a source of really nice ideas and good places to hang out.

Highly recommended!- Well-written- Well-organized (by theme: food, housing, entertainment, health, transportation ...)- Excellent information! I ordered this for my sister, and started paging through it when it came in the mail. It was so much fun that I finished reading the entire book, and ended up with a hankering to move to NYC myself!

I was only in NY for a few days but this came in handy more than once. I'll refer back to it the next time I'm able to get to NY. It seems like it'd even be a good resource for locals.

Interesting but focus was on free items and food and admission but only minimally included "cheap" items like places to eat, play tickets to get by going to kiosks.

\*Very\* glad I came across this little treasure - will be using it during my upcoming trips to New York. Appears to be \*quite\* helpful. (Also just buy a good used copy).

Will be a useful resource on visits and for my kid who lives there. Concise and even humorous, but needs a cross-reference by neighborhood.

great, lots of ideas.

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