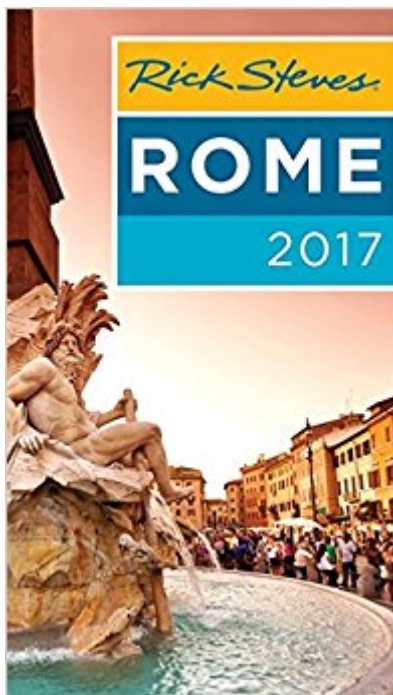


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# Rick Steves Rome 2017



## Synopsis

You can count on Rick Steves to tell you what you really need to know when traveling in the Eternal City of Rome. With the self-guided tours in this book, you'll walk the same streets as the Caesars and discover the secrets of the Colosseum and the Roman Forum. Learn how to avoid the lines at the Vatican Museum and St. Peter's Basilica. Take a night walk across the city and enjoy floodlit fountains and piazzas. Then grab a sidewalk table at the locals' favorite trattoria and watch the world go by. Rick's candid, humorous advice will guide you to good-value hotels and restaurants. You'll learn how to navigate the Rome Metro and which sights are worth your time and money. More than just reviews and directions, a Rick Steves guidebook is a tour guide in your pocket.

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## Customer Reviews

Since 1973, Rick has spent about four months a year exploring Europe. His mission: to empower Americans to have European trips that are fun, affordable, and culturally broadening. Rick produces a best-selling guidebook series, a public television series, and a public radio show, and organizes small-group tours that take over 20,000 travelers to Europe annually. He does all of this with the help of a hardworking, well-traveled staff of 100 at Rick Steves' Europe in Edmonds, Washington, near Seattle. When not on the road, Rick is active in his church and with advocacy groups focused on economic justice, drug policy reform, and ending hunger. To recharge, Rick plays piano, relaxes at his family cabin in the Cascade Mountains, and spends time with his partner Trish, son Andy, and daughter Jackie. Gene Openshaw is a writer, composer, tour guide, and

lecturer on art and history. Specializing in writing walking tours of Europe's cultural sights, Gene has coauthored 10 of Rick's books and contributes to Rick's public television series. As a composer, Gene has written a full-length opera (Matter), a violin sonata, and dozens of songs. He lives near Seattle with his daughter, and roots for the Mariners in good times and bad.

I've always enjoyed Rick Steves books and this one does not disappoint from a content point of view. My one Huge disappointment is that this book has been printed with the thinnest paper possible without it coming apart as you turn the pages. You can clearly see the print from the opposite page coming through. I don't like that at all!

This is the usual update from Rick Steves on Rome - I think i have bought every edition. Each edition is better than the last really. Up to date info and a very pleasing read as well!

With my iPad and a copy of Rick Steves' Rome, I was ready for the complete Rome. Best suggestion was to get a SIM card from TIM at the Rome airport. With that I was able to negotiate streets, find restaurants, and see the sights I'd researched. All I needed to know in a convenient portable package. Five stars!

I bought this as a gift for a cousin who hopes to go to Rome in the Fall. I used my copy a few years ago while we were in Rome, and it was invaluable.

Such a great travel guide. Very informative and I really liked the priority list of places to visit so it was easy to tell how to prioritize your time.

We love Rick Steve's travel books and the Rome edition was no disappointment. Highly recommended if you're doing Rome on your own.

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Had good information. Used it to plan a fun vacation.

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