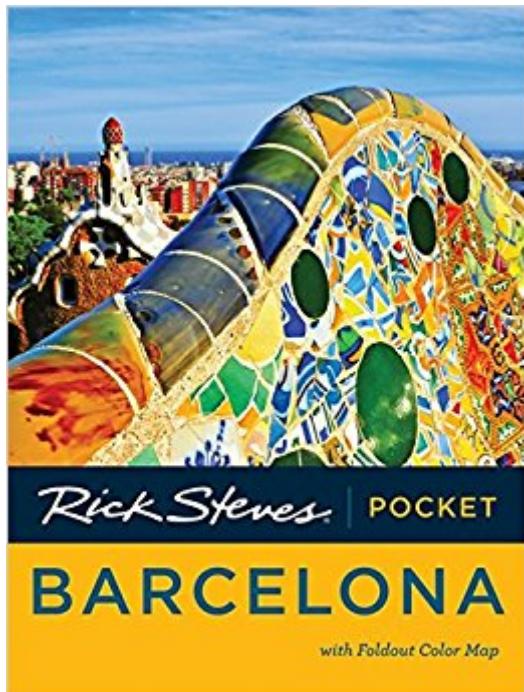


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# Rick Steves Pocket Barcelona



## Synopsis

Rick Steves Pocket guidebooks truly are a "tour guide in your pocket." Each colorful, compact 280-page book includes Rick's advice for prioritizing your time, whether you're spending 1 or 7 days in a city. Everything a busy traveler needs is easy to access: a neighborhood overview, city walks and tours, sights, handy food and accommodations charts, an appendix packed with information on trip planning and practicalities, and a fold-out city map. Rick Steves Pocket Barcelona includes the following walks and tours: Ramblas Ramble; Barri Gotic and Cathedral Tour; Picasso Museum Tour; Eixample Walk; Sagrada Familia Tour.

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## Customer Reviews

Rick Steves has spent 100 days every year since 1973 exploring Europe. Rick produces a public television series "(Rick Steves' Europe)," a public radio show "(Travel with Rick Steves)," and an app and podcast "(Rick Steves Audio Europe); " writes a bestselling series of guidebooks and a nationally syndicated newspaper column; organizes guided tours that take thousands of travelers to Europe annually; and offers an information-packed website (RickSteves.com). With the help of his hardworking staff of 80 at Europe Through the Back Door in Edmonds, Washington, just north of Seattle Rick's mission is to make European travel fun, affordable, and culturally broadening for Americans."

The map and information were basic but helpful in touring different sights throughout the city. It is

definitely not comprehensive due to the size, but the trade off by using it as a supplement to previous research and limiting weight in my purse was worth the price. Unfortunately, I did not notice that there were about 17 pages of the missing starting around page 160 until after I arrived in Barcelona. I can't provide the exact numbering as I discarded the book at the end of my trip to make room for souvenirs. For the price it's a decent investment. I'd pair it with another more detailed book for pre-trip planning and then just take the pocket version with you. Just check to ensure it's complete. Some have mentioned the map as useless, but I ended up using it rather than the full BCN map I purchased for 1 euro at the airport. It's just so compact and easy to refer to without unfolding a giant map that screams "I'm a tourist".

We took this book on our recent trip to Barcelona. It provided the perfect amount of information for the three days we visited the city, and was a wonderful guide through the amazing sights, particularly The Sagrada Familia and Park Guell.

Useless for tourists. Center of city frequented by travelers makes up 2 panels of the 48 panel map. Street names too small to be legible.

Awesome guide! Includes a pull-out map that is invaluable. The "walks" with where to go and what to see are perfect for the tourist. Sites are rated by must see, nice to see, and see if you have time. It has info on the Metro, getting advance tickets to attractions, best tapas places, everything! Perfect!

This is a pocket book so it's very small and will be easy to bring along. Like all other Rick Steve's book, it contains a treasure of information.

I enjoyed this book. I did a lot of bookmarking write-on tabs and highlighting especially on the maps. Rick Stevens does it again with a perfect pocket guide.

Have used Rick's books on many trips. Purchased this for our daughter to take on her honeymoon. They have found many interesting ideas, and reviews. They can't wait to use the information found.

My sister in law had recommended this to read and carry along. Love them. And I enjoy his travel monologues on PBS. Well worth the money to buy and very easy to carry around while traveling.

The map is a bonus. Highly recommend buing all the city guides.

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