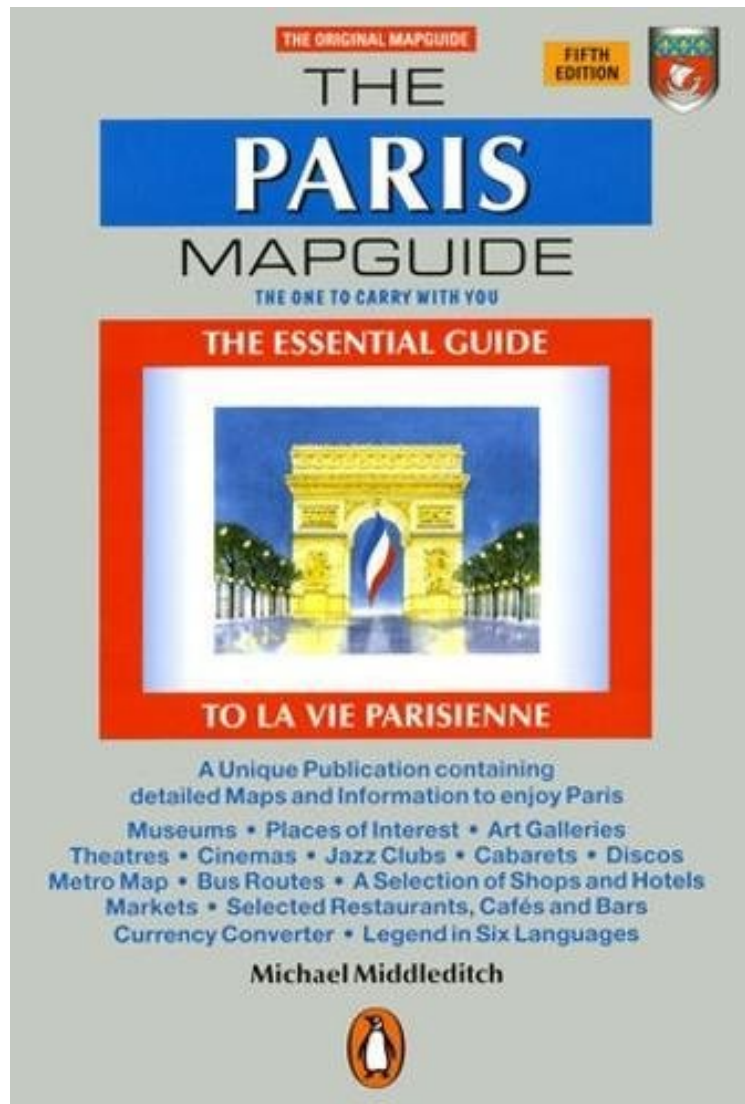


The Paris Mapguide

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Michael Middleditch : The Paris Mapguide before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Paris Mapguide:

9 of 9 people found the following review helpful. Don't head for Paris without this book! By E1. Product on : The photo on the description shows the 3rd edition of this book. When you click on the "Look Inside" on the description the next to the last page shows the book as the 3rd edition (published in 2006). HOWEVER, the book that was delivered to me was happily the 5th edition of this book (published in 2012). 2. 5th Edition Book Summary: Pages 2-3 are a very detailed colored coded Paris Metro map. Pages 4-15 contain a very brief summary of Paris history, and lists

of museums and art galleries, places of interest, churches of interest, shopping, and nightlife (all with map locations noted). Pages 16-17 are the maps section legend, pages 18-19 a map showing what the detailed maps cover, and pages 20-48 the main detailed maps. Page 49 contains information on parks and gardens and sports. Pages 50-53 contain information and detailed maps of the Bois de Boulogne, the Bois de Vincennes, and Versailles. Page 54 contains information on Entertainment. Pages 55-64 are a street index.

3. 5th Edition Review: This book is an easy to carry essential for a visit to Paris. This 5th edition is very similar to the prior edition I owned (2nd edition) with some added details. The maps on pages 20-48 are amazingly detailed. They show small streets, park paths, Metro lines and stops, bus routes, police stations, post offices (and more). Despite all this information, the maps are quite easy to read (though you may find a pair of reading glasses useful at times). The other information in the book is also very useful - for example, a list of the major Paris street markets showing the days and hours they are active. Because it is only 64 pages, this book is really not a replacement for a guidebook to Paris. But after you review your several hundred page long guidebook, and decide where you want to go, you can leave that huge book behind. This is the book with the maps and other information you will want/need when you are actually out and about in Paris. I would not have seen nearly as much of Paris and would not have enjoyed it nearly as much without this wonderfully helpful book.

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. **Marvelous Map!** By Copper Cavalier I've been using this map since 2012 and I love it! It is easy to use and has lots of interesting facts and information. Famous landmarks and metro stops are clearly designated. You can see the whole town at a glance, or specific areas page by page. This is not a complete guide book, but there is a brief overview of major attractions. I've taken this map to Paris over a dozen times and it has never let me down!

Note: These photos are from the fifth edition of The Paris Mapguide, dated 2012. 's photo shows the third edition, but I received the fifth edition. As far as I know, this is the latest edition. There have been several changes to the Metro system since this map guide was published, so be sure to get the latest updates before your trip!

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. **Excellent map!** By Lynn I bought this guide maybe 10 years ago for a vacation and I have since moved to Paris. While I can't guarantee those results for everyone, I can guarantee that this is an excellent map. I now own two copies and lend them to friends when they visit. Since I live here, I use my Google Maps app on my phone to navigate around town, but if you don't want to use data while roaming internationally, this is your best bet. The guide includes a little information on attractions/museums/etc, but I've really used it as a map only. I find it easier to read than many other maps I've seen.

Popular and portable, The Paris Mapguide-now in its second edition-contains everything visitors need to know to enjoy themselves in, get the best out of, and find their way around Paris. Its colorful, informative maps are easy to read and convenient to handle-no unfolding necessary. As terrific as the easily readable maps are, however, there is much more here. Packed into these 64 pages is a surprising amount of information about the many different sights and activities to see and do in and around the City of Light.

About the Author Michael Middleditch is the author of The Penguin London Mapguide, The Paris Mapguide, The New York Mapguide, The Penguin Map of Europe, The Penguin Map of North America, and The Penguin Map of the World.