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Gareth Renowden : The Truffle Book before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Truffle Book:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. The magic truffle!By R. GilchristThis book is a delightful introduction to the world of truffles - not chocolate ones but rather, those that grow underground. Gareth Renowden provides all the information you need to cook with truffles and even to understand from whence they derive their unique aroma. If you have ever seen truffles on a menu and wanted to know more before you taste, this is the place to start. Well written and well illustrated, this is a "must buy" for beginners and experts alike.

Truffles are underground mushrooms, powerfully scented and expensive, important in the finest French and Italian

cooking. They are used in the world's great restaurants and command exorbitant prices. Truffles attract enthusiastic gourmets for whom passion can turn into obsession. The Truffle Book is a perfect introduction to the pleasurable and mysterious world of truffles. Gareth Renowden explores the truffle forests of France and the truffle markets of Italy, discovers the new truffles of the American Northwest and the new plantations of Australia and New Zealand, and dispels a few myths along the way. There's advice on setting up a truffiere, training a dog to find truffles, how to buy truffles and avoid expensive mistakes, and how to cook the defining truffle dishes. If you've ever tasted truffle and wanted to know more, or want to know what all the fuss is about, The Truffle Book has the answers.

About the Author Gareth Renowden joined the ranks of truffle obsessives a long time ago, when he gave up life as a journalist, editor, photographer and magazine publisher in London to establish a truffiere, olive grove and vineyard in the Waipara Valley, New Zealand. He is present of the New Zealand Truffle Association.