

# 365 Intoxicating Drinks: The Outrageous Events That Inspired Them

From the moment humans discovered the intoxicating effects of alcohol, they have been creating new and ever more inventive ways to enjoy it. The result is a vast and ever-growing world of drinks, each with its own unique story to tell.



## The Daily Cocktail: 365 Intoxicating Drinks and the Outrageous Events That Inspired Them by Dalyn Miller

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In his new book, 365 Intoxicating Drinks, author Jay F. Brooks takes readers on a journey through this fascinating world, exploring the origins of some of the most iconic cocktails, beers, and spirits. Along the way, he uncovers the outrageous events and characters that have shaped the history of alcohol.

Brooks begins his journey with the earliest known alcoholic beverages, dating back to the Neolithic period. He then traces the development of

drinking cultures around the world, from the ancient Egyptians to the Vikings to the American colonists.

Along the way, he tells the stories of some of the most famous drinkers in history, including Ernest Hemingway, Winston Churchill, and Frank Sinatra. He also explores the role that alcohol has played in wars, revolutions, and other major historical events.

But Brooks's book is not just a history of alcohol. It is also a celebration of the joy and creativity that can be found in a well-made drink. He includes recipes for over 365 different cocktails, beers, and spirits, each with its own unique story to tell.

Whether you are a seasoned drinker or a curious newcomer, 365 Intoxicating Drinks is the perfect book for you. It is a fascinating and informative guide to the world of alcohol, filled with outrageous stories and delicious recipes.

**Here are a few of the many highlights from 365 Intoxicating Drinks:**

- The story of the first recorded cocktail, the Sazerac, which was created in New Orleans in the 1850s.
- The invention of the martini, one of the most popular cocktails in the world, which is said to have been created by a bartender in New York City in the 1860s.
- The rise of the speakeasy during Prohibition, when Americans turned to illegal bars to get their alcohol fix.
- The story of the Bloody Mary, which is said to have been created by a bartender in Paris in the 1920s.

- The invention of the pina colada, one of the most popular tropical cocktails in the world, which is said to have been created in Puerto Rico in the 1950s.

365 Intoxicating Drinks is a must-read for anyone who loves a good drink. It is a fascinating and informative guide to the world of alcohol, filled with outrageous stories and delicious recipes.



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