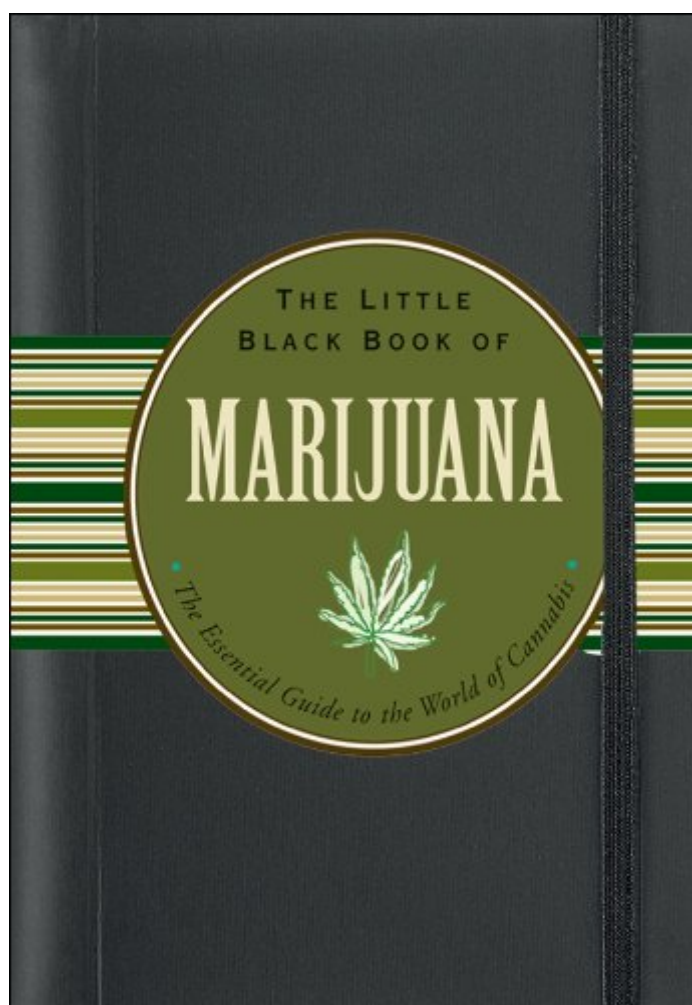


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The Little Black Book Of Marijuana: The Essential Guide To The World Of Cannabis



Synopsis

This concise guide to cannabis delves into pot culture and history, from Herodotus to the hippies and beyond. It also covers the essentials of using, cultivating, and cooking with weed; identifying pot varieties; and understanding legal and health issues. Handy and to the point, The Little Black Book of Marijuana gives you "the dope" on pot, from possible side effects and risks to medical uses and their efficacy. Learn about cannabis history and the issues around its legalization. Includes full-color photos of marijuana varieties."From cover to cover, The Little Black Book of Marijuana delivers exactly what it promises: An easy-to-read, well-researched informatively entertaining 'essential guide to the world of cannabis'....[I]f a cannabis fan was forced to choose one piece of weed-themed literature to bring with him or her to a deserted island (or even just on a long plane ride), it should probably be this one." --Seattle Weekly Blog"Calling Steve Elliott an accomplished journalist in the fields of drug policy reform and medical cannabis would be a significant understatement....[A]s far as broad-spectrum introductions go youâ™d be hard-pressed to find better." --4Evergreen Group

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Customer Reviews

This little black book is quite resourceful. It has many links and websites to go to and lookup. Such as recipes, resources, music, movies etc. It first gives you a rundown on a brief history of it by telling you that on how far it dates back, and how it was used in some religious rituals and so on. Then it goes further by telling you how it was adopted through one country to another, then eventually making its way to America and through generation movements through the 60's, Vietnam war, (famously remembered for) all the way up to now. Throughout the book and it'll provide you with links to each and every article per chapter. Then it goes into music and movies, and at the end, it gives you a whole list of links and sites to go to, to checkout. To me, I'd have to say the first half of this book was what I was really looking for. It went into...somewhat... of a social debate on why the substance is controversial. I think the message that the author Steve Elliot was trying to get at but failed to say was, each generation has it's own 'ethical' viewpoints. You look at the baby boomers that rebelled against their own parents, which their parents once thought that it's unethical to swear. Now the baby boomers rebelled against them, and not only swear, but used drugs to P*** them off too. Now you see the Baby boomers having kids of their own, and telling them not to do drugs, (namely MJ) because they don't want them to rebel against them. And not only that, but it reminds them on who they once were, and how they behaved. I take it you're beginning to see a cycle here? The only difference here is, that the 80's gen on up, are mostly aiming it at MJ and not the others because, according to both research and analysis say that it's perfectly safe. During the 60's not much research was aimed at MJ, and that generation wouldn't much care about the results either, because they were going to do it regardless whether it'll be healthy or not. Now you see the grandma and grandpa Baby Boomers and their ideologies are fading out of the way, (good riddance) and now you see 80's and even the millennials gradually coming up in the world with their own 'ethical' viewpoints. That's how the world works. MJ was famously known for the *PEACE* symbol not war. Those whom declared war on peace, were brainwashed at an early age by the rhetoric and hatred which kept them ignorant and bigoted from the truth. And because of these boldface lies that have been passed on from one generation to the next, it hurts to those that actually need that medicine. So whenever I see a cop on TV burning a pile of MJ in a bonfire, I think of a hairless child lying in a hospital bed dying, and saying to myself, "He could have used that."

I got this to give as a gift and really enjoyed giving it. It's very nice, high quality book. Gift quality. Very interesting read about the history and ins-and-outs of the world's favorite plant.

Fun Little Book!! Full Colored Pictures, Touches Up Your Knowledge of Cannabis everywhere from Where weed comes from - To Politics - To Easy to use recipes, And Beyond.. This IS an all around great Hand Book. It's WEED for Dummies.- BruhMonJee (YouTube - DJ - Entertainer)

I've been told that this little black book "covers the significance of the culture war of which marijuana has become emblematic; that's one thing that's a key to the intransigence of anti-marijuana forces, it feels like a surrender to the damn hippies." It did indeed and more. There is a surprising amount of information in this short book, presented in a style that reads with ease. This would be a great introduction to cannabis and an enjoyable read for the informed reader as well. Multiple sources for more information are included. Having enjoyed Steve Elliott's work on TokeOfTheTown.com for a few years, this was an exciting purchase to make and worth every little silver dime! I plan to make it repeatedly as I pass this gem on.

I have the hard copy of this book but I needed one for my Kindle Fire. This book is for anyone who isn't all that educated on the production, use and storage of cannabis. It is also a good reference for those in the know but say has been a long time since you've grown. Very simply put. Has detailed explanations of the subject matter. I would recommend it to users and the curious alike.

The book is dope! It is small and compact like I was hoping and it doesn't feel flimsy or anything. I can fit it in my jacket pocket or in my backpack without it taking up any space at all. The pages are of good quality and detail, and the information in the book is overwhelming (that's good). Definitely worth the price.

A good read

Here is a crash course on cannabis in a neat tiny package. If you are new to marijuana use and especially if you have never used marijuana, this book is an invaluable little reference that will give you the honest low down on the essential information you need to know. Author Steve Elliott, editor of the popular cannabis website Toke of the Town (Village Voice Media), puts myths to rest and addresses society's biggest concerns about cannabis with solid research and backed up by the latest scientific evidence. Not just for beginners, the Little Black Book of Marijuana makes a great resource for activists as it lets you quickly and easily put your fingers on facts and stats when you need them most. With this book as your guide, you'll be well prepared for the next impromptu

marijuana debate that breaks out (and you know they do). Even veteran marijuana enthusiasts will undoubtedly learn a new tidbit or two in these pages. Of course this tiny book isn't big enough to go into great depth, but after reading you'll have a solid basic knowledge of these cannabis related topics: Marijuana History, Marijuana and Health, Should Marijuana be Legalized?, Cannabis Cultivation, Medical Uses of Marijuana, Ways to Use marijuana, Marijuana Recipes, Varieties and Strains of Marijuana, Marijuana Culture

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