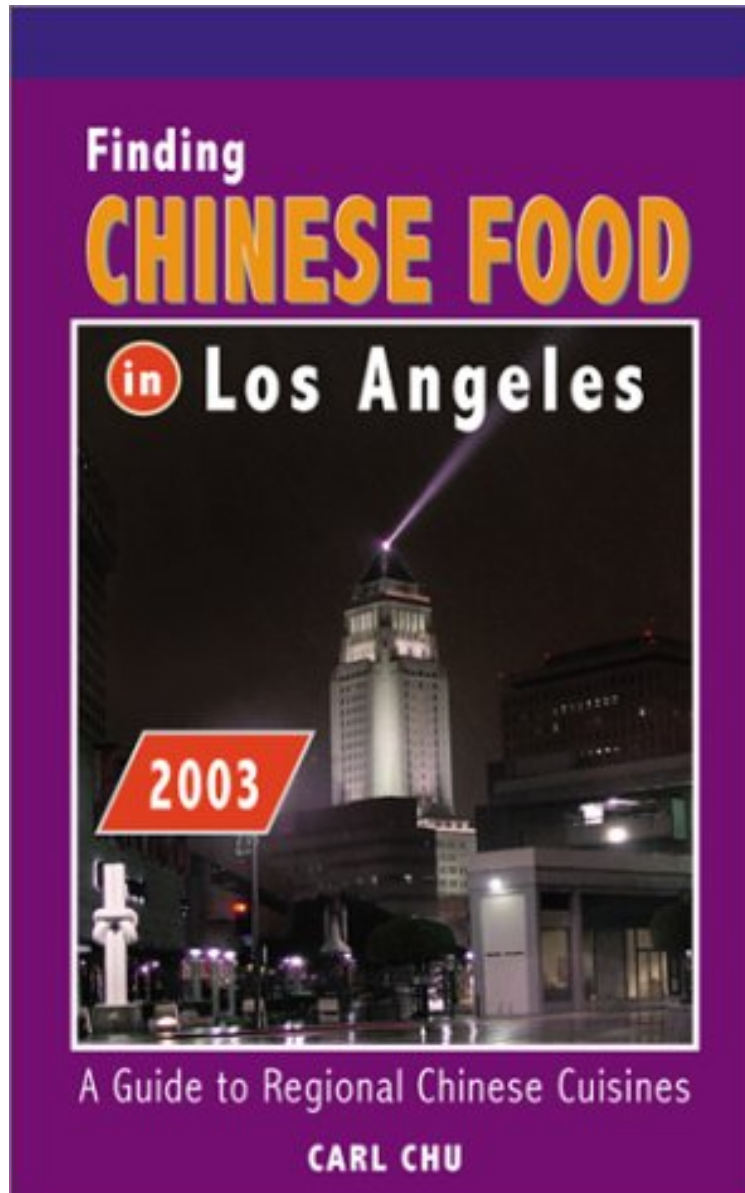


Finding Chinese Food in Los Angeles: A Guide to Regional Chinese Cuisines

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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Very informative book about Chinese food in Los Angeles
By Elizabeth A. Monacelli
This is a very nice book! I like the way the book breaks down the different regional cuisines of Chinese food and it also describes a nice array of Chinese ingredients which one can obtain here in LA. The book also features local Chinese hotspots for amazing food! I also like that the book has color coded pages which distinguish the various regions in China.
6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Much more than LA information
By Ralph Pine
This is a wonderful resource. Even without the huge selection of LA restaurants there is vast information about individual ingredients and individual dishes. Descriptions of Chinese banquets, the cuisine of Southern, Northern, Western, and Eastern China, arcane and great info for anyone who really loves and cares about Chinese food....it is all here with good photographs. The research is impressive and it is a fun read.
0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. good but needs an update
By AlexSuperFire
If you were to eat one cuisine in LA, it should be Chinese food. It's a revelation compared to how Chinese food is experienced in other parts of the US. But the problem with reviewing Chinese food in Los Angeles is that the Chinese food scene in LA is so competitive with such a high turnover rate. Restaurants come and go and are replaced by others. There needs to be an updated guide every few years.

Amazingly, the large influx of Chinese immigrants in Los Angeles provides a spectacular - and unlikely - venue for the best Chinese food in North America. Everything from Beijing Duck to the cooking of Zhejiang province can be found in America's most culturally dynamic city. With sharp insights and over 100 original photos, this book provides vital information on Chinese restaurants and representative regional dishes for visitors and locals alike. It is also a must-have for all food lovers wanting to discover more to Chinese food beyond the routine of Moo-shoo Pork and the Two-item Combo.

From the Publisher
This is the book that kicked off L.A.'s brand new awareness for Chinese Food in the area. After sensationalizing the Southland for over a year, it is officially out of print. However, it is available only here for collectors who want a copy the "original". The sequel, "Chinese Food Finder - Los Angeles and the San Gabriel Valley" (ISBN: 1932296034) is now available. It is more of a restaurant guide, with lots of updated information about what dishes to order and where to go. As such, "Finder" does not contain many of the photos and background material contained in this book.