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**Pierre Herme : La Patisserie de Pierre Hermeacute; (English and French Edition)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised La Patisserie de Pierre Hermeacute; (English and French Edition):

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instance). Gelatin is used in sheets in the book, so don't forget to put in about 1 T water for every 1/2 t of powder you use (if you're american and use gelatin powder) It helps to have "desserts by pierre herme" by Pierre and Dorie Greenspan to "convert" back and forth units, since some cakes are in both books. Sometimes you may want to substitute: ie regular genoise for Pierre's genoise, regular puff pastry for Pierre's inverted puff pastry. In these cases it helps to know what you are doing first. Overall: The best book period, in my opinion. Definitely worth the extra cost - it is worth 3 regular books. You have to know what you are doing first though, not for beginners. Other recommended books in the same French cake style: "desserts by pierre herme" by Herme and Greenspan, and "art of the cake" by Bugat and somebody else I forget. Both are great books (and a lot easier), though not as great as this one.

The Patisserie of Pierre Herme is one of the most comprehensive books and features author repertoire while working at Fauchon in Paris. Pierre Herme is one of the most prestigious pastry chefs on the planet. As head pastry chef of the famous Parisian establishment Fauchon and later with Ladurée, his proposals of new trends in flavors and textures have become a reference point for French and global pâtisserie. This book is an exceptional publication where the inspiration of Pierre Hermé is aimed directly at his colleagues. His technical knowledge, recipes, original processes, broad reaching advice, surprising ideas and personal tricks come together in order to produce a breadth of pâtisserie of incomparable quality. Mixing chocolate with cumin, or combining fruits with lavender or rose petals, are just a couple examples of his search for new flavors.