

PATRICIA WELLS BIOGRAPHY

BORN: November 5, 1946 Milwaukee, Wisconsin U.S.A.

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PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

1980-2007: Restaurant Critic, THE INTERNATIONAL HERALD TRIBUNE

1988 to 1991: L'EXPRESS Paris, restaurant critic

1976 to 1980: THE NEW YORK TIMES, food writer and editor

1972 to 1976: THE WASHINGTON POST, copy editor, free lance

AUTHOR OF:

WE'VE ALWAYS HAD PARIS...AND PROVENCE, William Morrow 2008

VEGETABLE HARVEST, William Morrow, 2007

THE PROVENCE COOKBOOK, HarperCollins 2004

THE PARIS COOKBOOK, HarperCollins 2001

PATRICIA WELLS AT HOME IN PROVENCE Scribner 1996, 1999

L'ATELIER OF JOEL ROBUCHON, Van Nostrand Reinhold, 1998

PATRICIA WELLS' TRATTORIA William Morrow & Co. 1993, 1995, 2001

SIMPLY FRENCH William Morrow & Co, 1991, 1995

BISTRO COOKING, Workman, 1989

THE FOOD LOVER'S GUIDE TO FRANCE, Workman, 1987

THE FOOD LOVER'S GUIDE TO PARIS, Workman, 1984, 1988, 1993, 1999

AWARDS:

2008: Nomination, James Beard Best Single Subject Cookbook: Vegetable Harvest

2006 Honorary Degree, Gastronomic Journalism, U.W.-Milwaukee

2005 James Beard Best European Cookbook: The Provence Cookbook

2004 French Food Spirit Award from the French Government

2002 Nomination, James Beard Best European Cookbook: The Paris Cookbook

2001 Best French Cookbook in English/Paris Cookbook/Gourmand World

1999 Versailles World Cookbook Award: For Best Promotion of French Cuisine

1997 James Beard Best European Cookbook: Patricia Wells at Home in Provence

1992 James Beard Best European Cookbook: Simply French

1992 James Beard Who's Who of Food & Beverage in America

Who's Who in the World, 10th, 11th, 12th editions

1989 IACP Award, Best European Cookbook, Bistro Cooking

1989 Chevalier de l'Ordre des Arts et des Lettres, contribution to French culture

IN TRANSLATION:

MERVEILLEUX LEGUMES, Lattes (French) 2007

PATRICIA WELLS TRATTORIA, Editorial Zendera Zariquiey (Spanish) 2001

LES PROMENADES D'UNE GOURMANDE, Lattes (French) 2001

THE PARIS COOKBOOK Kyle Cathie (UK) 2001

MA CUISINE EN PROVENCE Lattes (French) 1997, 1998

PATRICIA WELLS AT HOME IN PROVENCE Kyle Cathie (UK) 1997, 1998

L'ATELIER DE JOËL ROBUCHON, Hachette (French) 1996

TRATTORIA Muller Ruschlikon Verlag (German) 1995

TRATTORIA Ediouro (Portuguese) 1995

SIMPLY FRENCH Shibata (Japanese) 1995
PATRICIA WELLS TRATTORIA Lattes (French) 1995, 1999, 2006
DIE BISTRO KUCHE Heyne (German) 1994
COZINHA DE BISTRO Ediouro (Portuguese) 1994
PATRICIA WELLS TRATTORIA Bosch & Keuning (Dutch) 1992
TRATTORIA Kyle Cathie (UK) 1993, 1995, 1999
BISTRO COOKING Arrow (UK) 1992
HET LEKKERSTE BISTRO KOOKBOEL Bosch & Keuning (Dutch) 1992
LE MEILLEUR & LE PLUS SIMPLE DE ROBUCHON Laffont (French) 1992, 1999
BISTRO MAT FRAN FRANSKA KVARTERSKROGAR Bonniers (Swedish) 1991
200 MEILLEURES RECETTES DE BISTROT Lattes (French) 1991, 1993
BISTRO COOKING Kyle Cathie (UK) 1990, 1993, 1999
PARIS GOURMAND Flammarion (French) 1989
FINJNOROEVERSGIDS VOOR PARIJS Bosch & Keuning (Dutch) 1988
REISBOEK FRANKRIJK VOOR FIJNPROEVEERS Bosch & Keuning (Dutch) 1988
LA FRANCE GOURMANDE Flammarion (French) 1988
THE FOOD LOVER'S GUIDE TO PARIS Methuen (UK) 1985, 1989, 1993
PARIS FUR FEINSCHMECHER DuMont (German) 1985
PARIJS VOOR SMULLERS (Gottmer) Dutch 1985

EDUCATION:

The University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee: Bachelor of Arts—Journalism 1968;
The University of Wisconsin – Madison Master of Arts – Journalism 1972