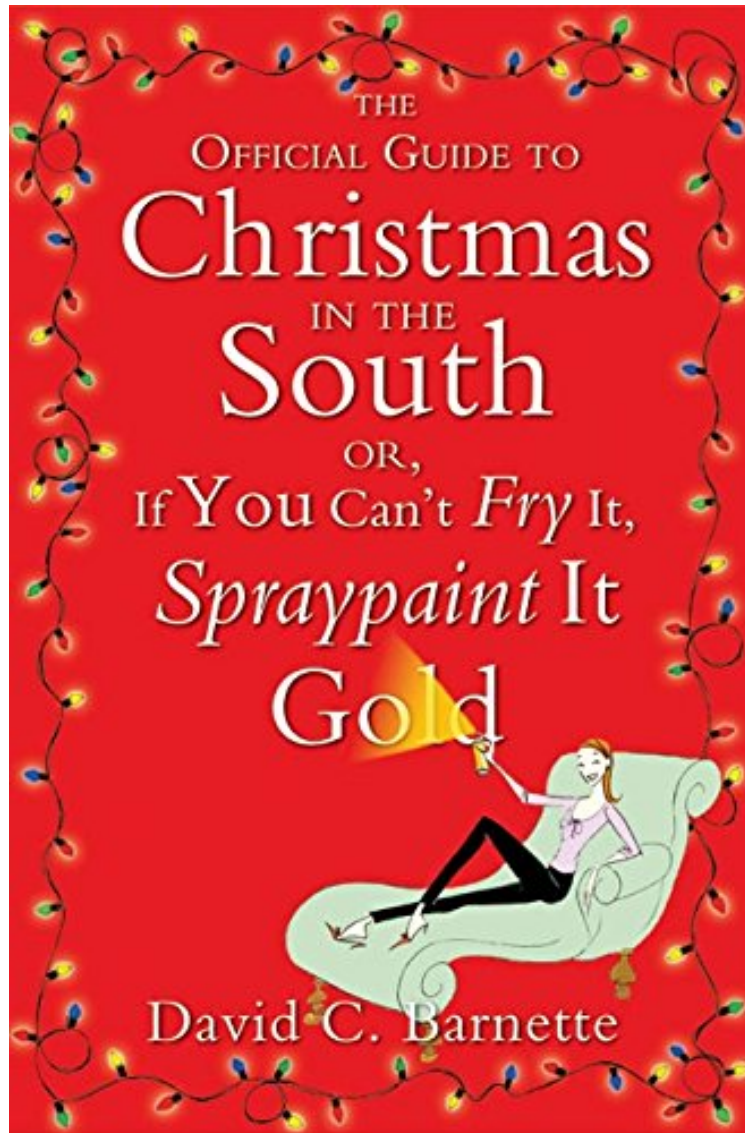


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it simple, I bought this as a gift for my wife who is an absolute Christmas junkie and starts planning the next Christmas somewhere just before Valentine's Day. This book is very short, but it hits home with ladies that are like her and all the female "Clark Griswald's" of the world. It's about overdoing Christmas and it struck a chord with her on almost every page. I read through it, she read it, and she laughed a lot - I take that as a good sign. I've also noticed most people who don't like this book are not from the south. Surprise, if you're from Montana, you're probably not going to find this book very amusing. Also, if you're not a chronic Christmas over-achiever, you're also probably not going to find this book very interesting. Not a bad little book at all and I'd recommend it for anyone with a wife who thinks she's Martha Stewart. My only complaint, it is a brief read - one or two hours, tops, and you're done with this book - not very much text. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. I read this book in an hour and I'm easily distracted by shiny objects (yet, oddly, I don't spraypaint things gold). It's a precious attempt, but nothing more than an outline. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A tongue and cheek look at the Holidays in the South. By NC Darling Being a good southern girl, this was needed for my coffee table during the holidays. The antidotes in the collection will bring smiles and in a few cases, tears, to your eyes. I have pulled this out every holiday and always find an unsuspecting guest picking it up and unable to put it down. Of course, there are a few things in the book almost every good southern home has been guilty of but its all in good fun! This ain't your Southern Living version of Christmas.

No place celebrates Christmas like Dixie, and with this charming, humorous guide, anyone can learn how to deck the halls, Southern style. It's the one time of the year when both the divine and debutantes take center stage in a perfect storm of hot glue and cheese grits: Christmas. But successfully navigating through the holiday season can be more complex than Santa's midnight journey. There are pitfalls hotter than any chimney -- and social situations more slippery than any roof! But now *The Official Guide to Christmas in the South* has arrived to reveal the finer and sometimes unspoken details of Dixie etiquette. Perfect for a true Southerner's coffee table or an imposter's survival guide, *The Official Guide to Christmas in the South* is the gift that will keep on regifting season after season.

"A laugh-out-loud look at how people living south of the Mason-Dixon celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ." (Mobile Register) "Tongue-in-cheek... well written and funny, the quirky descriptions of Christmas events are sure to bring you holiday cheer." (Southern Living) "A hoot... a great way to get in the mood for the approaching holidays with a laugh." (News-Star (Monroe, LA)) "If you were born south of the Mason-Dixon... Read it before you rewrap that fruitcake." (Miami Herald) "If you're not stopping traffic, you're not decorating hard enough. These... secrets of Southern yuletide will get you through the season." (Creative Loafing) About the Author David C. Barnette celebrates Christmas in coastal Alabama with his wife, Ashley, and daughters Cailey and Sibley. He received his MFA in writing from Vermont College.