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# Pierogi Love: New Takes On An Old-World Comfort Food





## Synopsis

This tasty tribute to the pierogi takes a familiar wrapping and stuffs it with a host of unconventional, innovative, and decidedly non-traditional fillings. With 60 sweet and savory recipes that include everything from the classic Polish cheddar and potato offerings to American-inspired Reuben pierogies and fried apple pie-rogies to worldly fillings like falafel and Nutella, there's a pierogi for every party and every palate! Each recipe comes with a charming story from Barber's extensive explorations in pierogi flavors.CASEY BARBER is a freelance food writer, photographer, and editor of the critically acclaimed website Good. Food. Stories. Her work has appeared in numerous national publications including Gourmet Live, ReadyMade, Today.com, The Kitchn, and DRAFT. Casey is also the author of Classic Snacks Made from Scratch: 70 Homemade Versions of Your Favorite Brand-Name Treats (Ulysses Press, 2013) and the co-writer of Inspired Bites: Unexpected Ideas for Entertaining from Pinch Food Design (Stewart, Tabori & Chang, 2014).

## **Book Information**

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### **Customer Reviews**

"What I adore about Pierogi Love is that it does for pierogies what my blog has done for cupcakes  $\tilde{A}$ ¢ $\hat{a} \neg \hat{a} œ$  it pushes the boundaries of pierogies. The book begins by sharing a basic savory and a basic sweet pierogi dough and detailing assembly, cooking, and storage procedures. Then, it moves on to the fillings. This is where the book gets fun! " (Stefani Pollack Cupcake Project 2015-07-27)"I must say these pierogies are a great option to have available at your holiday festivities." (Kristina Gill Design Sponge 2015-07-03)"What we loved: The overall creativity and variety that Pierogi Love

delivers to dumpling lovers. Greek Lamb, Santa Fe-rogies, Maple Breakfast Sausage, and even Cheesy Pretzel Pierogies. We could have a different pierogi every week for over a year! There are no shortages of sweet variations either. We are eager to try Sour Cherry, Nutella with Bananas Foster Sauce, Fried Apple Pie-rogies, and Pineapple-Coconut Pierogies. We are excited when a cookbook brings us wonderful choices and unusual twists on classic recipes." (Jenny Hartin Tastebook 2015-07-13)

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This is a wonderful book, a ton of fun and easy to use. Anyone who doesn't love dumplings of some sort is not a proper Homo sapiens, and the pierogi is one of the best. As Casey illustrates, you can basically make the pierogi your own by filling it with... whatever. And she does. I am especially fond of her braised short rib pierogis, which I made with venison.Best part of the book: Her master recipes for the dough. Memorize these and you are off to the races with whatever filling suits your fancy.Regret: I wish she had more traditional pierogi recipes. I know the focus of the book is on a modern take (thus the title), but as this is likely to be the best pierogi book you'll ever buy, I would have welcomed a few more old favorites.Regardless, this is a worthy addition to your cookbook collection.

Being from Pittsburgh myself and a pierogi lover, once I saw the dedication "To Pittsburgh, which always has my heart", I knew I had to get this book. I got one for myself and one for my sister as a Christmas gift.I've only made one recipe so far from the book (the potato and cheddar filled). I had tried my hand at making pierogies years ago from some old recipes, but they would fall apart in the water. When I followed the directions in this book they came out great, and not one fell apart. The directions and notes in this book are detailed and helpful for a quality end result. Looking forward to trying some other of the recipes.A couple notes when making the recipes:-Have a large chunk of time - this one batch took me most of the afternoon from start to finish, but I was enjoying the process...-Add salt to taste for the filling (mine was too salty after following the recipe)Regarding the gift copy, my sister wrote to me: "VERY MUCH looking forward to trying all the really, really cool pierogi recipes. That book is awesome!! Thanks again!" So I'd say she likes it too :)

Best pierogi book out there, period. Tons of ideas to contemporize your pierogi cooking. I wanted to elevate mine and this book really helped give me ideas.

This recipe book has every derivation of pierogi that you can think of (and a bunch more that you didn't think of!). The pictures are beautiful. I highly recommend it!

I have been making cheese, sauerkraut, and potato pierogi for over 40 years. This book is very interesting in that it has recipes that cover a very wide range of fillings. Some of these fillings are "exotic" for my taste; such as peanut butter, nutella, Jalapeno mac & cheese, etc. For this reason I only gave it 4 stars.

For those that have never made pierogies, the recipes are easy to follow, and the options are plentiful....for those experienced with regular potato piergoy-making will enjoy the large variety of fillings offered. If there is any classic sandwich, it is offered here in the form of a pierogi. While I would personally choose not to eat certain types of fillings, there are plenty of recipes to please every palate, both sweet and savory.

I got this for my mom, it has a huge variety of recipes that she's looking forward to making with simple instructions.

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