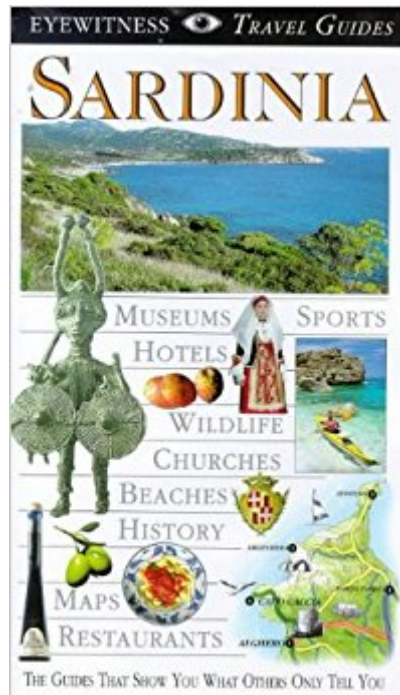


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Regarding the other two reviews, unfortunately the internet has not yet fully arrived in Sardegna, so the book has not left them out so much as there are none.

Very well written book about the island with pictures. The only thing it lacks is current websites for the area. Would like to see more info on La Maddalena.

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