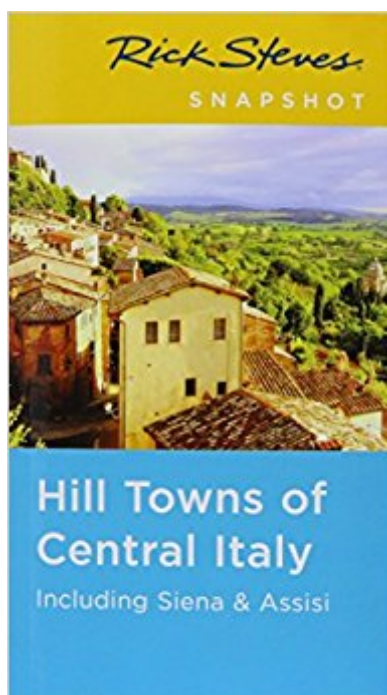


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this is the perfect "carry in your pocket" tour guide of some of the most fascinating parts of Tuscany. Forget Florence and Siena (not that there is anything wrong with the big cities). Explore Todi and Volterra. This is where you will find Italians, not tourist.

this book had great info about Siena and San Gimignano which is what I was looking for and did not find anywhere else

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