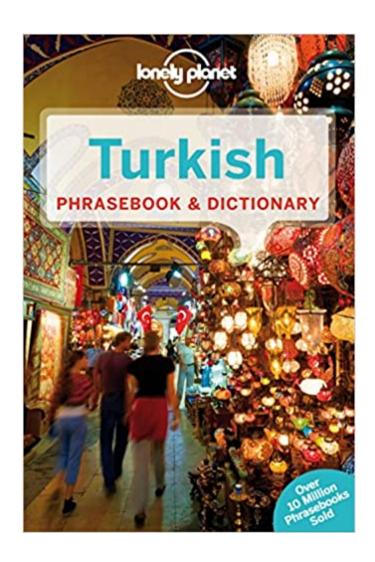


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I found this phrasebook indispensable on my recent trip to Turkey if for no other reason than the menu decoder - several pages of English translations of the names of Turkish foods and dishes, many of which I was unfamiliar with, especially in restaurants where the menu is more varied. I found it also helpful to learn a few phrases from the book over the course of my trip, such as "how much is this," "where is...", "do you have...", as my experience was that there were not very many English speakers, even in the bigger cities. I would take this book again on my next trip and would probably continue to find it useful if I had the opportunity to stay in the country for an extended period of time.

We used this as a guide when in Istanbul. It helped a lot.

Love it

Clear and concise. Of great help to people needing learning rapidly Turkish

Great guide book with tips and places to stay and what to see. I wish there was more information

out there about transportation, but I couldn't find that on most websites or in most books. Overall it's a good book to have.

Was as handy as it should have been.

This is really a useless book if an easy to use phrase book is what you want. Instead, what you get is a mini-course in Turkish. By the time one is able to look up how to say please, you can download Google Translate for you smartphone, download the Turkish language package, type in "please" and get Google Translate to pronounce it for you. My girl friend and I had a huge laugh with with the romance section. There is actually an entry for the phrase " Touch me here." The scene progresses to "I won't do it without protection" and then on to "Oh, my God!" Can you imagine being in throes of sexual delight and then running to get your phrase book to say that? The romance chapter concludes with the Turkish for "Will you meet my parents" and then, of course "Will you marry me?" A simple "May I please have the check?" however is harder to find. If this sounds like a comedy routine, it isn't. If returning it didn't cost as much as I spent for it back it would go.

Not well organized, and some translations were off.

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