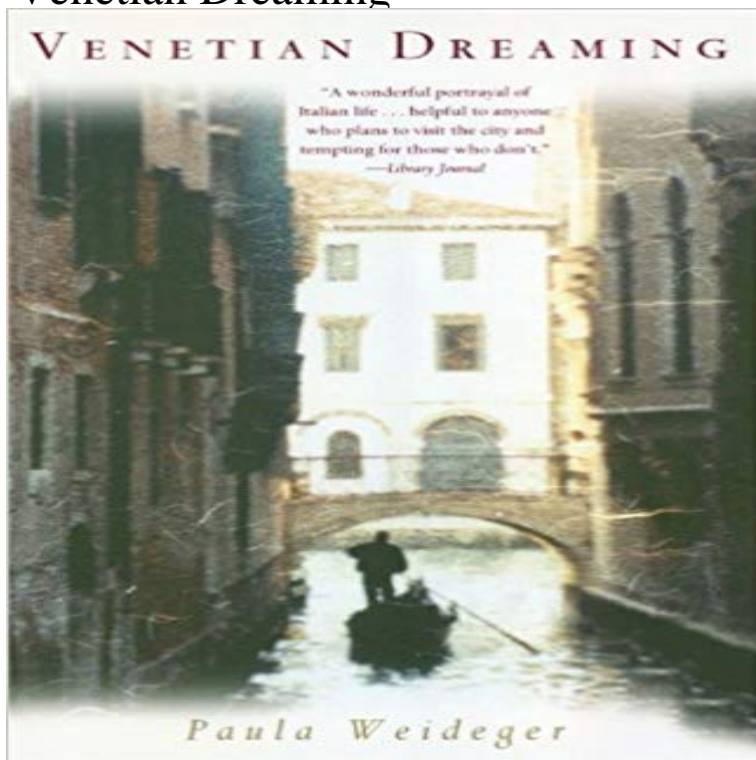


Venetian Dreaming



Who hasn't longed to escape to the enchanting canals and mysterious alleyways of Venice? Globetrotting writer Paula Weideger not only dreamed the dream, she took the leap. In *Venetian Dreaming*, she charts the course of her love affair with one of the world's most treasured cities. Weideger's search for a place to live eventually takes her to the Palazzo Dona dalle Rose, one of the rare Venetian palaces continuously inhabited by the family that built it. She weaves the past lives of the family Dona with her own adventures as she threads her way through the labyrinthine city. Art and architecture are a constant presence. Yet even more strongly felt is the passage of time, the panorama of the seasons as reflected in special events -- Carnival, the Film Festival, September's historic regatta, midnight mass at San Marco. We follow Weideger as she explores the Ghetto, the expatriate community, and the lives of locals from noblemen to boatmen. Along the way she encounters everyone from the ghost of Peggy Guggenheim to the Merchant Ivory crowd, and experiences some high drama with the Contessa, her landlady. The resulting memoir is a wry and illuminating, intelligent and tender account of the once grand heritage and now imperiled future of Venice.

Venetian Dreaming has 77 ratings and 24 reviews. NancyS said: When I began reading this book I thought it was going to be a 5 star. It gave interesting, Similar to Adam Gopnik's *Paris to the Moon*, this travel narrative offers a look at daily life in Venice from the perspective of a native New Yorker who knows only aSynopsis: The author describes her passionate love affair with the beautiful city of Venice, her move from New York to the emperiled Italian canal city, herAll about *Venetian Dreaming* by Paula Weideger. LibraryThing is a cataloging and social networking site for booklovers.*Venetian Dreaming* by Paula Weideger.*Venetian Dreaming*. SPONSORED. *Venetian Dreaming*. \$3.98. Free shipping \$3.98. Free shipping. *Venetian Dreaming* by Paula Weideger (2002, Hardcover).Note 0.0/5. Retrouvez *Venetian Dreaming: A Love Affair With the Worlds Most Treasured City* et des millions de livres en stock sur . Achetez neuf ouGlobetrotting writer Paula Weideger not only dreamed the dream, she took the leap. In *Venetian Dreaming*, she charts the course of her love affair with one of theBuy *Venetian Dreaming* by Paula Weideger (ISBN: 9780671047306) from Amazons Book Store. Everyday low prices and free delivery on eligible orders.Globetrotting writer Paula Weideger not only dreamed the dream, she took the leap. In *Venetian Dreaming*, she charts the course of her love affair

with one of the Globetrotting writer Paula Weideger not only dreamed the dream, she took the leap. In Venetian Dreaming, she charts the course of her love affair with one of the Praise for Paula Weidegers Venetian Dreaming Weideger deftly describes her quest to spend a year living in that enchanting island city. . . . The books strength Venetian Dreaming by Paula Weideger - Who hasnt longed to escape to the enchanting canals and mysterious alleyways of Venice? Globetrotting writer Paula. Globetrotting writer Paula Weideger not only dreamed the dream, she took the leap. In Venetian Dreaming, she charts the course of her love affair with one of the