



Chapter 5 The History of Ice Cream

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Ancient Ice Cream

The history of ice cream began in ancient times. (1. _____) it was more like sherbet (2. _____). There are (3. _____), but most historians agree that the first ice cream was enjoyed in China around 200 B.C. There people put (4. _____). Later, this custom reached Europe. In Italy, the Roman Emperor Nero enjoyed (5. _____) between his violin lessons. He ordered his servants to go to nearby mountains to collect some snow and (6. _____). The snow was then mixed with honey, fruit juices, and nuts.

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Marco Polo and a New Era of Ice Cream

There is a theory that ice cream was introduced to Italy along the Silk Road. We can find a description of Chinese iced sweets in *The Travels of Marco Polo*. Marco Polo spent 24 years (1. _____). While he was traveling, he learned how to make ice cream from Chinese people and (2. _____). At first it became famous in Venice and then spread throughout Italy. (3. _____) of ice cream began in the sixteenth century. The fact (4. _____) was discovered. Thanks to this discovery, iced sweets last longer.

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To France and America

(1.) between the children of elite Italian and French families, the cooks of Queen Catherine de Medici served “Flower of Milk”.

(2.) rich milk, honey, and ice.

(3.) , various ice cream recipes were served to the Italian and French royalty.

Ice cream probably reached America (4.) and quickly became a favorite dessert of American Presidents. George Washington and Thomas Jefferson both (5.) to their guests. The first newspaper advertisement for ice cream appeared in the 1770s, (6.) in New York City (7.) .

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Ice Cream Today

For a long time, ice cream was eaten (1.) . Later, a very important development came: the invention of the ice cream cone. In 1904, at the St. Louis World’s Fair, Ernest A. Hamwi was selling waffles. When the ice cream seller (2.) , Hamwi wrapped the ice cream in waffles, and the rest is history. Now we can enjoy ice cream (3.) .

There are many types of ice cream. Have you ever tried *wasabi* ice cream? It may sound terrible, (4.) ice cream around the world. When you have ice cream next time, think about its long history. This (5.) .