



# Life in Blue: Bugatti

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- Like Ferrari or Lamborghini, every sports car enthusiast is fascinated by the history of Bugatti, a manufacturer that has been producing some of the fastest, most luxurious, and most expensive cars in the world for a century
- Few books have been dedicated to this exceptional manufacturer

Christian Martin, author of *Life in Ferrari Red* and *Best of Porsche*, presents his new work dedicated to the most exclusive and expensive car manufacturer in the world (a Bugatti Chiron costs €2.4 million). In 1998, Bugatti rose from its ashes under the aegis of the Volkswagen Group. After a long period of inactivity and a failed revival attempt in Italy, the brand finally made a comeback under the guidance of a powerful industrial group. This unique destiny—marked by drama and brilliant achievements—is what this book reveals. It offers a stunning rediscovery, through magnificent photography, of the diversity of Ettore and Jean Bugatti's work across the major periods of an adventure that is as much human as it is industrial. All the iconic models of this prestigious brand are showcased through rich, highly aesthetic, and varied imagery. The ultimate book for seeing life in Bugatti blue!

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