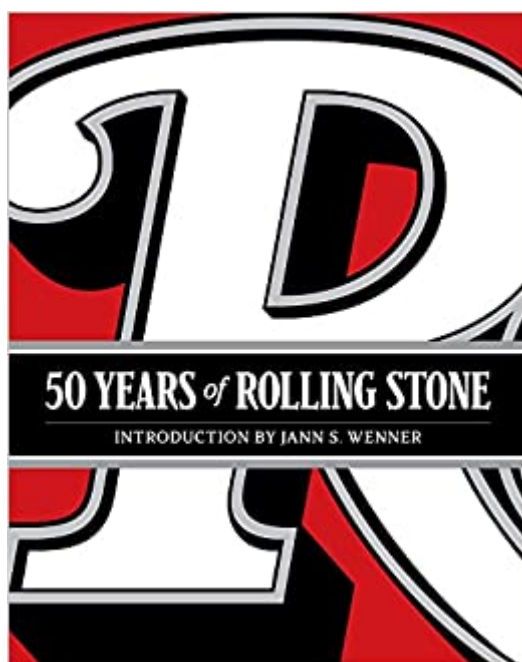


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# 50 Years Of Rolling Stone: The Music, Politics And People That Shaped Our Culture



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For the past fifty years, Rolling Stone has been a leading voice in journalism, cultural criticism, and—above all—music. This landmark book documents the magazine's rise to prominence as the voice of rock and roll and a leading showcase for era-defining photography. From the 1960s to the present day, the book offers a decade-by-decade exploration of American music and history. Interviews with rock legends—Bob Dylan, Mick Jagger, Kurt Cobain, Bruce Springsteen, and more—appear alongside iconic photographs by Baron Wolman, Annie Leibovitz, Mark Seliger, and other leading image-makers. With feature articles, excerpts, and exposés by such quintessential writers as Hunter S. Thompson, Matt Taibbi, and David Harris, this book is an irresistible and essential keepsake of the magazine that has defined American music for generations of readers.

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My husband bought this for me as a Mother's Day gift after hearing it promoted on NPR. I am so

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I've subscribed to Rolling Stone since the first issue in 1967 & this is a fantastic compilation book of all those years

Bought as a gift and he liked it a lot. Very nice photos and interesting articles. I would definitely recommend it for any age rock- n-roll fan.

This was a walk down memory lane. The book highlighted some wonderful moments to remember!

A good book about the history of Rolling Stone magazine. If you don't have the time or the energy to read every issue, then this is the next best thing

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