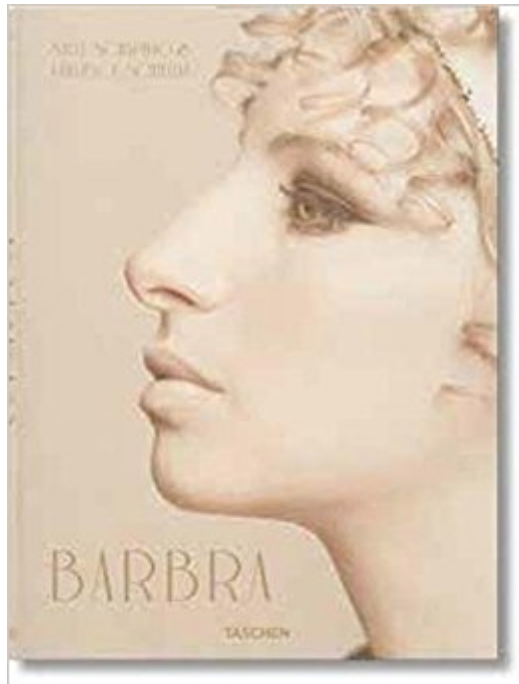


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Barbra Streisand: Steve Schapiro & Lawrence Schiller



Synopsis

Pitch perfect From *Funny Girl* to *A Star Is Born*, the meteoric rise of Barbra Streisand In 1970 Barbra Streisand published a story in *Life* magazine titled “Who Am I Anyway?” It was the very question two leading photojournalists of the day—Steve Schapiro and Lawrence Schiller—were also asking as they photographed her during her first five years in Hollywood, working to get beneath the veneer and capture “the real Barbra.” Brimming with photographs, stories, and behind-the-scenes shots from Schapiro and Schiller, and previously available only as a limited edition, this is a must-have collection for any Streisand fan. All the best movies of Streisand’s first Hollywood decade are here: *Funny Girl*, *On a Clear Day You Can See Forever*, *The Way We Were*, *The Owl and the Pussycat*, *Up the Sandbox*, *Funny Lady*, and *A Star Is Born*. So too are her loves, directors, confidants, and costars: Elliott Gould, William Wyler, Sydney Pollack, Vincente Minnelli, Cis Corman, Omar Sharif, Kris Kristofferson, and, of course, Robert Redford. Through it all a picture emerges not of a singer who could act, but of an actress who could sing, write, direct, dance, and do just about anything she put her mind to.

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Steve Schapiro is a distinguished journalistic photographer whose pictures have graced the covers of *Vanity Fair*, *Time*, *Sports Illustrated*, *Life*, *Look*, *Paris Match*, and *People*, and are found in many museum collections. He has published five books of his work, *American Edge*, *Schapiro’s Heroes*,

The Godfather Family Album, Taxi Driver, and Then and Now. In Hollywood he has worked on more than 200 motion pictures; his most famous film posters are for Midnight Cowboy, Taxi Driver, Parenthood, and The Godfather Part III. Lawrence Schiller began his career as a photojournalist for Life, Time, and Paris Match, photographing some of the most iconic figures of the 1960s, from Lee Harvey Oswald to Robert F. Kennedy, from Ali and Foreman to Redford and Newman. His book projects include the Pulitzer Prize-winning book, The Executioner's Song, by Norman Mailer, and five New York Times bestsellers. He has directed or produced 20 motion pictures for television; The Executioner's Song and Peter the Great won five Emmys. Patt Morrison is a Los Angeles Times writer and columnist with a share of two Pulitzer prizes. She has six Emmys and ten Golden Mike awards for her public broadcasting work, and is the author of a best-selling book on the L.A. River. Lawrence Grobel has written 20 books relating to writers, the entertainment industry, and its stars; and conducted the October 1977 Playboy interview with Barbra Streisand. Nina Wiener studied literature and art history at Vassar College in New York before falling in love with making books. Since 2002 she has edited dozens of titles for TASCHEN, including Walton Ford's Pancha Tantra, Norman Mailer's MoonFire, and Lawrence Schiller's Marilyn & Me.

A gorgeous big book!!! I have waited a long time for this beautiful book and almost didn't buy it because of the size and the cost, but I am so happy I have it! Some of the most glorious shots of Ms Streisand that I have ever seen! There are many shots new to me and some old, but so worth having in such a large size! This is really worth every penny and it makes for a fabulous coffee table book! This is an absolute must for every Barbra fan!!!

The collection of photos included in this beautiful book are stunning, and so fascinating to look at all together. Any Streisand fanatic would appreciate this collection

Amazing photos!!! Best part was the recollections of the photographers on the subject. Love that she is portrayed as professional, talented with a clear understanding of what works best for her and the project she is involved in.

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Beautiful book, love the photos!!

Package came on time , intact and the price was right!!!

Amazing new large sized coffee table book with pictures of an early Barbra Streisand.Lots of never before seen photos.My only gripe is the print is tiny, and hard to read.

Gorgeous photos!!

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