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**Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young**-David Browne 2019-04-02 "In what is the most comprehensive biography of the group to date, Browne compiles a fun and fast-paced music history.... an authoritative chronicle." --Publishers Weekly The first and most complete narrative biography of Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young, by acclaimed music journalist and Rolling Stone senior writer David Browne Even in the larger-than-life world of rock and roll, it was hard to imagine four more different men. David Crosby, the opinionated hippie guru. Stephen Stills, the perpetually driven musician. Graham Nash, the tactful pop craftsman. Neil Young, the creatively restless loner. But together, few groups were as in sync with their times as Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young. Starting with the original trio's landmark 1969 debut album, the group embodied much about its era: communal musicmaking, protest songs that took on the establishment and Richard Nixon, and liberal attitudes toward partners and lifestyles. Their group or individual songs--"Wooden Ships," "Suite: Judy Blue Eyes," "After the Gold Rush," "For What It's Worth"

(with Stills and Young's Buffalo Springfield), "Love the One You're With," "Long Time Gone," "Just a Song Before I Go," "Southern Cross"--became the soundtrack of a generation. But their story would rarely be as harmonious as their legendary and influential vocal blend. In the years that followed, these four volatile men would continually break up, reunite, and disband again--all against a backdrop of social and musical change, recurring disagreements and jealousies, and self-destructive tendencies that threatened to cripple them both as a group and as individuals. In Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young: The Wild, Definitive Saga of Rock's Greatest Supergroup, longtime music journalist and Rolling Stone writer David Browne presents the ultimate deep dive into rock and roll's most musical and turbulent brotherhood on the occasion of its 50th anniversary. Featuring exclusive interviews with David Crosby and Graham Nash along with band members, colleagues, fellow superstars, former managers, employees, and lovers--and with access to unreleased music and documents--Browne takes readers backstage and onstage, into the musicians' homes, recording studios, and psyches, to chronicle the creative and psychological ties that have bound these men together--and sometimes torn them apart.

This is the sweeping story of rock's longest-running, most dysfunctional, yet pre-eminent musical family, delivered with the epic feel their story rightly deserves.

**CSNY**-Peter Doggett 2019-04-02 "A must for CSNY fans." —Kirkus Reviews, starred review The first ever biography focused on the formative and highly influential early years of "rock's first supergroup" (Rolling Stone) Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young—when they were the most successful, influential, and politically potent band in America—in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of Woodstock and the formation of the band itself. 1969 to 1974 were true golden years of rock n' roll, bookmarking an era of arguably unparalleled musical power and innovation. But even more than any of their eminent peers, David Crosby, Stephen Stills, Graham Nash, and Neil Young channeled and broadcast all the radical anger, romantic idealism, and generational angst of their time. Each of the members had already made their marks in huge bands (The Hollies, Buffalo Springfield, The Byrds), but together, their harmonies were transcendent. The vast emotional range of their music, from delicate acoustic confessionals to raucous counter-culture anthems, was mirrored in the turbulence of their personal lives. Their trademark may have been vocal harmony, but few—if any—of their contemporaries could match the recklessness of their hedonistic and often combative lifestyles, when the four tenacious, volatile, and prodigal songwriters pursued chemical and sexual pleasure to life-threatening extremes. Including full color photographs, CSNY chronicles these four iconic musicians and the movement they came to represent, concentrating on their prime as a collective unit and a cultural force: the years between 1969, when Woodstock telegraphed their arrival to the world, and 1974, when their arch-enemy Richard Nixon was driven from office, and the band (to quote Graham Nash himself) "lost it on the highway." Even fifty years later, there are plenty of stories left to be told about Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young—and music historian Peter Doggett is here to bring them to light in the meticulously researched CSNY, a quintessential and illuminative account of rock's first supergroup in their golden hour for die-hard fans, nostalgic flower-children, and music history aficionados alike.

**Four Way Street**-Dave Zimmer 2009-06-16 Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young

have been hailed as "The American Beatles" and "Folk-Rock's Mount Rushmore." They launched a trail-blazing acoustic-electric sound in 1969 and have been captivating listeners with their music ever since. Coming together as refugees from three seminal '60s bands—the Byrds, Buffalo Springfield and the Hollies—the combined talents of David Crosby, Stephen Stills, Graham Nash and Neil Young have influenced several generations of musicians while proving to have enduring appeal to fans of all ages. As rock and roll's first "supergroup," CSNY generated an enormous amount of media scrutiny—from their galvanizing appearance at Woodstock to multi-platinum, chart-topping albums such as *Deja Vu*, from David Crosby's miraculous recovery from life-threatening addictions to the band's resurgence for enormously successful concert tours. Now, noted CSNY historian Dave Zimmer distills the best of the journalism on these four remarkable artists, ranging from group portraits to individual profiles to in-depth interviews to incisive commentary by such writers as Cameron Crowe, Ben Fong-Torres and David Crosby himself. *4 Way Street: The Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young Reader* is an open window into one of the most popular groups of all time, offering a fascinating look at their highly charged musical relationships and how they have changed over the decades, along the way revealing a colorful chronicle of the music of an era that continues to echo into the new millennium.

**Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young**-Johnny Rogan 1996 This book is a long overdue dissection of the CSN&Y phenomenon, emphasizing their extraordinary odyssey over three decades. Obviously, the major part of this work concerns itself with their time workings as CSN&Y and, wherever possible, I have included a detailed breakdown of their various concert performances and recording sessions during these crucial periods.

**Crosby-Stills-Nash (and Young)**-Dave Zimmer 2000

**Wild Tales**-Graham Nash 2013-09-17 From Graham Nash—the legendary musician and founding member of the iconic bands Crosby, Stills & Nash and The Hollies—comes a candid and riveting autobiography that belongs

on the reading list of every classic rock fan. Graham Nash's songs defined a generation and helped shape the history of rock and roll—he's written over 200 songs, including such classic hits as "Carrie Anne," "On A Carousel," "Simple Man," "Our House," "Marrakesh Express," and "Teach Your Children." From the opening salvos of the British Rock Revolution to the last shudders of Woodstock, he has rocked and rolled wherever music mattered. Now Graham is ready to tell his story: his lower-class childhood in post-war England, his early days in the British Invasion group The Hollies; becoming the lover and muse of Joni Mitchell during the halcyon years, when both produced their most introspective and important work; meeting Stephen Stills and David Crosby and reaching superstardom with Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young; and his enduring career as a solo musician and political activist. Nash has valuable insights into a world and time many think they know from the outside but few have experienced at its epicenter, and equally wonderful anecdotes about the people around him: the Beatles, the Stones, Hendrix, Cass Elliot, Dylan, and other rock luminaries. From London to Laurel Canyon and beyond, *Wild Tales* is a revealing look back at an extraordinary life—with all the highs and the lows; the love, the sex, and the jealousy; the politics; the drugs; the insanity—and the sanity—of a magical era of music.

**Songbook**-Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young 1977

**Fire and Rain**-David Browne 2012-07-24 Set against a backdrop of world-changing historical and political events, *Fire and Rain* tells the extraordinary story of one pivotal year in the lives and music of four legendary artists, and reveals how these artists and their songs both shaped and reflected their times. Drawing on interviews, rare recordings, and newly discovered documents, acclaimed journalist David Browne "allows us to see—and to hear—the elusive moment when the '60s became the '70s in a completely fresh way" (Mark Harris, author of *Pictures at a Revolution*).

**So Many Roads**-David Browne 2015-04-28 The Grateful Dead's long, strange trip has been the subject of countless books—but none like *So Many*

*Roads*. Drawing on new interviews with surviving members and people in their inner circle along with previously unknown details gleaned from the group's extensive archives, David Browne, acclaimed music journalist and contributing editor at *Rolling Stone*, lends the Dead's epic story the vivid feel of a novel. He sheds new light on the band's beginnings, music, dynamics, and struggles since Jerry Garcia's death in 1995. No longer dismissed as relics of the hippie era, a new generation has lionized the Dead for creating a culture that paved the way for social networking, free music swapping, and the uncompromising anti-corporate attitude of indie rock. Now, fifty years after the band first began changing rock 'n' roll—both sonically and psychically—*So Many Roads* paints the most vivid portrait yet of the Grateful Dead, one of the most enduring institutions in American music and culture.

**The Best of Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young for Guitar [music]**-Warner Brothers 1988-09-01 Includes: Suite: Judy Blue Eyes \* Teach Your Children \* Woodstock \* Our House and more!

**Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young's 50-Year Quest**-Robert McParland 2019-04-26 Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young, with their distinct vocal harmonies, blending of rock, jazz, folk, and blues, and political and social activism, have remained one of the most enduring musical acts of the 1960s. This book examines their songs and themes, which continue to resonate with contemporary listeners, and argues that Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young reflect part of the broader story of American culture. This appreciative volume contextualizes their work within the political climate of the late 1960s, and makes the case that the values and concerns expressed in their music thread through the American experience today.

**Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young**-David Crosby 1995 From one of the greatest super groups in rock, here are 24 songs that helped form the soundtrack for the '60s and '70s. Titles include: Carry On/Questions \* 49 Bye-Byes \* Dark Star \* Guinevere \* Helpless \* Helplessly Hoping \* Long Time Gone \* Love the One You're With \* Ohio \* Our House \* Southern Cross

and more.

**Prisoner of Woodstock**-Dallas Taylor 1994 Published to coincide with the 25th anniversary of Woodstock, here is the explosive memoir of Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young's drummer. From his Woodstock appearance to his descent into heroin addiction to his eventual, triumphant recovery, Taylor takes readers through his own story--and that of an entire generation.

**Hotel California**-Barney Hoskyns 2006 Tells the story of Los Angeles, from the dawn of the singer- songwriter era in the mid-Sixties to the peak of The Eagles' success in the late Seventies. This is a tale of songs and sunshine, drugs and denim, genius and greed, and is an account of the LA Canyons scene between 1967 and 1976.

**Best of Crosby, Stills & Nash (Songbook)**-Crosby, Stills & Nash 2005-06-01 (Guitar Recorded Versions). 19 of CSN's best in note-for-note guitar notation with tablature. Includes: Carry Me \* Carry On \* Chicago \* Got It Made \* Long Time Gone \* Love the One You're With \* Our House \* Suite: Judy Blue Eyes \* Teach Your Children \* and more.

**Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young/American Dream**-David Crosby 1989-03-01 Includes: American Dream \* Got It Made \* Name of Love \* Don't Say Goodbye \* Shadowland \* Clear Blue Skies \* That Girl and others.

**Bill Graham Presents**-Bill Graham 2004-05-05 The national best-selling autobiography of Bill Graham, the colorful, larger-than-life architect of the modern concert industry

**Crosby, Stills & Nash - Guitar Chord Songbook**-Crosby, Stills & Nash 2014-06-01 (Guitar Chord Songbook). Lyrics, chord symbols, and guitar chord diagrams for 37 hits from the kings of rock harmonies, including:

Almost Cut My Hair \* Carry On \* Chicago \* Dark Star \* Deja Vu \* Just a Song Before I Go \* Love the One You're With \* Marrakesh Express \* Our House \* Southern Cross \* Suite: Judy Blue Eyes \* Teach Your Children \* and more.

**The Best of Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young**-David Crosby 1995 John Brimhall has successfully arranged this supergroup's greatest hits for easy piano. The titles are: Carry On \* Country Girl \* Déjà Vu \* Everybody I Love You \* 4 + 20 \* Guinnevere \* Helpless \* Helplessly Hoping \* Long Time Gone \* Marrakesh Express \* Our House \* Suite: Judy Blue Eyes \* Teach Your Children \* Wooden Ships \* You Don't Have to Cry.

**Shakey**-James McDonough 2010-07-01 Neil Young is one of rock and roll's most important, influential and enigmatic figures, an intensely reticent artist who has granted no writer access to his inner sanctum -- until now. In Shakey, Jimmy McDonough tells the whole story of Young's incredible life and career: from his childhood in Canada to the founding of folk-rock pioneers Buffalo Springfield; to the bleary conglomeration of Crazy Horse and simultaneous monstrous success of Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young; to the depths of the Tonight's the Night depravity and the strange changes of the Geffen years; and Young's unprecedented nineties "comeback" with Ragged Glory and Harvest Moon. No detail is spared -- not the sex, drugs, relationships, breakups, births, deaths, nor the variety of chameleon-like transformations that have enabled Young to remain one of the most revered musical forces of our time. Shakey (the title refers to one of Young's many aliases) is not only a detailed chronicle of the rock era told through the life of one uncompromising artist, but the compelling human story of a lonely kid for whom music was the only outlet; a driven yet tortured figure who learned to control his epilepsy via "mind over matter"; an oddly passionate model train mogul who -- inspired by his own son's struggle with cerebral palsy -- became a major activist in the quest to help those with the condition. Based on interviews with hundreds of Young's associates (many speaking freely for the first time), as well as extensive exclusive interviews with Young himself, Shakey is a story told through the interwoven voices of McDonough -- biographer, critic, historian, obsessive fan -- and the ever-cantankerous (but slyly funny) Young himself, who puts his biographer

through some unforgettable paces while answering the question: Is it better to burn out than to fade away?

**This Day in Music**-Neil Cossar 2010 Based on the massively popular Web site [thisdayinmusic.com](http://thisdayinmusic.com), this extraordinary day-by-day diary recounts the musical firsts and lasts, blockbuster albums and chart-topping tunes, and other significant happenings on each of the 365 days of the year.

**33 Revolutions per Minute**-Dorian Lynskey 2011-04-05 Dorian Lynskey is one of the most prominent music critics writing today. With *33 Revolutions Per Minute*, he offers an engrossing, insightful, and wonderfully researched history of protest music in the twentieth century and beyond. From Billie Holiday and Woodie Guthrie to Bob Dylan and the Clash to Green Day and Rage Against the Machine, *33 Revolutions Per Minute* is a moving and fascinating portrait of a century of popular music that tried to change the world.

**Stephen Stills - Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young**-Harry Harrison 2020-06-09 Stephen Arthur Stills, born on January 3rd, 1945, Dallas, Texas, US, is a singer, songwriter, multi-instrumentalist, producer & political activist, best known for his part in Buffalo Springfield and Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young. As both a solo act and member of two successful groups, he's sold over 35 million L.P.s., being ranked # 28 in Rolling Stone magazine's list of The 100 Greatest Guitarists of All Time during 2003 then # 47 in their list of 2011. He became the first artist to be inducted twice on the same night into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, Neil Young having stated, "Stephen is a genius".

**Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young**-David Browne 2019

**Backstage Pass**-Joe Vitale 2008 Get a Backstage Pass for all the craziness of rock 'n' roll! After years of hearing the comment, ""You should write a

book,"" world renowned drummer Joe Vitale finally takes you backstage for a rare and intimate look behind the scenes, as told to his wife of thirty-five years, Susie Vitale. This book includes Joe's all-time favorite stories and over a hundred pages of his personal photographs. *Backstage Pass* is a very personal, humorous, and nostalgic history-in-stories from on the road and in the studio, spanning over forty years of his rock 'n' roll drumming career. His stories, dating right up to 2008, include experiences with legendary performers such as Crosby, Stills and Nash, The Eagles, Dan Fogelberg, Peter Frampton, Ted Nugent, Joe Walsh, Neil Young, Ringo Starr, John Lennon, Keith Richards, Bill Wyman, Ronnie Wood, Carl Wilson, Rick Derringer, Van Morrison and many more. Vitale's many songwriting credentials include the classic, "Rocky Mountain Way" from "The Smoker You Drink, The Player You Get" album by Joe Walsh and, "Pretty Maids All In A Row" from The Eagles album, "Hotel California." Vitale has two solo albums and is releasing his third, "Speaking In Drums," the summer of 2008. His son, Joe Vitale Jr.'s album, which Joe Sr. produced called, "Dancing With Shadows" will also be simultaneously released. Joe continues to tour, record, write, produce, and has no plans for slowing down. The foreword for *Backstage Pass* is written by David Crosby, Graham Nash, and Stephen Stills.

**Special Deluxe**-Neil Young 2015-12 Quirky and wonderfully candid, Neil Young's second book of reminiscences is as compelling as his first book. He returns with more unforgettable stories about his six decades in the music business - but this is not your average rock biography. He centres this work on one of his life's passions, cars, using the framework of all the cars he's ever owned to construct a narrative of his life and career, exploring and demonstrating how memories are attached to objects. Young also expresses regret for the environmental impact of his past cars, and now passionately advocates the use of clean energy. 'Special Deluxe' is a mix of memoir and environmental politics by one of the most gifted and influential artists of our time.

**The Complete Guide to the Music of Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young**-Johnny Rogan 1998 A guide to the music of Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young. It seeks to examine every recorded song in their catalogue to date, and acts

as a consumer's critical guide. Shaped like a CD box, it is designed to sit alongside the reader's existing CD collection.

**Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young**-Dan Fox 1971

**Larger Than Life**-Maria Sherman 2020-07-21 This nostalgic, fully-illustrated history of boy bands -- written by culture critic and boy band stan Maria Sherman -- is a must-have for diehard fans of the genre and beyond. The music, the fans, the choreography, the clothes, the merch, the hair. Long after Beatlemania came and went, a new unstoppable boy band era emerged. Fueled by good looks and even greater hooks, the pop phenomenon that dominated the '80s, '90s, and 2000s has left a long-lasting mark on culture, and it's time we celebrate it. Written by super fan Maria Sherman for stans and curious parties alike, *Larger Than Life* is the definitive guide to boy bands, delivered with a mix of serious obsession and tongue-in-cheek humor. *Larger Than Life* begins with a brief history of male vocal groups, spotlighting The Beatles, the Jackson 5, and Menudo before diving into the building blocks of these beloved acts in "Boy Bands 101." She also focuses on artists like New Edition, New Kids on the Block, Backstreet Boys, \*NSYNC, One Direction, and BTS before ending with an interrogation into the future of boy bands. Included throughout are Tiger Beat-inspired illustrations, capsule histories of the swoon-iest groups, in-depth investigations into one-hit wonders, and sidebars dedicated to conspiracy theories, dating, in-fighting, haters, fan fiction, fashion (Justin and Britney in denim, of course), and so much more. Informative, affectionate, funny, and never, ever fan-shaming, *Larger Than Life* is the first and only text of its kind: the ultimate celebration of boy bands and proof that this once maligned music can never go unappreciated.

**Jeff Buckley**-Mary Guibert 2019-10-15 The journals, notebooks, musings, and early song drafts of Jeff Buckley, the late singer best-known for the definitive version of "Hallelujah" and his classic album *Grace*, including dozens of evocative photos of his personal effects and ephemera. After the release of his acclaimed debut album, *Grace*, in 1994, Jeff Buckley quickly

established himself as one of the decade's most defining talents in pop music: a singer, guitarist, and songwriter with a multi-octave range whose tastes took in rock, blues, jazz, hardcore, Qawwali music, and even show tunes. Hailed by the likes of Bono, Jimmy Page, and Robert Plant, *Grace* showcased Buckley's voice, passion, and influences and pointed to an inordinately promising future. Three short years later, at the age of thirty, he tragically drowned in Memphis. But his legend and stature have only grown since; in recent years, everyone from Adele to Coldplay to Radiohead has spoken of the impact Buckley's music had on them. For much of his life, Buckley diligently kept journals recording his goals, inspirations, aspirations, and creative struggles. These diaries amount to one of the most insightful life chronicles any musical artist has left behind. *Jeff Buckley: His Own Voice* marks the first-ever publication of Buckley's handwritten account of his journey from his days in Los Angeles in the late '80s through shortly before his passing. Combined with reproductions of other memorabilia--including letters, notes, and unpublished lyrics--this book takes readers and fans deep into Buckley's mind and life.

**Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young**- 1975

**Looking Forward - Crosby Stills Nash & Young**-Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young

**Crosby, Stills & Nash**-Dave Zimmer 2008-09-23 Chronicles the trio that began its career at Woodstock and wrote such classics as "Suite: Judy Blue Eyes" and "Teach Your Children," taking an honest look at the personal successes and failures behind the harmonious music.

**Lynyrd Skynyrd**-Gene Odom 2003-10-01 An illustrated tribute to the legendary rock band chronicles the history of Lynyrd Skynyrd from their 1960s origins, through their rise to critical acclaim and commercial success, to the 1977 plane crash that took the lives of the band's founder, Ronnie Van Zant, and two fellow band members. Reprint.

**Neil Young FAQ**-Glen Boyd 2012-04-01 NEIL YOUNG FAQ: EVERYTHING LEFT TO KNOW ABOUT THE ICONIC AND MERCURIAL ROCKER

**Stephen Stills**-David Roberts 2016-10 Biography of Stephen Stills, singer-songwriter, who played guitar, keyboards and drums on the six-million-selling Crosby, Stills & Nash debut album.

**Goodbye 20th Century (Large Print 16pt)**-David Browne 2010-06-01 Rising from the drug-infested streets of '80s New York City, the incomparable Sonic Youth recorded some of the most important albums in alternative music history and influenced an entire generation of indie rockers. They helped spawn an alternative arts scene of underground films and comics, conceptual art, experimental music, even fashion. More than perhaps any band of their time, they brought art previously considered "fringe" into the mainstream - and irrevocably altered the cultural zeitgeist. Based on extensive research, exclusive band interviews, and unprecedented access to unreleased recordings and documents, Goodbye 20th Century is the definitive biography of the Velvet Underground of their generation.

**Eye to Eye**-Graham Nash 2004 Eye to Eye: Photographs by Graham Nash gathers for the first time more than 150 photographs by rock musician Graham Nash. While best known as a founding member of the supergroup Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young, Nash also developed a parallel career as a photographer, collector, and digital imaging pioneer. Inspired by his father, Nash began taking pictures at the age of 11. Spanning the years 1953 to 2000, the photographs in Eye to Eye include revealing portraits of family and friends, images of life on the road, still lifes and landscapes, street photographs, and a unique series of self-portraits in which Nash is often reflected in windows and mirrors. In 1971, Nash began collecting photographs, and by the late 1980s he had built one of the most important collections in private hands, including more than 2,400 prints by both early

photographers and modern masters of the medium. In 1990, he sold his collection at auction and invested the income from the sale in Nash Editions, the first fine-art digital printmaking studio in the world. In 1998, a traveling exhibition, Digital Frontiers: Photography's Future at Nash Editions, was organized by the George Eastman House International Museum of Photography in Rochester, New York.

**Electric Shock**-Peter Doggett 2015-08-27 Ambitious and groundbreaking, Electric Shock tells the story of popular music, from the birth of recording in the 1890s to the digital age, from the first pop superstars of the twentieth century to the omnipresence of music in our lives, in hit singles, ringtones and on Spotify. Over that time, popular music has transformed the world in which we live. Its rhythms have influenced how we walk down the street, how we face ourselves in the mirror, and how we handle the outside world in our daily conversations and encounters. It has influenced our morals and social mores; it has transformed our attitudes towards race and gender, religion and politics. From the beginning of recording, when a musical performance could be preserved for the first time, to the digital age, when all of recorded music is only a mouse-click away; from the straitlaced ballads of the Victorian era and the 'coon songs' that shocked America in the early twentieth century to gangsta rap, death metal and the multiple strands of modern dance music: Peter Doggett takes us on a rollercoaster ride through the history of music. Within a narrative full of anecdotes and characters, Electric Shock mixes musical critique with wider social and cultural history and shows how revolutionary changes in technology have turned popular music into the lifeblood of the modern world.

**Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young with Jackson Browne & J.D. Souther - The California Hungerton Benefit 1988**- 2015