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### Description:

**Rock on**

### From Elvis to Nirvana: the most important record covers in rock history

Album art is indelibly linked to our collective musical memories; when you think of your favorite albums, you picture the covers. **Many photographers, illustrators, and art directors have become celebrities from their album artworks**—the best examples of which will go down in history as permanent fixtures in popular culture.

Paying tribute to this art form, *Rock Covers* brings you a compilation of **more than 750 remarkable album covers**, from legendary to rare record releases. Artists as varied as **Elvis Presley, The Beatles, The Sex Pistols, Pink Floyd, The Cure, Iron Maiden**, and **Sonic Youth** are gathered together in celebration of the cover art that defined their albums and their cult status. Each cover is accompanied by a fact sheet listing the art director, photographer or illustrator, year, label, and more, while nearly 250 records that marked particular turning points for a band, an artist, or the music genre, are highlighted with short descriptions.

This far-reaching catalog of visualized rock is contextualized with **insider interviews** with five professionals who shaped the history of rock, and by **top-10 record lists from ten leading rock collectors**.

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