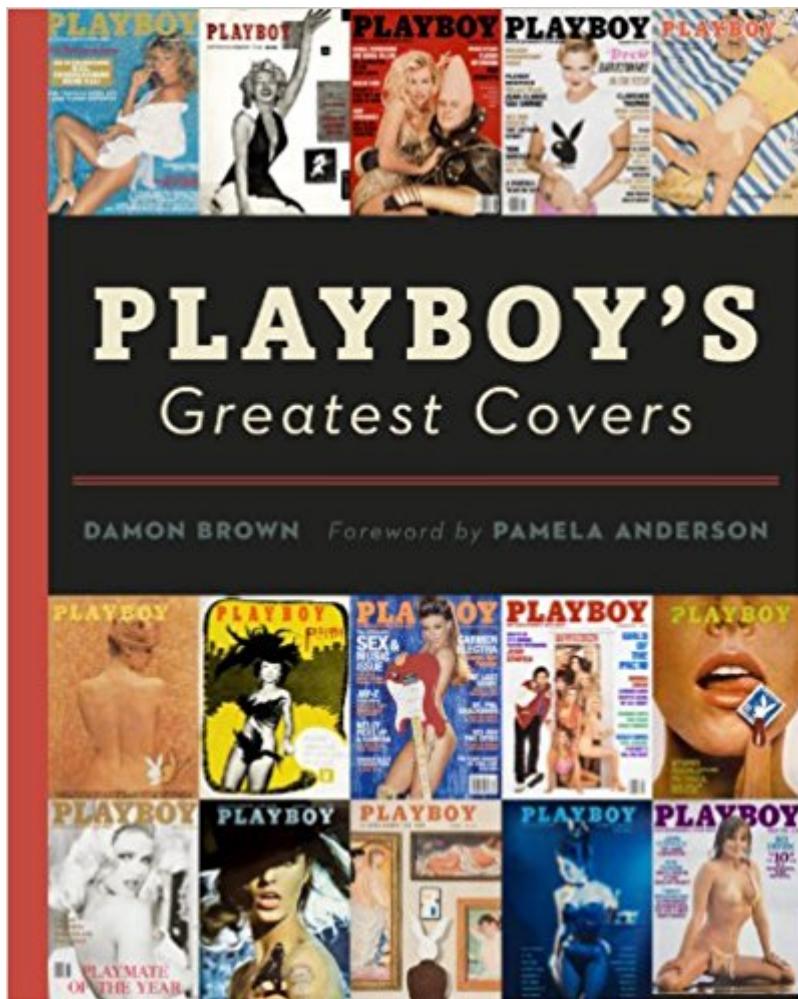


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Playboy's Greatest Covers



Synopsis

Ã¢â€”Å“I only read it for the articles.Ã¢â€”Å“ Few modern punch lines (and lies!) are as iconic as this one. But humor and good writing aside, the true allure of Playboy are the magazineÃ¢â€”â€œs spectacular cover images. The stunning women who graced these covers enticed millions from the fifties through the new millennium. Now Hugh Hefner has chosen 200 of PlayboyÃ¢â€”â€œs breathtaking, innovative covers for this lush retrospective, digitally reproduced and in color. Acclaimed author and long-time Playboy writer Damon Brown explores how the magazineÃ¢â€”â€œs newsstand decisions made an indelible impact on American culture, while ultimate Playmate Pamela Anderson provides an illuminating foreword.

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Damon Brown has written for both Playboy and Playboy.com for a decade. He is the author of nine books, including the critically acclaimed Porn & Pong: How Grand Theft Auto, Tomb Raider and Other Sexy Games Changed Our Culture. Read his writing at www.damonbrown.net and follow him online at www.twitter.com/browndamon.

Not just covers. Quick ship from this seller. 1 tear on binding cover but all like new and no pages stuck together. Cool wanted it for the history. My brother was the one that got the early history of Playboy. I'm sure they are locked up with all the baseball cards. So seeing these 1960's covers brings me back to my youth. Yeah they were sitting there to see. As any red blooded American kid I

peeked! Cool heavy book. My joke about getting the magazine was., "What articles"?

A most excellent overview of Playboy Magazine's covers which explored the largely unknown field of using unvarnished sex to sell a magazine.

I've been a fan of playboy magazine since the 70s and I've collected the publication since the early 80s and I've always enjoyed the covers and trying to find the rabbit image on everyone except the blatantly obvious ones , never saw the artistic one of the earlier years and they just floored me , Mr. Hefner had an incredible taste in photography & color , I enjoyed the book immensely .

PLAYBOY COVERS ARE GREAT:

A quality piece of Americana. A tasteful and artististic coffee-table book covering the socio-sexual history of the last half of the 20th century in the USA.

Great history of the covers with surprising explanations. Interesting to see the amount of thought that goes into the design.

This book and the hardcover playboy cartoons book are now permanent fixtures at the man cave. Highly recommended. Now if I could only buy all the covers as pieces of wall art ;)

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