**Book Review Links**

093

Silent Film Performers by Roy Liebman

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[A MUST HAVE FILM BOOK (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2LEXB4OFSEABR?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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092

The Rain May Pass by Alan Shayne

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[A PERSONAL MEMOIR OF COMING OF AGE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2L8YH5SJUTCN4?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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091

Chaplin at Essanay: A Film Artist in Transition, 1915-1916 by James L. Neibaur

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[CHAPLIN AT ESSANAY AT LAST (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3NGU2F0OS7P45?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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090

The Ile de France and the Golden Age of Transatlantic Travel: High Style on the High Seas by Thomas Kepler

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 090 by Stephen Michael Shearer – February 6, 2022

[A GREAT OCEAN LINER GIVEN HER DUE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R39J0K039AX581?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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089

Cary Grant, the Making of a Hollywood Legend (CULTURAL BIOGRAPHIES SERIES) by Mark Glancy

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 089 by Stephen Michael Shearer – February 6, 2022

[ACCURATE ACCOUNTING OF THE LIFE OF A SCREEN ICON (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2DH90FLBASGZX?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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088

Charles Walters: The Director Who Made Hollywood Dance (Screen Classics) by Brent Phillips

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[THE MAGNIFICENT CHARLES WALTERS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1XD9K1P7IBZRG?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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087

Letter from Hollywood: Inside the Private World of Classic American Moviemaking by Rocky Lang & Barbara Hall

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[A MUST HAVE HOLLYWOOD BOOK (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3I6VWY885YMMM?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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086

Which One Was David by David Frankham

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[A WONDERFUL LIFE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1CD3JMBTY1MO6?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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085

Music by Max Steiner: The Epic Life of Hollywood’s Most Influential Composer (Cultural Biographies) by Steven C. Smith

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[LONG AWAITED DEFINITIVE BIOGRAPHY OF A FILM GIANT (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3H8ERWXIILSVF?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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084

My West Side Story: A Memoir by George Chakiris

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[BELOVED ACTOR GIVES US HIS MEMOIR (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R9S8C7FODWVL1?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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083

Elizabeth and Monty: The Untold Story of Their Intimate Friendship by Charles Casillo

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[A LEGENDARY FILM COUPLE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R39NVC4777V0NB?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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082

Directed by William Beaudine: An Overview by James L. Neibaur

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[ABOUT WILLIAM BEAUDINE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R219CTT0EU2HCY?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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081

100 Years of Brodies with Hal Roach: The Jaunty Journeys of a Hollywood Motion Picture and Television Pioneer by Craig Calman

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 081 by Stephen Michael Shearer – December 3, 2021

[ANOTHER LOOK AT HAL ROACH (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RP7ZA2FY6UJMI?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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080

MGM British Studios: Hollywood in Borehamwood:

Celebrating 100 Years of the Film Studios of Elstree/Borehamwood, 1914-2014 by Derek Pykett

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[AN IMPORTANT HISTORY OF MGM'S BRITISH FILM OUTPUT (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R30Z1WLN54BROJ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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079

S. Sylvan Simon, Moviemaker: Adventures with Lucy, Red Skelton and Harry Cohn in the Golden Age of Hollywood by David C. Tucker

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[A FORGOTTEN HOLLYWOOD GOLDEN AGE DIRECTOR (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2PTP5POVTKTLL?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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078

Lost Cleopatra: A Tale of Ancient Hollywood by Phillip Dye

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[BRILLIANT BOOK ON A LOST FILM (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R10IOT3DP40KQX?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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077

Anita Page: A Career Chronicle and Biography by Allan R. Ellenberger & Robert Murdoch Paton

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 077 by Stephen Michael Shearer – November 26, 2021

[Anita Page: A Career Chronicle and Biography: Ellenberger, Allan R., Paton, Robert Murdoch: 9781476676456: Amazon.com: Books](https://www.amazon.com/Anita-Page-Career-Chronicle-Biography/dp/1476676453/ref=cm_cr_srp_d_pdt_img_top?ie=UTF8)

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076

Una Merkel: The Actress with Sassy Wit and Southern Charm by Larry Sean Kinder

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 076 by Stephen Michael Shearer – November 26, 2021

[ADORABLE AND VERSATILE UNA MERKEL (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1PGETV8BO1YXP?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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075

Carol Linley: Her Film & TV Career in Thrillers, Fantasy and Suspense by Tom Lisanti

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 075 by Stephen Michael Shearer – November 26, 2021

[A LOVING TRIBUTE TO A LOVELY ACTRESS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2J2OSJB8P9GCQ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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074

Ross Alexander: The Life and Death of a Contract Player by John Franceschina

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[GREAT BOOK ON A TRAGIC FILM PLAYER (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1S5WKJ5KDWPQZ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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073

Encyclopedia of American Short Films, 1926-1959 by Graham Webb

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 073 by Stephen Michael Shearer – August 23, 2021

[A BRILLIANT FILM SHORT COMPILATION (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1ZEGK6FZFDKIW?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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072

Little Elf: A Celebration of Harry Langdon by Chuck Harter and Michael J. Hayde

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 072 by Stephen Michael Shearer – August 23, 2021

[LONG OVERDUE TRIBUTE TO HARRY LANGDON (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RQMY6DWKI97RJ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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071

Deanna Durbin: A Hollywood Fairy Tale: The Legend of Edna Mae by William Harper

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 071 by Stephen Michael Shearer – August 12, 2021

[A PRIMER FOR DEANNA DURBIN (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R14HMH0D5BE6PB?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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070

CHASE! A Tribute to the Keystone Cop by Lon Davis

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[SILENT FILM COMEDY AT ITS BEST (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RQFDTRKKRMBU9?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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069

Grand National, Producers Releasing Corporation, and Screen Guild/Lippert: Complete Filmographies with Studio Histories by Ted Okuda

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 069 by Stephen Michael Shearer – December 17, 2020

[GREAT SOURCE OF FILM HISTORY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2GDFGIP4AXGYS?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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068

Ray Danton: The Epitome of Cool (a career retrospective) by Joseph Fusco

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 068 by Stephen Michael Shearer – December 17, 2020

[A THOROUGH BOOK BUT WE STILL DON"T KNOW RAY DANTON (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R223FJUOFSE5UX?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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067

Frank Lloyd: Master of Screen Melodrama by Anthony Slide

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[FORGOTTEN FILM DIRECTOR GIVEN HIS DUE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R4C0UY6S1ZFKE?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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066

Elissa Landi: Cinema’s Empress of Emotion by Scott O’Brien

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 066 by Stephen Michael Shearer – December 16, 2020

[AN IMPORTANT WORK ON A BRILLIANT ACTRESS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1VEGSSV29FECZ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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065

Adamant: The Life and Pursuits of Dorothy McGuire by Giancarlo Stampalia

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[A LONG PONDEROUS BIOGRAPHY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3FDNN5LJITH7M?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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064

Beryl Halley: The Life and Follies of a Ziegfeld Beauty, 1897-1988 by Jacob L. Bapst and Ivan M. Tribe

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 064 by Stephen Michael Shearer – December 16, 2020

[A LOVELY TRIBUTE TO AN ERA GONE BY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2H1VMQWHXMG8H?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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063

The Fox Film Corporation, 1915-1935: A History and Filmography by Aubrey Solomon

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[BRILLIANT BOOK ON EARLY FOX FILMS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3E749SW3AV2C9?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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062

Ray Milland: The Films, 1929-1984 by James McKay

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 062 by Stephen Michael Shearer – June 22, 2020

[A WELL DESERVED CAREER STUDY OF RAY MILLAND (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R24E5P91YFXFNM?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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061

The Jean Harlow Films by James L. Neibaur

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[HARLOW FILMS EXAMINED (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3U9KDDXQD2L6Q?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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060

Hollywood’s Hard-Luck Ladies: 23 Actresses Who Suffered Early Deaths, Accidents, Missteps, Illnesses and Tragedies by Laura Wagner

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[WAGNER'S WONDERFUL WOMEN (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RD804QF9VWDAF?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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059

Margaret Sullavan: The Life and Career of a Reluctant Star by Michael D. Rinella

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[A VERY GOOD CAREER STUDY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3DI9X3HYE3W7Z?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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058

Robert Taylor: A Biography by Charles Tranberg

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 058 by Stephen Michael Shearer – May 26, 2020

[AUTHOR TRANBERG STRIKES ANOTHER HIT (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3CDQC6N6LHN6T?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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057

Willima Powell: The Life and Films by Roger Bryant

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[GOOD BIO OF A CHARMING ACTOR (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3TTOY0UUL5AI7?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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056

The Lost World of DeMille (Hollywood Legends Series) by John Kobal

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 056 by Stephen Michael Shearer – May 26, 2020

[The Lost World of DeMille (Hollywood Legends Series): Kobal, John, Dance, Robert: 9781496825230: Amazon.com: Books](https://www.amazon.com/Lost-World-DeMille-Hollywood-Legends/dp/1496825233/ref=cm_cr_srp_d_pdt_img_top?ie=UTF8)



055

Fredric March – A Consummate Actor by Charles Tranberg

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[AN ACTING LEGEND (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3UB6PCGK9CR26?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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054

Millennium Biltmore: A Grand Hotel Born of Hollywood Dreams by Ward Moorehouse III

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[FASCINATING MILLENNIUM BILTMORE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RV5GB0B4DMEPZ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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053

Angie: The Life and Films of Angie Dickenson by James Stratton

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[ANGIE AT LAST (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R96IJMZK0VYEZ?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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052

Brian Donlevy, the Good Bad Guy: A Bio-Filmography by Derek Sculthorpe

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[A LONG DESERVED BIOGRAPHY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R38UXLT21NQA?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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051

Karl Dane: A Biography ad Filmography by Laura Petersen Balogh

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[A TRUE HOLLYWOOD PARABLE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1H5H0TG7RE2CN?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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050

Olivia de Havilland: Lady Triumphant (Screen Classics) by Victoria Amador

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[A GREAT STAR...A WEAK BOOK (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R8JGIH9U146J3?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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049

She Could Be Chaplin!: The Comedic Brilliance of Alice Howell (Hollywood Legends Series) by Anthony Slide

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 049 by Stephen Michael Shearer – April 17, 2020

[A MOST IMPORTANT SILENT FILM STAR (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RLVC00L6UDAP3?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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048

MGM Style: Cedric Gibbons and the Art of the Golden Age of Hollywood by Howard Gutner

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 048 by Stephen Michael Shearer – March 7, 2020

[ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS ON HOLLYWOOD (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RVUMF37ANUA3E?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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047

The Hollywood Canteen: Where the Greatest Generation Danced With the Most Beautiful Girls in the World by Lisa Mitchell

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[IMPORTANT CULTURAL HISTORY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R255CQRNTW7U63?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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046

Incorrect Entertainment by Anthony Slide

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[FACSINATING IMPROPRIETIES (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3368SSCSYMX0Q?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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045

Alive on the Andrea Doria!: The Greatest Sea Rescue in History by Pierette Domenica

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 045 by Stephen Michael Shearer – February 21,2020

[CHILLING FIRST HAND ACCOUNTS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1BXECJIJMPMCC?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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Just Joan: A Joan Crawford Appreciation by Donna Marie Nowak

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[MORE ON JOAN CRAWFORD (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2Z3SS2FCKFSHH?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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043

Also Starring…: Biographical Essays on the Greatest Character Actors of Hollywood’s Golden Era, 1930-1965 by Sara Brideson

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 043 by Stephen Michael Shearer – February 17, 2020

[FEATURED PLAYERS GIVEN THEIR DUE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R38RTZW9JVZHE4?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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042

Zasu Pitts: The Life and Career by Charles Stumpf

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 042 by Stephen Michael Shearer – February 2, 2020

[ZASU PITTS - A WARM MEMORY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2VWPUX5EU1Y18?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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041

George Raft by Stone Wallace

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[GEORGE RAFT GREAT READ (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3JJRWO9HGESJT?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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040

Silents of the Vamps: Bad Girls You Don’t Know – But Should by Jennifer Ann Redmond

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 040 by Stephen Michael Shearer – January 31, 2020

[FORGETTABLE VAMPS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R36IMUCU3F63N8?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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039

Mary Nolan, Ziegfeld Girl and Silent Movie Star: A Biography Including Her 1941 Memoir by Louise Carley Lewisson

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 039 by Stephen Michael Shearer – January 31, 2020

[MUCH MORE NEEDED ON MARY NOLAN (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R20FKO3FLZW1TD?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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038

Basil Rathbone: His Life and His Films by Michael B. Druxman

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 038 by Stephen Michael Shearer – January 31, 2020

[BRILLIANT BASIL (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2CXU3ZEWBXYPA?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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037

Colleen Morre: A Biography of the Silent Film Star by Jeff Codori

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[MORE NEEDED ABOUT MOORE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R2FAI196X475WD?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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036

They Coulda Been Contenders: Twelve Actors Who Should Have Become Cinematic Superstars by Dan Van Neste

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 036 by Stephen Michael Shearer – January 17, 2020

[A MARVELOUS BIO COMPILATION (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RLQZJRX8JGBQ9?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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035

Film’s First Family: The Untold Story of the Costellos (Screen Classics) by Terry Chester Shulman

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[FILM'S LEGENDARY FIRST FAMILY (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1PCH1GRGBZXRO?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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034

Finding Zsa Zsa: The Gabors behind the Legend by Sam Staggs

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[BEFORE THE KARDASHIANS THERE WERE THE GABORS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3MPN3URH7H0ZW?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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033

The Lives of Justine Johnstone: Follies Star, Research Scientist, Social Activist by Kathleen Vestuto

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 033 by Stephen Michael Shearer – August 26, 2019

[A REMARKABLE STORY OF A FORGOTTEN STAR (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R1CQ95KYE2AU0B?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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032

Henry Brandon: King of the Bogeymen by Bill Cassara

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[A REMARKABLE CHARACTER ACTOR GIVEN HIS CAREER DUE (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/RE01B4OZYMDRX?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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031

Mae West: Broadcast Muse by Michael Gregg Michaud

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 031 by Stephen Michael Shearer – July 9, 2019

[A MOST UNIQUE BOOK ON A MOST UNIQUE SEX GODDESS (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R3S16Z2QZMUQR5?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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030

Atomic Blonde: The Films of Mamie Van Doren by Barry Lowe

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 030 by Stephen Michael Shearer – July 8, 2019

[LOVING TRIBUTE TO A BLONDE BOMBSHELL (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R19SG7Z2943IWR?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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029

Mike Connolly and the Manly Art of Hollywood Gossip by Val Holley

CLICK on Book Cover for AMAZON Book Review 029 by Stephen Michael Shearer – June 25, 2019

[A FASCINATING MAN (amazon.com)](https://www.amazon.com/gp/customer-reviews/R37N5FF0AG45IT?ref=pf_vv_at_pdctrvw_srp)

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The Wampas Baby Stars: A Biographical Dictionary, 1922-1934 by Roy Liebman

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About Face: The Life and Times of Dottie Ponedel, Make-up Artist to the Stars by Dorothy Ponedel

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Herbert Marshall: A Biography by Scott O’Brien

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The Man Who Made the Movies: The Meteoric Rise and Tragic Fall of William Fox by Vanda Krefft

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Miriam Hopkins: Life and Films of Hollywood Rebel (Screen Classics) by Allan R. Ellenberger

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Pamela Tiffin: Hollywood to Rome by Tom Lisanti

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The Silent Films of Marion Davies

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Pola Negri: The Hollywood Years by Tony Villecco

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The Magnificent Heel: The Life and Films of Ricardo Cortez by Dan Van Neste

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Broken Silence: Conversations with 23 Silent Film Stars by Michael G. Ankerich

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Alan Sues: A Funny Man by Michael Michaud

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The Purple Diaries: Mary Astor and the Most Sensational Hollywood Scandal of the 1930s by Joseph Egan

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The Sound of Silence: Conversations with 16 Film and Stage Personalities…by Michael G. Ankerich

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Golden Images: 41 Essays on Silent Film Stars by Eve Golden

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Foxy Lady: The Authorized Biography of Lynn Bari by Jeff Gordon

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Vitaphone Films: A Catalogue of the Features and Shorts by Roy Liebman

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Affectionately, Jayne Mansfield by Richard Koper

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