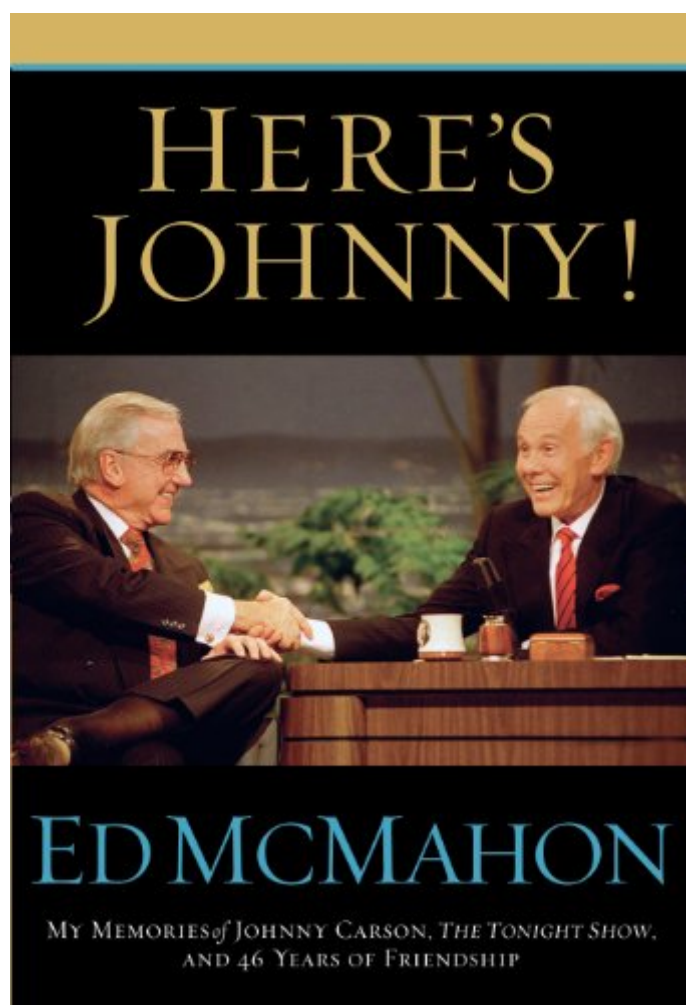


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# Here's Johnny!: My Memories Of Johnny Carson, The Tonight Show, And 46 Years Of Friendship



## Synopsis

Here's Johnny is like sitting with Ed and Johnny over lunch: The last time I saw Johnny, about a year before he died, we had chicken, a couple of glasses of red wine, and then we just sat there and reminisced, going back and forth the way we did on the show. We talked about our kids, and our careers and the state of America, just two lucky guys who loved each other and the good luck of our careers. Ed McMahon is the only person who was with Johnny Carson, even before The Tonight Show, when they both first appeared on Who Do You Trust. Now, with Johnny's blessing before he died, McMahon can finally share all the stories that only he knows. From the sofa at Johnny's right, to backstage, to their personal relationship - McMahon will provide a real view of the man who was so careful to only show one side of himself to the public. Brilliant in front of the camera, but shy in person, Carson seldom gave interviews. Only McMahon can tell the stories and provide the insights into the personality that made Johnny Carson more of a friend we invited into our home than a television star. This entertaining tribute will feature over 200 pictures, many never before published, from both McMahon's and Carson's private archives.

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## Customer Reviews

I was surprised at Mr. McMahon's wit. I enjoyed the stories very much. I like a clean book that has enough goodness and humor to carry itself without trash. I also gained a new respect for Mr. McMahon. His role as second banana was more important and effective than I realized and it takes humility to thrive in that role. I knocked off one star because sometimes the writing was confusing. He often went from one story to the next without leaving a good ending to the prior story. I

If you are a Johnny Carson fan, you will love this book! Written in a conversational form, you get an insight into the relationship between Johnny and Ed McMahon. The memories and stories that are shared took me back to the old Tonight Show days. It was delightful to recall Karnak, Aunt Blabby, and the Theater Man with Carol Wayne. There are also several pages of "...and the answer is..." which are lots of fun to share with friends and family. I highly recommend this book to all readers.

This biography tells the story of how Ed McMahon met Johnny Carson. This is a biography of Johnny, but also an autobiography of Ed McMahon. Ed tells many things that the audience never knew. Like, many times they would just dialog back and forth and make up things to see how long they could go with it. I bought this biography in audio cd form and listened to it while driving on vacation. The book's story was entertaining and made the drive go by fast.

Good read. Easy read and enjoyable. Interesting to see this side of a show that spanned so many years. Nothing deep in the book. Pretty light-hearted all the way through. I enjoyed it.

I spent many an evening relaxing and watching Johnny and Ed. They were the greatest! I enjoyed reliving the wonderful humor and memories. It was a story well told. THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES

This is a quick read, very entertaining book about a great comedian.

Ed shares his 30+ years of being at Johnny Carson's side. Lots of anecdotes you won't find

elsewhere. If you loved Carson, you will enjoy this book.

No insights. Just a bunch of hero-worship and rehashed show material. We KNOW you knew him better than this.

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