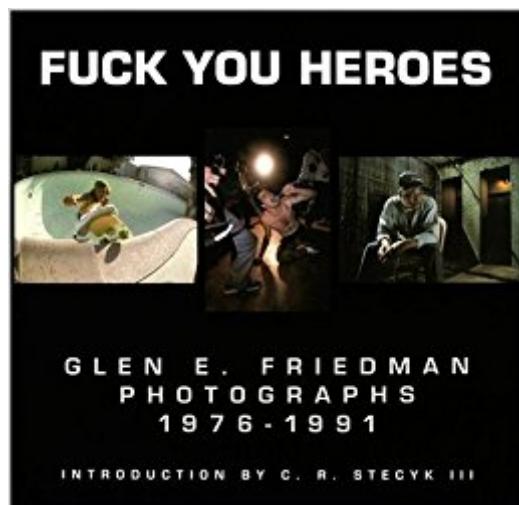


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# Fuck You Heroes: Glen E. Friedman Photographs, 1976-1991



## **Synopsis**

Now in its fifth printing, *Fuck You Heroes* is photographer Glen E. Friedman's uncompromising look at the radicals of youth culture in the extreme worlds of skateboarding, punk and rap. From day one behind his camera, Friedman has had an unerring ability to be in the right place ahead of everybody else. He was a teenaged photographer for 'Thrasher' and 'Skateboarder' magazines, he created the seminal one-hit punk fanzine 'My Rules', worked with Black Flag and Suicidal Tendencies in their early days, wrote for Maximum Rock & Roll, did street promotion for Def Jam's west coast office and shot sleeve photos for everyone from Minor Threat to Public Enemy. This book presents the photographic distillation of Glen's ethic: it's about the perfect shots of the people who live by the touchstones of intensity and integrity.

## **Book Information**

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Glen E. Friedman, universally considered to be one of the most prominent photographers of his generation, is most well known for his influential images of rebellious artists from classic skateboarding, hip hop and punk. His photographs of key figures such as Fugazi, Black Flag, Public Enemy, Beastie Boys, Run-D.M.C., Ice- T, and Dead Kennedys, as well as skateboarding originators Tony Alva, Jay Adams and Stacy Peralta. All included in this his first groundbreaking hardcover book. Friedman's work is included in the Metropolitan Museum of Art and Smithsonian Institution.'Friedman's always been crazy' -- Tony Alva'Truth and beauty reside where ever one is lucky enough to find them. Glen E. Friedman works overtime attempting to ferret them out and present their essential characteristics in a manner that others can learn from. This man's mission is

to distill it all down and to then serve it straight up and right at you.' -- C.R. Steyck III'When Friedman locks onto something it's absolutely scary. He's one relentless motherfucker.' -- Ice T

This classic book, my first hardcover, as well as FUCK YOU TOO is currently out of print, Well worth finding if you can. That said the 2014 release of MY RULES (the book) will contain most of the best photographs from both FUCK YOU HEROES and FUCK YOU TOO, together in it's huge, 324 pages, as well as many additional photographs never before seen, unearthed classics from the archives.

If you want to experience life in a different time, a life of music, fun, crime and lots of color, buy this book. Glen Friedman knows how to capture an angle that will put any photographer to shame. It's like a yearbook of every classic band you have ever loved.

Friedman is a legend for a reason and this book helps to show you why. I grew up in SoCal (Hollywood, Venice, Hermosa/O.C.) during most this era, so when I look at his pictures it's a true flashback. However, even if you weren't there, this book will instantly grab you and make you wish you'd been. If you like the Z-Boys, early H.C. Punk and/or Gangsta Rap then this book is for you. Punks Not Dead!!!

Glen Friedman has taken photography to an entirely new elite plane. He not only puts you up close and personal with his subjects.... He puts you right there beside them, right in the action. I love this book.

Well done. Awesome photos captured from a historic time in music history.Love it.

Then why don't you own this already?

Exactly the photo book I was looking for just a little more worn than I was anticipating, not that that's a big deal to me.

This is amazing!

Amazing book, was blown away by how many of the iconic photos were captured by one artist. The

title is absolutely perfect for the collection, that's all there is to say.

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