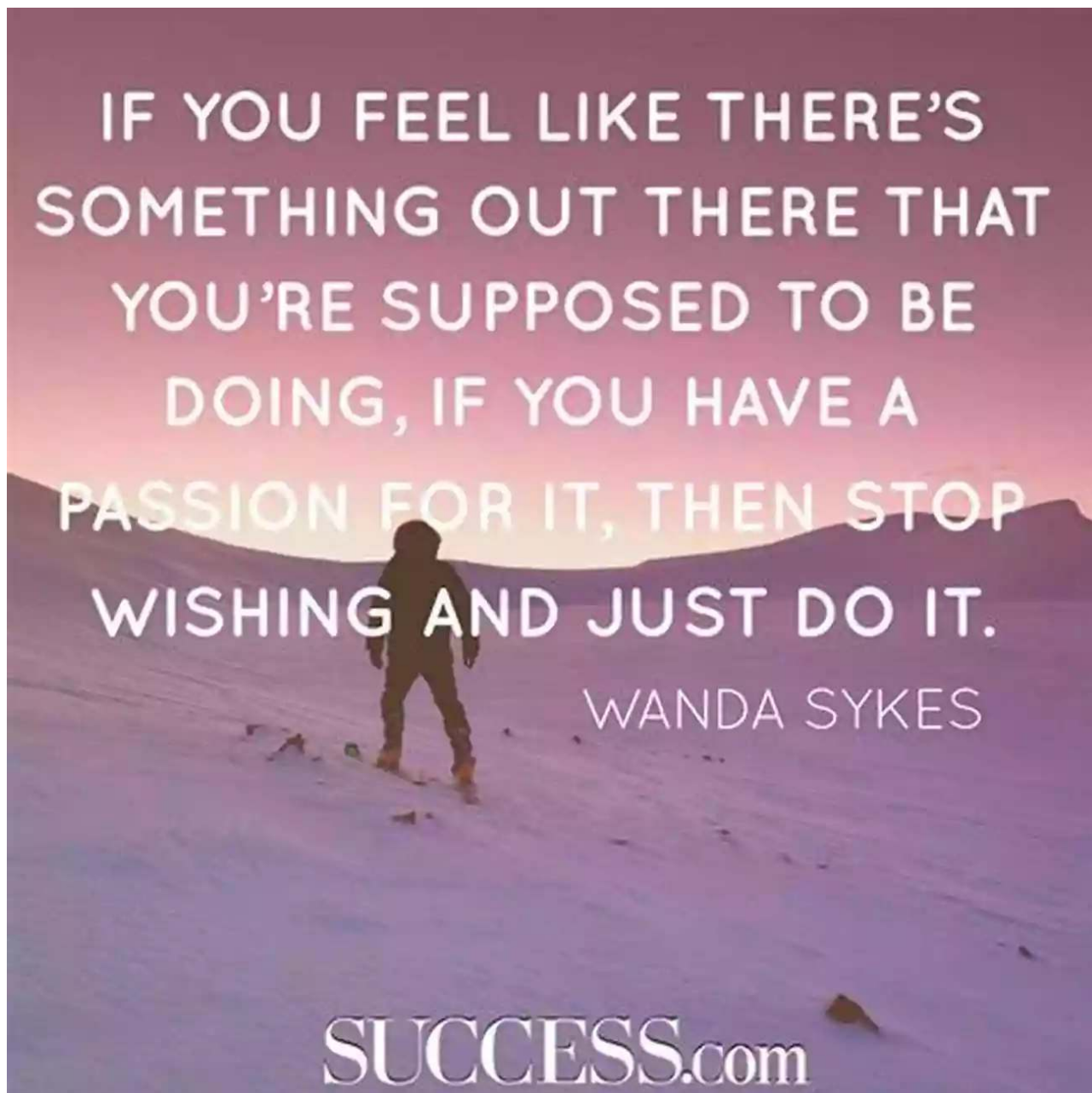


Been So Long: My Life And Music



Have you ever wondered what it takes to make a long-lasting impact in the music industry? How does an artist's life intertwine with their music? In this article, we will delve deep into the life and music of an iconic artist who has captivated audiences for decades - introducing: 'Been So Long: My Life And Music'.

A Journey Filled with Love, Passion, and Perseverance

Been So Long, an influential musician known for his soul-stirring melodies and captivating lyrics, has truly carved his own path in the music industry. Born and raised in the vibrant city of musical dreams, his journey started with a humble background that fueled his determination to succeed against all odds.



Been So Long: My Life and Music

by Jorma Kaukonen (Kindle Edition)

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Ever since Been So Long discovered his love for music at an early age, he has poured his heart and soul into creating songs that resonate deeply with his listeners. Each note, every word, carries a piece of his journey, making every performance an exquisite experience filled with raw emotions.

The Power of Lyrics: Telling Stories with Resonance

In 'Been So Long: My Life And Music', the artist shares the intimate stories behind his most popular songs. His lyrics are windows into his soul, reflecting the triumphs, heartbreaks, and personal growth he has experienced throughout his life.

Diving into the depths of his emotions, Been So Long skillfully crafts lyrics that resonate with people from all walks of life. His ability to capture universal feelings and transform them into melodic masterpieces has earned him a devoted fanbase worldwide.

The Evolution of Sound: Exploring Musical Influences

From the early days of his career to the present, Been So Long has continuously explored various genres and musical styles. His willingness to experiment and push boundaries has played a crucial role in shaping his unique sound.

Featuring a fusion of soul, jazz, and blues, Been So Long's music transcends traditional labels and embraces a timeless quality. The diversity of his musical influences adds depth and dimension to every composition, creating an immersive experience for the listeners.

Legacy and Impact: Inspiring Future Generations

Been So Long's contributions to the music industry go beyond his chart-topping hits. He has become a symbol of hope and inspiration for aspiring artists across the world. His journey serves as a reminder that with passion, perseverance, and an unwavering belief in oneself, dreams can indeed come true.

In 'Been So Long: My Life And Music', the artist shares his wisdom and invaluable advice for those pursuing a career in music. Through anecdotes and personal stories, he highlights the importance of staying true to one's artistic vision, embracing failures as stepping stones, and always striving for growth.

Been So Long: My Life And Music is not just a musical autobiography; it is a testament to the power of following your dreams and leaving a lasting impact in

the lives of others. Through his music, Been So Long has touched countless souls, creating a legacy that will resonate for generations to come.

So, if you're ready to embark on a journey filled with love, passion, and inspiration, dive into 'Been So Long: My Life And Music'. Immerse yourself in the melodies, let the lyrics captivate your heart, and discover the magic that lies within.



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"A modern parable." —from the foreword by Grace Slick

“Jorma Kaukonen is a force in American music, equally adept at fingerpicked acoustic folk and blues as he is at wailing on an electric.” – Acoustic Guitar

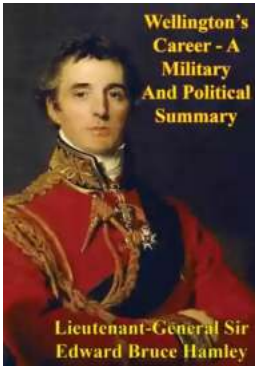
“Jorma Kaukonen lit a fuse and transformed his electric guitar into a firework.” – Live For Live Music

Includes a CD of live music as a companion to the book!

From the man who made a name for himself as a founding member and lead guitarist of Jefferson Airplane comes a memoir that offers a rare glimpse into the heart and soul of a musical genius—and a vivid journey through the psychedelic era in America.

“Music is the reward for being alive,” writes Jorma Kaukonen in this candid and emotional account of his life and work. “It stirs memory in a singular way that is unmatched.” In a career that has already spanned a half century—one that has earned him induction into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and a Grammy Lifetime Achievement Award, among other honors—Jorma is best known for his legendary bands Jefferson Airplane and the still-touring Hot Tuna. But before he won worldwide recognition he was just a young man with a passion and a dream.

Been So Long is the story of how Jorma found his place in the world of music and beyond. The grandson of Finnish and Russian-Jewish immigrants whose formative years were spent abroad with his American-born diplomat father, Jorma channeled his life experiences—from his coming-of-age in Pakistan and the Philippines to his early gigs with Jack Casady in D.C. to his jam sessions in San Francisco with Jerry Garcia, Janis Joplin, Bob Dylan, and other contemporaries—into his art in unique and revelatory ways. Been So Long charts not only Jorma’s association with the bands that made him famous but goes into never-before-told details about his addiction and recovery, his troubled first marriage and still-thriving second, and more. Interspersed with diary entries, personal correspondence, and song lyrics, this memoir is as unforgettable and inspiring as Jorma’s music itself.



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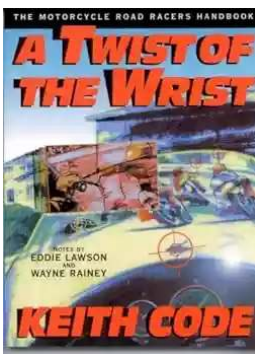
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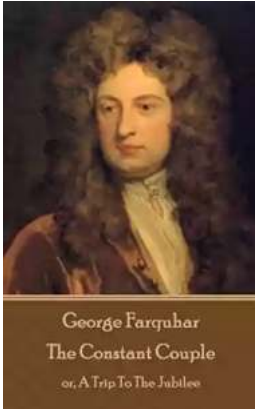
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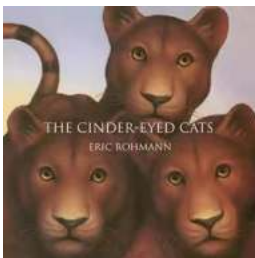
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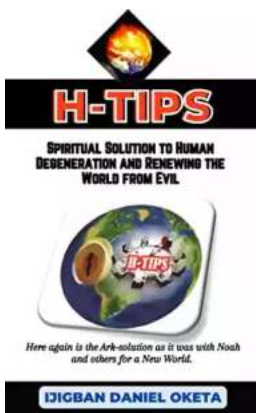
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