

Gerald Gardner and

80: From Ben Bradlee to Lena Horne to Carl Reiner, Our Most Famous Eighty Year Olds Reveal Why They Never Felt So Young



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"Don't be amazed, Pussycat,"And they do.We're all survivors and pleased with it."" said Helen Gurley Brown, still flirtatious at eighty-four, "Eighty of America's most famous eighty year-olds think about their journeys to the big 8-0 and explain the passions that keep them young. Each of them have opinions about the modern world what is good about becoming eighty and what maintains them essential.Once, almost nobody was eighty. --Ray Bradbury, 86, author''' Now many of us are and more of us will be soon." Their personal tales are really inspirational.It's interesting to me--my career has removed now that I'm ninety-five. It's totally taken off. I had to wait 'til I was ninety-five to become this popular." --Kitty Carlisle Hart, 95, singer"I mention quite sincerely that is the best time of my life." I hope Gardner and Bellows will do a different one on 90 - I am set for the long run. Advanced Praise for 80: "Everyone from 9-90 requirements this book, because conserve for both or 3 mad people in the world, everyone really wants to live & never die. The selected people in "80" have with, attraction and ensusiance uncovered how they will have survived, with enthusiasm, compassion, humor and design. --Hugh Hefner, 80, founder and editor-in-chief of PlayboyContributors to the book include:Mike Wallace, Helen Thomas, Sid Caesar, Carl Reiner, Lena Horne, Kitty Carlyle Hart, Ray Bradbury, Artwork Buchwald, Norman Lear, Robert Byrd, George McGovern, and Jack Valenti." These people are hope!80 may be the new young! These inspiring tales of vibrant, active octogenarians will be the best kind of tonic for preventing worries about old age. We want to talk about it.80 may be the most heartening book on old age I've go through since De Senectute (Cicero, you callow sub-octogenarians, Cicero). The members of the era have spent eighty-plus years honing the art of living plus they have secrets to talk about. My answer to ageing at any age, whether you're developing to be 20, or forty, or sixty or eighty, is to fall in love and stay static in love. And Gerald Gardner and Jim Bellows know how to edit down their famous lives to the fearless truths." A joy to read and a guaranteed attitude adjustment.--Jimmy Breslin"--Maya Angelou" So Gerald Gardner and Jim Bellows give us a wonderful publication about being eighty and more."--Gail Sheehy, author of Passages and Sex and the Seasoned Female''Jim Bellows' and Gerald Gardner's 80 made me laugh, 80 made me think that, and 80 actually made me look forward to reaching and to enjoying that Grand Age group"--Tag Shields, syndicated columnist and PBS commentator"--Tom Brokaw" The 80 old folks in 80 make 80 sound so fascinating, Personally i think short-changed when you are forced to wait until 2010 to become among their quantity."--Tom Wolfe"I love this book." Just what a satisfaction: great interviews, lovely wise people.--Annie Lamott, writer of Grace (Eventually): Thoughts on Faith



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. Called me the next day to inform me story after tale.. This book is good. Good Gift Item Purchased as something special for my kid brother on his 80th. I felt bad but thankfully they thought it was funny. She opened up the book and started reading the contents and mentioned that about half of the 80 year-olds the reserve is about are now lifeless. It had been very well received. IT HAD BEEN A USED BOOK! I received this reserve for my Mothers 80th birthday and it had a 26 word inscription, To: Tag .. I was able to write a brief birthday wish note on the inside cover to personalize it... Great short chapters (2 - 4 pages) on various celebrities giving their sights of the past and their futures..., signed Love... The individuals were honest, good and bad, about growing aged in that youth crazed world. He and my stepmother could not stop talking about how funny and interesting they thought it was.. wisdom.. Good book, but don't buy it, half of individuals are lifeless now. he's my bro.!! Excellent gift quality book This is a good quality book. It produced an appreciated and wonderful gift for a friend on his 80th birthday. The price is right and it's an excellent hardcover product, but it's just around five yrs . old now, which is something I hadn't noticed until I provided the book as a gift to an 80 year-old. Haven't had any feedback from him however, but he appeared to like the notion of it. Thought it was a little pricey for what it was...but it's not heavy;, and dated 12/07/07, all in pen of course! Book of the year I actually gave this to my grandmother for her 89th birthday. She raved about any of it!. She stated she read it twice L'Chaim! Great gift for old parents My Dad who's 85 absolutely loved this.. Great 80 Birthday Present I purchased it as something special for someone who turned 80.. It is possible to sit down and also have a great read for as long or as short an interval that you want.. Queeny's Thoughts This book was such an inspiration. I am 43 therefore hope I could live until I'm 80+.. I will buy at least 4 copies, from Amazon of course, for Christmas presents this year. An excellent wealth of knowledge. Perfect for an 80th birthday gift! Gorgeous book! The photo will not do it justice. Full of wit 8. Five Stars Interesting reminder of the changing times. Five Stars Nicebook Five Stars Thank you! Five Stars This is the second time I've bought this book for a birthday present. Time for an updated version!



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