



Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion

By Dave Thompson

 Download

 Read Online

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson

(Book). This book looks inside the artists and music that transformed the American and British soundscape of the 1980s and '90s. Scene-setting essays some with interviews of key figures explore alternative rock's primary influences, from Captain Beefheart to Brian Eno, and its many subgenres, from punk to grunge and Brit pop to trip hop. Reviews and profiles cover over 2,000 recordings and more than 500 musicians, such as The Beastie Boys, The Cure, R.E.M., Marilyn Manson, XTC and hundreds more. This comprehensive guide also examines the cultural scenes, technologies and people behind the alternative sound. From the author of Depeche Mode and Never Fade Away: The Kurt Cobain Story .

 [Download Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Liste ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Lis ...pdf](#)

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion

By Dave Thompson

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson

(Book). This book looks inside the artists and music that transformed the American and British soundscape of the 1980s and '90s. Scene-setting essays some with interviews of key figures explore alternative rock's primary influences, from Captain Beefheart to Brian Eno, and its many subgenres, from punk to grunge and Brit pop to trip hop. Reviews and profiles cover over 2,000 recordings and more than 500 musicians, such as The Beastie Boys, The Cure, R.E.M., Marilyn Manson, XTC and hundreds more. This comprehensive guide also examines the cultural scenes, technologies and people behind the alternative sound. From the author of Depeche Mode and Never Fade Away: The Kurt Cobain Story .

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson Bibliography

- Sales Rank: #1587361 in Books
- Brand: Miller Freeman
- Model: 330571
- Published on: 2000-11-01
- Released on: 2000-11-01
- Original language: English
- Number of items: 1
- Dimensions: 12.00" h x 1.30" w x 9.00" l, 2.51 pounds
- Binding: Paperback
- 800 pages

 [Download Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Liste ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Lis ...pdf](#)

Download and Read Free Online Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson

Editorial Review

From Library Journal

This massive and inclusive reference work by best-selling rock music writer Thompson (Never Fade Away: The Kurt Cobain Story) fills a gap by providing a reasonably priced, useful, and informative guide to a highly popular musical subgenre alternative rock. In the historically fascinating introduction, Thompson provides a time line that traces the jelling of three factors in 1975 that led to a rock sound whose main rule is that there are no rules: the release of Lou Reed's Metal Machine Music, Patti Smith's Horses, and the blowup of the Sex Pistols. Noting that his goal "is not to chronicle every performer ever to be categorized as an 'alternative rock' act, but to isolate a sampling of those who have made the greatest contributions" to the form, he then launches into a fine selection of essays that define the music's complicated saga, both in the United Kingdom and America. This is followed by encyclopedic A-Z coverage of the artists whom Thompson considers the "alt" music scene's movers and shakers. Some may quibble about selection and other topics, but this writer knows his stuff and can organize and write well about it. The stories of such lesser-known groups as Black '47 and Disorder are handled with the same aplomb and deftness as the wildly popular Blondie (then) and Marilyn Manson (now). Libraries that pride themselves on well-rounded music and pop culture collections should purchase this third entry in the fine "Third Ear" series. David M. Turkalo, Suffolk Univ. Law Sch., Law Lib., Boston

Copyright 2001 Reed Business Information, Inc.

From [Booklist](#)

If you're reading this, our guess is that you don't know much about British punk band Throbbing Gristle or American rockers Camper Van Beethoven and Lydia Lunch. Here is your chance to find out. Entries are arranged alphabetically, with plenty of details about personalities and individual recordings. REVWR
Copyright © American Library Association. All rights reserved

Review

"...the voice of Dave Thompson alone. Nicely opinionated, he pulls no punches delineating discographical high and low points." -- *Tower Records' Epulse, December 10, 2000*

"A perfect antidote to the familiar parental catcall: 'Turn off the racket and pick up a book!'" -- *Kirkus Reviews, on Thompson's Better to Burn Out*

"Destined to be one of those great rock 'n' roll biographies...a legitimate and solid work." -- *Vox Magazine, on Thompson's Perry Farrell*

"If you have any kind of rock 'n' roll library, chances are you own at least one book by Thompson." -- *The Paper*

Users Review

From reader reviews:

Tiara Garcia:

In this 21st one hundred year, people become competitive in most way. By being competitive right now,

people have do something to make all of them survives, being in the middle of often the crowded place and notice by simply surrounding. One thing that at times many people have underestimated that for a while is reading. Sure, by reading a e-book your ability to survive boost then having chance to stand than other is high. For you who want to start reading the book, we give you this kind of Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion book as beginner and daily reading e-book. Why, because this book is greater than just a book.

Thomas Whitaker:

The book untitled Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion is the book that recommended to you to see. You can see the quality of the reserve content that will be shown to anyone. The language that author use to explained their ideas are easily to understand. The writer was did a lot of study when write the book, to ensure the information that they share to your account is absolutely accurate. You also can get the e-book of Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion from the publisher to make you far more enjoy free time.

Ruth Aguilar:

Precisely why? Because this Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion is an unordinary book that the inside of the e-book waiting for you to snap the idea but latter it will zap you with the secret the item inside. Reading this book beside it was fantastic author who have write the book in such awesome way makes the content within easier to understand, entertaining way but still convey the meaning totally. So , it is good for you for not hesitating having this ever again or you going to regret it. This book will give you a lot of positive aspects than the other book get such as help improving your talent and your critical thinking means. So , still want to hold off having that book? If I were you I will go to the book store hurriedly.

Debbie Gray:

This Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion is great e-book for you because the content and that is full of information for you who always deal with world and still have to make decision every minute. This kind of book reveal it details accurately using great arrange word or we can state no rambling sentences within it. So if you are read this hurriedly you can have whole info in it. Doesn't mean it only provides straight forward sentences but difficult core information with splendid delivering sentences. Having Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion in your hand like having the world in your arm, information in it is not ridiculous just one. We can say that no reserve that offer you world throughout ten or fifteen minute right but this publication already do that. So , this is good reading book. Hi Mr. and Mrs. stressful do you still doubt that will?

Download and Read Online Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The

Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson

#SA2H61JVQIP

Read Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson for online ebook

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson books to read online.

Online Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson ebook PDF download

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson Doc

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson Mobipocket

Alternative Rock : Third Ear - The Essential Listening Companion By Dave Thompson EPub