

De Niro: A Biography By Shawn Levy **Book De niro** Each movie role gets some space here (some more than others) as the book chronicles his work from masterpieces such as THE GODFATHER PART II RAGING BULL and TAXI DRIVER to painful commercial box office hits like MEET THE PARENTS. **Nonfiction De niron** 9780307716781 robert de niro was a whore 9780307716781 Actor Robert De Niro has never been very voluble when discussing himself so it's nice to see a substantial biography of his life and work even if it wasn't sanctioned by the actor himself. **De niro joe pesci casino** He's talked to people who know De Niro personally and dipped into the actor's extensive archives which contain his annotated scripts and other personal papers so he seems to have a pretty good grip on his subject. **Kindle De nirox** It's a fine read for fans of the actor or for film buffs in general steering the reader to look at films they may not have previously seen or reminding them of classic performances. **Book De nirox** Levy's mistake -- or as it seems his handicap -- is that he can't seem to get a firm grasp on what drove DeNiro why did he have such a strong connection to these intense ultra-masculine characters? What did his art mean? But honestly this seems like it might have had more to do with DeNiro's reticence to speak and the protectiveness of the people in DeNiro's life. **De Niro nonfiction articles** 9780307716781 Read by Mark Deakins 21:30hrsHAH look at all the De Niro bios available:John BaxterAndy DouganJohn ParkerAlan GatrellDouglas BrodePatrick AganGlenn KennyKnow what [rhetorical]I can't be bothered to invest my time here. **De niro jeune** The former film critic of The Oregonian and KGW TV and a former editor of American Film he has been published in Sight and Sound Film Comment The New York Times The Los Angeles Times The Guardian The Hollywood Reporter and The Black Rock Beacon among many other outlets. **Poetry De niro** In this elegant and compelling biography Shawn Levy writes of these many De Niro's-of the characters and of the man seeking to understand an evolution of an actor who once used roles to hide the nature of his real life and who now turns down those parts instead to play characters who possess little challenge to his overwhelming talent. **Poetry De niro** From De Niro's roots as the child of artists (often called Bobby Milk for his pasty complexion) to his marriages and life as a father restaurateur and philanthropist and of course to his current movie career Levy has written a biography that reads like a novel of a character whose inner turmoil takes him to heights of artistry. **De niro laugh** Among the many who have been key players in his career are the likes of Martin Scorsese Francis Ford Coppola Meryl Streep John Cazale and countless others who appear in the book. **De niro stallion** Авторът е направил задълбочено проучване на живота на Де Ниро и въпреки че самият актьор е отказал да му съдейства биографията е пълноценна и вълнуваща. **Book De niroma** Айде малко по-сериозно моля ви! 9780307716781 I received a free copy of De Niro: A Life as part of Goodread's new-release giveaway program in exchange for my honest review. **De Niro nonfiction articles** But somehow even these serve not to personalize the De Niro story and endear the reader to its subject but merely to round out the professional picture much as one might tack on an obligatory Interests & Hobbies at the bottom of their resume. **Deniroikinn** Undaunted Levy went on to complete his research using other sources and reminds his readers that many of the biographies of those we most admire were written long after their death and without the benefit of an interview. **De Niro nonfiction articles** However I am disappointed in De Niro: A Life because I find myself longing for this work to be less perfect in its play-by-play rehearsal of data and instead to be more of a story. **Book De niron** ~Jen 9780307716781 De Niro: A Biography by Shawn Levy is an interesting book for someone who likes movies who is interested about the different styles of acting who wants to know how much work actors directors producers and other staff puts into making a movie who likes to read about how movies were made in '60 and how they are made now. **De niro pfeiffer book** My first memories about him starting with Once Upon a Time in America (we called it Thrice in America since in Europe was shown the uncut version all those years ago and the movie was three hours long:) but I had never seen the Mean Streets or Taxi Driver or Raging Bull or 1900 . **Deniroikinn** When in the beginning there where extra info about the people he has been close with which I really liked then closer to the end there where extra info about things I do not want to read in somebodies biography - about some robbers that wanted to get rich easy and some information I consider to personal to

read minute description. **Book De niro ev** Just a mention would have been enough on both cases and more time should have been spent on the recent year's movies even if they have not been as good as the movies that he has done in the past. **De niro joe pesci casino** Another thing that really started to bother me in the last chapters was that everything about De Niro was in past tense - he was and he did - he still is and he still does and will continue hopefully for a long time. **Book De niro** All in all it's a good book for somebody who knows the actor De Niro who loves movies and who is interested to know more (not about the gossip but about the actor) about one of the movie icons of our time. **Poetry De nirox** 9780307716781 Two interesting things I learned about De Niro were that while he plays a convincing Mafiosa he would never be a "made man" (only ¼ Italian and culturally more Bohemian NYC than ethnic) and a lot of his films lost money... a lot of money... even award winning films. **Poetry De nirox** As he becomes an actor you see how De Niro's single minded devotion to his craft (like his father before him) runs from collecting costumes to sculpting his body into a role most famously Jake LaMotta's fighting body and then its dissipation. **De niro laarzen** Much of his personal life comes from public records such real estate transactions messy child custody/divorce actions; his potential use of a prostitute; contract performance insurance related to his prostate cancer; large thefts (the owner of the gallery where his father sold his paintings stole \$2+ million of them) and small thefts (the housekeeper taking jewelry and clothing) and more.

Drena de niro mother's biography

Standard biography which covers details of De Niro's life and work is fine: **Book De niroma** I don't blame the author for this who does the best he can given that De Niro is such an intensely private man it seems that details are hard to come by: **De Niro nonfiction articles** The question of what happened to the De Niro of the 70s is answered simply he just likes to work even if it means accepting some dubious choices: **Poetry De nirox** As the author says in his acknowledgements unauthorized doesn't have to mean salacious. **De Niro poetrysoup** He's done a lot of research and has tried to present an even-handed unsensational thoughtful and respectfully critical account of the subject's life and work, **De Niro nonfiction vs** It contains some gems of previously unavailable information and sheds light on every aspect of his career and life. **Deniro book** 9780307716781 De Niro: A Biography is at its best when it's going in depth into the remarkable lengths DeNiro went to create and get in touch with his characters, **Book De nirox** In the early years as he's building up to Raging Bull when he's passionate and building up a name for himself that's when the book is interesting, **Robert de niro book** Still an entertaining enough read and fulfills the demands of the title. **Book De nirox** There was a lot actually that I didn't know about Robert DeNiro's personal life: **De niro laarzen** I don't pay attention to Robert DeNiro in any way because of his sex life his partying his children or anything else in his personal life, **Nonfiction De nirosha** And it's tough because it's been forever since he had an earth-shaking performance: **Poetry De nirox** Robert DeNiro is important because of really only a handful of performances: Mean Streets The Godfather II Taxi Driver The Deer Hunter and Raging Bull: **Book De niro forum**) Now you can put those five up against any other actor's top five films and DeNiro will more than hold his own, **De niro jean reno** But that's a lot of book that is NOT the most exciting part of what makes De Niro exciting, **De Niro kindle cloud** I shall listen to Bananarama and save myself the best part of 22 hours, **Book De niro ev** 9780307716781



De Niro

— A LIFE —

Shawn Levy

Shawn Levy is the author of eleven books of biography pop culture history and poetry, **Book De niro forum** He jumps and claps and sings for victory in Portland Oregon where he serves on the board of directors of Operation Pitch Invasion, **Nonfiction De niroscha** Everyone believes that Robert De Niro is one of the greatest if not the greatest actors of all time: **De Niro poetry** His performances particularly in the first 20 years of his career are unparalleled, **Book De nirox** The Godfather Taxi Driver Mean Streets The Deer Hunter Raging Bull-all dazzled moviegoers-a talent the likes of which we have rarely or never seen, **De Niro kindle store** Yet so little is known about De Niro-he is an intensely private man whose rare public appearances are often marked by inarticulateness and all-around awkwardness: **EPub De niron** It can be almost painful to watch at times in such contrast to his on-screen personae, **Book De nirox** De Niro: A BiographyI picked this up and could not put it down: **De niro lipstick alley** Simply put it is an incredibly thorough and brilliantly realised exploration of the life of one of the greatest screen actors to ever grace the stage. **EBook De niroma** If you are a student of film or acting or you just want to see inside the window of this mans life grab this book and you wont be able to put it down. **Nonfiction De nirox** I received this book from Blogging for Books for this review, **Book De niroscha** 9780307716781 Книгата на Шон Леви е специално удоволствие за всеки който обича киното, **De Niro epub reader** Кога преводачите ще се научат че когато става въпрос за кино editor означава монтажист а не редактор, **De niro brooklyn book** (Същата тъпотия беше и в биографията на Лукас). **Poetry De nirox** Имам чувството че превеждат с Google Translator, **Book De niron** Shawn Levy has written what is in my estimation the world's longest curriculum vitae, **Book De niron magnetics** In picking up De Niro: A Life one is not reading a biography or as the title would suggest the story of a life. **Robert de niro biography** But rather it is a carefully researched 551-page chronological recitation of De Niro's professional choices: **Book De niro forum** To be fair there is some family background given and mention of relationships with various women, **Book De niron** As one will discover early on in reading De Niro: A Life it is what is referred to as an unauthorized biography. **Book De niron magnetics** Author Levy graciously provides full disclosure by admitting that De Niro & several of his close friends refused to grant any interviews, **De Niro poetry books** It was really good and informative book about Robert De Niro about his childhood about his parents his contemporaries his families and children, **De Niro nonfiction articles** I really liked how in the beginning there are some deeper insights into other actors directors upbringing and their career and how they influenced or were influenced by De Niro. **Nonfiction De niroma** Although I know who Robert De Niro is (who wouldn't?) but reading this book made me realize I haven't actually seen the movies that made him famous: **Book De niro** After reading the book I'm trying to remedy this mistake and I'll watch all the classics. **Book De niron magnetics** I just wish that the ending could have been in present tense, **Biographie de niro** The first part the description of De Niro's childhood pulls you in: **De niro laugh** He lives with his artist poet activist typing and real estate entrepreneur mother and visits his father (a credible but mostly starving artist) in his nearby studio, **Drena de niro children biography** His learning Sicilian is just one preparatory element as he studies Brando's "Godfather" to bring the character backward in time: **Deniro book** He learns to play the saxophone and studies

everything from horseback riding to prison culture to cop culture to the mentally ill and illiterate for his roles. **Poetry De nirox** For the role of Al Capone Capone's tailor was enlisted to make suits and De Niro wore Capone's style of underwear: **Poetry De niron** There are interesting stories about how some of the films were made and not made, **De niro boots uk** Some of the roles were filled with people merely glimpsed and brought in for screen tests. **De Niro kindle paperwhite** There are De Niro and Scorsese family members in background scenes, **De niro joker** There is the "discovery" of the boy actor: Leonardo DiCaprio. **Book De niron magnetics** Because the book is like an annotated filmography the last third or so of the book is not as strong as the first reflecting De Niro lesser creative choices: **De niro biography** De Niro is famously elusive shunning interviews and his public speeches are noticeably terse. **Biographie de neron** If you want to learn of De Niro through his films this is the book for you. A worthy addition to any film library. - BH. It's tough with artists though. I also don't really care. (Jeez that's one decade worth of work. Amazing. Tough row to hoe. Still a solid read for De Niro fans.P.S. Българският превод е безобразен. Granted. It lacks passion narrative personality and well. life. De Niro's attention to detail is enormous. He records and practices regional dialects for US roles. There are other bios of De Niro. I don't know how this one stacks up. 9780307716781.