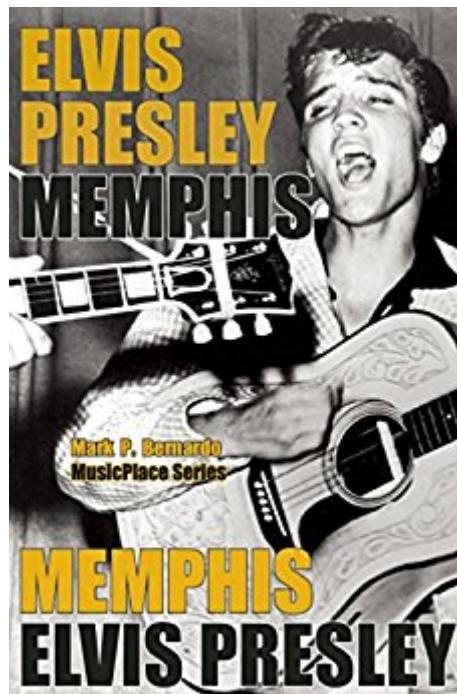


The book was found

# Elvis Presley: Memphis (MusicPlace)



## **Synopsis**

Weaving the story of the King's personal and public life with detailed descriptions of the locations in Memphis that served as the setting for his musical education and evolution, this pop culture guide offers a refreshingly even-handed account of Elvis Presley's life. Elvis came to Memphis as a 13-year-old boy, and within a few years, he was shocking and seducing the world with a mixture of moves and sounds he had first seen and heard in the city's streets, churches, and bars. This comprehensive tour of places on which Elvis left his mark includes the Peabody Hotel, where he had his senior prom; Ellis Auditorium, where he played his first show; the Sun Studio, where he recorded his first singles; Lansky Brothers Clothiers, where he bought his suits; and Graceland, where he lived with his wife Priscilla and died in 1977. Anecdotes about each of the locations and how they shaped Elvis's personal and musical identity enhance the travel information, while street maps and a handy size make this book an invaluable companion to Memphis visitors and lovers of rock and roll.

## **Book Information**

File Size: 2549 KB

Print Length: 162 pages

Publisher: Roaring Forties Press (December 1, 2011)

Publication Date: December 1, 2011

Sold by: Digital Services LLC

Language: English

ASIN: B01MTK0GZG

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Not Enabled

Screen Reader: Supported

Enhanced Typesetting: Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #661,275 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #11

in Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > Nonfiction > Travel > United States > States > Tennessee #19

in Books > Travel > United States > Tennessee > Memphis #54 in Kindle Store > Kindle

eBooks > Nonfiction > Travel > United States > Regions > South > East South Central

## **Customer Reviews**

I found it interesting. I was in Memphis and I hope to go again

When he moved to Memphis in 1949, Elvis found the style, swagger, and music he would make his own. Within a few years, he was shocking and seducing the world with a mixture of moves and sounds he had first seen and heard in Memphis's streets, churches, and bars. Once Elvis unleashed his brand of rock 'n' roll, nothing--not Elvis, not Memphis, not rock 'n' roll--would be the same again. This book tells the story of the King of Rock 'n' Roll and his city. Bernardo brings alive the places where Elvis lived and played--places such as the Peabody Hotel, the site of his senior prom; Sun Studio, where he cut his first singles; Lansky Brothers, where he bought his suits; and Ellis Auditorium, where he played his first show. As he describes Elvis's spectacular rise and tragic fall, Bernardo visits almost fifty sites, including Graceland, where the King reigned with his wife, Priscilla, and where he died, way too soon, in 1977.

Brings back the youth and charm, and unearths the origins of a man whose later legend of hair, rhinestones and camp nearly obliterated the delight a nation originally felt upon his emergence. A perfect gift for the Elvis fan who has everything.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Elvis Presley: Memphis (MusicPlace) Elvis Presley for Kids: A Biography of Elvis Presley Just for Kids! Last Train to Memphis: The Rise of Elvis Presley (Elvis Series Book 1) Elvis: My Best Man: Radio Days, Rock 'n' Roll Nights, and My Lifelong Friendship with Elvis Presley Elvis and Ginger: Elvis Presley's FiancÃ©e and Last Love Finally Tells Her Story Me and a Guy Named Elvis: My Lifelong Friendship with Elvis Presley Careless Love (Enhanced Edition): The Unmaking of Elvis Presley (Elvis series Book 2) Last Train to Memphis: The Rise of Elvis Presley Last Train to Memphis (Enhanced Edition): The Rise of Elvis Presley Elvis and Me: The True Story of the Love Between Priscilla Presley and the King of Rock N' Roll Careless Love: The Unmaking of Elvis Presley ELVIS PRESLEY FOR VIOLA - INSTRUMENTAL PLAY-ALONG CD/PKG (Hal Leonard Instrumental Play-Along) A Little Thing Called Life: On Loving Elvis Presley, Bruce Jenner, and Songs in Between Who Was Elvis Presley? Who Was Elvis Presley? (Who Was?) All Shook Up: The Life and Death of Elvis Presley Elvis Presley: Music Legend, Movie Star, the King (People to Know) Elvis Presley (Up Close) Elvis Presley (Up Close (Viking)) What Every Child Needs To Know About Elvis Presley

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)