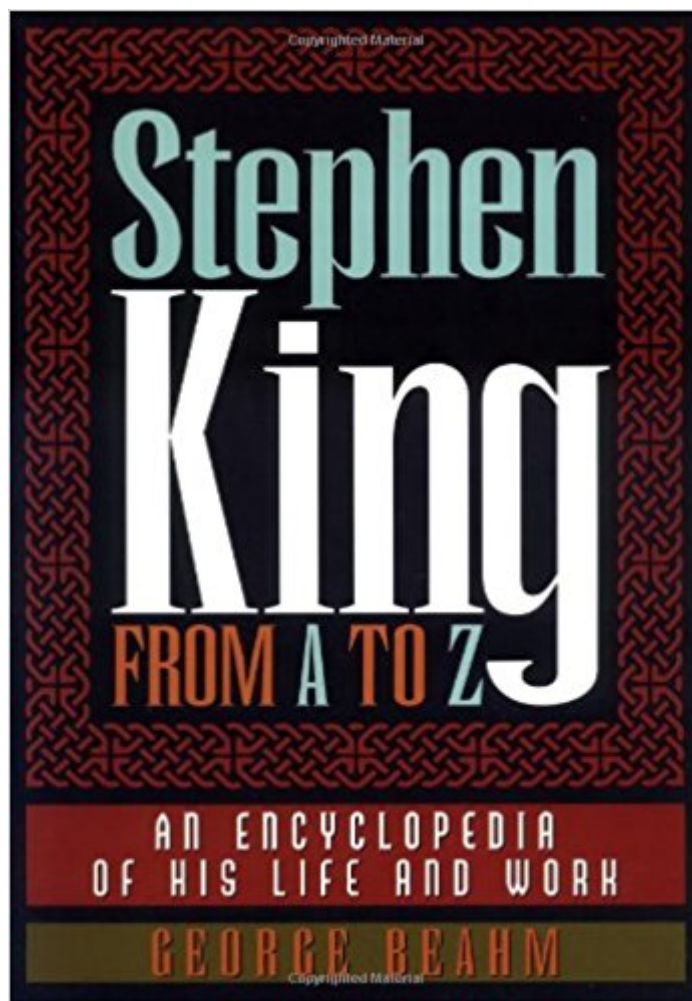


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# Stephen King From A To Z: An Encyclopedia Of His Life And Work



## Synopsis

Covers all aspects of the author's career, including his work as a writer, screenwriter, and actor, and as a popular cult figure.

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Excellent condition on arrival

I read this book in 3 days and found it to be the most interesting and fun biographies I've read. I'm a big fan of Stephen King and this book told me the story behind King's life. George Beahm did a great job of telling the story. If you're a Stephen King fan, get this book, you won't regret it.

This book is quite informative. Everything is in alphabetical order & easy to find. I use it as a reference to his books that I have read. I really enjoy this purchase. And would recommend it to others.

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