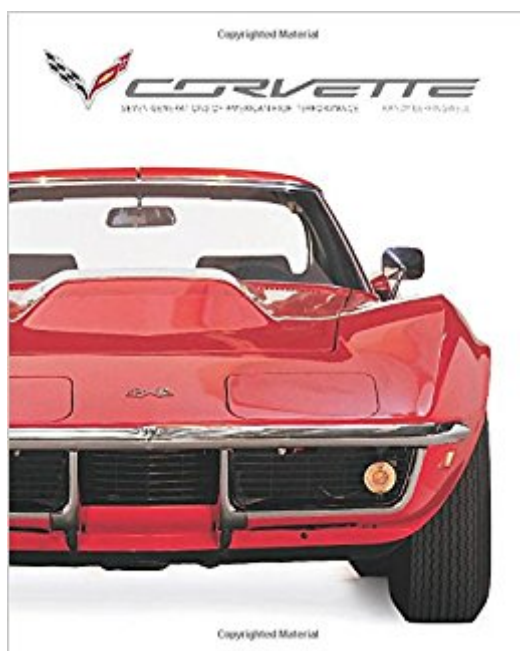


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# Corvette: Seven Generations Of American High Performance



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The book has lots of cool statistics and pictures in it

This was a gift for my son, He recently bought a Corvette, 2008, just wishes it could have been the Sting Ray. Maybe the next time. Loves the Book and can't put it down. Just full of great pictures. I love it too. Fantastic Book. Dad

Lot of great pics.

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