



Bob Marley: The Life and Legacy of Reggae's Global Icon

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Createspace, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.*Includes pictures *Includes Marley's own quotes *Includes footnotes and a bibliography for further reading We don't have education, we have inspiration; if I was educated I would be a damn fool. - Bob Marley If there remains any magic, it is music. - Bob Marley In terms of raw popularity, Bob Marley sold over 20 million albums in a brief career that took him around the globe as the first international superstar from the so-called Third World, but the journey from anonymity within his own culture to reigning as the defining figure of Jamaican music was a circuitous and dangerous one. After leaving home at the age of 14, Marley's street skills helped him gain a foothold in Jamaica's chaotic music industry while skillfully navigating politically partisan violence that abounded in Kingston through the 70s, and his exaltation of the reggae form, couched in the Rastafari, became an instrument of order as a haven for otherwise directionless youth in Kingston and other communities of Jamaica. Beginning with the more lighthearted ska style, Marley drew...



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