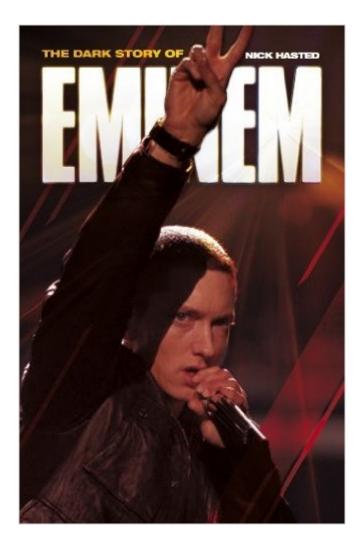
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# The Dark Story Of Eminem (Updated Edition)





### Synopsis

Nick Hasted's ground-breaking book traces Marshall Mathers' rise to fame from schools and workplaces of his native Detroit to global superstardom. The author lays bare Eminem's relationships with his mother, his teenage soul-mate Kim Scott, producer Dr. Dre and the Bass Brothers who guided and inspired him from the age of 14. This new edition comes right up to date, charting Eminem's period of seclusion following the death of fellow rapper and close friend Proof, who was shot dead in 2006, covering Eminem's battle with addiction to painkillers and finally analyzing the huge success of the two albums spawned by these events, Relapse and Recovery. Â

## **Book Information**

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This book rocks. It gives tons of background on rap and Eminem and points out instances of incredible timing so you can really appreciate it...you get many, many actual quotes from Eminem and others...the author is sympathetic, not bashing, doesn't seem to have an agenda like so many others. I totally loved this book and am a HUGE Eminem fan. I would also recommend the book Angry Blonde by Eminem himself! He's the master. I LOVE YOU EMINEM!!

This book was a very interesting insight into the mind of Eminem. With thorough details into his childhood traumas and experiences with racism and bullying, you can begin to empathise with Eminem and understand the controversy of his lyrics and why he so extreme with his music. I enjoyed reading this book and now appreciate Eminem and his principles.

This was my first book about his life and it is was very readable, looked precise and honest and I read it in 2 days -very quick read for my standards.I'm 36 years old and I feel a bit strange to have this strong interest in Eminem but, you know...

The story was good but could have been more detailed and then when your 30 odd percentage through it starts to repeat the whole story again. So all together the book is 3 times repeated in the 1 book.

i have to say that eminem (marshall mathers) a.k.a slim shady, has changed the game of rap in a majord way. but whats so amazing about eminem is his childhood. his mom was ,as he states it , just try to invision your momma poppin' perscription pills in the kitchen. and his dad left him when he was an infant. he was bulied every day at school. and then he became one of the most famouse rappeds in history and he was WHITE. his ryming is amazing amd his life story can make you cry. i defenitly rccomend this book. rap fan or not. read it

This book retells the story of Eminem's life and perfectly shows the intensity and impact of the rap god. It is a truly inspiring tale told by someone who was well informed of Marshall Mathers' life. I would recommend this book to everyone, especially fans of Eminem.

I love eminem but the author was a little rude.Yeah, Marshal did some uncalled for things but you don't need to talk badly about him. It is true but Nick Hasted dd not need to addmore. Not hating, straight #respect!

We all have them, sometimes they win, sometimes we do. Even people who seem to have everything are still products of their dysfunctional past. Enjoyed the book, love the man and his music.

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