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**A Sample of books about the 1950s in the adult non-fiction area:**

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| 305.420973<br>Har | Harvey, Brett. <i>The Fifties: a Women's Oral History</i> . HarperCollins, 1993.  | 813<br>Tyt      | Tytell, John. <i>Naked Angels: The Lives &amp; Literature of the Beat Generation</i> . McGraw-Hill, 1976. |
| 629.222<br>Gun    | Gunnell, John. <i>The Fabulous 50's: The Cars, The Culture</i> . Krause Publications, 1992.                                       | 818<br>Wak      | Wakefield, Dan. <i>New York in the Fifties</i> . Houghton Mifflin, 1992.                                  |
| 683.8075<br>Bru   | Bruce, Scott. <i>Lunch Box: the Fifties and Sixties</i> . Chronicle Books, 1988.  | 909.825<br>Arn  | Arnold, Eve. <i>Flashback! the 50's</i> . Knopf, 1978.  |
| 741.591<br>Low    | Low, David. <i>The Fearful Fifties; a History of the Decade</i> . Bodley Head, 1960.  | 909.825<br>Hor  | Horsley, Edith. <i>The 1950s</i> . Domus, 1978.   |
| 745.09<br>Hil     | Hillier, Bevis. <i>The Decorative Arts of the Forties and Fifties Austerity Binge</i> . Crown, 1975.                              | 909.825<br>Lew  | Lewis, Peter. <i>The Fifties</i> . Lippincott, 1978.  |
| 784.420973<br>Fif | <i>The Fifties</i> . Text by Martha Saxton. Consolidated Music Publishers, 1975.  | 951.9042<br>Bra | Brady, James. <i>The Coldest War: A Memoir of Korea</i> . Orion Books, 1990.                              |
| 791.4309<br>Bis   | Biskind, Peter. <i>Seeing Is Believing: How Hollywood Taught Us To Stop Worrying and Love the Fifties</i> . Pantheon Books, 1983. | 973.92<br>Car   | Carter, Paul Allen. <i>Another Part of the Fifties</i> . Columbia University Press, 1983.                 |
| 791.430973<br>Gow | Gow, Gordon. <i>Hollywood in the Fifties</i> . A. S. Barnes, 1971.  | 973.92<br>Eis   | Eisler, Benita. <i>Private Lives: Men and Women of the Fifties</i> . Watts, 1986.                         |
| 791.45<br>Wil     | Wilk, Max. <i>The Golden Age of Television: Notes From the Survivors</i> . DeLacorte, 1976.                                       | 973.92<br>Fab   | <i>The Fabulous Fifties</i> . Edited by Arleen Keylin. Arno, 1978.  |
| 791.457<br>Sto    | Stone, Joseph. <i>Prime Time and Misdemeanors: Investigating the 1950s TV Quiz Scandal</i> . Rutgers University Press, 1992.      | 973.92<br>Hal   | Halberstam, David. <i>The Fifties</i> . Villard Books, 1993.  |
| 796.357<br>Hon    | Honig, Donald. <i>Baseball in the '50s: A Decade of Transition</i> . Crown, 1987.   | 973.92<br>Har   | Hart, Jeffrey Peter. <i>When the Going Was Good!: American Life in the Fifties</i> . Crown, 1982.         |
| 810.905<br>Fre    | French, Warren. <i>The Fifties: Fiction, Poetry, Drama</i> . Everett/Edwards, 1970.   | 973.92<br>Mil   | Miller, Douglas T. <i>The Fifties: The Way We Really Were</i> . Doubleday, 1977.                          |
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## Videos

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## Compact Discs

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*Television's Greatest Hits, 70's & 80's.* TeeVee Toons, 1987.
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Collins, Phil. *Hits.* Face Value Records, 1998.
- MA/VAUG-S/GH/V 17  
Vaughan, Stevie Ray. *Greatest Hits.* Epic, 1995.
- MC/COLL/EE/T 15  
*The Early '80s: Hot Hits.* Time-Life Music, 1993.
- MC/COLL/ME/T 13  
*The Mid-'80s: Hot Hits.* Time-Life Music, 1992.
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## A Selection of Prominent People from the 1980s:

**Authors** Jean Auel, Melody Beattie, Allan Bloom, Leo Buscaglia, Tom Clancy, E. L. Doctorow, Louise Erdrich, Robert Fulghum, Garrison Keillor, Stephen King, Larry McMurtry, Toni Morrison, John Naisbitt, Sidney Sheldon, Randy Shilts, Danielle Steel, Anne Tyler, John Updike, Alice Walker, Tom Wolfe

**Business** Ivan Boesky, Bill Gates, Steven Jobs, Lee Iacocca, Michael Milken, Rupert Murdoch, Donald Trump, Sam Walton

**Films** Cher, Glenn Close, Robert DeNiro, Michael Douglas, Clint Eastwood, Sally Field, Harrison Ford, William Hurt, Spike Lee, David Lynch, Eddie Murphy, Jack Nicholson, Stephen Spielberg, Sylvester Stallone, Oliver Stone, Meryl Streep, Robin Williams

**Government** Robert Bork, George Bush, Jimmy Carter, Mario Cuomo, Michael Dukakis, Geraldine Ferraro, Mikhail Gorbachev, Jesse Jackson, Walter Mondale, Oliver North, Sandra Day O'Connor, Ronald Reagan, William Rehnquist, Margaret Thatcher, Lech Walesa

**Popular Music** Phil Collins, Jerry Garcia, Whitney Houston, Michael Jackson, Elton John, K.D. Lang, Cyndi Lauper, Madonna, Bette Midler, Prince, Lionel Richie, Bruce Springsteen, Sting, Barbra Streisand, Stevie Wonder

**Sports** Larry Bird, Bjorn Borg, Chris Evert, Eric Heiden, Kareem Abdul Jabbar, Magic Johnson, Greg LeMond, Sugar Ray Leonard, Nancy Lopez, Greg Louganis, John McEnroe, Joe Montana, Martina Navratilova, Walter Payton, Mary Lou Retton, Pete Rose, United States Hockey Team, Tom Watson

**Television** Alan Alda, Roseanne Arnold, Beatrice Arthur, Steven Bochco, Johnny Carson, Connie Chung, Bill Cosby, Tyne Daly, Ted Danson, Sam Donaldson, Sharon Gless, Larry Hagman, Ted Koppel, Angela Lansbury, Linda Lavin, David Letterman, Daniel J. Travanti, Ted Turner, Mike Wallace

**Theater** Michael Bennett, Stockard Channing, Michael Crawford, James Lapine, Andrew Lloyd Webber, Bernadette Peters, Sam Shepard, Stephen Sondheim, Wendy Wasserstein

**Others** Jimmy and Tammy Faye Bakker, Prince Charles and Princess Di, Pope John Paul II, Nancy Reagan, Sally Ride, Mother Teresa

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