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Previously unseen photographs from Scorsese's masterpiece

Taxi Driver has long been regarded as a cinematic milestone, and Robert DeNiro's portrait of a trigger-happy psychopath with a mohawk is widely believed to be one of the greatest performances ever filmed. *Time* magazine includes the film in its **list of 100 Greatest Movies**, saying: "The power of Scorsese's filmmaking grows ever more punishing with the passage of time."

Steve Schapiro—whose photographs were featured in TASCHEN's *Godfather Family Album*—was the special photographer on the set of *Taxi Driver*, capturing the film's most intense and violent moments from behind the scenes. This book—more than a film still book but a pure photo book on its own—features hundreds of unseen images selected from Schapiro's archives, painting a chilling portrait of a deranged gunman in the angry climate of the post-Vietnam era.

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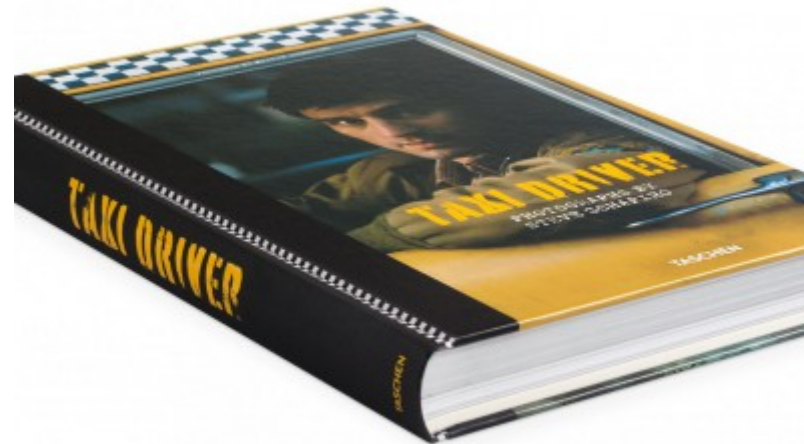
The photographer:

Steve Schapiro is a distinguished journalistic photographer whose pictures have graced the covers of *Vanity Fair*, *Time*, *Sports Illustrated*, *Life*, *Look*, *Paris Match*, and *People*, and are found in many museum collections. He has published five books of his work, *American Edge*, *Schapiro's Heroes*, *The Godfather Family Album*, *Taxi Driver* and *Then and Now In Hollywood* he has worked on more than 200 motion pictures; his most famous film posters are for *Midnight Cowboy*, *Taxi Driver*, *Parenthood*, and *The Godfather Part III*.

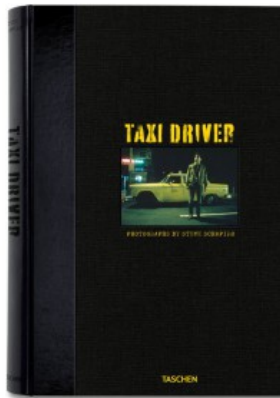
The editor:

Paul Duncan has edited 50 film books for TASCHEN, including the award-winning *The Ingmar Bergman Archives*, and authored *Alfred Hitchcock* and *Stanley Kubrick* in the Film Series.

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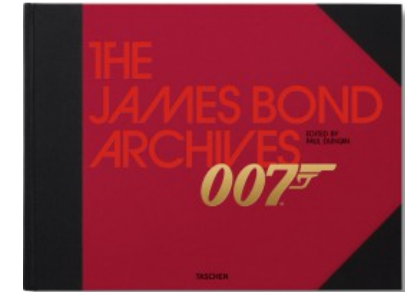
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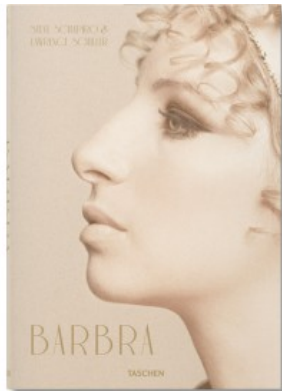
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