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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Something differentBy Evil Dr. ZenwattThis book is a riot. What these different artists have done with this classic American icon are pretty outrageous. Some of the artwork is very creative and original, while others are hilarious. Great to see folks having fun in a whole different way with this plastic beauty queen.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five StarsBy JeanneMy daughter absolutely loved it!3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. great for mature collectors..By Carrie L. MillerI have collected Barbies for many years and received this book as a gift. I thought it was wonderfully interesting to see many different artists' interpretation of Barbie and her influence on society. I haven't looked at the book for a few years, and I can still picture some of the images - Barbie swimming in French Fries (a play on American diet vs. Barbie's slim figure?) and many dolls watching a huge Barbie face on a movie screen (Is Barbie taking over the world? Should we be on the lookout for Big Barbie?). Overall, I agree that this is a fun coffee table book that would stimulate a lot of interesting conversation.

Hey Barbie, how did you do it? One day there you were with nothing more than a zebra-striped bathing suit and a sideways glance, and next thing you're a pop icon. Everybody loves you, girl. In The Art of Barbie, more than 100

artists, photographers, illustrators, and fashion designers--still playing Barbie after all these years--pay tribute to the world's most popular doll. A stunning visual homage, the book features the work of Calvin Klein, Betsey Johnson, Kenny Scharf, Seymour Chwast, Chuck Jones, Janet Woolley, Karl Lagerfeld, Francesco Scavullo, Rev. Howard Finster, Bob Mackie, Yves Saint Laurent, Warhol, and more--with each offering a fresh, surprising, playful, sometimes provocative vision of the original dream girl. 50,000 copies in print.

Artists celebrate the Barbie doll in this intriguing collection gathering the works of such diverse names as Andy Warhol, Karl Lagerfeld and Anna Sui. Portraits done in oils, collage, watercolor and ink, and other forms are captured in strong photos and commentary. -- Midwest Book About the Author
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