



## Ira Resnick

### A Decade through My Lens

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In images and words, Resnick re-creates his path through a decade of tremendous change, in the world and in himself – from film school at NYU, through travels in Israel and Canada, to the cultural ferment of Mill Valley and the glamour of Hollywood. Along the way, Resnick's work as a professional photographer brought him in contact with the leading personalities of his time:

- Musicians like the Rolling Stones, Stevie Nicks, and James Taylor
- Actors and directors like Sissy Spacek, Warren Beatty, and Martin Scorsese
- Comedians like Steve Martin, Gilda Radner, and Bill Murray
- Athletes like Muhammad Ali, Billie Jean King, and Kareem Abdul-Jabbar
- Politicians like Jimmy Carter, Jerry Brown, and Bella Abzug

Resnick's photographs of these iconic figures – many never seen since their original publication in magazines like *Rolling Stone*, *People*, and *Us* – will fascinate anyone with an interest in popular culture. And his personal journey will resonate with anyone who came of age in the 1970s.

**Ira M. Resnick** studied film at New York University before beginning a decadelong career as a professional photographer. A leading collector of movie posters, Resnick later founded the Motion Picture Arts Gallery, the first gallery devoted exclusively to the art of the movies and authored the book *Starstruck: Vintage Movie Posters from Classic Hollywood* (Abbeville). Resnick is a trustee of the Film Society of Lincoln Center and served as chairman of the board from 1999 to 2005.