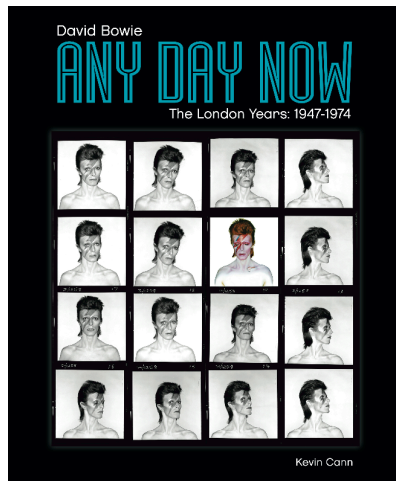


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## DAVID BOWIE'S EARLY LONDON LIFE



**Any Day Now: David Bowie The London Years (1947-1974)** by Kevin Cann, is a 336pp, in-depth, highly visual chronology charting the early life and career of an icon, from his birth in London in 1947 to his departure from the city in 1974 and the release of *Diamond Dogs*.

**Any Day Now** contains rare and never-published-before images and memorabilia, including outtakes from the *Aladdin Sane* album cover shoot, the first time Bowie was photographed in make-up and the historic letter confirming his name change from David Jones to David Bowie.

Author, Kevin Cann, is a Bowie archivist who has spent over 20 years compiling this book which includes hundreds of interviews with Bowie's friends and colleagues, as well as in-depth album analysis that feature rare insights into the album cover designs and the influences and inspirations behind many of the songs. Bowie's manager from 1967-1970, Kenneth Pitt, has contributed a foreword.

In this year-by-year account of Bowie's London life, Cann unravels many of the myths that have surrounded Bowie's early career. It also includes the most extensive listing of early live dates and rare recordings published to date.

Cann has contributed sleeve notes and chronologies for numerous David Bowie 30th and 40th anniversary releases, including *Ziggy Stardust*, *Diamond Dogs* and the recently released *Station To Station* Deluxe edition. He also worked with EMI on researching and co-ordinating Bowie's back catalogue, and worked as an assistant with Bowie on his first solo art exhibition, held in London in 1995.

The standard edition is a 336pp paperback, priced at £24.99, available 25 November 2010. Additionally, a limited edition of just 475 copies, individually numbered and signed by the author is available to order. Presented in a black cloth-bound clamshell case, the hand-finished hardback book comes complete with tip-ins of rare early career memorabilia, and

also includes an exclusive individually signed colour print by Gerald Fearnley from Bowie's first album shoot.

**Any Day Now** is launched in the UK with a six-week exhibition at Proud Galleries, London (28 October - 5 December).

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