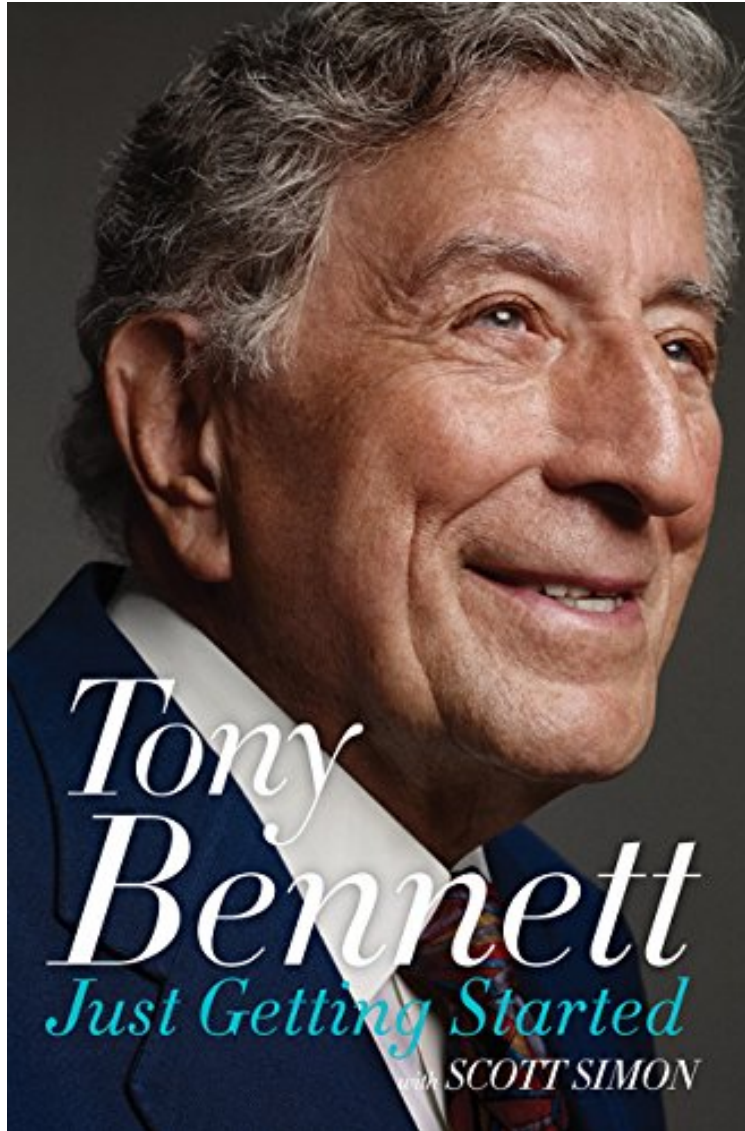


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Tony Bennett, Scott Simon : Just Getting Started before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Just Getting Started:

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Master of the American popular standard...By The Movie ManThe chapter headings are devoted to various individuals Bennett has known and/or worked with, among them Ella Fitzgerald, Louis Armstrong, Lady Gaga, Frank Sinatra, his son Danny Bennett, Rosemary Clooney, Duke Ellington,

Count Basie, and many more. Several of Bennett's paintings, in full color, are reprinted throughout the book. The result is a very personal memoir of the singer's long, enduring career in show business. This is an entertaining book, in which Bennett acknowledges his debt to many of the people who inspired and helped his career. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Super read! By kaif Lots of fun reading this one! Many names are familiar and accompany great stories! 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great read By Chris L. Mowrer Great stories of the friends he has made through his career.

At ninety, musician and singer Tony Bennett is as vibrant and productive as ever. In addition to his prodigious musical output, including albums, concerts, and personal appearances, this beloved and enduring artist has written his next book. In 2012's *Life Is a Gift*, Tony reflected on the lessons he has learned over the years. Now, in *Just Getting Started*, he pays homage to the remarkable people who inspired those lessons. In his warm and inviting voice, Tony talks about who and what have enriched his own life, including Charlie Chaplin, Judy Garland, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Cole Porter, Amy Winehouse, Fred Astaire, Lady Gaga, members of his family, significant places, and more. *Just Getting Started* chronicles the relationship Tony has enjoyed with each one of these legends, entertainers, humanitarians, and loved ones, and reveals how the lessons and values they imparted have invaluable shaped his life. As enchanting and unforgettable as his music, *Just Getting Started* is a beautiful compilation of reflections every Bennett fan will treasure, and a perfect introduction for those just getting to know this remarkable star and humanitarian.

Fans of heralded crooner Bennett will revel in this inviting charming book... In these beguiling portraits, Bennett warmly remembers of the deep influences on his life. (Publishers Weekly) [*Just Getting Started*] is as breezy and meaningful as one of his trademark songs as readers learn about the man by the company he kept and the heroes he worships. Bennett's ethereal still lifes and landscape paintings adorn this simple yet profound and gracious homage. (Booklist) In *Just Getting Started*... the singer takes a look back on his long, successful career and rich life... What comes through in all 42 chapters is the singer's gratitude... Lets hope this new generation can learn a lesson from Mr. Bennett's unflagging class and graciousness. (Wall Street Journal) From the Back Cover Celebrating Ninety Years of Living! At ninety, musician and artist Tony Bennett is as vibrant and productive as ever. In addition to his prodigious musical output, which includes albums, concerts, and personal appearances, this beloved and enduring singer has written yet another book. While in his 2012 work, *Life Is a Gift*, Tony reflected on the lessons he learned over the years, in *Just Getting Started* he pays homage to the remarkable people who inspired those lessons. In his warm, engaging tone, Tony talks about Charlie Chaplin; Judy Garland; Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.; Cole Porter; Amy Winehouse; Fred Astaire; Lady Gaga; members of his family; significant places; and other wonders that have enriched his own life. Recounting his relationships with these entertainers, humanitarians, and loved ones, in *Just Getting Started*, Tony reveals how he has been shaped by the principles each of them imparted to him. As enchanting and unforgettable as his music, *Just Getting Started* is a beautiful compilation of reflections every Bennett fan will treasure, and serves as a perfect introduction for those just getting to know this extraordinary star and generous spirit. About the Author Tony Bennett has sold millions of albums, earned multiple platinum and gold records, and won two Emmy Awards as well as seventeen Grammys, including the Recording Academy's prestigious Lifetime Achievement Award. He was also named a Kennedy Center Honoree. Scott Simon is the New York Times bestselling author of *Unforgettable: A Son, a Mother, and the Lessons of a Lifetime*. He is one of America's most admired writers and broadcasters, having reported from all over the world and from many wars. He is now the award-winning host of *Weekend Edition Saturday*. With more than four million listeners, it is the most-listened-to news program on National Public Radio. Simon has won Peabody and Emmy Awards for his reporting.