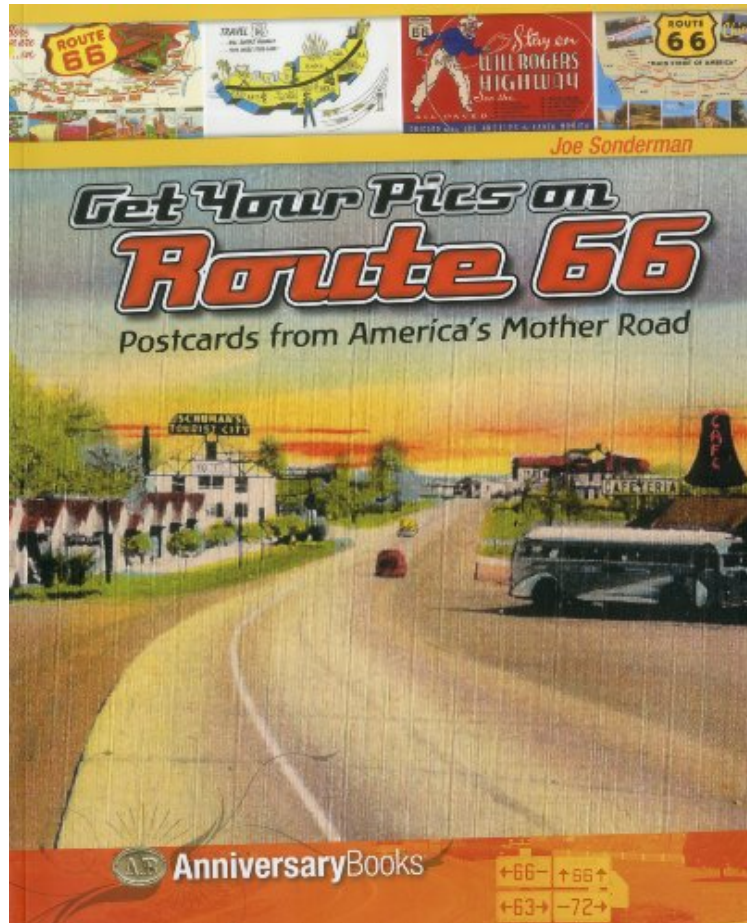


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through a visual method that Battaglia developed through ten years of experience as director of a very unique Italian photo and postcard museum. In this book, vintage postcards bring the reader back to a time when Route 66 was the 'Main Street of America', lined with colorful motels, gas stations and diners bathed in neon, along with the occasional 'tourist trap'. Cars were massive, gas was cheap, and America got its 'Kicks on Route 66'.

About the Author Joe Sonderman always wanted to discover the places the family station wagon sped past when he was a child. He maintains a website of Route 66 postcards and was a St. Louis radio personality and traffic reporter for over 25 years, and now works at the Missouri Department of Transportation, watching the roads of today while treasuring the roads of yesteryear. He is the author of four books on the history of America's Mother Road.