

A Stourbridge music fan's dream came true in 2023 when Vince Wright wrote & published the Elvis Collector book he had been planning since the late 80s entitled **8mm Elvis The Forgotten Format**. It is a book about the days before Blu ray, DVD, VHS, Betamax and Laser Disc, when, if you were lucky enough, you watched great Elvis film and tv performances of the days on home movie 8mm film.

Having been collecting all the Elvis and **Rock n Roll 8mm** he could find since the 80s, Elvis fan Vince Wright put his two hobbies together and created the only book dedicated to collecting everything Elvis on 8mm.

Now he is back with a follow up - The Rock & Pop 8mm Scrapbook

or, as he jokes, "The Great Rock 'n' Roll Spindle".

"I was cataloguing all these films but hoping someone would write a book about it. I waited, they didn't, so I did."

The new book **"The Rock & Pop 8mm Scrapbook"** will include releases from **THE BEATLES, THE WHO, THE ROLLING STONES, ELTON JOHN, CLIFF RICHARD, ELVIS** and so many more.

Full colour pictures of original releases, with foreign versions, alternate covers, as well as the not so underground world of bootlegs. It includes a brief history of 8mm and the technical details to round off the story for those who never knew it.

"This will be perfect for the film buff, the music collector and those just curious about their pop heroes on 8mm film." I am asking for a last push to be sure I have all the details. If you have any information, artwork, stories etc **I'd love a chat with you**.

"I have always loved film and was the projectionist for the Stourbridge Film Society for many years. I have been involved with the music world as a cheesy party disco DJ, radio host and I have even interviewed pop stars, film stars, authors and an expert from the Graceland Archives for my podcast (as well as having a real job).

