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GONZO

By Hunter S. Thompson

Foreword by Johnny Depp

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AMMO Books is pleased to announce its debut title: *GONZO*, by famed American author and journalist Hunter S. Thompson. *GONZO* presents a rare look into the life of Thompson, whose groundbreaking style of “gonzo” journalism made him one of the greatest writers of his generation. Now, for the first time, his photographs and archives have been collected into a visual biography worthy of his literary legacy. With a heartfelt introduction by close friend Johnny Depp, *GONZO* captures a man whose life was as legendary as his writing.

GONZO is a tour de force that will take you on an incredible journey into the world of this American iconoclast, who was notorious for his completely truthful—but not always factual—hands-on method of reporting. With numerous articles for *Rolling Stone* and other magazines, acclaimed books including *Hell's Angels*, *The Rum Diary*, *The Curse of Lono* and the seminal *Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas*, Thompson influenced generations of readers and established himself as a powerful voice in the political and literary world.

There are only two adjectives writers care about anymore...“brilliant” and “outrageous”...and Hunter Thompson has a freehold on both of them.

Tom Wolfe

AMMO Books presents this impressive limited edition title, featuring hundreds of personal photographs—many taken by Thompson himself and never before published. Accompanied by writing and memorabilia, this visual history gives insight into the literary icon’s life. *GONZO* chronicles Thompson's numerous adventures, including his early days as a foreign correspondent in Puerto Rico, living in Big Sur in the sixties, time on the road with the Hell's Angels, running for Sheriff of Pitkin County in 1970, and many personal moments with friends and family throughout the years.

Hunter Thompson is the most creatively crazy and vulnerable of the New Journalists. His ideas are brilliant and honorable and valuable...the literary equivalent of Cubism: all rules are broken.

Kurt Vonnegut Jr.

GONZO began as a personal collaboration with Hunter S. Thompson and AMMO publisher Steve Crist, prior to the author's untimely death. This one-of-a-kind book is the ultimate tribute to the *Good Doctor*, and a must-have for any Thompson fan. Lovingly edited and designed, and lavishly printed, this extraordinary package includes a specially designed box that contains the book and a limited edition gallery-quality photograph by Thompson. This is an exclusive offering of only three thousand individually numbered copies available worldwide, destined to become a treasured part of your personal library.

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