

The Kapoors: The First Family of Indian Cinema

By Rishi Kapoor

The Kapoor family is one of the most influential families in Indian cinema. For over 90 years, they have been entertaining audiences with their films. The family has produced some of the biggest stars in Bollywood, including Raj Kapoor, Shammi Kapoor, Shashi Kapoor, and Rishi Kapoor.

In his book, *The Kapoors: The First Family of Indian Cinema*, Rishi Kapoor chronicles the history of his family and their contributions to Indian cinema. The book is a fascinating look at the lives and careers of some of the most iconic figures in Bollywood.



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Kapoor begins the book with a brief history of his family. The Kapoors originally came from Peshawar, Pakistan. In the early 1900s, they moved to Bombay (now Mumbai) in search of a better life. Kapoor's grandfather,

Prithviraj Kapoor, was a renowned actor and director. He is considered to be one of the pioneers of Indian cinema.

Kapoor's father, Raj Kapoor, was one of the most popular and successful directors in Bollywood history. He is known for his classic films such as Awaara (1951), Shree 420 (1955), and Sangam (1964). Kapoor's uncles, Shammi Kapoor and Shashi Kapoor, were also successful actors. Shammi Kapoor was known for his energetic dance style and his romantic roles. Shashi Kapoor was a versatile actor who appeared in a wide variety of films.

Kapoor himself has had a successful career in Bollywood. He has appeared in over 100 films and has won several awards for his work. He is known for his roles in films such as Bobby (1973), Chandni (1989), and Kapoor & Sons (2016).

In *The Kapoors: The First Family of Indian Cinema*, Kapoor provides a behind-the-scenes look at the Kapoor family and their work. He shares personal anecdotes and insights into the lives of his family members. The book is a must-read for fans of Bollywood cinema.

Reviews

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About the Author

Rishi Kapoor is a renowned Indian actor. He has appeared in over 100 films and has won several awards for his work. He is the son of Raj Kapoor and the brother of Randhir Kapoor and Rajiv Kapoor.

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