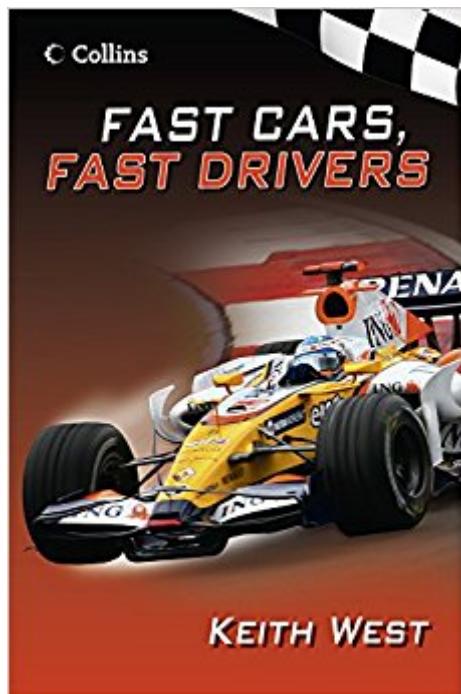


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Fast Cars, Fast Drivers (Read On)



Synopsis

Everything you ever wanted to know about motorsport: the cars, the races, the drivers, the records. This book showcases the best fast cars from 1901 to today and includes an interview with Ben Collins (a.k.a. the Stig) on what it's like to drive Batman's and James Bond's cars.

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Rumour has it that Keith West was born in a small village near Cambridge although he now admits to living in Essex. Keith has never driven a very fast car and has (so far) avoided fast cars running him down. He's never solved any mysteries - although he keeps trying to solve them. He has a wife, three children, two young grandchildren, two very old cats and two large rabbits. Keith continues to write books and he also writes plays. He will continue to do so until someone tells him to stop!

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