

Impolite Interviews

Paul Krassner

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About the Author PAUL KRASSNER cut his teeth as a journalist at *Mad* magazine, worked with Lenny Bruce, and with Abbie Hoffman and Jerry Rubin founded the Yippies. In 1958 he founded the satirical magazine *The Realist* and has published it discontinuously ever since. His autobiography, *Confessions of a Raving, Unconfined Nut: Misadventures in the Counter-Culture*, was published by Simon Schuster in 1994. More recently, *The Winner of the Slow Bicycle Race*, a collection of his best satire, was published by Seven Stories Press in 1996. His album *We Have Ways of Making You Laugh* is available from Mercury Records. He lives in Venice, California with his wife Nancy.