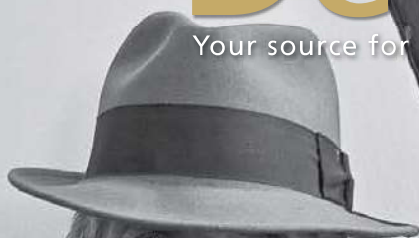


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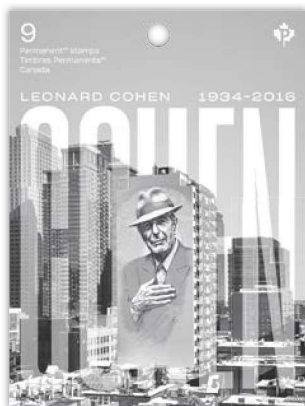
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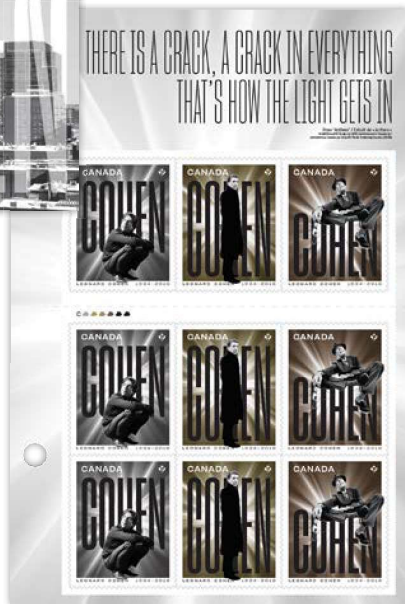
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LEONARD COHEN

Issue date: September 21, 2019



\$8¹⁰
Booklet of
9 stamps
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Born in Montréal, Quebec, on September 21, 1934, Leonard Cohen's first poetry collection was released a year after he graduated from McGill University in 1955. While living on the Greek island of Hydra in the 1960s, he published three more volumes of poetry and two novels, including the critically acclaimed *Beautiful Losers*. In 1967, he made his debut as a singer-songwriter at the Newport Folk Festival and released *Songs of Leonard Cohen* – an album that included two of his most famous songs, "Suzanne" and "So Long, Marianne."

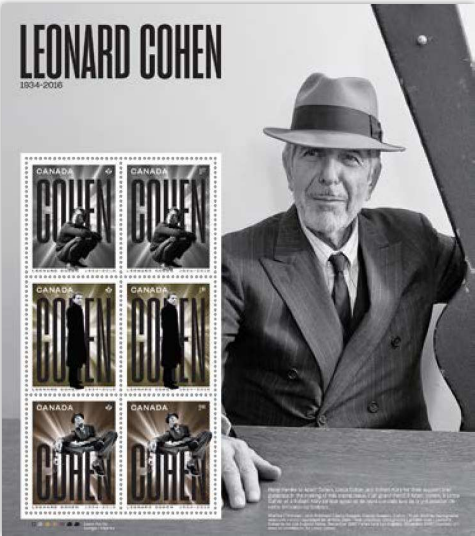
In 1984, Cohen released his album *Various Positions* containing the track that would become his most popular and likely most covered song, "Hallelujah." Following the release of the interna-

tionally acclaimed *I'm Your Man* (1988) and *The Future* (1992), Cohen received the first two of his eight career JUNO Awards in 1993. That decade he was invested into the Order of Canada, inducted into the Canadian Music Hall of Fame, and received an honorary doctorate in literature from McGill University and a Governor General's Performing Arts Award for Lifetime Artistic Achievement.

In 2001, after five years in a Buddhist monastery and a long hiatus from recording, Cohen released *Ten New Songs*. Over the next several years, he was inducted into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and the Songwriters Hall of Fame, and he won a Grammy Lifetime Achievement Award. In 2012, *Old Ideas* became his highest *Billboard*-charting album in the

United States. *Popular Problems* topped the 2014 *Billboard* Canadian Albums chart and won the JUNO Award for Album of the Year in 2015. The month following the October 2016 release of his critically acclaimed *You Want It Darker*, Cohen died in his Los Angeles home at the age of 82. The album's title track went on to win the 2018 Grammy Award for Best Rock Performance.

See page 2 for more
Leonard Cohen products.



\$8⁵²
 Pane of 6 stamps
 404118107

The images on the three stamp designs by Montréal’s Paprika follow the chronology of Cohen’s career in music. Denominated at the Permanent™ domestic rate in the nine-stamp booklet, the designs have been reconfigured at the U.S., oversized and international rates for a collectible uncut press sheet, four OFDCs and a gummed pane.



\$11⁹⁵
 First day of issue
 special envelopes
 (set of 4)
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Product	Denomination	Size	Quantity	Printing process
Booklet of 9 stamps	3 x Permanent™ (domestic rate)	32 mm x 40 mm	350,000	Lithography in 6 colours
Pane of 6 stamps ‡	3 x Permanent™, 1 x \$1.27, 1 x \$1.90, 1 x \$2.65	160 mm x 180 mm	75,000	Lithography in 6 colours
Uncut press sheet of 12 stamps ‡	3 x Permanent™, 3 x \$1.27, 3 x \$1.90, 3 x \$2.65	590 mm x 590 mm	2,000	Lithography in 6 colours
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– U.S. rate	1 x \$1.27	190 mm x 112 mm	15,000	Montréal QC
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– International rate	1 x \$2.65	190 mm x 112 mm	15,000	Montréal QC
– Domestic rate	3 x Permanent™	190 mm x 112 mm	15,000	Montréal QC

Design: Paprika **Photos:** stamps – Jack Robinson | Getty Images, Claude Gassian, Platon | Trunk Archive; background starburst – PSD Graphics; pane – Leonard Cohen in his Los Angeles home, December 2007, courtesy of Lorca Cohen.
Printer: Lowe-Martin **‡Gum type:** PVA

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Leonard Cohen –
Framed stamp enlargements
29 in. x 16.5 in. /
736.6 mm x 419.1 mm
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\$69⁹⁵


Leonard Cohen – Framed pane
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