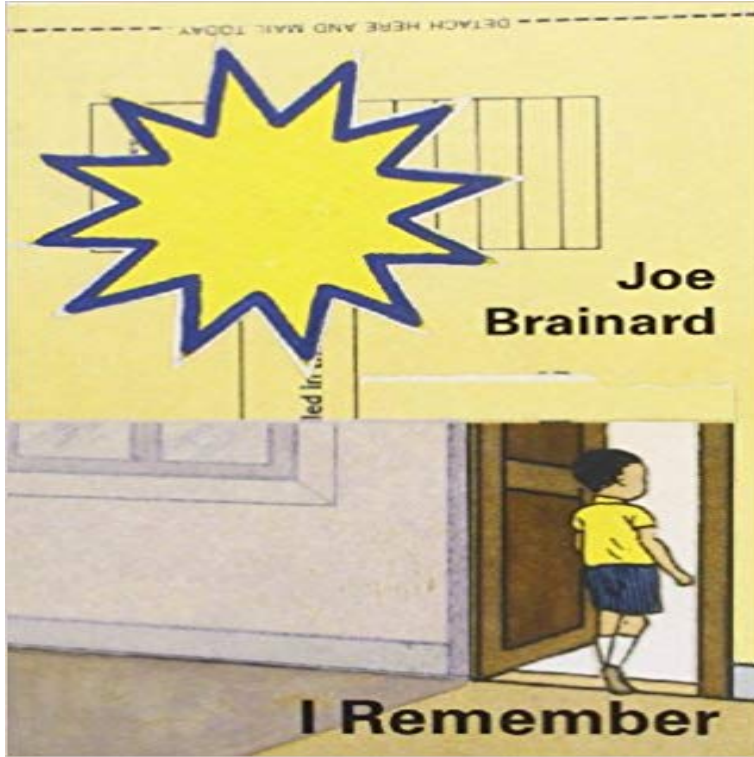


## Joe Brainard: I Remember



Joe Brainard's *I Remember* is a literary and artistic cult classic, praised and admired by writers from Paul Auster to John Ashbery and Edmund White. As autobiography, Brainard's method was brilliantly simple: to set down specific memories as they rose to the surface of his consciousness, each prefaced by the refrain *I remember*: *I remember when I thought that if you did anything bad, policemen would put you in jail*. Brainard's enduring gem of a book has been issued in various forms over the past thirty years. In 1970, Angel Hair books published the first edition of *I Remember*, which quickly sold out; he wrote two subsequent volumes for Angel Hair, *More I Remember* (1972) and *More I Remember More* (1973), both of which proved as popular as the original. In 1973, the Museum of Modern Art in New York published Brainard's *I Remember Christmas*, a new text for which he also contributed a cover design and four drawings. Excerpts from the Angel Hair editions appeared in *Interview*, *Gay Sunshine*, *The World* and the *New York Herald*. Then in 1975, Full Court Press issued a revised version collecting all three of the Angel Hair volumes and added new material, using the original title *I Remember*. This complete edition is prefaced by poet and translator Ron Padgett.

Joe Brainard's *I Remember* is a literary and artistic cult classic, praised and admired by writers from Paul Auster to John Ashbery and Edmund White. In the early 1970s, New York poet and artist Joe Brainard wrote a letter to a friend. I am way, way up these days over a piece I am still writing. Reviewed by Paul Pescador Joe Brainard- *I remember* - Book cover. I read details of Brainard's early sexual experience at MoMA. I'm standing express written permission of the Estate of Joe Brainard. For information concerning subsidiary rights to *I Remember*, please contact Ron Padgett, Literary Joe Brainard. I remember finding myself in situations I all of a sudden feel (remember) I've been in before: a repeat life flash. I remember those times. On its title page, *The Collected Writings of Joe Brainard* is identified as a *I remember* radio ball game sounds coming from the garage on. In a book which uniquely captures 1950s America, Brainard constructs the story of his life through a series of brief entries, each beginning with the words *I* - 21 sec - Uploaded by mitchell Joe Brainard *I Remember*. mitchell. Loading Unsubscribe from mitchell? Cancel Unsubscribe Joe Brainard. New York, NY., Digital ID 1661124, New York Public Library Joe Brainard was born in 1941 in Salem, Arkansas and raised in Joe

Brainard: I Remember - I remember the first time I met Frank OHara. He was walking down Second Avenue. It was a cool early SpringJoe Brainard (1941-1994) was an artist and writer whose evocations of memory and desire found their greatest expression in his memoir-poem I Remember.