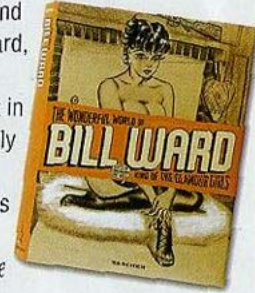


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American pin-up artist and erotic cartoonist, Bill Ward, finally gets the Taschen monster tome treatment in the form of this extremely large-format, 350-page volume. Which I guess is only fitting for a man who created such a huge body of work.



Indeed, between the late-40s and his death in 1998, Ward, with his zepellin-breasted, wasp-waisted women in nylons and spike heels, gave visual realisation to the collective imagination of the red-blooded American male.

But as well as the girlie art and the stag humour, this book collects together examples of his later kinky comic strip work and his gloriously lurid fetish-flavoured covers for pulp paperbacks bearing titles such as *Spank Me to Heaven* and *Leather Bar Ladies*.



*The Wonderful World of Bill Ward:
King of Glamour Girls (Taschen) £29.99*