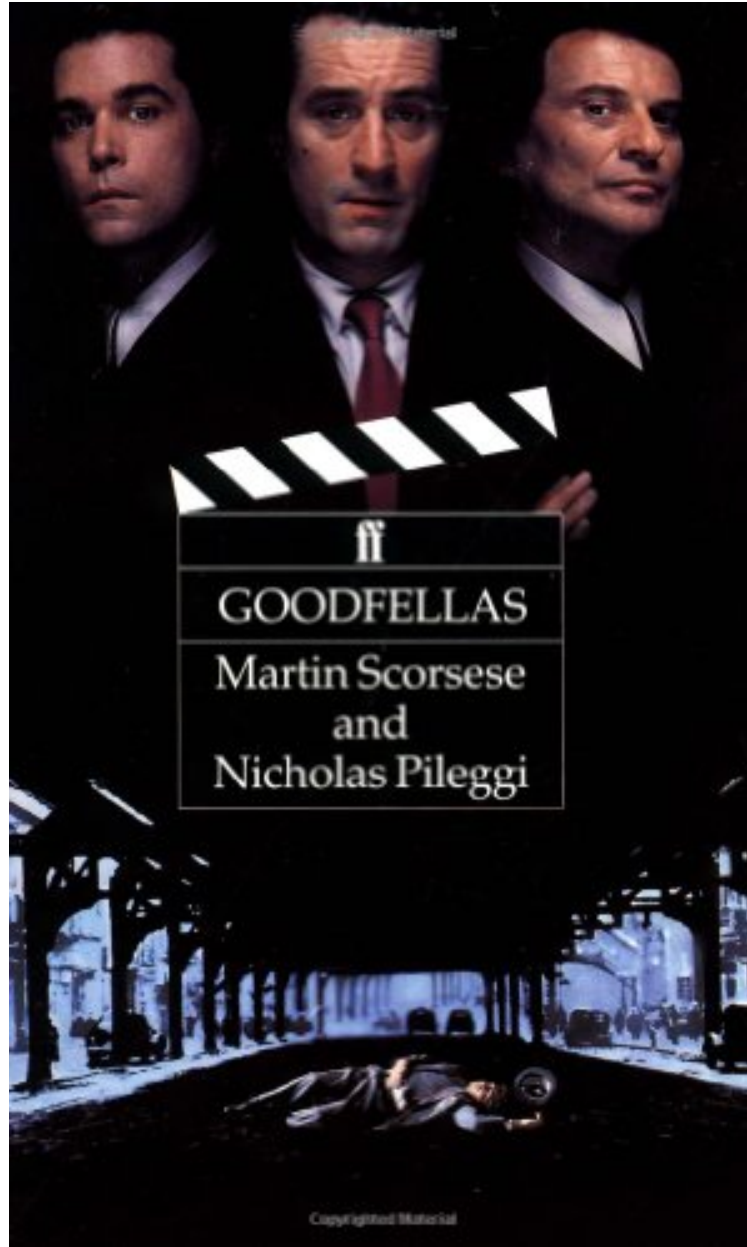


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About the AuthorMartin Scorsese was born in New York City and graduated from New York University with a degree in film. Widely considered one the best filmmakers in American history, his movies include Mean Streets, Taxi Driver, Raging Bull, After Hours, Cape Fear, and Gangs of New York.Nicholas Pileggi has written three screenplays that have been produced for film, two of which were directed by Martin Scorsese.