

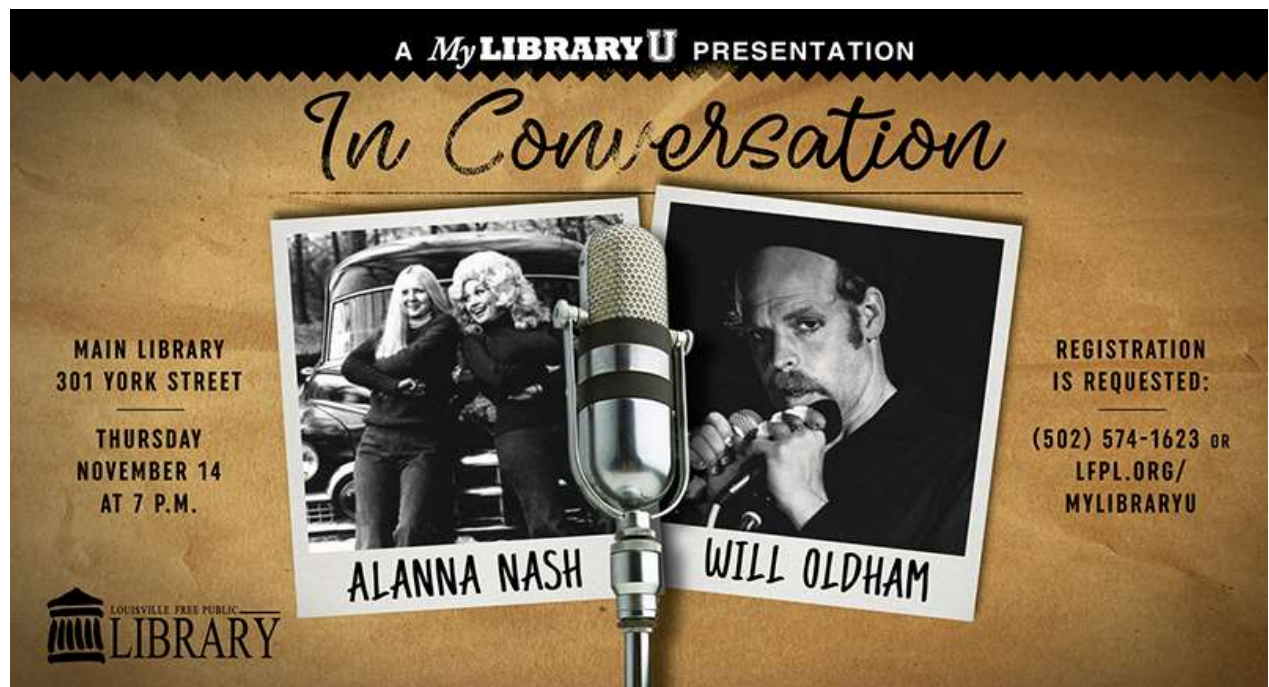
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In Conversation: Will Oldham & Alanna Nash

Thursday, November 14, 7 p.m. at the Main Library



Louisville, Ky. (October 31, 2019) -- Renowned songwriter and performer Will Oldham and celebrated music journalist Alanna Nash share a hometown (Louisville, of course), a love of Kentucky music, and a penchant for insightful observation. In this on-stage conversation, Oldham and Nash will delve into their long careers and reflect on growing up in love with music in Louisville.

Alanna Nash is a recipient of the Country Music Association Media Achievement Award and the Charlie Lamb Award for Excellence in Country Music Journalism, and the author of seven books, including *The Colonel: The Extraordinary Story of Colonel Tom Parker and Elvis Presley* (winner of the Belmont Award); *Dolly: The Biography*; and *Elvis and the Memphis Mafia*. Nash lives in Louisville, Kentucky, where she covered Elvis's funeral for the *Courier-Journal*.

Performing as himself, Palace Brothers, or Bonnie "Prince" Billy, Will Oldham has released more than twenty acclaimed studio albums, along with EPs, singles, and music for film and television. He has appeared in the films of John Sayles (*Matewan*), Kelly Reichardt (*Old Joy*, *Wendy and Lucy*), and others. He is a longtime denizen of Louisville, Kentucky.

Join Alanna Nash and Will Oldham “In Conversation” at the Main Library (301 York Street), Thursday, November 14, at 7 p.m. To register for this free, ticketless event, visit [LFPL.org/NashOldham](https://www.lfpl.org/NashOldham) or call (502) 574-1623.