

The book was found

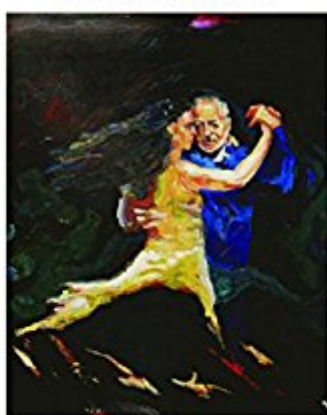
# I Wanted To Dance - Carlos Gavito: Life, Passion And Tango

Ricardo Plazaola

## I Wanted to Dance

Carlos Gavito: Life, passion and tango

Prologue by Pablo Veron



ABRAZOS



## Synopsis

CARLOS EDUARDO GAVITO (4/27/1943 – 7/1/2005) was born in La Plata, Argentina. He spent his youth in the barrio of Avellaneda (to the south of Greater Buenos Aires) and the rest of his life circling the globe. He traveled for more than forty years and visited more than ninety countries. He spoke English, Italian, French and Portuguese fluently and could make himself understood in German, Russian and Japanese. He was a universal man who took the tango from the barrio to the world. He began dancing not too long after he started to walk, and then there was no stopping him: tango, rock, folklore, Latin rhythms, swing. On stage and off, there was no dance he didn't try. Over the years, he searched for his own place in the dance world, and then his own tango: the absolutely unique style that brought him to fame. In the mid 90s, after being out of Argentina for many years, he gained international renown with the company of Forever Tango and word got back to Buenos Aires. From then on, he was an important and imposing figure in the porteño milongas. Julio Fernández Baraibar, who wrote the prologue of the first Spanish edition of this book, said that any milonga that Gavito went to became the milonga to attend, and that when Gavito got up to dance, the dance floor became transformed.

## Book Information

File Size: 325 KB

Print Length: 176 pages

Publisher: Enrico Massetti (November 3, 2014)

Publication Date: November 3, 2014

Sold by: Digital Services LLC

Language: English

ASIN: B00P8EPK2G

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Not Enabled

Enhanced Typesetting: Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #1,213,495 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #86

in Books > Arts & Photography > Performing Arts > Dance > Tango #409 in Kindle Store >

Kindle eBooks > Arts & Photography > Dance #460 in Books > Biographies & Memoirs > Arts &

Literature > Dancers

## Customer Reviews

Very fascinating biography of one of the greatest tango dancers of our time. I knew Carlos personally, I danced in the same milongas with him, and being able to know the details of his life brought back to me many memories.

Well written account of Gavito's amazing life and career. Includes intriguing stories and experiences in the Maestro's words, interviews and quotes from partners and associates. Provides insight into his journey to becoming a world-renown, respected and admired Argentine Tango Maestro of his unique style, and captures a sense of his wit and wisdom. Gavito fans who have seen his incredible performances, received his instruction, heard his philosophical commentary or watched him on video, will be further informed, enlightened and entertained by this biography. Those who are newly acquainted with the Maestro will gain considerable knowledge of how he evolved in to being one of tango's all-time greatest dancers, performers, philosophers and icons. IMO every man who is serious about becoming a desirable tango partner should read this book, more than once. Gavito's words provide insight into the breadth and depth of tango that are felt but not seen, and must be experienced to understand.

Very nice but a little lengthy.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

I Wanted to Dance - Carlos Gavito: Life, Passion and Tango First Tango in Paris September 2016:  
How to Dance Tango (First Tango in Cities Around the World) Corresponding with Carlos: A  
Biography of Carlos Kleiber Tango.: Dance Of Leaders (How to dance Argentine Tango) (Volume 1)  
Why Tango: Essays on learning, dancing and living tango argentino (Tango Essays Book 1) A  
Passion for Tango: A Thoughtful, Provocative and Useful Guide to That Universal Body Language,  
Argentine Tango Tango: Argentine tango music, dance and history Tango.: Dance of Great Leaders  
(Learning Arg. Tango) (Volume 2) Tango Argentino: How to Tango: Steps, Style, Spirit (Dance  
Crazy) How to Dance: Learn How to Line Dance, Belly Dance, Ice Dance and More Passion For Life  
(Quest Passion for Life Series, V. 1) Let's Dance: Learn to Swing, Foxtrot, Rumba, Tango, Line  
Dance, Lambada, Cha-Cha, Waltz, Two-Step, Jitterbug and Salsa With Style, Elegance and Ease  
Why Tango: Essays on learning, dancing and living tango argentino (Volume 1) Argentine Tango:  
Wisdom of Great Followers (Learning Argentine tango) (Volume 3) Learn Authentic Tango: Mystery  
Revealed (In Color) (Learning Argentine Tango) (Volume 4) Beginning Argentine Tango: To the

people who are interested in dancing Argentine Tango--This is how to do it Tango for Teachers: The tango matrix Arreglos de Tango Para Piano En Autentico Estilo Argentino: An Essential Guide to the Correct Playing of the Argentine Tango Including 10 Transcriptio Dead on Her Feet: A Tango Mystery (An Antonia Blakeley Tango Mystery) (Volume 1) Tango: Wisdom of Following (Learning Argentine Tango) (Volume 2)

[Dmca](#)