

Silent Mobius, Vol 4

Aided by Japanese television reporter Yuko Yagi, Batman travels from Gotham City to Tokyo to investigate a new street drug that physically alters the user, changing him or her into a physical incarnation of one of Batman's enemies.

Shinhye loves lying under the night sky with her father, listening to his tales of the constellations. And she dreams of a life among the stars. Little does she know that the stars may come down to her instead. Her journey begins when the Department of Science asks her family to host Sarah, a foreign girl with a unique talent. But, strange men are interested in Sarah and Shinhye doesn't know why.

Unbekownst to Shinhye, her every dream--and nightmare--is about to come true.

One day high school student Hiro decides to apply as a monitor for a new gadget called JUNK. Soon he recieves a strange looking device in the mail. Upon activation, Hiro is encased in a powered armor JUNK suit granting him incredible strength, speed and agility. However, Hiro's repeat abuse at the hands of the school bullies leaves him hungry for revenge... not super heroism.

An emergency call to a threatened space elevator sends Katsumi on a trip through her memories to when she first joined the A.M.P. Now the devil who took her mother's life has returned, and Katsumi is its new target!

Internment

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The Wasp Factory

The Resonance of Unseen Things

Steam Detectives, Vol. 6

"The greatest zombie manga ever." --Jason Thompson (Manga: The Complete Guide) The action packed zombie thriller and winner of the Shogakukan Manga Award returns! A global zombie outbreak threatens to wipe out civilization! In Japan, some of the infected have been able to hold onto their humanity while exhibiting superhuman ZQN powers. As Hiromi evolves, affected by a zombie baby's bite, will Hideo also exhibit powers linked to the bite on his hand? Other afflicted humans seem to have supernatural abilities, too, like the leader of the Cult of Kurusu. Now a major motion picture, this hit manga series is presented in a deluxe omnibus format, collecting two of the original Japanese volumes into each Dark Horse edition--to catch readers up with the world's strangest zombie apocalypse!

Delight in new tales of adventure featuring the world's fastest and most famous Hedgehog hero, Sonic! Sonic may be the fastest hero in the world, but he's got to keep moving to stay ahead of Dr. Eggman's evil plots! In Sonic and The Tales of Deception, Sonic and his friends save the world from Dr. Eggman and his cronies in three original stories. This set of short stories with full color illustrations is the perfect introduction to one of the most beloved video game characters of all time and a must-have title for long-time fans eager for new content!

The polarizing literary debut by Scottish author Ian Banks, *The Wasp Factory* is the bizarre, imaginative, disturbing, and darkly comic look into the mind of a child psychopath. Meet Frank Cauldhame. Just sixteen, and unconventional to say the least: Two years after I killed Blyth I murdered my young brother Paul, for quite different and more fundamental reasons than I'd disposed of Blyth, and then a year after that I did for my young cousin Esmerelda, more or less on a whim. That's my score to date. Three. I haven't killed anybody for years, and don't intend to ever again. It was just a stage I was going through.

When A.M.P. commander Rally Cheyenne is promoted, a replacement takes over her job: Mana Isozaki, a mysterious woman with strict methods and terrifying powers. But as the A.M.P.'s new chief, can she lead them into battle against a Lucifer Hawk capable of mimicking whole buildings and absorbing human beings? Then Yuki Saiko, the youngest member of the A.M.P., enters an antique shop and steps outside to find herself in the year 1991. Trapped in the past, can she survive in an unfamiliar city and was she sent there as a curse or a blessing?

The Black Lizard Big Book of Black Mask Stories

A History

The Crane Wife

Mobius: a Memoir

Excel Saga, Vol. 4

This anthology of contemporary poetry celebrates the 200th birth anniversary of Fryderyk Chopin (1810-1849). The volume presents 123 poems by 92 poets, including: Sharon Chmielarz, T. S. Eliot, Charles Ades Fishman, Linda Nemec Foster, Emily Fragos, John Z. Guzowski, Lola Haskins, Oriana Ivy, Lois P. Jones, Leonard Kress, Emma Lazarus, Marie Lecrivain, Jeffrey Levine, Amy Lowell, Rick Lupert, Mira N. Mataric, Elisabeth Murawski, Ruth Nolan, Cyprian Kamil Norwid, William Pillin, Russell Salamon, Katrin Talbot, Mark Tardi, Devi Walders, Kath Abela Wilson, and others. The book is illustrated with vintage Chopin postcards and includes one translation - of "Chopin's Piano" by Norwid. The editor, Dr. Maja Trochimczyk, is a Polish-American poet, music historian, photographer, and translator. She published four books on music, two books of poetry, and hundreds of articles and poems.

Includes categorical listings of collectible comic books, arranged by type of comic, with issue titles, current prices, dates, and cross-references

Seeking global domination, would-be dictator Il Palazzo forms a secret society based deep beneath the streets of Fukuoka, Japan called ACROSS, and his first member is Excel, a teenaged girl smitten with him.

An instant New York Times bestseller! "Internment sets itself apart...terrifying, thrilling and urgent."--Entertainment Weekly
Rebellions are built on hope. Set in a horrifying near-future United States, seventeen-year-old Layla Amin and her parents are forced into an internment camp for Muslim American citizens. With the help of newly made friends also trapped within the internment camp, her boyfriend on the outside, and an unexpected alliance, Layla begins a journey to fight for freedom, leading a revolution against the camp's Director and his guards. Heart-racing and emotional, Internment challenges readers to fight complicit silence that exists in our society today.

Chopin with Cherries

Comics Values Annual 2007

Theory and Management of Strabismus

I Am a Hero Omnibus Volume 6

More What's Japanese in Japanese Animation?

Best Books of 2016
BOSTON GLOBE * THE ATLANTIC
From the acclaimed bestselling author of The Information and Chaos comes this enthralling history of time travel—a concept that has preoccupied physicists and storytellers over the course of the last century. James Gleick delivers a mind-bending exploration of time travel—from its origins in literature and science to its influence on our understanding of time itself.

Gleick vividly explores physics, technology, philosophy, and art as each relates to time travel and tells the story of the concept's cultural evolutions—from H.G. Wells to Doctor Who, from Proust to Woody Allen. He takes a close look at the porous boundary between science fiction and modern physics, and, finally, delves into what it all means in our own moment in time—the world of the instantaneous, with its all-consuming present and vanishing future.

When a jester-like demon attacks the A.M.P., Katsumi Liqueur must accept her father's sinister inheritance: Grospolliner, the king of all swords! Then Yuki Saiko, the childlike prodigy of an ESPer breeding project, discovers that the project which created her has not ended. Lastly, Lebia Maverick, a cybernetically enhanced hacker, is the only member of the A.M.P. who can stop a computer virus before it devours all the data in Tokyo.

The Resonance of Unseen Things offers an ethnographic meditation on the “ uncanny ” persistence and cultural freight of conspiracy theory. The project is a reading of conspiracy theory as an index of a certain strain of late 20th-century American despondency and malaise, especially as understood by people experiencing downward social mobility. Written by a cultural anthropologist with a literary background, this deeply interdisciplinary book focuses on the enduring American preoccupation with captivity in a rapidly transforming world. Captivity is a trope that appears in both ordinary and fantastic iterations here, and Susan Lepselter shows how multiple troubled histories—of race, class, gender, and power—become compressed into stories of uncanny memory. “ We really don ’ t have anything like this in terms of a focused, sympathetic, open-minded ethnographic study of UFO experiencers. . . . The author ’ s semiotic approach to the paranormal is immensely productive, positive, and, above all, resonant with what actually happens in history. ” —Jeffrey J. Kripal, J. Newton Rayzor Professor of Religion, Rice University “ Lepselter relates a weave of intimate alien sensibilities in out-off-the-way places which are surprisingly, profoundly, close to home. Readers can expect to share her experience of contact with complex logics of feeling, and to do so in a contemporary America they may have thought they understood. ” —Debbora Battaglia, Mount Holyoke College “ An original and beautifully written study of contemporary American cultural poetics. . . . The book convincingly brings into relief the anxieties of those at the margins of American economic and civic life, their perceptions of state power, and the narrative continuities that bond them to histories of violence and expansion in the American West. ” —Deirdre de la Cruz, University of Michigan

"This volume contains the Steam detectives installments from Animerica extra vol. 4, no. 12 through vol. 6, no. 1 in their entirety."--T.p. verso.

Binocular Vision and Ocular Motility

Silent Mobius, Vol. 3

Dark Angel 5

Silent Mobius, Vol. 1

When a mad scientist and his twin android girls kill the king of Forland in an attempted coup, Princess Alita accidentally swaps spirits with a female bounty hunter, and the two girls must struggle to keep the kingdom together.

"In a fleeting last breath, a beautiful woman on her deathbed hands a strange gemstone to D and asks that he deliver it to her sister in a remote North Sea fishing village. As D cuts across never-ending expanses of Frontier in search of his seaside destination, he is relentlessly attacked by wave after wave of mercenary and monster...all employed by the man who murdered the young girl. In order to grant a dying wish, D must find a way to keep this priceless jewel out of everyone's covetous reach, and all without sacrificing his own life!"--Amazon.com.

An unstoppable anthology of crime stories culled from Black Mask magazine the legendary publication that turned a pulp phenomenon into literary mainstream. Black Mask was the apotheosis of noir. It was the magazine where the first hardboiled detective story, which was written by Carroll John Daly appeared. It was the slum in which such American literary titans like Dashiell Hammett and Raymond Chandler got their start, and it was the home of stories with titles like “Murder Is Bad Luck,” “Ten Carets of Lead,” and “Drop Dead Twice.” Collected here is best of the best, the hardest of the hardboiled, and the darkest of the dark of America’s finest crime fiction. This masterpiece collection represents a high watermark of America’s underbelly. Crime writing gets no better than this. Featuring • Deadly Diamonds • Dancing Rats • A Prize Fighter Fighting for His Life • A Parrot that Wouldn’t Talk Including • Dashiell Hammett’s The Maltese Falcon as it was originally published • Lester Dent's Luck in print for the first time

"The only way you can tell the truth is through fiction," a veteran NSA senior told Richard Thieme. Mobius: A Memoir does just that. It is about a spy but not a typical "spy novel;" it is a love story but definitely not a "romance." Mobius is a stunning exploration of the impact of a life of deception and professional intelligence work which illuminates the world in which we all now live. Fiction that preceded Mobius includes 35 short stories, 19 of which are collected in "Mind Games," and the novel "FOAM." As a security researcher said, "Richard Thieme knows what he is talking about." A senior Technical Director at NSA noted, "The depth, complexity, and texture of Thieme's thought processes break the mold."

Batman

Battle Angel Alita Mars Chronicle 4

In the Starlight

Murder Princess

Record of the Last Hero

A magical novel, based on a Japanese folk tale, that imagines how the life of a broken-hearted man is transformed when he rescues an injured white crane that has landed in his backyard. George Duncan is an American living and working in London. At forty-eight, he owns a small print shop, is divorced, and lonelier than he realizes. All of the women with whom he has relationships eventually leave him for being too nice. But one night he is woken by an astonishing sound—a terrific keening, which is coming from somewhere in his garden. When he investigates he finds a great white crane, a bird taller than even himself. It has been shot through the wing with an arrow. Moved more than he can say, George struggles to take out the arrow from the bird’s wing, saving its life before it flies away into the night sky. The next morning, a shaken George tries to go about his daily life, retreating to the back of his store and making cuttings from discarded books—a harmless, personal hobby—when through the front door of the shop a woman walks in. Her name is Kumiko, and she asks George to help her with her own artwork. George is dumbstruck by her beauty and her enigmatic nature, and begins to fall desperately in love with her. She seems to hold the potential to change his entire life, if he could only get her to reveal the secret of who she is and why she has brought her artwork to him. Witty, magical, and romantic, *The Crane Wife* is a story of passion and sacrifice, that resonates on the level of dream and myth. It is a novel that celebrates the creative imagination, and the disruptive power of love.

Beautiful, action-packed sword & sorcery epic by the creator of Nadesico and Silent Mobius. This young warrior, Dark, is on a quest to discover his destiny.

Become an expert on cultural details commonly seen in Japanese animation, movies, comics and TV shows.

The gorgeous and deadly Black Dragon is consumed with jealousy and filled with hatred towards her rival, the Phantom Saint of the Blue Dragon. She now conspires to murder her enemy and seize her kingdom! Battle lines are drawn as two beautiful and powerful women wage war against one another!

Child of Dreams

The Poisonwood Bible

Mars Chronicle

The Anime Companion 2

Poetics, Power, Captivity, and UFOs in the American Uncanny

Silent Mobius: Complete EditionUdon Entertainment Corporation

The ultimate sci-fi manga continues! Could the AMP's leader, Rally Cheyenne, really be - a Lucifer Hawk!? And if so, will her team still stand behind her? It's the epic conclusion of Silent Mobius' first story arc, which will leave the AMP changed forever!

"This volume contains the monthly comics Silent Mobius: Turnabout #1 through #6 in their entirety."

Social-phobic Sora and shut-in Shiro form a genius gamer sibling duo. The two find the world to be a lousy game...until someone claiming to be God transports them to a world where everything is decided by games! Will these two failures at life become the saviors of a strange, new world?

Mostly Manga: A Genre Guide to Popular Manga, Manhwa, Manhua, and Anime

Battle Angel Alita

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Vampire Hunter D

No Game, No Life Vol. 1

'Breathtaking.' Sunday Times 'Exquisite.' The Times 'Beautiful.' Independent 'Powerful.' New York Times An international bestseller and a modern classic, this suspenseful epic of one family's tragic undoing and their remarkable reconstruction has been read, adored and shared by millions around the world. This story is told by the wife and four daughters of Nathan Price, a fierce, evangelical Baptist who takes his family and mission to the Belgian Congo in 1959. They carry with them everything they believe they will need from home, but soon find that all of it - from garden seeds to Scripture - is calamitously transformed on

African soil. What readers are saying 'This remains one of the most fascinating books I have ever read.' 'I felt every emotion under the sky with this book.' 'Riveting.' 'This novel left a lasting - YEARS LASTING - impression.' 'This is one of those booksthat stands the test of time and is worth rereading.' 'Five epic, no-wonder-this-book-is-so-well-loved stars!'

Generatingfunctionology provides information pertinent to generating functions and some of their uses in discrete mathematics. This book presents the power of the method by giving a number of examples of problems that can be profitably thought about from the point of view of generating functions. Organized into five chapters, this book begins with an overview of the basic concepts of a generating function. This text then discusses the different kinds of series that are widely used as generating functions. Other chapters explain how to make much more precise estimates of the sizes of the coefficients of power series based on the analyticity of the function that is represented by the series. This book discusses as well the applications of the theory of generating functions to counting problems. The final chapter deals with the formal aspects of the theory of generating functions. This book is a valuable resource for mathematicians and students.

Appropriate for any public library collection, this book provides a comprehensive readers' advisory guide for Japanese manga and anime, Korean manhwa, and Chinese manhua. • Author, title, subject, and genre indexes • An appendix featuring the films of Studio Ghibli • Focuses on series that are easy and cost-effective for libraries to collect • Demystifies a body of literature unfamiliar to many librarians

A Novel

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Generatingfunctionology

Silent Mobius

A Tribute in Verse