

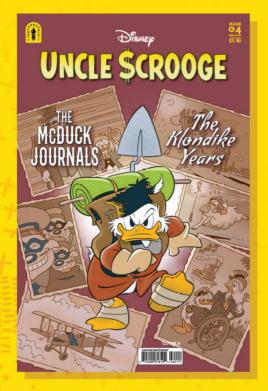






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From the beloved Golden Age tales of Carl Barks through the award–winning 1990s works of Don Rosa, Disney comics have rarely been as thrilling as when they dig deep into Scrooge McDuck's early life: hunting for gold and adventure in the Klondike, the Wild West, and all over the world! Now fan–favorite Finnish writer/artist Kari Korhonen launches "The McDuck Journals," a new-to-USA story arc exploring Scrooge's past in a whole new way!

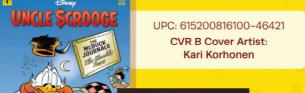


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UNCLE SCROOGE LEGACY #464: THE MCDUCK JOURNALS: THE KLONDIKE YEARS

Written by Kari Korhonen, David Gerstein, Carl Barks Drawn by Kari Korhonen, Carl Barks

"The McDuck Journals: The Klondike Years!" In a rip-roaring, multi-chapter saga complete in this issue, Scrooge himself narrates untold 1890s tales of his mining days in the Yukon! A rogues' gallery including Soapy Slick, the Beagle Boys, Cobalt Blue, and Septimus Sharky are all set on Scrooge's path by a mystery tycoon who wants to force him back to Scotland—for good! Along the way, the mighty miser tames bears, outswims riverboats, fights a Skagway hotel war... and helps Ratchet Gearloose test the first flying machine! (Wright Brothers? Never heard of 'em!)

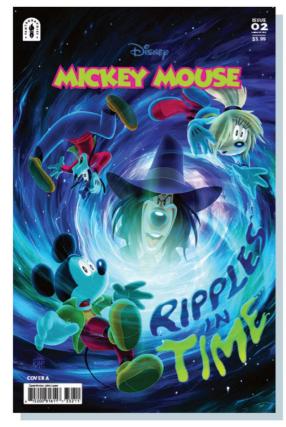


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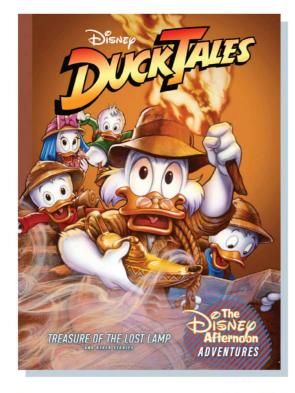
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MICKEY MOUSE LEGACY #332: RIPPLES IN TIME PART 1 (OF 2)

Written by Francesco Vacca, Noel Van Horn, Bill Walsh, Merrill De Maris, Joe Torcivia; Drawn by Marco Mazzarello, Noel Van Horn, Manuel Gonzales

"Ripples In Time," Part 1 of 2! Time traveler Uma visits Mickey from 2053 in a desperate attempt to stop a crime before it happens — but the Rhyming Man, Mickey's deadly secret-agent foe, is out to take her down! Can Mickey and Goofy bring the sinister spy to justice... or will they wreck the space-time continuum trying? Then in "Memento," a trip to Greece for Mickey and Minnie offers another kind of time travel... back to an ancient fishing village, and straight into danger from a legendary tidal wave!





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DUCKTALES: TREASURE OF THE LOST LAMP: DISNEY AFTERNOON ADVENTURES VOL. 6

By Bobbi JG Weiss, John Lustig, Cosme Quartieri, Rubén Torreiro

It's Scrooge McDuck and Launchpad McQuack versus the sinister sorcerer Merlock in a battle for Collie Baba's treasure—and a whole lot more—in a new Disney Afternoon comics anthology also featuring TaleSpin and Darkwing Duck!

Quackaroonies! In the one-and-only comics adaptation of *DuckTales: The Movie*, Uncle Scrooge's quest for Collie Baba's treasure gives Huey, Dewey, Louie, and Webby a genie of their own... but wicked wizard Merlock wants the magic and power for himself, and he'll stop at nothing to get it!

Then Baloo, Becky, and the TaleSpin crew seek their own lost treasure beyond "The Gates

of Shambhala" — not knowing Don Karnage and the Air Pirates have joined the expedition in disguise! And in "Watts the Problem," supercharged scoundrel Megavolt becomes a human battery... sucking the power out of St. Canard! Can Darkwing and Launchpad pull the plug? All this and Gummi Bears, Chip 'n Dale Rescue Rangers, and Goof Troop too!





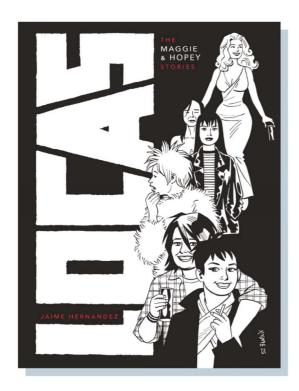


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LOCAS: THE MAGGIE AND HOPEY STORIES

By Jaime Hernandez

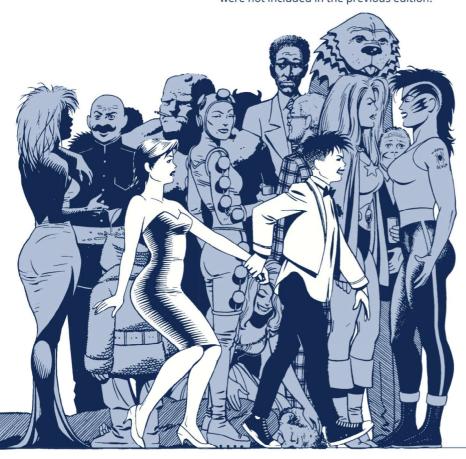
One of the great American novels of the last 40+ years, graphic or otherwise. Created over 15 years from 1981-96 in the pages of the legendary comic book series Love and Rockets Vol. I #1-50 and collected here in a new deluxe hardcover.

Jaime Hernandez is one of the most humane, graceful, and imaginatively inexhaustible artists in American popular culture. Locas tells the story of Maggie Chascarrillo, a bisexual, Mexican American woman attempting to define herself in a community rife with class, race, and gender issues.

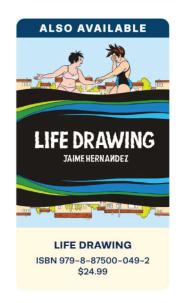
Maggie's story begins in the early-1980s Southern California rock scene, when it was shifting from the excesses of the 1970s to the gritty basics of punk and new wave. Hardcore punk rock came to the fore, and the teenage Maggie finds herself drawn to the anarchy, energy, and diversity of the scene, which in Jaime's hands becomes a very real, habitable place populated with authentic human

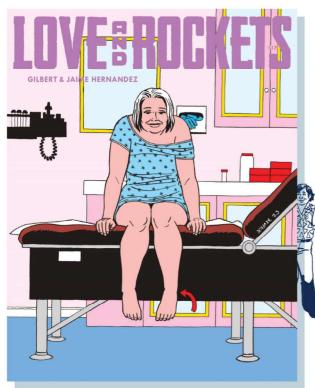
beings rather than stereotypes. She quickly befriends Hopey Glass, a feisty anti-authoritarian punkette who quickly becomes Maggie's on-again, off-again lover and a constant presence in her life as they navigate a devastatingly naturalistic world.

This new deluxe hardcover edition includes three stories that were not included in the previous edition.









LOVE AND ROCKETS VOL. IV #17

By Gilbert Hernandez and Jaime Hernandez

The one true World's Greatest Comics Magazine returns! Fritz decides to move on and one by one she dumps the men in her life — aside from a secret lover whose identity remains unknown! Back in Hoppers, fun frolics as Ray hangs with his brother and new sister-in-law, while Maggie deals with a family crisis. And what's up with that ankle?



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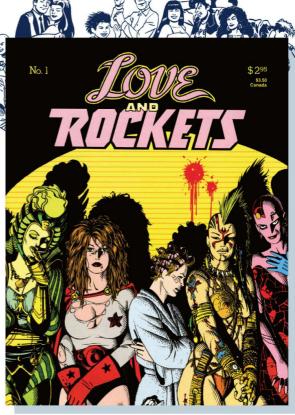
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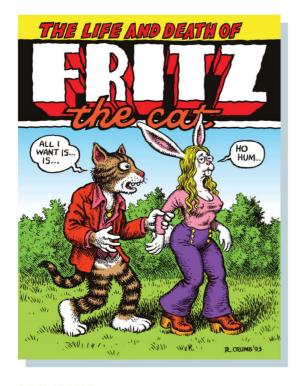
By Gilbert Hernandez and Jaime Hernandez

To celebrate the 50th anniversary of Fantagraphics, we are proud to present a series of "replicant" editions of classic Fantagraphics comics from the company's storied history, beginning with the one that launched a thousand ships, the very first issue of *Love and Rockets* Vol. I from 1982! Introducing Maggie, Hopey, Luba and so many more of the extended *Love and Rockets* cast that readers still know and love, almost 45 years on. Including Gilbert's groundbreaking "BEM", Jaime's instant fan favorite "Mechanics", and so much more.

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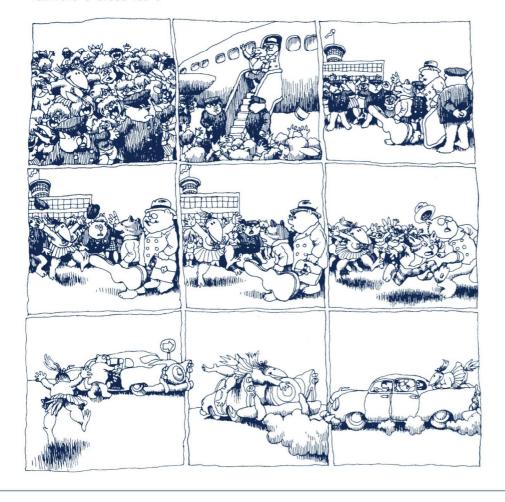
By Robert Crumb

The iconic comics that started it all, making R. Crumb famous — against his will.

Robert Crumb's first iconic character — and still possibly his most — was Fritz the Cat: the horny, high, hipster feline whose wild adventures and sexual escapades captivated countercultural audiences from the mid-'60s until 1972, when Ralph Bakshi turned the strips into an X-rated animated film that Crumb hated so much, he famously killed off the character and never returned to him.

The Life and Death of Fritz the Cat contains all the Fritz stories from the earliest sketchbook-drawn tales ("Hey, Ol' Cat!" and "Fritz Comes On Strong") to the wild adventure stories ("Special Agent for the C.I.A.") to the classic "peak" Fritz stories ("Fritz the No-Good") all the way to the despairing "Fritz the Cat, Superstar" with its infamous icepick ending. Plus, an introduction by Crumb, sketchbook pages, and more in a new paperback edition.







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By Hugo Pratt

International award-winning graphic novelist Hugo Pratt's Corto Maltese returns to American readers in a new collection of classic Corto tales, featuring a brilliantly executed wild chase through Venice for a vital occult treasure!

Artist Hugo Pratt's most famous creation, the indefatigable sailor Corto Maltese, sails back to American readers after a far too-long absence in *Corto Maltese: Fable of Venice and Other Adventures*.

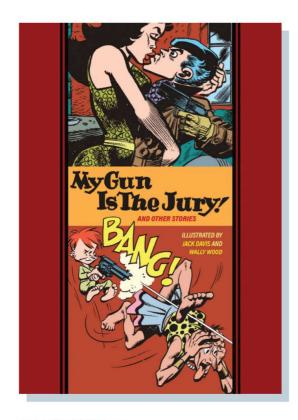
Corto, a modern Ulysses whose wanderings in the early decades of the 20th century take him to the most fascinating places on Earth, is a hard-luck, hard-driving iconoclastic anti-hero who values freedom and independence more than wealth and status. In "Fable of Venice," a riddle from a deceased friend plunges Corto into a phantasmagorical mystery thriller that zigzags between the solidity of dreams and the fluidity of reality. A frantic chase

in 1921 Venice ensues, up twisting stairs and down tangled alleys, as Corto vies against Freemasons, occultists, budding fascists, and his friend (suddenly back from the dead) in a mad scramble to secure a mystical emerald that will open the doors of forbidden magic and unravel time and space itself!

In addition, this collection also presents Pratt's Corto Maltese classics "The Secret of Tristan Bantam," "So Much for Gentlemen of Fortune," and "The Seagull's Fault."







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MY GUN IS THE JURY! AND OTHER STORIES

By Jack Davis, Wallace Wood, Al Feldstein, et al.

The often-overlooked parodies by *Mad* artists Jack Davis and Wallace Wood — their complete *Panic* stories!

Jack Davis and Wallace Wood's crazed cartooning in *Mad* changed the art form, and comedy itself, forever. But their gonzo parody work in *Mad*'s sister satire title, *Panic*, published at the same time, is less well-known. To invert that injustice, this volume of The Fantagraphics EC Artists' Library presents all their zany, pun-packed Panic lampoonery, especially their pomposity-puncturing movie parodies, including Davis's "My Gun Is the Jury!" "Come Back, Little Street Car!", "A Star Is Corn" and Wood's "African Scream!", "Gone With The Widow," and "20,000 Leaks Under The Sea."

These visual volleys are verbalized by Al Feldstein (editor of *Panic*, later editor of *Mad*) and Jack Mendelsohn (prolific cartoonist and writer whose non-comics credits include TV's *Laugh-In* and The Beatles' *Yellow Submarine*). But the laughs don't languish. Also included is the never-before-reprinted "V-Vampires," a riotous romp written by the legendary Harvey Kurtzman and drawn by Wood that vanished after its initial appearance more than 70 years ago!



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By Katriona Chapman

In this keenly observed character study, Claudia Grace, rising star in the London culinary scene, has a lot on her plate.

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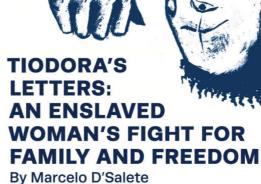
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Inspired by the powerful true story of Tiodora da Cunha Dias, Eisner Awardwinner D'Salete reconstructs a forgotten part of Brazil's dark history of slavery.

In the mid-19th century, millions of Africans were enslaved and brought to Brazil. Among them was the real-life Teodora who, separated from her husband and her son, worked in the home of a priest in São Paulo. Wishing to reconstruct the family ties lost during the journey from Africa to

Brazil and to achieve emancipation for herself and her family, she gave Claro, a Black man who could read and write, money to help her write letters: some addressed to her husband and her son, whereabouts unknown, in the hopes that the letters would find them and that they could achieve this quest together; and some addressed to enslavers, intended to either help locate her family or to persuade them to let her buy her freedom.

Inspired by this correspondence, *Tiodora's Letters* is a rigorously researched historical work, a compelling narrative based on her letters, and masterfully drawn by D'Salete, who graphically recreates her struggle. In the 1860s, Benê, a fictional Black young man who likes Tiodora because she was kind to him, takes it upon himself to seek Tiô's family and deliver the letters. He embarks on a dangerous and world-building journey into the interior of Brazil and to the coffee plantations where they might be. There are many wordless passages of heartbreaking horror, character beats, breathtaking drawings of nature, and much more.

In Tiodora's Letters, D'Salete reconstructs a forgotten part of Brazil's dark history of slavery and pays tribute to the strength of a woman who fought for her rights single-handedly. Includes educational and contextual

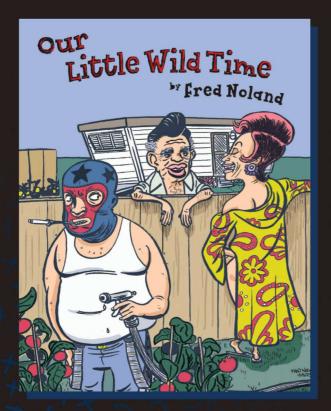




RUN FOR IT: STORIES
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OUR LITTLE WILD TIME

By Fred Noland

The first collection of short graphic stories by the veteran cartoonist, this volume features the best of the author's short works.

A dark corner of a rail car, on the underside of a motel mattress, find the spot where the depraved and the absurd bump lyrical uglies. In this collection of short stories, portraits, and graphic biography and commentary, Fred Noland embarks on a tour through the unreal, hilarious, and often very real dimensions of the seedier side of human nature.

In the lead story "Midnight Creep," a supernatural southern gothic steeped in blues folklore, the devil is hot on a killer's heels. Angel dust is in the air in the cyclical and comedic "Dusted." Other attractions include an ode to the iconoclastic expressionist George Grosz, cholos playing putt putt, and more.

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BREAKTHROUGH: LIFE ON THE BRINK

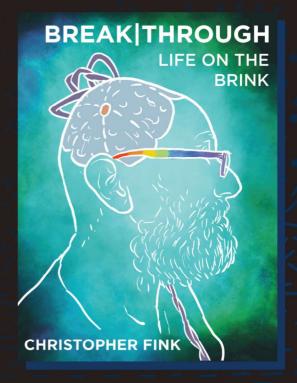
By Christopher Fink

Breakthrough is a tragicomic memoir detailing the author's search for belonging while navigating inadequate caregivers, romantic misadventures, the looping path of a career artist, and a terminal brain tumor.

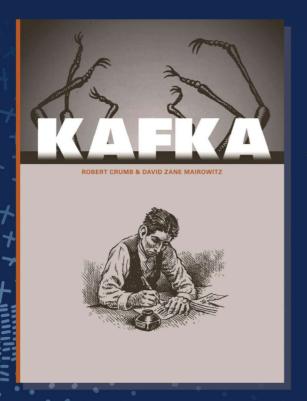
Chris Fink has just awoken in the desert. Soaked, disoriented, the first person he sees is his own fictional character. What is reality? What does an eco-feminist movement from the future — and a long-abandoned but never-forgotten indie comic, Leopold & Brink — have to do with his predicament? From this SF framework emerges a metafictional memoir, as epic and intimate as life itself.

Embarking in earnest with the onset of the 2020 lockdowns, Fink's years-long journey of graphic healing hit an unexpected detour when he received a brain cancer diagnosis midway through constructing this book. Not to be deterred, the tragedy and comedy of life become tools to break new liberative ground, a lifetime of drawing conjures fresh and playful visual expressions to compliment his stream of consciousness style.

Vonnegut-esque slipstreams of memory weave together tumultuous youth, romantic misadventures, and the looping pathways of a working artist, in a tapestry of loss and longing. Buoyed by the ephemera of yesteryear, this is an ode to the comics, film, and TV that raised him, and the adults who didn't. A saga of catharsis and reconciliation, Breakthrough: Life on the Brink is a story to live by.



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KAFKA

Text by David Zane Mairowitz, edited by Richard Appignanesi Illustrated by Robert Crumb

This brief but inclusive biography of Franz Kafka and summary of many of his works, all illustrated by Crumb, helps us understand the essence of Kafka and provide insight beyond the cliche "Kafkaesque."

"What do I have in common with the Jews? I don't even have anything in common with myself." Nothing could better express the essence of Franz Kafka, a man described by his friends as living behind a "glass wall." Kafka wrote in the tradition of the great Yiddish storytellers, whose stock-in-trade was bizarre fantasy tainted with hilarity and self-abasement. What he added to this tradition was an almost unbearably expanded consciousness. Alienated from his roots, his family, his surroundings, and primarily from his own body, Kafka created a unique literary language in which to hide away, transforming himself into a cockroach, an ape, a dog, a mole or a circus artiste who starves himself to death in front of admiring crowds.

David Zane Mairowitz's brilliant text and the illustrations and comic panels of the world's greatest cartoonist, Robert Crumb (himself no stranger to self-loathing and alienation), help us to understand the essence of Kafka and provide insight beyond the cliche "Kafkaesque," peering through Kafka's glass wall like no other book before it.

This book is a wonderful educational tool for those unfamiliar with Kafka, including a brief but inclusive biography as well as the plots of many of his works, all illustrated by Crumb, making this newly designed edition a must-have for admirers of both Kafka and Crumb.

SPACEHAWK

By Basil Wolverton

The complete collection of Wolverton's legendary costumed crusader!

Basil Wolverton is one of the greatest, most idiosyncratic talents in comic book history. Though he is best known for his humorous grotesqueries in *MAD* magazine, it is his science-fiction character Spacehawk that Wolverton fans have most often demanded be collected. The wait is over: *Spacehawk* features every story from Spacehawk's intergalactic debut in 1940 to his final, Nazi-crushing adventure in 1942.

Spacehawk is the closest thing to a colorfully costumed, conventional action hero Wolverton ever created, yet the strip is infused with Wolverton's quintessential weirdness: controlled, organic artwork of strangely repulsive aliens and monsters and bizarre planets, and stories of gruesome retribution that bring to mind Wolverton's peer, Fletcher Hanks. Spacehawk had no secret identity, no fixed base of operations beyond his spaceship, and no sidekicks or love interests. He had but one mission in life: to protect the innocent throughout the Solar System, and to punish the guilty. He was a dark — yet much more visually playful — counterpart to Buck Rogers and Flash Gordon. *Spacehawk* also includes the character's final and rarely seen Earthbound adventures. As the U.S. became involved in World War II, Spacehawk returned to 20th Century America to join the United States' efforts in defeating fascism, which he does by patrolling the Earth's stratosphere, looking for wrongdoing.

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