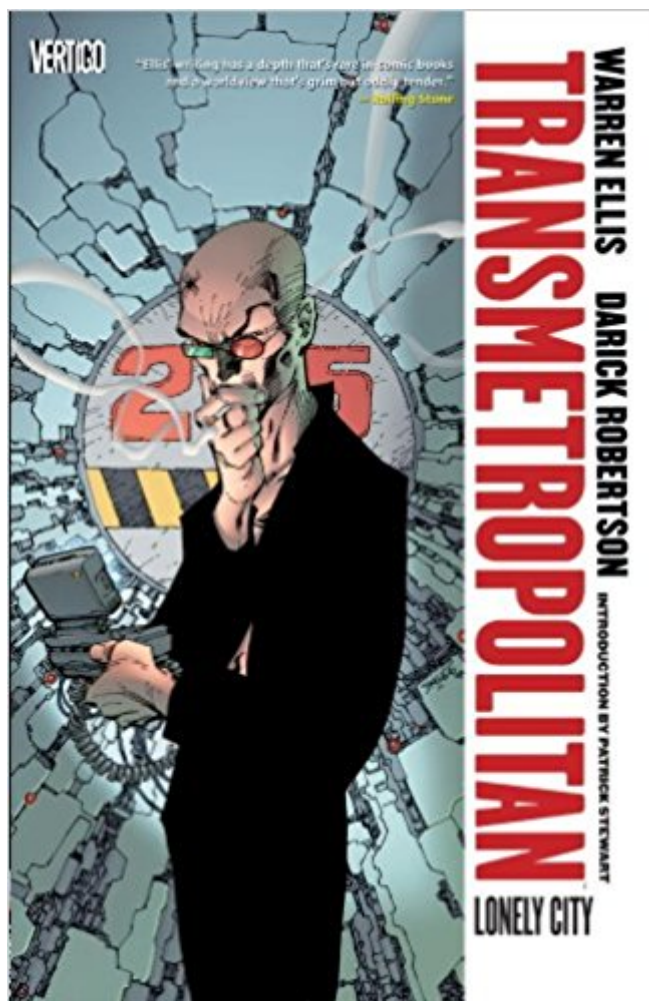


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Customer Reviews

Warren Ellis is one of the most prolific, read, and admired graphic novelists in the world and the creator of Transmetropolitan and The Authority. He lives in southern England with his partner, Niki, and their daughter, Lilith. He never sleeps.

Volume 5 is my favorite thus far; as stated above and elsewhere, you get two things out of reading this volume in particular: one, the bastard is indeed insane, but more surprisingly he is a sensitive sort. After the sensitively introspective one-off issues at the beginning of this volume, it jumps into the story of Spider's vendetta against a police cover-up of a hate crime. His passion and anger at the force's coverup lends some moments of sensitivity and humanitarianism, and some of hilarity monsterring, as Spider yet again goes balls deep on uncovering the truth. The series' plot really takes off here, particularly at the end of Lonely City vol. 3, where the plot against the Smiler really begins to take shape. Great stuff; this one's real good. I've long wanted to get into comics but found the superhero thing quite cliché. Transmetropolitan is pretty much boss, and I for one think everyone remotely interested in comics - specifically of the humans-being-humans variety - should be all over this series. Be sure to tell anyone that wanes at the Vertigo label that this was the good one from the short-lived imprint. Expect some resistance from those who know Vertigo though. ;)

Another great installment in this series.

I ONLY wish it did not wrap up as a series. Spider Jerusalem. Uncompromising. Incomparable. In YOUR face!!! Haha ha ha ha.....

Transmetropolitan is one of my favorite graphic novels. Seriously. If you like dark humor and weird future stuff, this is a great choice.

One of my Must Have titles. HIGHLY Recommend it.

I absolutely LOVE Transmet! Hunter S. Thompson meets Bladerunner! I highly recommend this book!

Thought provoking and angry.

I love this series so much I had to re-purchase 5 volumes after the person I lent them to "lost" them.

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