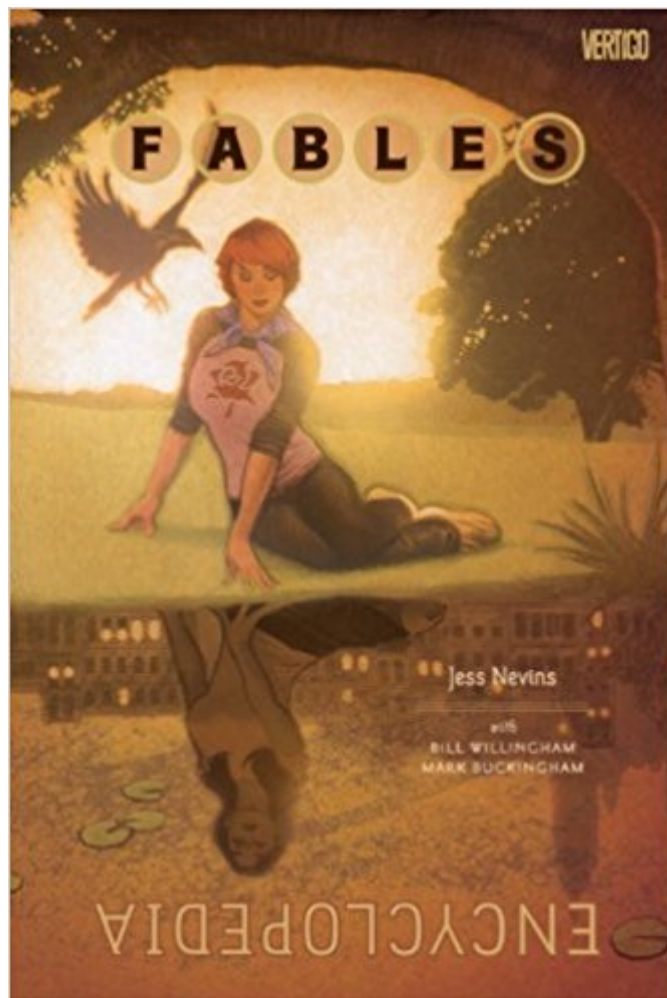


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I'd highly recommend this book to die-hard Fables fans. However, I must stress here that this book is NOT intended to be an introduction to new readers as it contains many, MANY major spoilers on big events that occur in the series. If you haven't read up to about issue 124, you should consider waiting before reading this unless you don't mind being spoiled. As for the book itself, This book is really fantastic. It's got really lovely graphics and design in its pages and layout. My favorite part of the articles are when there are notes from Bill Willingham and/or Mark Buckingham's on certain select characters -And as a fan who's read about these characters from the beginning, I'm SO glad they included those because they are really a treat to read. Another big plus is that the bios are informative and educate you on many of the original stories and their origins, while also telling about the Fables version. It's a great read for fairytale aficionados as well as just fans of Fables. Another

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