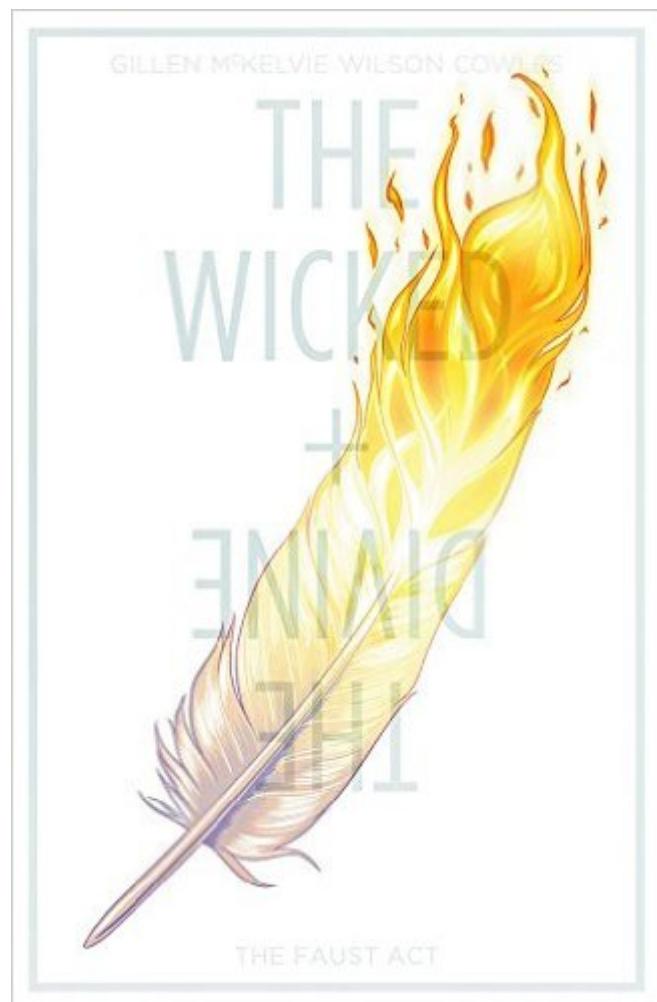


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Kieron Gillen writes and Jamie McKelvie draws the story of reincarnated gods as pop stars. Itâ™s a dynamite high concept, but one that becomes something a lot deeper. Laura meets Luci, short for Lucifer, at a concert, and her desire is so great it gets her backstage. The portrait of a dedicated fan, finding meaning in life through adoration of a performer, is both very current and disturbing, particularly since her object of worship is literally that. The gods are doomed to die within two years, but Luci takes a different route, getting imprisoned after exploding the heads of some guys trying to kill them. Sometimes itâ™s easy to get lost in the surface. McKelvieâ™s art is so slick and

attractive, and Gillenâ™s dialogue so snappy, that it can be difficult to comprehend everything going on, particularly when the gods are lesser-known. Everyoneâ™s got some idea of what Lucifer means, for example, even when she looks like a young David Bowie, but Sakhmet or Amaterasu are much lesser-known. Theyâ™re global, though, drawing from more traditions than the European, another modern touch. Reading all the issues of The Wicked + the Divine at once helps. The idea of reincarnating gods is a particularly potent one for the comic business, with their superheroes being reinvented every so often for a new generation. Sometimes it clicks, and sometimes itâ™s a failure that fades away. Playing with the concepts of youth and power and sex and fame and passion and yearning is nothing new to comics, but this incarnation is darned attractive. Itâ™s very enthusiastic about the nature of death and transformation, another idea that often fascinates the young, with their unconscious feelings of immortality.

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