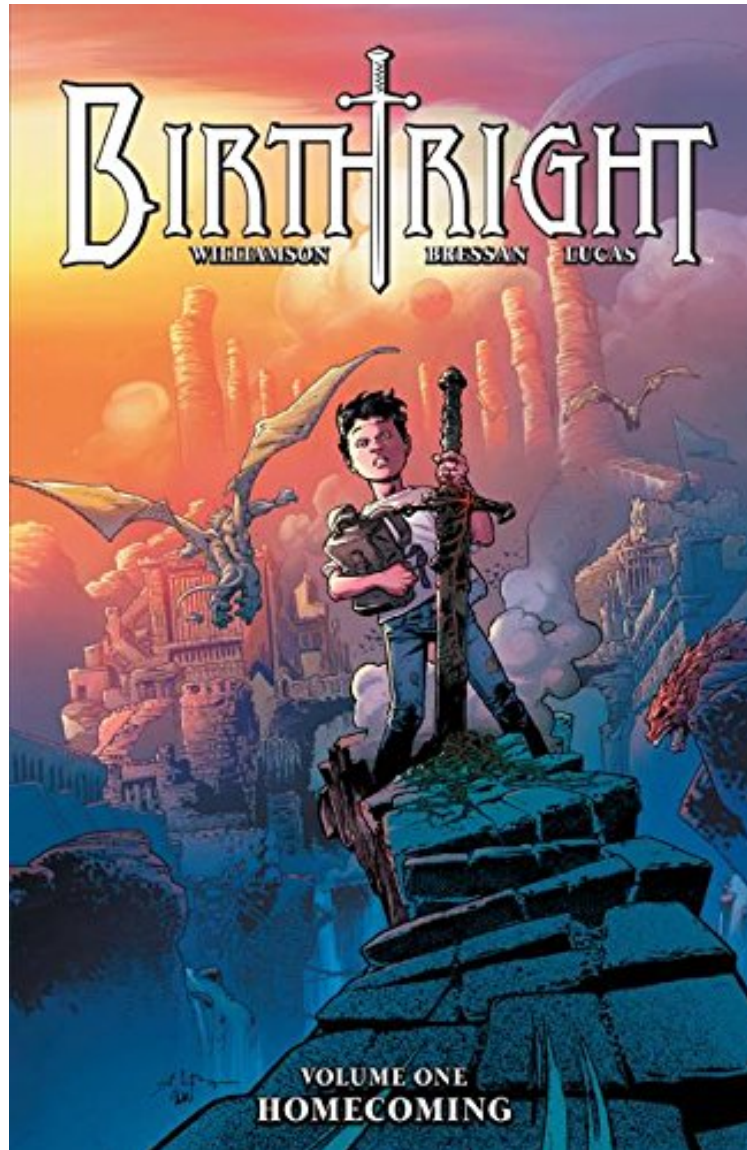


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Joshua Williamson : Birthright, Vol. 1: Homecoming before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Birthright, Vol. 1: Homecoming:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great premise, questionable choices.By James B.Birthright starts off with a great idea, and then goes off in a number of directions, some good, some suspect. The artwork is universally great, and so is most of the dialogue. The way the plot is set up, this can either be really good or turn into a trainwreck.Our story begins with a father and son playing catch in the woods. When son Mikey runs after the ball, he

never comes back. After a year of being a missing person's case, Mikey returns, years old armed with medieval weapons. He claims to have been sucked into fantasy world, destined to kill the evil overlord of the world. Now he's returned successful, needing to kill 5 escapees to our world before they can destroy it. As I said, the art is unquestionably great. The characters are also good for a first volume. While none other than Mikey is given a lot of spotlight, they have a fair amount of depth for five issues. The mother, however, needs some work, as she gets hit with some of the series plotting issues. Right, so the first problem I have is that it's weird anyone doubts Mikey's story by issue three. Sure, it should be impossible, but let's just say he sells it. Second, the series does try to spend about 1/3 of it's time on Mikey's adventures in Terrenos, the fantasy world. These are fine, but since Mikey surviving is a foregone conclusion, they aren't as dramatic as they could be. In all, I like this volume, and I am cautiously optimistic that it can stay good. I'll let you know once I read Vol. 2.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. DestinyBy Phillip Schultz Birthright hooked me pretty quickly. It begins simply enough with a father and son playing catch. Things quickly go wrong when the boy disappears and we see the family break down over the next year. The twist comes in when a man claiming to be that boy is found in armor with a mess of weapons. This book features two worlds, our own and a fantasy realm connected to it. I enjoyed the way the two worlds are connected. The boy, Mikey, is believed to be the savior of the fantasy realm when he is taken and trained to fight. The fact that Mikey aged more in comparison to the rest of his family reminds me of fairy tales. Not everything is what it appears to be though. This holds true for both worlds. It is interesting to see Mikey approaching his "destiny" in the past and the present. The art is great too. The two realms are distinct, but it feels natural when they come together, particularly toward the end of the book. Everything connected to the fantasy realm is drawn with care and enthusiasm. Something about the character faces put me off at times though. It isn't something that affected the way I read the book, just a personal preference I guess. All in all, I liked this book a lot. The story is good and kept me engaged all the way to the end. I'm looking forward to reading the next volume. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Great FantasyBy smitty jones This has become one of my favorite comics. Really enjoyed it, and I thought it was a creative, unique take on high fantasy. Beautiful art, great use of colors, interesting character designs, and cool fantasy environments. I was hesitant to get this, as I've read some other stuff by Williamson and didn't care much for it, but I enjoyed his writing in this book. Good dialogue, good plotting and pacing, and he made the characters interesting. I recommend this for fans of high fantasy, whether you like comics or not. Anyone who likes fantasy comics should definitely pick this up.

If you're looking for epic fantasy in a modern setting, Birthright is for you. -- Kirkus For the Rhodes family, losing their son was the most devastating thing that could have occurred...but it couldn't prepare them for what happened when he returned. Skybound's newest hit turns fantasy into reality in this all-new series from the creator of NAILBITER and GHOSTED. Pick up this introductory-priced collection and see what everyone's talking about!