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**Asuka Katsura : Blood+ Volume 1 (v. 1)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Blood+ Volume 1 (v. 1):

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. A really good short series By MariaA really good short series, that many people can get interested in. It's rather short for someone who wouldn't want to spend too much time on it. But for those that do, trust me there's enough to keep you entertained for at least a little while. There is a major difference between the anime manga I must say though. Many things that were in the anime were not in the manga, or where slightly/majorly different. Putting that into consideration, I'd still highly recommend this series to anyone who is just entering the manga world, or even a long time visitor. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. This whole

series is amazing!By Lynnea MasseyIf you love a great female lead, heavy flash backs, some light gore, and a brilliant back story then this series is for you.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. It was folded and a little chunk of the cover is missing.By AndresWhen it said it was in very good condition, i expected very minor wear from reading. The details had said that to. When it was delivered to me, a chunk of the cover was missing, and was folded. I was a bit bummed out but overall, i was just very happy that i got it!!!

Set several decades after the events in the popular Blood: The Last Vampire anime film, an amnesiac Saya Otonashi lives as a seemingly normal high school student with her adoptive family in Okinawa. Horrible nightmares are the only hints at the violent life she once led, but her past is about to catch up with her and awaken the merciless warrior within. Chiropterans powerful shape-changing creatures who need and crave blood threaten humanity once more, and a mysterious organization called the Red Shield needs Sayas deadly sword skills and mysterious powers to aid in the fight against these beasts. As her submerged abilities begin to reawaken and as she seeks to regain her memories, Chiropteran warriors are guided by a mysterious leader to threaten Saya and her loved ones. Asuka Katsuras manga series successfully expands upon the original Production I.G./Aniplex feature, delivering moments of jarring violence and thrilling action in a tale that spans several centuries.

From Publishers WeeklyBlood+ is a little bit of everything for everyone. As a franchise, there are two video games, soundtracks, a cartoon series, three comics and two novel series. Likewise, this first volume of the graphic novel series is a mix of mystery, vampire horror, high school romance and government intervention. Saya is a high school girl suffering from amnesia. In this volume, she's recruited for a part in the school play, hunted down by a boyish vampire, hidden by a secret sector of the government and finds out that she is an immortal and the only one who can kill the demonic monsters that threaten them. She also realizes that she's forged a special bond with her adoptive bad-boy brother, Kai. There are many strands at work in this opener, each given equal weight, which may work for the different Blood+ products out on the market but weakens this story. With so much going on, the reader is pulled in too many directions at once and the overall reading experience distracts and detracts from the story. However, this could be a good book to have open while updating a MySpace page and IMing friends on the Nintendo DS Light. (Feb.)

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