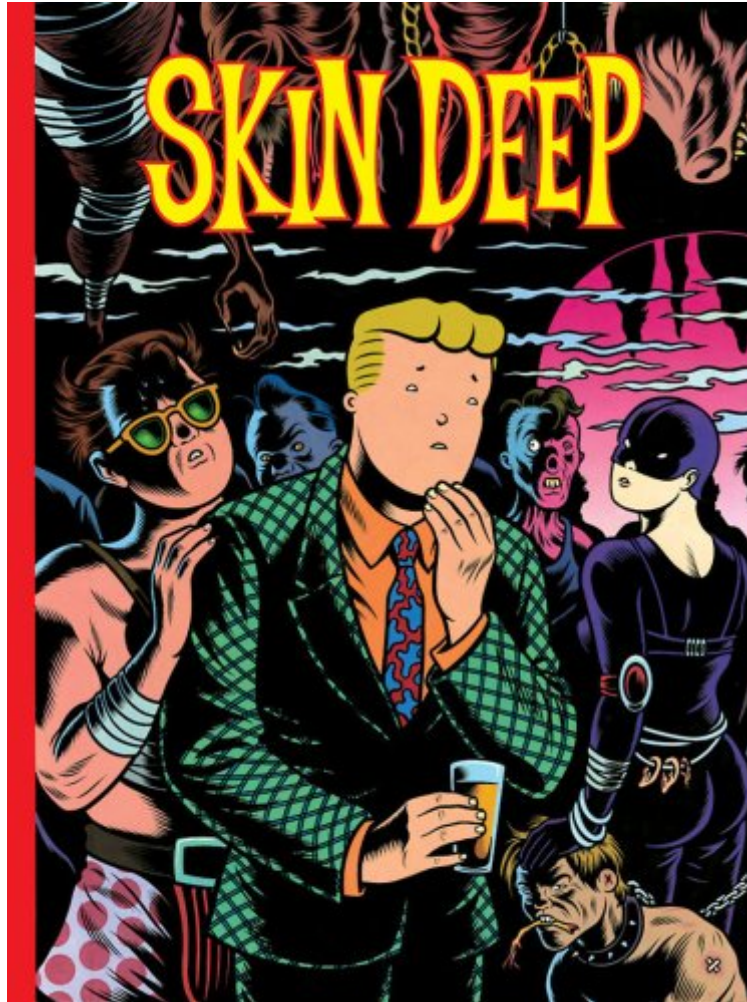


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Charles Burns : Skin Deep before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Skin Deep:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. The best stories yet from a brilliant artist.By Hwy61JoeI've been a big admirer of Charles Burns' artwork for sometime, SKIN DEEP is my favorite work of his that I've read. SKIN DEEP contains three mostly unrelated stories. The first, DOG DAYS, tells a tale (tail?) about a man who takes on dog-like characteristics after receiving a transplant of a dog's heart. Just as weird as it sounds. The second story, BURN AGAIN, is a take on religious fanaticism and cult-like followings. Great stuff! The final story is A MARRIAGE MADE IN HELL, a twisted take on romance comics from the 40s and 50s. I'd stare at Burns' drawings of just about anything all day long, this is probably the most I've ever enjoyed his storytelling.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Arf arfBy RobBurns says, It's a cold, cruel world.For things like dog-boy and Bliss Blister, it really is.

It's like taking that extra bean you found on the floor of the nightclub, only to realize your librarian's hair is now symmetrical H R Giger tentacles and the world you live in is controlled by an angry, one-eyed GAWD who drives even Bill Burroughs crazy with His demands. "Burn Again" is the best story here, combining fanatic evangelism with aliens and a revenge plot. Burns draws his characters like he is on drugs, but it's really just an analgesic for your own mind, softening the content by making the characters pop out of the '40s '50s. Not his best, but even C. Burn's worst is better than most. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Skin BurnedBy Peter JamesSkin Deep makes the flesh creep.

Classic stories starring Dog Boy and Mister Blister, as well as several tales of doomed romance and creepy revulsion, plus a selection of sketchbook excerpts, covers and illustrations. Charles Burns is the creator of the landmark horror graphic novel Black Hole (in development as a major motion picture directed by David Fincher). Skin Deep is the third (following El Borbahl and Big Baby) of a series of three volumes reprinting his acclaimed oeuvre up to Black Hole. Skin Deep includes Burns's popular character Dog Boy (a red-blooded all-American boy with the transplanted heart of a dog) and the classic strip "Dog Days," in which a hash-slinging vixen wags her tail at our fearful hero. The book also collects "Burn Again," which features a strange fella named Bliss Blister, claiming to bring the Word of God, but some fear he brings something evil and profane. In "A Marriage Made in Hell," a young wife's flesh tingled with passion, but the sight of her made her husband's skin crawl. Was the love-knot she tied really a hangman's noose? These tales of doomed romance set a tone for the rest of Skin Deep. In addition to the comics, Skin Deep includes several pages of new illustrations reprinted from Burns's sketchbooks as well as covers and other pieces from foreign editions of Burns's work. 96 pages of b/w comics

A master of the unearthly atmosphereDavid Lynch has nothing on him ... At once cautionary, creepy and curious, Burns is consistently one of comics deepest thinkers. - John Seven, Worcester MagazineAbout the AuthorCharles Burns is the award-winning creator of the graphic novel, Black Hole. He lives in Philadelphia, PA.