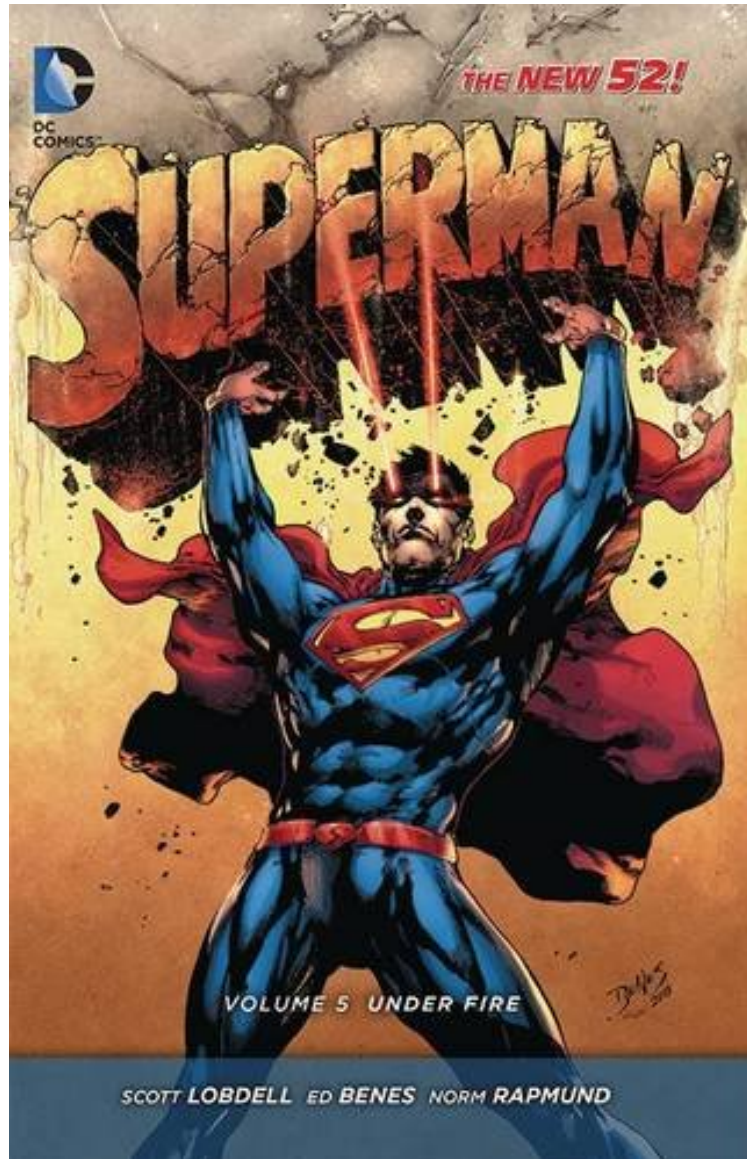


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**Scott Lobdell : Superman Vol. 5: Under Fire (The New 52)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Superman Vol. 5: Under Fire (The New 52):

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Great Book, but.....By Manny RScott Lobdell has done a great job with the Superman series, and volume 5 continues this trend. However, this graphic novel collection is kind of clustered. It contains the final issue in the Krypton Returns storyline, which can be confusing to people who haven't read the series. This isn't a problem, since you can look up the reading order online and find out what happened

through reviews on YouTube. As for the story itself, it was a cool ending to the Krypton Returns storyline however even after reading what happened in the preview issues it was still a little confusing and not that strong. After that tie-in issue, the story picks off where volume 4 left off and has Lois Lane in a coma and Superman still doing his own thing at catcharkopolis.com. Superman is still trying to figure out how he can cure Lois and also has to protect her from Parasite. Parasite is a cool villain and reading about him was interesting. After Parasite, the story has Superman trying to figure out why humans have been infected by a Helspont virus and gets help from Starfire to do so. The ending result is kind of confusing but I'm guessing it picks up in Red Hood and the Outlaws. After the main story, the issue starts with the first part of the major Superman Story arc called Superman Doomed. Issue #30 is the start of the story arc and it was a very good read and definitely a story i'm looking for. Issue #31 however is part 4 of the Doomed story so I was confused as to what happened. That's the problem with Volume 5; it has a lot of tie ins. The main story here is great, but the tie ins kind of ruin it for me. I fixed this problem by watching reviews for Krypton Returns on YouTube. As for the Superman Doomed, I have pre-ordered the story collection to read it but you could also watch reviews on YouTube, however there are a lot of issues to the story arc. This is Lobdell's final run on Superman since Volume 6 contains Geoff Johns' story arc. Volume 5 is not as strong as volume 4 was, but still continues to deliver a story that has developed since volume 1 and will make the reader want to find out more about what will happen next. Just get ready to do some reading on Krypton Returns and Superman Doomed, or you could just skip that all together and read the Parasite issues that continue from volume 4. However, you would be missing two pretty great story arcs. Don't be afraid to buy this book because if you're a Superman fan like me, you won't be disappointed and catching up on the story arcs is totally worth it. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Superman By michaelI got this book because i am a fan of Superman and the DC universe. I recommend to all DC fans. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. im a little disappointed in this series By kanzokuim a little disappointed in this series. the storys all seem fantstic but they jump around to much, they dont seem to mesh well and it feels like there are three other storys that you should be reading to really understand whats going on. one book will go through a few bad guys and it should really just take its time and tell the story. some of its confusing like wait what i thought that person was dead now there back? how? never explains stuff like that. but the art is good and there are some very interesting story arcs here.

In the wake of the Psi War, Lois Lane lies in a deep coma, unable to speak, but her new found powers allow her to astral project in times of need. It is just this power that brings the power hungry creature Parasite to Metropolis in search of Lois. Is there anything The Man of Steel can do, or will he lose his best friend? The Man of Steel faces villains attacking Metropolis from all sides in SUPERMAN VOL. 5. Collects SUPERMAN #25-31. From the Hardcover edition.

About the Author Scott Lobdell is a veteran of the comic book industry, having worked with nearly every major American comic book publisher. Lobdell is best known for his work on Marvel's X-Men franchise in the 1990's, penning such works as Uncanny X-Men, Excalibur, The Age of Apocalypse, Generation X, amongst others. He is currently the writer of SUPERMAN and TEEN TITANS, each a part of DC Comics - The New 52.