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#414235 in Books Mark Waid 2005-12-01 2005-12-01Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 10.30 x .50 x 6.60l, .71 #File Name: 1401204759224 pagesTeen Titans Vol 4 The Future is Now | File size: 63.Mb

Geoff Johns, Mark Waid : Teen Titans Vol. 4: The Future is Now before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Teen Titans Vol. 4: The Future is Now:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Solid Book (You'll Need to Have Read Identity Crisis), Seems to be a Construction Issue with the PrintingBy claretoldmetochangemyscreennameThe fourth volume of John's run on Teen Titans basically picks up from where Volume 2 ended. The third volume only contains two or so issues of the actual Teen Titans series, most of it is made up of a limited run series about Beast Boy. I recommended skipping that volume

unless you are a big fan of that character. The Future is Now contains three big arcs. In the first, Superboy goes missing during a lunch date with Wonder Girl only to reappear in a full Superman suit to lead the Titans into the future. There the team joins the Legion of Superheroes in a battle against the latter group's foes. After helping the Legion preserve the future the Titans are shot back into the past but arrive ten years early in a dark future where the team has grown up into evil versions of themselves. The main Titans are told this dark future will come to pass if the team cannot stay together during a coming "crisis." After escaping this dark possible future, the group is confronted with the fallout of Identity Crisis. Tim Drake's father has been murdered and the Titans' old joke enemy, Dr. Light, has regained memories stolen from him by the Justice League and becomes a brutal threat. It takes the entire team of Titans, plus all their older counterparts who used to be members of the team to take the newly powerful Light down. Overall the book is great, though you definitely need to have read Identity Crisis before jumping into this volume. The main reason I've docked the book some points is that the copy I received had a defect in its binding. The glue immediately cracked and the binding split. I got a replacement copy from , but it took has weak bindings. So far the binding hasn't split yet, but it seems this book was printed with shoddy construction. Buyer beware.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. The Teen Titans face their nemesis... the dreaded cross over event.By RichardIn this volume of the 2003-2007 run of Teen Titans the team faces their most diabolical nemesis, the dreaded cross over event. This particular volume features three primary plotlines, two of which are cross overs with other series.The first set of stories features a cross over with the Legion of Superheroes, a team of teenage heroes from the 31st century. With the Legion overwhelmed by alternate universe doppelgangers of the villainous Fatal Five, they turn to reinforcements from the past to save the day. Sadly rather being an epic cross over between the teenage heroes of the present and distant future, it is instead treated as a joke with the Legion constantly ridiculing the Titans and treating them like garbage. This cross over ends rather abruptly and really lacks a satisfying sense of conclusion as the reader is left not knowing the fate of the Legion at the end.The second plotline is the Titans arriving in their near future to find tyrannical future versions of themselves ruling over the west coast as a police state. This is an interesting concept, but sadly it to is cut short abruptly so they can transition into the next cross over event.Which leads us the third plotline, a cross over with the big cross title Identity Crisis event. In this story it is revealed that the Justice League has been brainwashing villains for years to maintain their secret identities, with one of the villains Doctor Light recovering and suddenly becoming much more competent as a result. Again however this event features the Titans being treated as cannon fodder, present solely to build up a threat for another series, in this case the Justice League.Overall I found this volume to be very unfulfilling, with the Titans being used as a punching bag to make the Legion of Superheroes and the Justice League look better. As is the case with most cross overs that the Titans get pulled into, they wind up having their current ongoing stories derailed for the benefit of other books. That said the art in this particular volume is nice, with a massive amount of cameo characters appearing.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Teen Titans: The Future is NowBy Xavier Zavala HerasThis book is damn good!!!!I loved to find the aftermath regarding a few issues set on Identity Crisis. Imagine my surprise when I saw the two guys that shot Bolt at the beginning of Identity Crisis here.Tim have a lot on his chest. You really get the feeling how great is to have friends. Because of this, now I know the meaning of the DC hero groups:JSA: Make better heroesJLA: The Front LineTeen Titans: FamilyThere's also tie-ins for Infinite Crisis. The chapter of the future Titans is dark!. I hope that continues in future books because I don't know a lot of stuff that happened there.Anyway, this is by far one of the coolest runs Geoff Jones has made and I'm sorry I just found it out.I know later this year (2011) it'll be published on "omnibus" for this run, but I won't get it. I got the trades and stick with them. There's important tie-ins written by other people like Mark Waid that is in these books, and for sure they won't bee in the new collection.I'm happy with this!.

Collects TEEN TITANS #16-23 and TITANS/LEGION SPECIAL #1! The Titans' weekends are usually a chance to get away from it all. But this time, they're really goneto the 31st century! And their return trip drops them off a mere ten years into the future!

From BooklistGr. 5-8. Comfortable imagining both character profiles or action scenes, Johns has written many of DC's flagship titles as well as its Infinite Crisis series, and this collection is a prime example of his talent. The Titans pop into their own future and contend with their dark, fascistic, older selves, returning home just in time for Robin to come to terms with his father's death--which leads into a massive free-for-all against the vengeance-crazed Doctor Light. Fast-paced, cinematic action along with simple, insightful dialogue illuminate the characters and keep the excitement high throughout; no character seems trivial, and the reader always knows what's at stake. Despite an ensemble of artists, the slick, unified flow of the illustrations puts this title in the top rank of superhero comics, and the characters' struggles to cope with restlessness, uncertainty, and the pressures of living up to a role model will strike a chord of recognition, even among readers who aren't usually comics fans. Jesse KarpCopyright American Library Association. All rights reservedAbout the AuthorGeoff Johns is an award-winning writer and one of the most popular contemporary comic book writers today. Johns is the author of theNew York Timesbest-selling graphic novels Aquaman: The Trench, Blackest Night, Green Lantern: The Sinestro Corps War, Justice League: Origin, Superman: Brainiac and

Batman: Earth One which hit number one on the bestseller list. He is also known for transforming Green Lantern into one of the most critically and commercially successful franchises in comics. Johns has written for various other media, including episodes of Smallville, Arrow, and Adult Swim's Robot Chicken, for which he was nominated along with his co-writers for an Emmy. He is the Chief Creative Officer of DC Entertainment and resides in Los Angeles, California. Mark Waid, a New York Times best-selling author, has written a wider variety of well-known comics characters than any other American comics author, from Superman to the Justice League to Spider-Man to Archie and hundreds of others. His award-winning graphic novel with artist Alex Ross, Kingdom Come, is one of the best-selling comics collections of all time.