

Spectrum 26 The Best In Contemporary Fantastic Art

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When Time Stood Still K. S. Adkins 2015-08-06 Our lives are spent watching the clock. We go to sleep by it. Wake up to it. Rely on it. Race it.It's easy to forget that we're only given so much.We ignore it because we're convinced we'll always have more.I am proof that we aren't promised anything.The clock owes us nothing.I know this because not only was Time my name, I wasn't given enough of it.Sure I had challenges but I vowed to make the most of it, of my young life.My limitations wouldn't hold me back.Time was on my side.Then I was told otherwise.Now the clock was working against me.I would face this disease alone.Then he walked in and changed everything.He gave me a reason to fight.He helped me prepare.Like others before me, when time slowed I wasn't ready.I begged for more.But the clock, it stopped for no one.On the day my world went black, I refused to take him with me.Only he didn't listen.I was a doctor.A bringer of bad news.I read the chart.She was fucked.My hands, they were tied.I was a doctor who could not heal what was beyond that door.I had no hope to offer her.But I wanted this over with.The sooner the better.I walked in, looked up and saw color.Not one.All of them.They surrounded her.She was a patient.You did not cross that line.I would not cross that line.I should have kept my eyes closed.Life was easier when you didn't see.But they were open now.They saw her.They saw everything.Suddenly invisible lines ceased to matter.For me, Time mattered.How far would you go to make sure the one you loved had enough of it?Would you challenge the clock?Help them prepare?Could you watch them suffer?Could you accept a life without them in it?Or, would you follow them into the darkness?I did. This is our story.

Spectrum 12 Cathy Fenner 2005-10-27 An annual collection of great art work from the fantasy and science fiction genres features 350 works by artists from all over the world, including Justin K. Sweet, Brad Holland, H. R. Giger, Arthur Suydam, Lawrence Northey, Greg Ruth, and many others. Simultaneous.

Women of Wonder Cathy Fenner 2015-05-19 Women of Wonder for the first time shines a spotlight on women creators of fantastic art. Illustration and gallery markets have traditionally been seen as a largely male profession, but women have always been active participants -- from Kewpie creator Rose O'Neill in the early 20th Century, to 1950s Disney film designer Mary Blair to Spectrum Grand Masters Diane Dillon and Kinuko Y. Craft. Increasingly, women are impacting the world of contemporary fantastic art and inspiring new generations of illustrators, designers, sculptors, and painters. Women of Wonder reflects of the expanding numbers of women artists featured in Spectrum: The Best in Contemporary Fantastic Art. This full-color collection, complete with artist statements and photos, acknowledges their presence and influence. Women of Wonder is a beautiful celebration of the imagination and of exemplary creators . . . who just happen to be women.

Unspoken Memories Gabbie S Duran 2014-05-21 She awoke with no memory of who she was, but one clue will lead her to him... Abigail Adams had it all, she's a gorgeous supermodel, has a wealthy fiance, and a career on the rise. But that quickly changes when she wakes up in the hospital not remembering anything. The only memories she does have are not her own, but of a total stranger. When Abigail discovers that her fiance has been cheating on her, she leaves him and runs to the arms of the one man she is hoping will give her the answers she seeks. Matt Garcia is used to playing the field, keeping his heart guarded, but then Abigail Adams unexpectedly shows up at his door hoping he will be the answer she is looking for. Will he finally learn to take a break from his no strings attached lifestyle and show her that she doesn't need her past, but the future he is willing to offer her? With every unspoken memory she regains, will she learn to open up her heart to a total stranger, or will she keep it guarded like he does? New Adult Contemporary Romance: Due to strong language and sexual content, not intended for readers under the age of 18.

Spectrum 23 John Fleskes 2016-11-15 The best-selling "Spectrum" series continues with this twenty-third lavishly produced annual. Challenging, controversial, educational, and irreverent, the award-winning Spectrum series reinforces both the importance and prevalence of fantastic art in today's culture. With exceptional images by extraordinary creators, this elegant full-color collection showcases an international cadre of creators working in every style and medium, both traditional and digital. The best artists from the United States, Europe, China, Australia, South America and beyond have gathered into the only annual devoted exclusively to works of fantasy, horror, science fiction, and the surreal, making Spectrum one of the year's highly most anticipated books. Featured in "Spectrum 23" are over 300 diverse visionaries. With art from books, graphic novels, video games, films, galleries, advertising and the fine arts, Spectrum is both an electrifying art book for fans and an invaluable resource for clients looking for bright new talent. The entire field is discussed in an invaluable, found-nowhere-else Year In Review. Contact information for each artist is included. Often imitated, never equaled, "Spectrum 23" continues the freshness and excellence that was established over twenty years ago."

Spectrum 26 John Fleskes 2019-11-15 The best-selling Spectrum series continues with this twenty-sixth lavishly produced annual. Challenging, controversial, educational and irreverent, the award-winning series reinforces both the importance and prevalence of fantastic art in today's culture. With exceptional images by extraordinary creators, this elegant full-color collection showcases an international cadre of creators working in every style and medium, both traditional and digital. The best artists from the United States, Europe, China, Australia, South America and beyond have gathered into the only annual devoted exclusively to works of fantasy, horror, science fiction and the surreal, making Spectrum one of the year's most anticipated books. Featured in Spectrum 26 are over 330 diverse visionaries. With art from books, graphic novels, videogames, films, galleries, advertising and the fine arts, Spectrum 26 is both an electrifying art book for fans and an invaluable resource for clients looking for bright new talent. The entire field is discussed in an invaluable Year in Review found nowhere else. Contact information for each artist is included. Often imitated but never equaled, the latest Spectrum annual continues the freshness and excellence that was established more than twenty-six years ago. The mission of Spectrum is to promote the fantastic arts and provide an annual showcase for contemporary artists. The collection exists to honor the imaginations of very special artists who delight in helping us see the world in a wonderfully different light. It's our job to help them reach a wider appreciative audience.

Spectrum 22 John Fleskes 2015-11-10 The best-selling Spectrum series continues with this 22nd lavishly produced annual. Challenging, controversial, educational, and irreverent, the award-winning Spectrum series reinforces both the importance and prevalence of fantastic art in today's culture. With exceptional images by extraordinary creators, this elegant full-color collection showcases an international cadre of creators working in every style and medium, both traditional and digital. The best artists from the United States, Europe, China, Australia, South America and beyond have gathered into the only annual devoted exclusively to works of fantasy, horror, science fiction, and the surreal, making Spectrum one of the year's highly most anticipated books. Featured in Spectrum 22 are over 300 diverse visionaries. With art from books, graphic novels, video games, films, galleries, advertising and the fine arts, Spectrum is both an electrifying art book for fans and an invaluable resource for clients looking for bright new talent. The entire field is discussed in an invaluable, found-nowhere-else Year In Review. Contact information for each artist is included. Often imitated, never equaled, Spectrum 22 continues the freshness and excellence that was established over twenty years ago.

Highlander At Heart Y M. ZACHERY 2019-04-16 When past and present unite, hearts collide!!!! Ceana has spent her life dreaming of becoming an archaeologist and unlocking the mysteries of the past. However, her own past is a mystery that eludes her until the very man, who has been haunting her dreams, walks through the doors of her family's business and sends her comfortable life into a downwards spiral. She is about to learn that she herself is linked to the past

that she has been studying, in more ways than she could ever imagine. Kessan, a fearsome highlander is torn between protecting his family from destruction and death at the hands of an evil magic, and going through time to find the one person who may be able to defeat the evil that is raging through the highlands. Travel through time and space with Ceana and Kessan, as they battle family secrets, forces of evil and love. Lives are lost, bonds are formed and secrets uncovered, as Ceana and Kessan try defeat an evil so dark that it threatens to consume everything.

Spectrum 2 Cathy Burnett 2006 A new edition of the 1996 Hugo Award nominee for Best Nonfiction Book features an array of premier fantasy and science fiction artwork, including more than two hundred pieces that feature contributions by Hugo winner Michael Whelan, Caldecott winners Leo and Diane Dillon, Dinotopia creator James Gurney, and other notable artists. Reprint.

Spectrum 8 Cathy Fenner 2001 The latest edition of the only annual anthology of fantasy art includes 250 illustrations spanning the globe and representing artists throughout this exciting genre, including such notables as James Gurney, Anita Kunz, and Jean "Moebius" Giraud. Original. 20,000 first printing.

Spectrum 9 Arnie Fenner 2002 Drawn from work created for books, comics, magazines, art galleries, advertisements, and the portfolios of some of the finest contemporary artists in the field, *Spectrum 9* has a wider reach than any previous volume, with work from the U.S., Germany, England, the Netherlands, Spain, Japan, Canada, and France. Divided into seven categories, including one devoted to comics, the book includes James Gurney (Dinotopia), Brom (designer of the films *Sleepy Hollow* and *Scooby-Doo*), Michael Whelan (ten-time Hugo Award winner), Leo and Diane Dillon (Caldecott and Coretta Scott King Award recipients), and many more. Contact information for each artist is provided in a handy index, and the editors' lengthy illustrated "Year in Review" preface puts the entire field in focus. 300 full-color images are featured. "A feast for the eyes and the imagination." *New Times*

Spectrum 20 Cathy Fenner 2013-11-19 Featuring contributions from such world-renowned artists as Michael Whelan, Sam Weber and Kinuko Craft, this visually stunning volume displays the best fantastic art in today's society taken from books, graphic novels, video games, films, galleries and advertising. Original.

Tropical Depression Laurence Shames 2015-02-14 "As enjoyable as a day at the beach." That's how USA TODAY summed up this hilarious and big-hearted romp in the Florida sunshine. When Murray Zelman, a.k.a. The Bra King, pops another Prozac and heads to the Keys, he has nothing much in mind beyond a quixotic hope of winning back his first wife, Franny, whom he dumped years before. But when he forms an unlikely friendship with Tommy Tarpon, the last remaining member of an obscure Indian tribe, another plan also starts shaping up in his fevered brain. Why not open up Key West's first casino? Why not? Well, how about because the Mafia, in league with some of the nastiest politicians you will ever meet, is determined to kill anyone who tries? Somehow, Murray, Tommy,

and Franny didn't think of that until they were in way too deep. Laugh along as they improvise a manic and ever more desperate campaign to keep their casino dreams--and themselves--alive.

Self Publishing Freedom Xandra Oni 2017-05-21 The aim of this book is to unleash the process of Print Book Publishing to those who are having interest. I will expose the secret of the Print Book Publishing world to you, so you can know and grab the opportunities and the benefits it has to offer. It is a step by step guideline to publish your Physical Hardcopy Book. The information herein will aid you to start publishing your Print Books immediately (right away) in no time, with no delay. You will jump start unleashing hundreds of thousands of millions (if possible) of your own personal written books (Print Books) immediately across the globe. This Guide will give you step by step instructions to follow, and the best practices to observe. If you can follow strictly, every advice and step in this great and wonderful book, you are on your way to unleash and publish your very first successful book (Print Book) that will shake the entire world and publish (pronounce) your name globally. Not only that, you are just strictly on your way to becoming a Top Notch Author (Writer) on earth.

I Am Not My Hair Shawneda 2013-04-19 Hairnangans. Friendship. Big Dreams. The previously scheduled life Maya Hatton planned has been interrupted for an emergency broadcast announcement. A news station manager threatens to destroy over twenty years of brand and image building with a new contract from hell. Her husband Roddreccus moved into the rental property and refuses to move home without explanation. Instead of finding confidence, fun, and freedom as she enters her mid-fifties she's faced with crises. Fans believed she had it all together but her dream team lost a member, a villain hijacked her fairy tale marriage and now she needs to remember how to be the Maya everyone thinks she is or lose the best thing she ever had. Natural Sistahs series is written by an African American author whose chosen her natural hair since 1998. While one of many indie published black authors she considers her books appropriate for the women's fiction category though most would be shelved in the black fiction, black books, African American women's fiction, or black women's fiction section in most physical bookstores.

Spectrum 17 Cathy Fenner 2010 Collects artwork from the fantasy and science-fiction genres, featuring nearly five hundred works by artists from all over the world, including Al Williamson, Katrina Sokolova, and Bruce D. Mitchell.

Spectrum 13 Cathy Fenner 2006 An annual collection of fantasy and sci-fi art created for an array of international comics, galleries, and advertisements showcases some of today's top artists, in a volume that offers a particular tribute to Jeffrey Jones for career excellence. Simultaneous.

Rare Earths Burt Webb 2012-04-01 Two stolen Pakistani nuclear bombs, a conspiracy to manipulate the global market in rare earths and a plot to assassinate the President of the United States. It's going to be a busy week

for Ali Monpour, special investigator for the National Security Advisor. Rare Earths is a fast-paced political thriller ripped from today's headlines! Action and intrigue intertwine from the deserts of Balochistan to the halls of power in Washington, D.C.

Wild for the Night Rasheed Carter 2012-04-11 Naji is a loose cannon addicted to gunsmoke, fast money, and making it happen at all costs. Nathan is college bound and determined to escape the streets. Gotta is a smooth talking playboy with a sweet tooth for teenage girls. Nikki the lone female in the family is beautiful, ambitious, and just as wild as her brothers. How else could she control them. K.K. the baby boy is 7 going on 25 and too grown for his own good. Journey with this family as they rescue Young Savage, encounter beef, internal conflict, and situations that test their love and loyalty to each other .

Spectrum 4 Cathy Fenner 2008 For nearly 15 years, Spectrum has been known as the premiere annual showcase for fantasy artwork. Early editions are now collector's items, priced out of the reach of most buyers, but fortunately, this reissue makes Spectrum 4 available again to fans new and old. In its pages are 250 dazzling full-color works by nearly 175 fantasy artists from around the world, including James Gurney, Rafael Olbinski, and the year's Grand Master Award winners, Leo Dillon and Diane Dillon.

The Ultimate Dinosaur Book for Kids Jenny Kellett 2017-07-07 The Ultimate Dinosaur Book for Kids Welcome to the exciting world of dinosaurs! In this colourful dinosaur book, best-selling non-fiction author Jenny Kellett, has compiled only the very best dinosaur facts illustrated with detailed color images of some of the biggest and most fascinating creatures to roam our planet. From Tyrannosaurus-Rex and Avaceratops to Camarasaurus and the Gastonia dinosaur, discover more about your favourite dinosaurs. Test your dinosaur knowledge, or challenge your friends, in the ultimate dinosaur quiz. Dinosaur Book Sample Learn these unbelievable dinosaur facts and more: Most dinosaurs were herbivores, meaning they only ate plants. The T-Rex is known for its small arms, but proportionately, the Canotaurus had smaller arms! The Anchiornis was one of the smallest dinosaurs, which was not much larger than a pigeon. You'll find these dinosaur facts and many more in this illustrated dinosaur book. With 20+ details dinosaur pictures, even early readers will enjoy The Ultimate Dinosaur Book for Kids- as well as adults! Perfect for teaching children to read, while letting them learn about the fascinating world of dinosaurs -The Ultimate Dinosaur Book for Kids is ideal for long car journeys and bedtime reading. Scroll up and click Buy Now and help your child become a dinosaur fact expert in no time!

Netopia Y. G. Levimor 2015-12-28 The perfect reality is just a thought away, but it comes at a chilling price. In a near future world, a social network by the name of MINDS gifts its users with the unique ability to communicate directly by thoughts and recreate reality by their deepest fantasies and desires. In the MINDS network, desires are actualized in a spilt of a second

and unwanted elements erased from reality. The advanced algorithms of MINDS enable the user to virtually visit any place in the world or in history within seconds, in an utterly realistic three-dimensional reality. Humans can use their mind to determine everything they please - from the weather to the way their friends look like and behave. But the ultimate comfort comes at a price, and the unexpected results reveal the grand plan behind MINDS. What stands behind this magnificent social network, and what are the consequences when the virtual merges with the actual? Netopia follows the heroes of the network in the days before its establishment, through its launch, relationships and love, and the unexpected change it wreaks on the enthusiastic users who had no idea what awaited them the moment they gave up control over their minds. Is the MINDS network a dream come true or a nightmare come to life? Netopia is beyond science fiction: it is a groundbreaking novel that explores the implications of communication technology on human nature and society, the preference of warmth for realistic animal doll pets but coldness towards humans. the novel speaks to the connected and to the disconnected, to the great minds and the Neverminds. Netopia is a gleaming hope and a dark warning. So, where is your mind? Scroll up to grab your copy now.

Spectrum 25 John Fleskes 2018-11-17 The premier showcase for imaginative fantastic arts

Spectrum 18 Cathy Fenner 2011 Collects artwork from the fantasy and science-fiction genres, featuring nearly five hundred works by artists from all over the world, including Wes Benscoter, Rebecca Guay, Nic Klein, Jason Stokes, and David Ho.

Spectrum 7 Cathy Fenner 2000 Presents more than two hundred full-color reproductions of paintings, drawings, advertisements, comics, magazine illustrations, and sculptures by outstanding contemporary fantastic artists--including Michael Whelan, James Christensen, Gregory Manchess, and Bob Eggleton--as well as a review of the past year in the world of fantastic art. Simultaneous. 25,000 first printing.

The Land of Tomorrow William B. Stephenson 2021-04-26 "The Land of Tomorrow" by William B. Stephenson. Published by Good Press. Good Press publishes a wide range of titles that encompasses every genre. From well-known classics & literary fiction and non-fiction to forgotten--or yet undiscovered gems--of world literature, we issue the books that need to be read. Each Good Press edition has been meticulously edited and formatted to boost readability for all e-readers and devices. Our goal is to produce eBooks that are user-friendly and accessible to everyone in a high-quality digital format.

Be Positive Coloring Book Eva Nikoletta Jancovics 2017-08-26 Take time for yourself and relax with a beautiful collection of flowers, mandalas and positive quotes. 40 pages to color, made with love for you.

Spectrum 15 Cathy Fenner 2008 With art drawn from a wide variety of sources -

books, graphic novels, video games, films, galleries, and advertising – Spectrum 15 reinforces both the importance and prevalence of fantasy art in today's culture. Featuring over 300 exceptional works by artists from around the globe, this gorgeous full-color collection celebrates a cadre of creators working in every style and medium. Included are luminaries such as Brom, James Gurney, Marc Gabanna, Shaun Tan, and 2008's Grand Master Award winner, John Jude Palencar.

Spectrum 24 John Fleskes 2017-11-07 "The best-selling Spectrum series--often imitated but never equaled--continues with this lavishly produced 24th annual. Spectrum is the premier showcase for imaginative fantastic arts in the book, comic, film, horror, illustration, sculpture, conceptual art, fine art and video-game genres. With exceptional images by extraordinary creators, this elegant, full-color collection showcases an international cadre of creators working in every style and medium--both traditional and digital. This volume features over 500 works by more than 300 diverse visionaries, including Julie Bell, Brom, Rovina Cai, Terry Dodson, Cory Godbey, J. Anthony Kosar, Anita Kunz, Dave McKean, Tran Nguyen, Karla Ortiz, David Palumbo, Forest Rogers, Dan dos Santos, and Allen Williams. Spectrum 24 continues the freshness and excellence that was established twenty-four years ago"--Verso de la couverture.

Spectrum 27 John Fleskes 2020-11-10 The best-selling Spectrum series continues with this lavishly produced 27th-anniversary annual. Spectrum is the premier showcase for imaginative fantastic arts in the book, comics, film, horror, illustration, sculpture, conceptual art, fine art and videogame genres. With exceptional images by extraordinary creators, this elegant, full-color collection showcases an international cadre of creators working in every style and medium--both traditional and digital. Spectrum 27 continues the freshness and excellence that was established more than a quarter-century ago. The mission of Spectrum is to promote the fantastic arts and provide an annual showcase for contemporary artists. Spectrum exists to honor the imaginations of very special artists who delight in helping us see the world in a wonderfully different light. It's our job to help them reach a wider appreciative audience.

The Loons Sue Dolleris 2012-10-30 Con artist get conned into caring for seven cousins: At the funeral for her latest mark, a recently-deceased, mega-rich tycoon named Parker DeLune, con artist Christy find herself welcomed by his seven strange cousins, collectively called "The Loons." Celebrate the DeLune with Christy as she navigates their eccentricities while discovering that wily estate attorney are running their own scam. Christy soon finds herself fighting not only for The Loon, but also for a new life.

Spectrum 10 Cathy Fenner 2003 The increasing popularity of fantasy and science fiction themes in art is visualised and celebrated in the book. It features paintings, drawings, and sculptures by creators from around the world.

Other Realms: Volume One Shaun Kilgore 2014-05 Other Realms: Volume One is the first book in a new series that collects original short stories by fantasy and

sci-fi author Shaun Kilgore. In this volume, you'll be taken to far off fantasy worlds filled with magic, adventure, and the games of noble houses and the plights of brave warriors. This book contains ten stories, including "A Reckoning," "Death To The Messenger," "Midwinter Night," "Oathsworn," "The Beast Of Mern," "The Prophet's Return," "The Risen Queen," "The Ruling," "The Traitor," and "Winds Of Fate."

Spectrum 6 Cathy Fenner 2010-10-01 The latest installment of an annual full-color collection of science-fiction art includes works by Michael Whelan, Jim Burns, Bob Eggleton, comic artists Alex Ross and Charles Vess, Peter de Sève of The New Yorker and many more. Original.

Spectrum 16 Cathy Fenner 2009 Spectrum 16 features such diverse visionary artists as James Jean (Fables), Brom (The Plucker), Iain McCaig (Star Wars), Peter de Sève (Ice Age), Anita Kunz (Rolling Stone), and nearly 400 more. Drawing from books, graphic novels, video games, films, galleries, and advertisements, Spectrum 16 is both an exciting art book for fans and an invaluable resource for clients looking for new talent. A useful "Year in Review" section surveys the entire field of fantastic art, and a handy index provides contact information for each artist.

Spectrum Cathy Burnett 1994 This luminous treasury honors the artists who create illustrations for fantasy books, comics, ads, or films. Featuring nearly 200 color paintings by 93 of today's leading fantasy artists, Spectrum is a magnificent presentation of some of the most distinctive art being produced today.

Remembering Joy Jenni Moen 2013-06-13 One mistake can shatter dreams and shape the future. Alexis knows this first hand. Even though her memory of that day is hazy, she has spent the last ten years trying to put it behind her. Armed with the knowledge that her career will be her only legacy, Alexis works night and day to prove that she is more than just her last name. It's not only that she doesn't have time for love. She doesn't have the heart for it. After all, there's no point in starting something you can't finish. When she meets Adam, she's drawn to him in a way even she can't deny. The film student is dark and brooding and strangely charming. He's the perfect distraction from her mundane life. And, as if fate is pushing them together, he seems to be around every corner. It's enough to almost make her entirely forget about her past and take a chance. But Adam can recall every detail that she's forgotten. What she doesn't remember, he can't forget.

Naturally Composed Marty Straub 2016-08-12 A look at why we are interested in what we see in art. Are we born with aesthetic preferences that are shaped by cultural influences? Is our natural attraction to Beauty another weapon in our arsenal of species' survival? This book examines many so-called rules of composition in the visual arts to find natural reasons for their existence. It is designed to aide the visual artist and those who appreciate their work by bringing attention to subtle cues of attraction cultivated by our ancient and

immediate ancestors. It calls upon recent work in neuroaesthetics and other scientific disciplines to back up its speculative claims, and asks the reader to contribute opinions of their own on the books' website at naturallycomposed.com. There are many examples of photos in the book, and the reader is again asked to insert their own examples to enforce or refute the claims.

Spectrum 14 Cathy Fenner 2007-01 Drawn from work created for books, comics, magazines, art galleries, advertisements, and the portfolios of the finest contemporary fantasy artists, the illustrations in *Spectrum 14* extend the boundaries of the imagination and explore new realms of creativity. The book contains nearly 350 pieces by creators spanning the globe, including works from America, Germany, England, the Netherlands, Korea, Australia, Japan, Canada, and France. Now in its 14th year, this is a must for fans of this genre of art as well as an invaluable resource for art directors and illustrators.

Spectrum 21 John Fleskes 2014-11-01 Showcases the work of more than 300 artists from around the world whose surreal and fantastic artwork can be found in books, graphic novels, video games, fine arts and advertising, including Paul Bonner, Donato Giancola and James Gurney. Simultaneous. 16,000 first printing.