

Thor: Goddess of Thunder

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Roxxon, a large energy corporation unknowingly unearths a skull that is of great importance to the Frost Giants of Jotunheim. In response to this, the Frost Giants begin to invade Roxxon in attempt to retrieve the skull of their deceased king. After Thor (the god of thunder) finds himself unworthy of wielding Mjolnir, his trusty & powerful hammer, an anonymous individual steps in and manages to do what Thor could no longer do. Thus, marking the birth of the “goddess of thunder”.

While continuing to figure out how to control the almighty hammer, the goddess of thunder makes her way to Midgard (Earth) to handle the situation with the Frost Giants. Despite temporarily losing control of Mjolnir, the goddess of thunder manages to fight off the Frost Giants and crush the skull that they were ever so desperate for. However, that didn't mark the end of complications for her. Thor shows up to confront the goddess of thunder after hearing about the misplacement of his hammer. After a violent confrontation, Thor realizes that his hammer was not misplaced, but repurposed for someone else to wield. Following this realization, both the goddess and god of thunder resolve their conflict and go on to put the invasion of the Frost Giants to a halt.

This is a great, action-packed Marvel comic for those who are a fan of superheroes. You may be confused in the beginning due to the order of events, however, as you approach the end of the comic, you'll have a greater understanding of the antagonist's perspective, the events prior to the time of the comic, and much more. Also, the visuals of this comic were exceptional to say the least. It almost felt like I was watching a movie in my head.

Those interested in Marvel superheroes, especially Thor, may find this comic quite enjoyable. Even if you aren't the greatest Marvel fan, if you've found joy in viewing any Marvel superhero movie in the past, this book will certainly produce a similar effect. There aren't any content awareness factors that one would need to know of prior to reading this book. This is an action-packed graphic novel about the emergence of the goddess of thunder and her role in protecting Earth from its enemies. I would recommend this book to those ages 12 and up.

An educational theme present in this graphic novel is the transfer of power from Thor to the goddess of thunder, who was now capable of wielding Mjolnir. The reason behind Thor passing on his role to the goddess of thunder makes a great lesson for those who are afraid to lose power as they grow older. We all have our time to shine, but sometimes it is key to step down and acknowledge that at some point other people will come in to fulfill your role and make an impact in the world, just as you did.

I would recommend purchasing this book if you are a big Marvel fan or have a friend who is. Otherwise, I would borrow.

Recommended Titles:

- Loki: Agent of Asgard (All Volumes), Al Ewing
- The Incredible Hulk (All Volumes), Stan Lee & Jack Kirby
- Thor: The Worthy, Walter Simonson