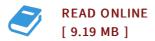




Vagabond, Vol. 1 VIZBIG Edition

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VIZ Media LLC. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Takehiko Inoue (illustrator). Paperback. 208 pages. Dimensions: 8.5in. x 5.8in. x 2.0in. This VIZBIG edition of Vagabond contains Volumes 1-3, bonus color content, and updated text. A 27 volume manga series - Vagabond is on Japans top ten best sellers list with over 100 million volumes in print. Vagabond has sold over 22 million copies worldwide! (Not including Japans sales). Vagabond is based on the novel, Musashi by Eiji Yoshikawa. Originally written in the early 40s, Yoshikawas fictional account became so well known that his version has blurred fact from fiction. VIZ Media is currently releasing the translated edition of Vagabond only three months after the Japanese release! The popularity of Vagabond has been attributed to NHKs drama TV series based on Yohikawas novel. There have been 6 films and 2 TV series based on Miyamoto Musashis life. Inoue received the 2000 Media Arts award for manga from the Japanese Ministry of Culture and the Kodansha award for best manga for his work on Vagabond. Nominated for 2003 Eisner Award in the category for Best WriterArtist! . . . reads like an Akira Kurosawa film captured on the printed page. -Cliff Biggers, Comic...



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