

[Read free] All-Star Companion Volume 4 (All Star Companion Tp)

All-Star Companion Volume 4 (All Star Companion Tp)

Roy Thomas

ebooks | Download PDF | *ePub | DOC | audiobook



#1396174 in Books 2009-07-07Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 11.00 x .60 x 8.40l, 1.35 #File Name: 1605490040240 pages | File size: 71.Mb

Roy Thomas : All-Star Companion Volume 4 (All Star Companion Tp) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised All-Star Companion Volume 4 (All Star Companion Tp):

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. A Heroic Tribute to the Golden Age of the Justice SocietyBy Mark PerigardIn "The All-Star Companion Volume 4," editor, writer, comics historian and fan Roy Thomas completes his salute to DC's Justice Society of America. This final volume contains various tributes to the team's heyday, a look at other super-groups of the era and the JSA's successor (Thomas own' Infinity Inc.) It's one of those books I love to pick up and flip through just to see where fate and curiosity will lead me. You won't find a better treasure trove of archival art, photos and commentary.Comics fans such as myself owe Thomas a substantial debt. During his tenure at both DC and Marvel, he kept alive the flame for Golden Age characters. In "The All-Star Squadron" (DC) and "The Invaders" (Marvel), Thomas spun out new adventures of the greats that captivated him as a boy. His was one of the few creative voices out there arguing for and supporting these legendary characters who were considered either juvenile or too

passee for modern tastes. Of course, now the Big Two have come around. DC found a way to successfully relaunch the JSA and Marvel seems at last to be acknowledging its Golden Age heritage on this, its 70th anniversary. But there wouldn't be as much enthusiasm without Thomas keeping that light alive during the dark '80s and '90s. His companion volumes are required reading for any JSA fan and anyone curious about the Golden Age of Comics. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Re: All-Star Companion Series By David The entire All-Star series guides are informative, enjoyable, useful references covering the entire history of the Justice Society of America throughout numerous decades and all the various comics and cross-over events. In addition to covering the various series, these collections provide a social and historical overview of the times the stories were written to help capture and explain numerous references within the stories. In this fourth and final volume of the series, the more modern stories featuring the group are dealt with overall, but the initial chapters cover the remaining information not dealt with in previous editions on the storylines from the 40's, early 50's and mid-70's. Overall, for any fan of the JSA, I highly recommend this volume by Roy Thomas, the authoritative figure on these characters, and all 4 in this series. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. An All Star Review By John Wild A must have for any Justice Society and All-Star fan. Especially if you have the first three. It ties up the history of the JSA what to this point in time.

The epic series of All-Star Companions goes out with a bang, featuring: Colossal coverage of the Golden Age All-Star Comics! Sensational secrets of the Junior Justice Society! An index of the complete solo adventures of all 18 original JSAers in their own features, from 1940 to 1951! The JSA's earliest imitators (Seven Soldiers of Victory, All Winners Squad, Marvel Family, and International Crime Patrol)! Infinity, Inc. on Earth-Two and after! And the 1980s Secret Origins series! Edited by Roy Thomas, with rare art by Alex Ross, Todd McFarlane, Jerry Ordway, Carmine Infantino, Joe Kubert, Alex Toth, Gil Kane, Murphy Anderson, Gene Colan, Wayne Boring, George Tuska, Howard Chaykin, Dick Dillin, and others.