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**Will Eisner : The Building** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Building:

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An extraordinary and classic graphic novel celebrating the Big Apple, from the master of American comics art. With an unparalleled eye for stories and expressive illustration, Will Eisner, the master and pioneer of American comics art,

presents one of his renowned celebrations of the Big Apple. No illustrator evoked the melancholy duskiess of New York City as expressively as Eisner, who knew the city from the bottom up. The Building is a story filled with ghosts, and a testament to our greatest human qualities? a deeply moving chronicle of a city building and the people who inhabited it.

About the Author Born in New York City, Will Eisner (1917–2005) was the author of the legendary comic strip The Spirit, as well as fifteen graphic novels and three influential instructional textbooks. The comic industry's top awards, the Eisner Awards, are named in his honor.