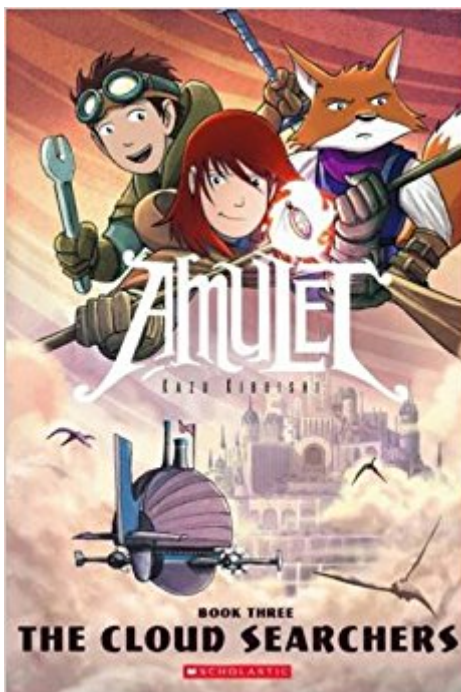


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# The Cloud Searchers (Amulet #3)



## Synopsis

Kazu Kibuishi's enchanting series about two ordinary children on a life-or-death mission continues! In the third installment of the thrilling Amulet series, Emily, Navin, and their crew of resistance fighters charter an airship and set off in search of the lost city of Cielis, which is believed to be located on an island high above the clouds. The mysterious Leon Redbeard is their guide, and there's a surprising new addition to the crew: the Elf King's son, Trellis. But is he ally or enemy? And will Emily ever be able to trust the voice of the Amulet?

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

This third book in Kibuishi's fantasy-epic Amulet graphic-novel series has the gaggle of heroes led by young Emily, the requisite prophecy fulfiller with unharnessed powers, searching for a fabled city in the clouds while dodging capture by evil elf overlords. Star Wars and Tolkien continue to loom large as influences, and the cinematically grand visuals of otherworldly scenery continue to be one of the series' deftest draws. But plenty of action and complex characters (including a few who were bad guys not too long ago) will also satisfy. The series looks poised to settle into a nice long Bone-like run. Grades 4-7. --lan Chipman

Praise for Amulet New York Times Bestseller "FiveÃ¢â¬âno, three pages into Amulet and you'll be hooked." Ã¢â¬â Jeff Smith, creator of BONE "[The] action-packed adventure sequences move at an exciting clip . . . Part fantasy . . . and part manga, this volume has much to appeal to readers." Ã¢â¬â Booklist "A richly drawn graphic-fantasy series following in the footsteps of BONE and a must for all fantasy fans." Ã¢â¬â Kirkus Reviews "Stellar artwork, imaginative character design, moody color and consistent pacing." Ã¢â¬â PW Comics Week

This is the third volume in Kibuishi's amulet series and we return to Emily and Navin, in their continued quest to help defeat the elf king. Leon Redbeard is tasked with guiding them to the guardian council, the lost rulers and most powerful stone keepers in the kingdom. If anyone can help them they can. There's just one problem...their city disappeared long ago and many think it has been destroyed. But the group has to try to find them. Along the way they meet new friends, old so called enemies, and a powerful new foe. Emily must continue to master the amulet in order to help them along their way and to ensure their survival. Even with the introduction of more characters Kazu creates a world that's easy to inhabit and follow along with (although it does help to reread the previous volumes before picking up this one.) In this book we learn even more about the elf kingdom and some of its darkest secrets. There are only a couple places that I wish we found out more about the characters, like when they land at the fill stations. What's the story between Rico and the owner? Hopefully more of the story will be revealed along the way...it's just one of those nagging little mysteries. The artwork continues to shine and allow you to get deeper and deeper into the world around the characters. Kazu and his team do an amazing job with creating depth in the illustrations and colors. I continue to highly recommend this series every chance I get and the only downside of the series is having to wait for that next volume to find out what happens to Emily, Navin, and the gang.

The 4th-5th grade reluctant readers on my campus can't read the Amulet books fast enough! Reading this series has caused several to move on to other fantasy series in graphic novel and traditional formats! It is absolutely exhilarating to hear these kids recommend this series to classmates who also avoid books AND those who read avidly. Highly recommended for kids in grades 3-6.

I bought the first in this series on a whim one day for my son who loves graphic novels and we've since purchased the entire series and all of my kids have passed the books around eagerly. They

LOVE them!

So great to see children excited about reading. I bought this for my daughter. She came home from the school library raving over book 1 and said she couldn't wait to finish dinner so she could go read more. A few days later she was depressed because there was a wait list for book 2. I made a deal with her that I would buy her book 2 if she did something for me. She did such a good job I bought her book 2 that same week. She finished it so quickly and couldn't stop talking about it that I decided to see if there were more books in the series. I found out there were 5 with a 6th one in the works! Right then I decided to buy the other books. I didn't realize how difficult it would be to find them all but it was worth the effort! I ended up ordering the entire series including Book 1. Even though she had already read it she wanted to take her time and re-read it. WOW that says it all! Worth every penny. She loved all of them!! It had her from the first word of Book 1 to the end of Book 5. Waiting for Book 6 to be released. I highly recommend this series.

My 8-year old granddaughter tore through this one in one sitting. She loves this series! I bought her all the book and she is reading them again and again.

This comic book is full of adventure, girl power, and much, much more. My sister and I have read the first and second and in a little bit of time we had finished the third. They are all good books but the only thing I hate about them are the evil cliff hangers. When my sister and I finished the third book we almost cried. That evil cliff hanger got us good! But it was a awesome book! The books go buy so fast. I am so excited to start the next book! it is worth anything. It is amulet.

The best books i ever have !! Hopefully they translate in Spanish so they can buy awesome books by supporting the author because the story and art just perfect with excitement!!

Such a great series!!! My 9 year old is addicted! Great way to promote reading in kids who don't feel strongly about reading

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