

New from ReAnimus Press, EINAR AND THE CURSED CITY by SFWA member Chet Gottfried!

Sixteen-year-old Einar goes to Jorghaven for dueling and desserts, but a curse has changed everyone except the champion Barbara Bloodbath who needs his help to free the city.

The dueling is an organized challenge system whereby the better fighters increase their rating and rise higher in life. The desserts include ice cream and donuts, among other treats. Hey, if you can have magic, you can have ice cream. Against the backdrop of dueling and desserts, the curse becomes an overwhelming factor.

Einar is a young adult fantasy novel suitable for readers of all ages. Available as an ebook (ASIN: B00JYX9A9Q, 299 pages, \$3.99) and a paperback (ISBN-13: 978-1497393721, 298 pages, \$12.99), Einar and the Cursed City can be purchased from ReAnimus Press (http://reanimus.com/1396) and Amazon (http://amazon.com/dp/1497393728/).

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EARLY REVIEWS from Amazon Readers

R. Chasin: "This was a truly delightful book. A cast of unique characters featuring wizards, dwarfs, giants, kings, and odd townspeople. Einar comes to town for the warrior's tournaments and ends up being involved in a complex, amusing and cleverly written set of circumstances. . . ."

A. Fuller: "With a cast of well-drawn characters, including a hamadryad and an ice-cream making wizard, Einar moves along at an entertaining pace. . . . The blend of dialogue, action, and descriptive passages is just right. I recommend Einar to any parent or grandparent looking for a fun novel for the young readers in their family."

REVIEWS from Amazon Readers of The Gilded Basilisk

M. Pechan: "Gottfried's well-developed characters and entertaining vocabulary take you on a mapped quest that soars, literally, with hummingbirds, eagles, dragons, and imagination. . . ."

H. Mullendore: "The Gilded Basilisk delivers suspense, humor, and skillful storytelling. Author Chet Gottfried creates a finely tuned story with a skillfully woven plot. . . ."

A freelancer in book production for forty years, **Chet Gottfried** lives with his wife Sue, and their three ex-feral cats, in State College, Pennsylvania. He is an active member of SFWA, with stories in *Jim Baen's Universe*, *Aboriginal SF*, and *Isaac Asimov's SF*, as well as stories in small press and online publications.

On Jan. 21, 2014, ReAnimus Press published his fantasy novel, *The Gilded Basilisk*, his second novel, and followed it with Chet's young adult fantasy novel *Einar and the Cursed City* on May 1, 2014.

Chet's website lookoutnow.com features over a thousand pages covering his nature photography, cartoons, and games, as well as travelogues from his trips to the UK Lake District, Iceland, and the U.S. Southwest.

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