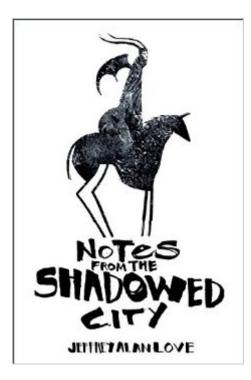
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# **Notes From The Shadowed City**





## Synopsis

Notes From the Shadowed City is the travelogue of a young man who sets off on a journey to research magical swords. He finds himself stranded in a land he does not know and enters a city with no name over which looms an ominous floating citadel. As he seeks a way home, he fills his notebook with drawings and observations of his life in this strange place. It is full of masked swordsmen, cities that walk, ancient gods, swords made from petrified trees and dragons that move mountains. Thereâ <sup>™</sup>s also a mysterious woman who captures his heart.From the imagination of award-winning artist Jeffrey Alan Love comes this illustrated tale of swords and magic, memory and loss, and the overwhelming desire to find a way home no matter the cost. His first book detailing this fantastic journey, Notes From the Shadowed City is told through small moments that create a larger narrative. Love employs his renowned artistry to create a heavily visual narrative boasting more than seventy illustrations, and every spread features his art along with handwritten text&#151;a captivating journal entry that expands into a visual symphony. As you follow in the footsteps of this young man, youâ <sup>™</sup>II be intrigued to seek out the Shadowed City.

### **Book Information**

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#### **Customer Reviews**

A Tremendous book. Lyrical, phantastic, whimsical, AND surprisingly affecting for a book about the cataloging of magic swords. The artwork here looks like scratched dreams engraved on tarnished medieval walls. But it's the story that really makes the book work. Shadowed City really nails the isolation of being an outsider in an unknown city, something anyone who's moved to one can relate to. The city in this book just happens to be one full of masked swordsmen, winged sentries, other

living floating cities replete with writhing tentacles, kings, wizards, and everyone, everyone wearing horns. This book feels like an invitation into a mythic fully realized other realm. With Notes from the Shadowed City Jeffrey Alan Love has announced his intentions as a storyteller and visionary. So in other words, take note.

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