



## Darwin: A Graphic Biography

By Eugene Byrne

Smithsonian Books (DC), United Kingdom, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Simon Gurr (illustrator). 226 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Darwin: A Graphic Biography is an inspiring expedition into the physical and intellectual adventures of Charles Darwin. Presenting Darwin s life in a smart and entertaining graphic novel, Darwin: A Graphic Biography attempts to not only educate the reader about Darwin but also the scientific world of the 1800s. The graphic medium is ideal for recreating a very specific time frame, succeeding in placing the reader right next to a young Darwin on a beetling expedition. With specimens in both hands, and anxious to get another, Darwin ends up stuffing the third beetle into his mouth. Darwin s life presented in this form is an inspirational tale for kids of all ages. They ll be sure to identify with a curious young Darwin finding his way on youthful adventures in the fields near his house. The ups, downs, and near-misses of Darwin s youth are portrayed honestly and without foreshadowing of his later fame. This is a key point for younger readers: that Darwin wasn t somehow predestined to greatness. He was curious, patient, and meticulous. He...



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