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Amulet Keepers (TombQuest, Book 2)





Synopsis

Strange things are happening in London. Red rain is flooding the streets. People are going missing. And someone's opening graves in Highgate Cemetery . . . Â Only Alex and his best friend, Ren, suspect the truth: a Death Walker, a powerful ancient Egyptian evil, is behind the chaos. Their quest to bring him down takes them from New York to London, and from the land of the living to the deep underground tombs of the long dead. Will they be in time to stop the Death Walker before he gets too powerful . . . or will the tombs claim them, too? Â Read the book, then continue the adventure online! Build an Egyptian tomb of your own, hide treasure and protect it with traps, then challenge your friends to break in.

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 690 (What's this?) Series: TombQuest (Book 2) Hardcover: 192 pages Publisher: Scholastic Press (April 28, 2015) Language: English ISBN-10: 0545723396 ISBN-13: 978-0545723398 Product Dimensions: 5.7 x 0.7 x 8.3 inches Shipping Weight: 8.8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.3 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (80 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #43.791 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #26 in Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Historical Fiction > Ancient Civilizations #1188 in Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Friendship, Social Skills & School Life > Friendship #1813 in Books > Children's Books > Science Fiction & Fantasy > Fantasy & Magic Age Range: 8 - 12 years Grade Level: 3 - 7

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their hand at the online games that extend the world.

Praise for TombQuest Book 1: Book of the Dead : Â "Like a preteen Indiana Jones and Lara Croft, Alex and Ren make a compelling duo, and Northrop balances pathos and action effectively to engage readers. Funny and smart, Alex and Ren are excellent companions for this fast-paced and scorpion-filled ride."-- Kirkus Reviews "A thrilling adventure rich in Egyptian mythology and magic.... Sure to be a blockbuster." -- Booklist â œNonstop action ... reluctant readers will enjoy the fast-paced story and the accompanying interactive computer game, and they will look forward to future installments.â • --Â Voice of Youth Advocates "The plot moves quickly and will appeal to reluctant readers looking for adventure [and] danger." -- School Library Journal

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