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**“My life itself was become my amusement and never  
ceased to be novel...”**

**One of America’s Greatest Thinkers:  
Henry David Thoreau-His Sublime Life,  
Thoughts, and Times in new GN**

Henry David Thoreau was known as the writer in the woods, a forward thinker in his day. A founding ecologist, his retreat to nature left behind the bustling developing colonial town of Concord, Massachusetts for the serene Walden Pond that inspired much of his writings. As he retreated, he evaded paying taxes in defiance of the Mexican-American War and slavery. He was imprisoned for a time. “When a government is unjust, the rightful place of a just man is in prison,” he famously commented. The result was his establishment of the concept of “civil disobedience,” later published in his 1865 essay. Also an admirer of the American Indians, Thoreau was very much ahead of his time and his beliefs still resonate today.

Thoreau has been influential from the abolishment of slavery in 1865 to the uprisings of “the 99%” recently around the country, over a hundred years later. His writings inspired change-makers many years later like Mahatma Gandhi and Martin Luther King, Jr.

*Thoreau, a Sublime Life* is sure to inspire thinkers, budding rebels, and nature lovers alike.

This hardcover book carefully profiles the life of one of America’s greatest thinkers, Henry David Thoreau, who is abundantly quoted- a collaboration of prolific French creators A. Dan on art and Maximilien Le Roy on script and colors. Picturesque New England is carefully drawn by Dan in each of its four seasons, vibrantly colored by Le Roy. Perfect for classrooms, an article is included on the life and legacy of Henry David Thoreau.

*Thoreau, a Sublime Life* follows NBM’s release of two successful biographic graphic novels of 2015, *Girl in Dior*, in its 3rd printing already, and *Ghetto Brother*, in its second printing. NBM is further expanding its biographies in comics in the months to come.

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