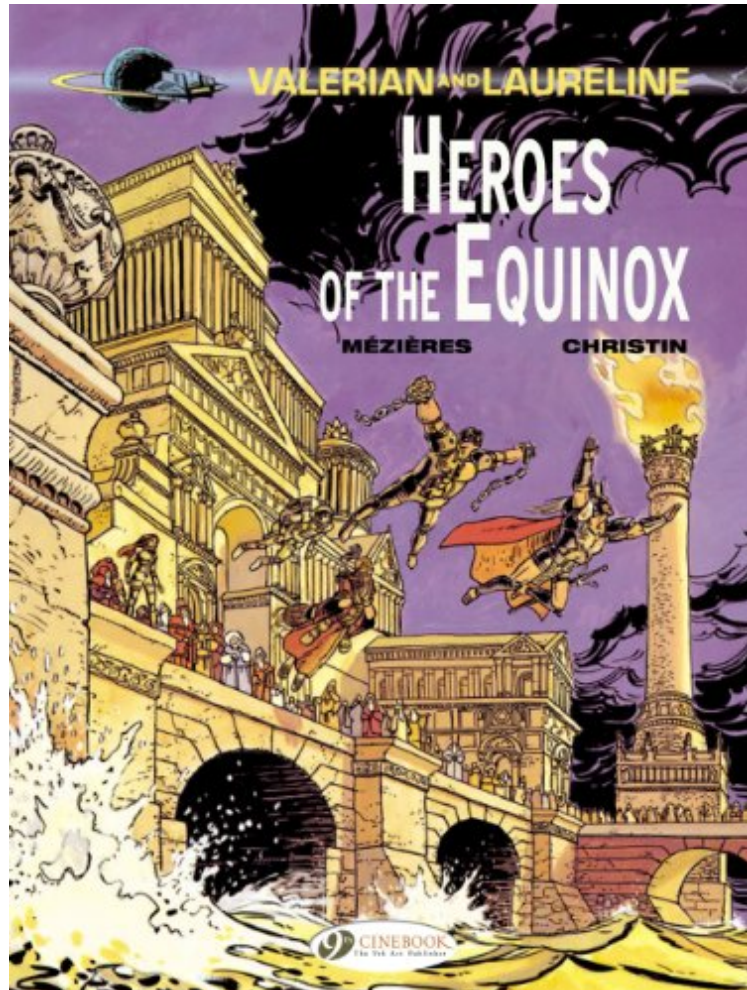


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Pierre Christin : Heroes of the Equinox (Valerian) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Heroes of the Equinox (Valerian):

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Another fine storyBy wiredweirdI'm kind of glad the VL stories are so old - this one from the late 1970s. That means being addicted to the stories will be a self-limiting problem.This matches the VL pattern nicely: whole story contained in one volume, artwork a bit more cartoony than seems currently fashionable, strong female lead before they were as common as now, and a plot based on some white guy rushing in to save the day. And, like at least one other of these VL reprints, a strong social moral - which would be something of a spoiler to describe.Bottom line: I'm still enjoying this series and still coming back for more. But, if the unfortunate movie had been my only knowledge of the characters, I might not have bothered.-- wiredweird2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Buffoons Of The EquinoxBy Zon||EidolonOn the surface "Heroes of the Equinox" looks like a typical male fantasy - Valerian must travel to an infertile world and earn the right to BREED thus ensuring the

survival of an alien race. But if you look beneath the surface you will find a scathing parody of politics, philosophy and human nature. To Christin and Mzires militarism, communism, mysticism, heroism and the male ego are all the same thing, and a lot of fun is had at their expense. It's all very droll, which proves to me that for all of their love of Jerry Lewis the French really do have a sense of humor. This printing of "Equinox" is interesting because like three of the other volumes in the "Valerian and Laureline" series it was first published back in the 80s by Darguard International. If you have that old edition though you can sell it because this one is, for the most part, superior. First of all it is numbered like all the rest in the new printing by Cinebook. Second, the lines are thinner and sharper and there is no more occasional color bleeding, although the colors themselves (ahh, those wonderful French colors) are a little different in the old version - deep reds there are more orange-y in the new, for example. Overall this is a great book and I recommend it highly whether you are a VL fan or not. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Four Stars By Jonathan K. Series keeps getting better the more that you read it. Can't wait to see the movie.

This time, it's an official heroes job for Valerian! Every 100 years or so, the infertile people of Simlanne send their champions to the sacred island of Filene, where the best among them, chosen via a series of tests, will find and bring back the next generation. This cycle, though, the local heroes seem to fail repeatedly, and the aging Simlannians have sent for heroes from other worlds. Valerian, chosen to represent Earth, will have to overcome the tests and his competitors in a dangerous odyssey

About the Author Jean-Claude Mzires and Pierre Christin created Valerian in 1967 after working in the USA together, one as a cowboy, the other a teacher. While Valerian is Mzires only comic series, he has worked as an illustrator in many other areas, including designs and sets for The Fifth Element, and he was awarded the Grand Prix du festival d'Angoulême in 1984. Christin also works in collaboration with other artists such as Tardi and Bilal and writes novels and film scripts.