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Keith Giffen, J.M. Dematteis : Justice League International, Vol. 1 before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Justice League International, Vol. 1:

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Jeeze, had I been missing out for years!By Alexander LeveringWow. Just wow. This collection (along with volumes 2-6) have instantly become some of my favorite comics of all time! The stories, the writing, the art. It is just all immaculate. I love it. Thoroughly entertaining and humorous. Good action too. I have always loved Guy Gardner and have retroactively gone back to read everything hes been involved in (ugh lets ignore Guy Gardner Warrior. WHAT were they thinking! ruining one of the best characters for a

good while!) I flew through volumes 1-6 and ANXIOUSLY await more volumes to be released. PLEASE RELEASE THE REST OF JUSTICE LEAGUE INTERNATIONAL/EUROPE! They must do it . . . They will . . . wont they ?! Hopefully. If there is anything bad about this, it is that it makes reading OTHER comic books less enjoyable. This sets the standards/bar pretty high. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. laugh laugh By Juan Carrillo Love this run of the JLI by Griffen the Humor mixed with the stories and the art make the ride a magical adventure. This is also the start of the team of Blue beetle and Booster Gold..this is also a story arc that picks up after the ending of the JLA Detroit..More into the martian Manhunter and Captian Marvel. soon glad I got for my collection. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Good classic By Todd Davidson Another great comic from the eighties. This story arc is one well placed introduction. There are no end of universe events, it's all about classic DC characters stepping on each other's toes. Bat Man is a little stiff but Blue Beetle steals the show. Lots of nine panel grids full of ham and cheese. I wish current DC would return to this well.

In the late 1980s, writers Keith Giffen and J.M. DeMatteis redefined the Justice League of America with these unique, humorous tales, collected for the first time since their original comic-book publication. With Batman, Green Lantern Guy Gardner, Blue Beetle, Booster Gold and other quirky heroes of the DC Universe, the team battles the colony of spaceships known only as the Cluster, then must track their missing comrade, Mister Miracle to the dread planet Apokolips. And when our heroes arrive back on Earth, they must contend with the new Queen Bee and the return of Lobo.

From Booklist In 1987 the venerable superhero team the Justice League, a DC mainstay since 1960, took an unexpectedly loopy turn with an overhaul of its membership. The only original members retained were Batman and the Martian Manhunter. The ranks were filled out with second-string and somewhat eccentric characters like wisecracking Blue Beetle, strident feminist Black Canary, nave Captain Marvel, showboating Booster Gold, and abrasive blowhard Guy Gardner. New plotlines were fairly routine the team thwarted terrorists attacking the U.N. and fought superpowered foes like the Royal Flush Gang and the Gray Man but a lighthearted approach and droll banter between the constantly bickering heroes made the revamped JL a surprise success in an era when grim and gritty dominated superhero comics. Subsequently, the series tone would become even more humorous and essentially parodic of the genre (and Kevin McGuire's already appealing, fine-lined artwork would grow more assured), but the early issues collected here strike an appealing balance between the straitlaced and the zany. --Gordon Flagg