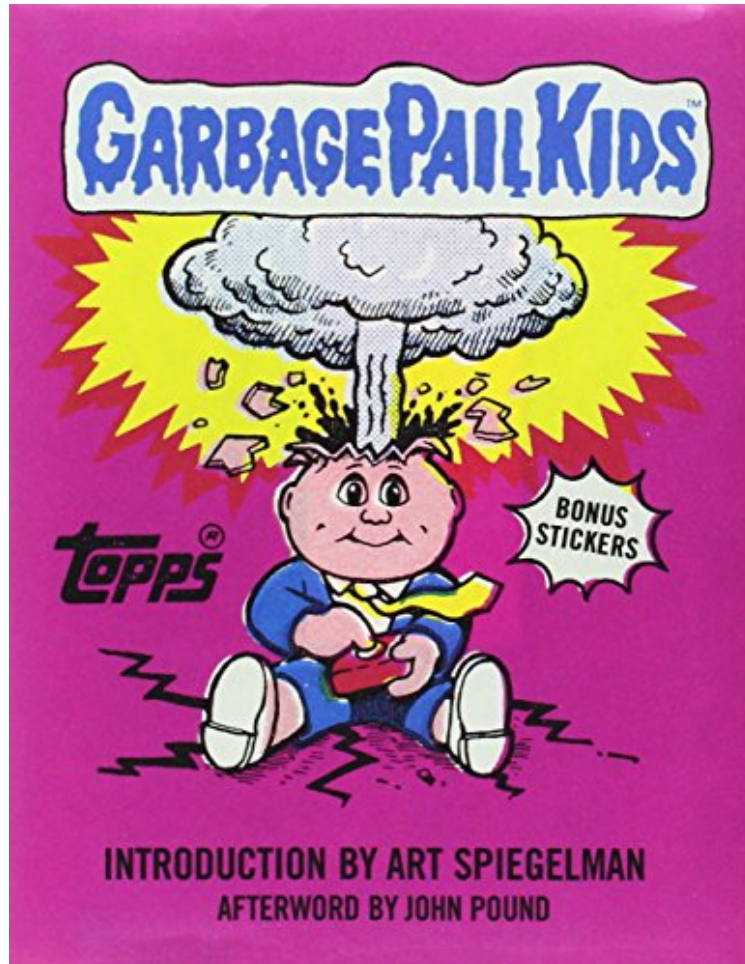


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A book for newbies and serious collectors alike By Kiss Army I have been collecting GPK cards since I was 11 (I'm 43 now), I have over 1,000 not counting duplicates. I have the first 3 original series complete. This book is excellent. I can show my son these wonderful cards without risking damage to my collection. The pages are high quality glossy paper. On the bottom of each page it shows you the alternate names for each card the (B) cards. There is an index in the back. To top it all off, you get 4 limited edition cards with the book. If you love GPK cards, this book is a must! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great Book! By Mystic Seer Great book, the art from my childhood is now iconic, like 60's pop culture art was from that era. Truth be told, the art for GPKs was heavily inspired by 60s Topps monster issues. It's a blast to thumb through the book and see all the hilarious GPKs. You also get some free GPK cards with the book as noted in other reviews. If you're an 80's kid,

this is essential. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. If you love GPKs, this book is invaluable. By AgeOwns If you love GPKs, this book is invaluable. There is a great forward by Art Spiegelman about the creation of the cards, and an afterward from primary artist John Pound about creating the paintings. We love going through and looking at each crisp painting. These are slightly larger than the cards were, so you're getting a better look at the detail. I also have the Topps Mars Attacks book, which features little notes and trivia on each page about the history of the illustration, this GPK book does not have those on each page. But still great.

Garbage Pail Kids—a series of collectible stickers produced by Topps in the 1980s—combined spectacular artwork and over-the-top satire. The result was an inspired collaboration between avant-garde cartoonists and humorists including Art Spiegelman, Mark Newgarden, John Pound, Tom Bunk, and Jay Lynch. A new generation of fans continues to embrace this pop-culture phenomenon as Garbage Pail Kids stickers are still being published. Now, for the first time, all 206 rare and hard-to-find images from Series 1 through 5 are collected in an innovative package, along with a special set of four limited-edition, previously unreleased bonus stickers. This exciting follow up to Wacky Packages is guaranteed to appeal to die-hard collectors as well as a new generation of fans. Praise for Garbage Pail Kids: "If you ask me, reliving my time with Bad Breath Seth and Potty Scotty is worth the cover price alone." —USAToday.com "I worried that [the Garbage Pail Kids] might seem too time-bound for their own good; but if anything, 27 years later, they're more poignant. Maybe it's because I'm a worried, concerned adult, but more likely it's because nothing is ever as funny as it is when you're ten years old—and everything is a lot scarier." —CapitalNewYork.com "The book is a wonderfully designed tribute to these shit-disturbing cards in all their graphic, full-color glory." —ComicsBeat.com "There's a lot of interesting stuff in Spiegelman's intro, and in the afterward by John Pound, the artist who originated and drew the bulk of the Kids. But the real reason to buy this book is for the graphic brilliance of the art itself..." —Boston Phoenix

About the Author The Topps Company, Inc., founded in 1938, is the preeminent creator and brand marketer of sports cards, entertainment products, and distinctive confectionery. Art Spiegelman is an American comics writer, artist, and editor best known for his Pulitzer Prize-winning graphic novel memoir, *Maus*.