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Saga of Pandora Zwieback Novel Series Kicks Off With Vampire War

“When it comes to horrific chills, no one does it better than Steven A. Roman. Clive Barker would be proud!”—Paul Dale Roberts, Jazma Online

He’s sent costumed mutants on a multidimensional quest to prevent the universe’s destruction, and guided Death along the Las Vegas Strip in his search for victims. But now **Steven A. Roman**, bestselling author of the novels *X-Men: The Chaos Engine Trilogy* and *Final Destination: Dead Man’s Hand*, is ready to introduce a brand-new adventure heroine to dark-urban-fantasy readers, courtesy of independent publishing house StarWarp Concepts.

BLOOD FEUD: THE SAGA OF PANDORA ZWIEBACK, Book 1 (ISBN: 978-0-9841741-0-2), on sale now in both print and e-book formats, is the first novel in a Young Adult dark-urban-fantasy series. Its heroine is a 16-year-old, Queens, NY Goth girl dealing with two major life-changing problems: her parents’ divorce, and a frightening ability to see through the human guises of the vampires, werewolves, and other creatures that have always been living in the world. Helping Pan come to terms with both is Sebastienne Mazarin, a 400-year-old, shape-shifting monster hunter she befriends. Together, the women set out to protect the world from the monsters threatening it, starting in *Blood Feud* with a war among rival vampire clans seeking the key to an ultimate weapon.

The project might be a dark-fantasy series instead of a superhero adventure, but Roman assures fans familiar with his X-Men novels that there’s something for them as well: “Just like *The Chaos Engine Trilogy*, Pan’s story has action, it’s got romance and humor, and it’s got the thing I’m most known for: multilayered characterization. So, come for the monster hunting, stay for the widespread destruction and the oddball characters—‘cause if you’ve read my stuff you know I never write about *normal* people. . . .”

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Blood Feud: The Saga of Pandora Zwieback, Book 1—which features cover art by acclaimed painter **Bob Larkin** (*Tomb of Dracula*, *Doc Savage*, *Savage Sword of Conan*)—is currently available from brick-and-mortar and online bookstores, and from the StarWarp Concepts Web site. E-book editions are available for download from Amazon.com, Barnes & Noble, the Apple iBookstore, Kobo, the Sony Reader Store, Smashwords, DriveThru Fiction, and the StarWarp Concepts webstore.

For more information—including a downloadable, full-color, introductory comic book, *The Saga of Pandora Zwieback #0*—please visit the Web sites www.PandoraZwieback.com and www.StarwarpConcepts.com.

CRITICAL ACCLAIM FOR BLOOD FEUD:

“Far and away one of the best young adult supernatural fantasy novels released in the last few years.... Pan is exactly the kind of teen heroine that readers should be standing up and cheering for.”—**HorrorNews.net**

“A young adult book that does the all-important job of translating well to an adult audience.... Roman’s writing is wonderfully crisp, drawing us into a hidden world that is great fun. Definitely recommended for the target audience (and us readers who are that little bit older).”—**Taliesin Meets the Vampires**

“One of those fabulous books that manages to straddle the young adult/adult fiction divide, catering equally for teens and more, ahem, ‘mature’ readers alike with a light touch that makes it a joy to read.”—**BCF Book Reviews**

About the Author:

Steven A. Roman is the bestselling author of the novels *X-Men: The Chaos Engine Trilogy* and *Final Destination: Dead Man’s Hand*, and the writer of the graphic novels *Stan Lee’s Alexa*, *Sunn*, and *Lorelei: Sects and the City*. His short horror fiction has appeared in the anthologies *If I Were an Evil Overlord*, *Best New Zombie Tales 2*, *The Dead Walk Again!* and *Tales of the Shadowmen 4: Lords of Terror*.

About the Book:

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