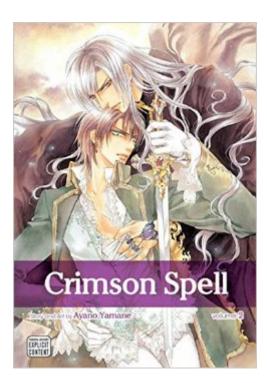
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# Crimson Spell, Vol. 2





# Synopsis

Prince Vald is a proper, honorable swordsman by day, and a sensual, insatiable demon by night. The only one to know both faces of the cursed prince is his traveling companion, the sorcerer Halvi. During the day the handsome sorcerer keeps an aloof façade, even as he sates the demonâ <sup>™</sup>s desires nightly. However, Halvi finds he is starting to feel a deeper bond with the young prince. Meanwhile, enemies who want Vald for themselves are beginning to make their move. Reads R to L (Japanese Style) for mature audiences.

## **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

In addition to the stunning art work, this particular series is the best I've ever seen for combining a gripping plot with unashamed and delightful erotica. The characters are vibrant and funny yet at the same time being people flawed enough to be believable and liked. The plot actually is surprising unpredictable compared to even mainstream fantasy. This second collection is sadly shorter then the first, but the quality is still amazing and it still long enough to be worth the read.

This book has everything you could want in a yaoi manga. There are smoking hot guys (Havi is downright delicious) and blistering sex, but there's so much more. There is depth to the fantasy plotline, and a genuine sweetness to the story. You really find yourself rooting for Vald and Havi, and you just know that once they're together again everything will turn out alright. I won't reveal anything that will ruin it for you; it's much better to discover it on your own! If you are a fan of yaoi,

like I am, then you will love this book. I own the first and second volumes, and both are superb. There isn't as much sex in the second volume; it's more devoted to developing the story. Vald and Havi are also separated for a good chunk of volume two, which also cuts down on the intimacy a little. Not to worry though, you get your fix before volume two ends. :)

Ayano Yamane is all that needs to be said as her artwork is true beauty. A fantasy story with high yaoi content and some would consider non-con. If you enjoy her View Finder series you will like this one only it is more fantasy than View Finder which involves Yakuza vs Fantasy.

I truly enjoyed the fantasy world Yamane created in The Crimson Spell, Vol. 1, and this excellent sequel expands that world, and the characters. The story begins right where volume 1 left off. The plot advances as Havi realizes the magician behind the curse may still be alive and needs to be confronted. Crimson Spell has a disinctly "Dungeons & Dragons" feel to it as they travel the land searching for answers and have adevntures along the way: fighting demons to protect a village, getting robbed by a wanderer they stop to help, etc. There is a lot of action, including violent sword fighting & magical duels, in the book. Havi and Vald's relationship also gets a jolt when Havi kisses Vald when he's not in demon form and Vald rebuffs him and runs off confused. He still doesn't know what he does with Havi when he's the demon (oh, and there are more than a couple smoking hot scenes of that!) Then, Havi is kidnapped by the villain...Overall, this is an engrossing series. It's so sad that it is no longer in print in English. I truly hope with the popularity of Finder, Crimson Spell will be picked up for a new license. I'd love to read volumes 3 and 4. Highly recommended - if you can find a copy.

Much like volume 1 of this series the artwork enchants me once more. It is the biggest asset this series starts. I love looking at each image. Especially Vald in his demon form. He gets the most delicious markings!The story is still sadly lacking. We get a bit of a better feel for Havi and Vald. Havi seems to really like taking advantage of Vald in his demon form. I can't help but wonder how Vald will react when he finds out. I am still questioning and wondering at Havi's role in everything. I want to trust him, but as of this volume I just can't. How he uses Vald against his knowledge does not help.My favorite series character, Rulca plays such a small role but I love him. I want more of him. Keep an eye on Vald, Rulca!I really hope the story picks up the pace soon. If not for the gorgeous artwork I would have given up on this series. If just has not grabbed me yet. I see potential but it is just invisible right now. I hope volume 3 pulls things together more.\*\*\*Please note,

this is a mature, ages 18+ Yaoi.\*\*\*\*I received an ecopy of this volume from Viz Media via Edelweiss in exchange for a fair, honest review. All opinions expressed are strictly my own.\*

After having enjoyed the first volume, I immediately bought this second volume. Despite having less sexscenes than in the first volume, this book is as good as the first one. More storytelling, less sexscenes, but the scenes which are there..., they're hot. The good part of this book is that you finally see Vald's desire for Havi and I was missing that in the first book. This is so entertaining, I can't wait for the third one.

After purchasing the first in this series, I had to have this one. The artwork is wonderful--emotion leaps from the pictures at times. The plot line is interesting and I enjoy this being set as a fantasy with swords and magic. All this and the men are beautiful, what more could I ask?I simply can't wait for the next installment!

absolutely love this series! some purchasers have complained that the text is incorrect in their volumes.. (Bald instead of Vald).. but my volume used 'Vald' so I was happy ^\_^ one of my favorite yaoi series after The Tyrant Falls In Love .. would definitely recommend this one, especially if you're tired of the typical yaoi romances and typical day to day life. Fantasy + yaoi is the perfect match.

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