



Keith Roberts SF Gateway Omnibus: The Chalk Giants, Kiteworld, The Grain Kings (Paperback)

By Keith Roberts

Orion Publishing Co, United Kingdom, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 232 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. As author and illustrator, Keith Roberts did more than most to define the look of UK science fiction magazines in the 1960s. In addition to his BFSAs Award wins, he was nominated for the Hugo, Nebula and Arthur C. Clarke Awards. He is perhaps best known for his seminal alternate history novel, Pavane, but his work covered a broad range of SF's tropes and settings, as can be seen from the titles collected in this omnibus: *The Chalk Giants*, *Kiteworld* and *The Grain Kings*. *THE CHALK GIANTS*: After the apocalypse the hazardous evolution of mankind continues. And in primeval response to the disaster, humanity's solutions to catastrophe carve the harsh new world in violent patterns of magic and myth, rite and religion. Brave images scar the ancient hills, the clash of swords and the ageless power of sexuality sign-post another, bloodsoaked path to civilisation. *KITEWORLD*: Powerful churches have long kept their grip on the people with a theology of fear that makes formidable demons out of the poor, weak mutants of the surrounding badlands. To ward off these...



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