



Dungeons & Dragons Returns With a 4-Part Series That Builds on 2023's Fantasy Favorite

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One of the best *Dungeons & Dragons* series is about to return with a new chapter starring a fan-favorite cast of adventurers.

On Mar. 11, Dark Horse Comics' hit *Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks* series by writer Greg Pak and artists Wilton Santos, Edvan Alves, and Raúl Angulo will return with its long-awaited second issue. The series premiered back in October to rave reviews, bringing the heroes of Jaleigh Johnson's 2024 novel *Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks: Bound for Ruin* to the realm of comics for the very first time.

Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks has previously been compared to 2023's hit film, *Dungeons & Dragons: Honor Among Thieves*, which starred Chris Pine, Sophia Lillis, Michelle Rodriguez, Regé-Jean Page, and Justice Smith as the members of an unlikely band of heroes brought together to stop a cataclysmic threat. With it becoming increasingly unlikely that the film will ever receive a proper follow-up, *Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks* is the perfect next step for fans of the franchise.

Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks #2

- Written by GREG PAK
- Art by WILTON SANTOS
- Inks by EDVAN ALVES
- Colors by RAÚL ANGULO
- Letters by NATE PIEKOS
- Main cover art by MARGUERITE SAUVAGE
- Variant cover art by UZURI

The official solicit synopsis for *Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks* #2 from Dark Horse Comics reads, "The Fallbacks have plundered the Lost Lord of Loudwater's tomb, but the treasure may not be worth the trouble. As a fearsome white dragon, apparently awoken by the Fallbacks' heist, descends upon Loudwater, the party rushes to defend the town."

The solicit synopsis continues, "Can they fend off the draconic menace before it freezes all of Loudwater? Also, a new challenge arises: the Tournament of Heroes! It's the perfect opportunity for the Fallbacks to show up Angrilyne's team, if they can win..."

What Is Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks About?

Image via Dark Horse

The eclectic party of adventurers known as the Fallbacks made their debut in Jaleigh Johnson's *Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks: Bound for Ruin*, which was released in 2024 to widespread acclaim. The Fallbacks consist of ambitious young rogue Tessalynde, stubborn fighter Anson, self-taught wizard Cazrin, cunning cleric Baldric, the secret songwriter bard Lark, and their pet ottyugh, Uggie.

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Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks: Bound for Ruin followed the eponymous heroes in their quest to retrieve a mysterious spellbook, only to be left caring for a sentient grimoire with a thirst for mortal blood. Fortunately, the Fallbacks managed to survive even the worst encounters with the likes of malevolent mercenaries and the ranks of the undead. Now, the Dark Horse Comics series has pitted the Fallbacks against an entirely new team of adventurers, who appear to be just the first of many they will cross paths with in the months to come.

Dungeons & Dragons: The Fallbacks from Dark Horse Comics is on sale now.

Dungeons & Dragons

TV-7 | Animation | Action | Adventure | Fantasy

Release Date: 1983 - 1985-00-00

Cast [See All →](#)

- Frank Welker**
Tiamat / Uni the Unicorn
- Adam Rich**
Presto the Magician
- Bob Holt**
Shadow Demon
- Don Most**
Eric the Cavalier

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Funny how the cartoon characters were in the movie

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"2023s hit film" . Lolwut

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From what I saw the movie at the theaters didn't do the best, but apparently it was a hit for streaming services and very well received on that format.

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So, what does this comic/show have to do with the movie? In what way is it a continuation?

Jonathan

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Gotta apply fantasy favorite loosely. Movie was decent, but nothing more. I could write more epic movies based in forgotten realms then that. Heck i could cite a bunch of novels already published that would make more epic movies then that.

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LordCrabbit

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I agree, but would be better if it was Dragonlance

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Jonathan

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@LordCrabbit i enjoy both settings, too bad the movie based on Dragonlance chronicles wasn't good, would have enjoyed watching the whole thing.

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Jer

2026-03-17 13:14:49

No you couldn't otherwise we'd heard of you. It's a great movie! A rarity among d&d media. Chris Pine is great in it. We dont want any Drizzt slop. Salvatore is a wokedard.

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Jonathan

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Not because I've never wrote a movie script before that i'm not able to. Also, there is alot more into getting your script produced then just writing a good script. Movie being a rarity among D&D media doesn't make it a fantasy favourite, it's not even top 10 all trime among fantasy movies. You're the only one who brought Drizzt in this discussion and Salvatore is definitely a better human being then you are.

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