



Preceded by Chaos Vol. 0

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The gripping first instalment in an innovative illustrated short story series detailing the past, present and future of a young emergency room doctor loosely based on people and places encountered during the author's career.

Mitchell Weaver has been thrust into the high-stress world of emergency medicine. Fresh out of his residency, he quickly realises he has reached a point in his life where many of his prior indulgences and flaws are no longer compatible with the responsibility he now faces. Still struggling with the mistakes of his former self, Mitchell sets out on a journey to Europe to find two missing old friends who he believes can help him finally put his past to rest.

Preceded by Chaos Vol. 0 represents the first chapter in a series that will follow Mitchell Weaver throughout the most traumatic period of his life. Preceding Vol. 0, the *Chaos Books*, chart the rapid disintegration of Mitchell until his absolute breaking point, exploring the madness that cultivated his need to transform into something better. The sequels following Vol. 0, known as the *Books of Change*, represent Mitchell's stepwise departure from his previous debauchery and unstable behaviour. These books will chronicle the evolution of his perspective on the world around him as he attempts to become a better man. Together, they tell the vivid story of a scarred and human man trying to improve himself and the world around him.

Loosely based on the real life events and people M. Wheeler experienced and met during his work as an emergency doctor, and brought to life by a series of expressive illustrations **Preceded by Chaos Vol. 0** shows us that even society's most distinguished are not without their own failings and can harbour a dark side behind the respectable public face. This is a modern illustrated short story worthy of the graphic genre.

About the author: M. Wheeler held an eclectic series of jobs - including working as a studio engineer and a teacher - before he entered medical school in his thirties. During his residency while living in New York City, he wrote his first two books which would eventually become the **Preceded by Chaos** series. Wheeler travels extensively for his job but currently lives in Miami. **Preceded by Chaos: Vol. 0** by M. Wheeler (published by Clink Street Publishing 18th October 2016 RRP £5.99 paperback, RRP £2.99 ebook) is available to purchase from online retailers including amazon.co.uk and can be ordered from all good bookstores. You can find more information online at www.precededbychaos.com, as well as following M. Wheeler on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram @precededbychaos.

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