

Passings | Award-winning science fiction and fantasy author Lucius Shepard, whose work included *Life During Wartime* and *The Jaguar Hunter*, passed away March 18. He was 66. Shepard ventured into comics writing on a few occasions, with the series *Vermillion*, part of DC Comics' short-lived *Helix* imprint, and with contributions to Vertigo anthologies *Gangland* and [...]

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