

# Tropicon XVII

November [Friday, the] 13th to 15th, 1998

**Author**

**Guest**

**of Honor:**

**Neil Gaiman**

The author of many things, including: *Neverwhere*; *Good Omens* (with Terry Pratchett); and *The Day I Swapped My Dad for Two Goldfish*. He's also the co-creator and writer of *The Sandman* series, *The Books of Magic* series, and *The Stardust* mini-series (just to mention a few) from DC/Vertigo Comics.

**Artist Guest of Honor:**

**Charles Vess**

A marvelous artist and illustrator whose art has graced the covers of magazines as diverse as *Heavy Metal* and *Reader's Digest*. He **IS** Green Man Press and the man behind the illustrations of the *Stardust* mini-series.

**Other Confirmed Guests:**

Lynn Abbey, Adam-Troy Castro,  
Hal Clement, Charles Fontenay,  
Joseph Green, Caitlin R. Kiernan,  
Holly Lisle, Mike Resnick

**3-day membership rates are:**

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**\$25 until Oct. 31, 1998**

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Fort Lauderdale, Florida  
(954)772-5400

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