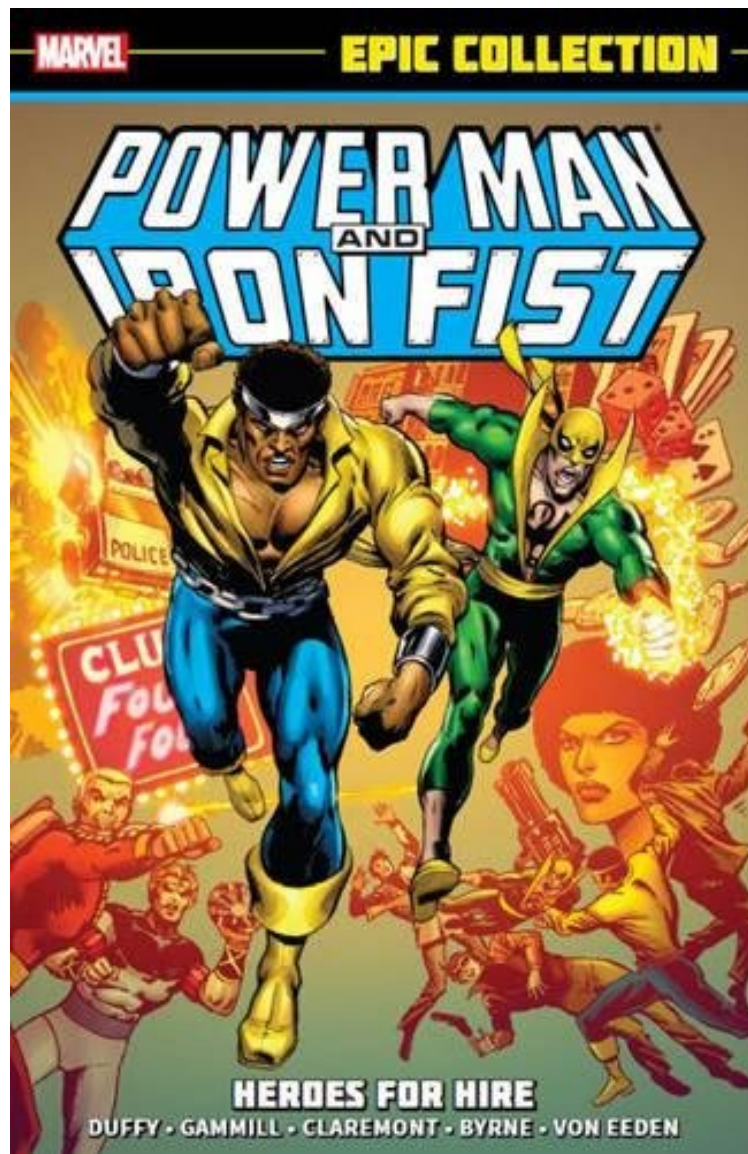


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Mary Jo Duffy, Chris Claremont : Power Man Iron Fist Epic Collection: Heroes for Hire (Epic Collection: Power Man Iron Fist) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Power Man Iron Fist Epic Collection: Heroes for Hire (Epic Collection: Power Man Iron Fist):

7 of 7 people found the following review helpful. A great '70s Marvel collection  
By Jim Davis  
This was a good one. After Iron Fist's book folded after 15 issues and sales on Power Man's book beginning to soften, Marvel decided to combine Power Man and Iron Fist together in one title. After the obligatory Power Man vs. Iron Fist, hero on hero introductory two issue story the cover title of the Power Man book changed to Power Man and Iron Fist (although the official title remained Power Man for some years to come). I enjoyed both the Luke Cage and Iron Fist masterworks but was undecided about buying this book. It seemed to be too much of a shotgun marriage. But I took the plunge and my fears were groundless. This was a great book. The two heroes and their supporting casts merged surprisingly well, the main casualty being Power Man's Claire Temple who was written out of the new book. There are interesting additions along the way also as Jennie Royce, Bob Diamond, and El Aguilar all join the cast. The slant of the new book was definitely toward Power Man but only slightly. The focus is definitely on evil at the street level. The writing is top notch throughout but Mary Jo Duffy turns out some really good stories. Artistically, a number of fine artists come and go but the best in my opinion is Kerry Gammill. The team of Duffy and Gammill are superb. Interestingly, I think this is the first time I've encountered either of them. I was also concerned about not having read the issues of Power Man between this collection and the end of the Luke Cage, Hero for Hire masterwork. There was nothing to worry about; this collection is virtually completely self contained with few references (besides numerous recaps of our heroes origins) to other books. There is an unresolved plot line but no cliffhanger. For the first time I bought the Kindle edition of a comics collection. Although I haven't seen the print collection I doubt that everything in the print collection is in this one. The front cover and all the issues are present, of course, but the rear cover, inside front and rear covers, title and contents pages are not here. Any bonus material that might have been in the print edition are not here as well. If you buy the Kindle edition I do not recommend reading it on a Kindle ap. The Kindle ap does not permit you to resize the pages as you see fit. There is a "guided view" but I did not find that satisfactory. Read the Kindle edition on the Comixology ap. This ap does allow you to resize the pages to suit and the pages are of high enough resolution to avoid pixelation. One gotcha, you have to have both the Kindle and Comixology aps on the same device for this to work. does not deliver direct to the Comixology ap. On the Comixology ap, the reading experience was quite pleasant and convenient. I intend to buy other Kindle comic collections. All in all, highly recommended whether in print or digital. This series was definitely greater than the sum of its two parts. I hope a volume 2 is in the works.  
4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Oldie but goodie  
By L.D.  
I never purchased the one of the Hero for Hire books when they first appeared or either of the individual heroes' respective titles but the dialogue and action are reflective of the setting and time period. This was a good non-stop read. I must research to find out the history of the writers and artists. This was a great find!  
4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. In Full Color  
By Raven Shaddock  
Great stories of this daring duo. Power Man and Iron Fist in full color. This is why I enjoy the Epic Collections than the black white Essentials. Hope they produce more in Epic Collections.

Marvel's stronger-than-steel man of the streets, Luke Cage, partners with the mystic kung fu master Iron Fist in the beginning of one of the greatest teams in comic-book history! Together Power Man and Iron Fist are heroes for hire, taking any on any job, any challenge, so long as their clients can meet the price. But both heroes have long pasts and old foes out to destroy them. Between those menaces and making ends meet, it's a life short on downtime and long on action!  
COLLECTING: Power Man 48-49, Power Man Iron Fist 50-70 (Power Man Iron Fist Epic Collection Vol. 1)