

Koh Hong Teng

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Gone Case (The Graphic Novel Complete Edition) (GCCE)

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Set in a Singaporean housing estate, *Gone Case* is a moving yet unsentimental coming-of-age story. Yong, a 12-year-old boy has to deal with the dreaded PSLE exams while his family undergoes an upheaval. His friendship with his childhood friend Liang also undergoes strain as the exams approach. The novel won a commendation award in the Singapore Literature Prize in 1996 and is regarded as an essential work of Singaporean Literature.

This 268-page graphic novel adaptation is illustrated in gorgeous black and white, capturing an era in Koh's distinctive and intricate style.