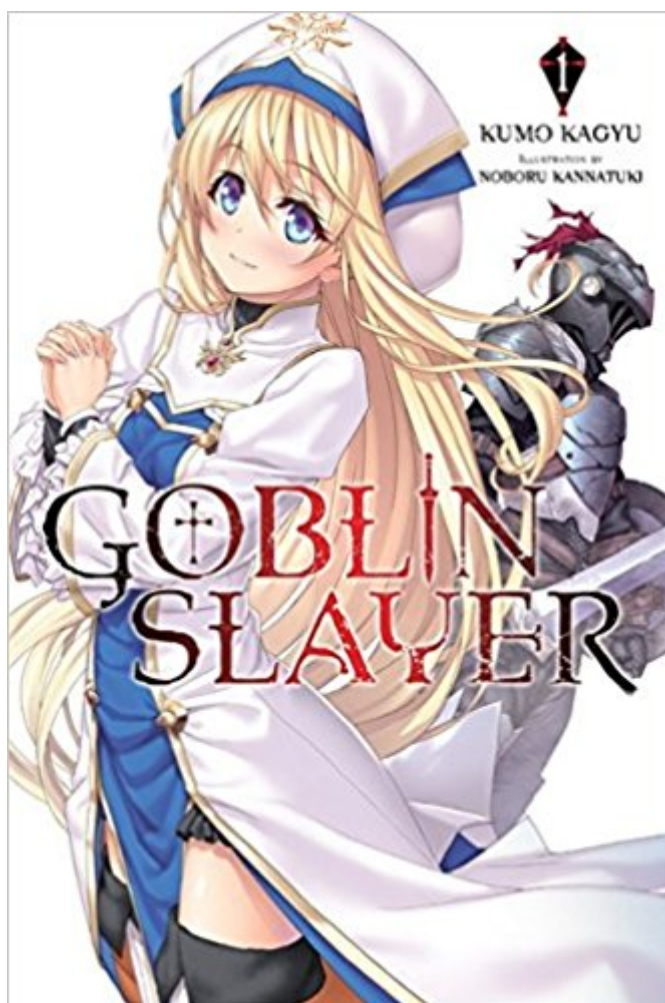


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Synopsis

A young priestess has formed her first adventuring party, but almost immediately they find themselves in distress. It's the Goblin Slayer who comes to their rescue--a man who's dedicated his life to the extermination of all goblins, by any means necessary. And when rumors of his feats begin to circulate, there's no telling who might come calling next...

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Customer Reviews

Noboru Kannatuki is the illustrator behind the light novel series Goblin Slayer. Kumo Kagyu is the author behind the light novel series Goblin Slayer.

I know five stars can be a dime a dozen in these reviews, but I chose this rating because this was one of those books I couldn't put down. The play between the characters and the flawed/broken MC interacting kept me captivated from the first goblin to the last and beyond. I would say read this if your interested in a more serious fantasy novel, but one where you wont be sent into tears when your favorite character dies. I'm not saying it won't happen, but hey, it's not a good story if there's no tension right? Enjoy!

I purchased this Light Novel because I fell in love with the online translations of the manga that at the time did not go very far into the story. When I caught up to the updates it left off in a big battle and I wanted to know the conclusion. I was not disappointed in my purchase of this Light Novel at

all. First off there are details within the Light Novel that, not unsurprisingly, were left out of the manga. These details while not very important to the plot do give depth to the world Goblin Slayer lives in which was nice. Secondly, you get to read the story from different perspectives which means you get to know the characters better. What I really liked about it was despite the fact that Goblin Slayer has more books to it the novel did come to a conclusion so you are not going through withdrawals waiting for the next novel to be translated.

I didn't think I would like a story about a man whose sole desire is to slay goblins. Then I read it was a pleasantly surprise, yet disturbed by how violently the little monsters could be. It tells several stories, quests really, that involve the Goblin Slayer (GS for short) and his motivations and interactions with a few other adventurers, culminating in an epic finish.

Fan of the manga was not disappointed by the light novel. Gets confusing at times telling who is speaking at times and the lack of actual names can make the author appear lazy and unimaginative. Some typos and not much character building except for the main character. The story is not ground breaking, but a solid enjoyable read. I look forward to the next novel and will purchase once available.

It's an interesting premise, and most of the novel kept me turning page after page in expectation. However the last couple of chapters felt kind of short, hopefully the next in the series keeps what the majority of the book had going for it though. The translation felt excellent which was a nice bonus. I can't wait for the next release.

It's a Japanese light novel, so expect some common tropes found among these. Now, aside from these, is the story fun? Yes. Is the story dark? Yes, more so in the very beginning, then it kinda thins a bit. Not a bad thing at all. Something some people will find annoying is that characters are named after their jobs. That means less character interaction on the text-to-reader end, but at the same time, we can see that the author has an easier time naming characters. If you don't like the fact that your characters aren't named, then there you go. I actually really like this light novel. The manga for it is just dark enough, and entertaining, and I'm in the dark fantasy splurge right now, so it's like the perfect storm. This Vol. 1 is a good read, and a good buy at its price. If you enjoy the light novel, but you want some more, then why not also check out the manga. There you go. 2 new reads and your winter break is looking a lil better already. Enjoy. :)

This is not a story about hero who wield holy sword that will save the world, this is story about your middle-high adventurer in crapsack world. The world is a playing field for many opposing gods, the evil gods and the good gods. They use they creation to compete who will control the world. The most hilarious thing is, all gods love our protagonist for many reasons, even if he isn't destined to be great.

It was a very enjoyable read, couldnt help to cheer on for the lively characters, i rather enjoyed how there were so many aspects that were left as something implicit and begetting for us to try to put ourselves in the situations at hand.

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