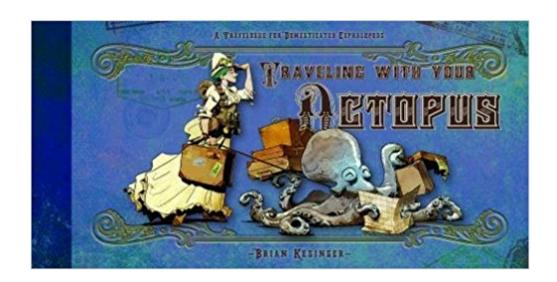


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# **Traveling With Your Octopus**





## **Synopsis**

A lavishly illustrated Victorian era travelogue chronicling the international journeys of Octo-Victorian globetrotters Victoria Prismall and her pet land octopus Otto, this scenic follow-up to Brian Kesinger's instant classic Walking Your Octopus is sure to delight all manner of world adventurers. Thirty panoramic, full-page illustrations showcase Victoria and Otto as they explore destinations in Scotland, France, Holland, Spain, Austria, Romania, Italy, Russia, China, Japan, Thailand, New Zealand, Mexico, and beyond. From snowy Himalayan peaks to lush rain forestsâ | from the tombs of the Pharaohs to the depths of the oceans... from the beaches of the Caribbean, to the plains of the American westâ | see it all from the comfort of your favorite reading spot. The book's art is both beautiful and captivating, with each illustration telling its own visual story about the whimsical characters and their fun-filled situations. As with Walking Your Octopus, this book is collectible art-object for those who still value the classic elegance of ink-on-paper. The hardcover binding is plussed with two-layer embossing and spot varnish, and the interior is printed on extra heavy paper. An exquisite volume for lovers of books, art and pets.

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Brian Kesinger's first book, Walking Your Octopus, won a Chesley award from the Association of Science Fiction & Fantasy Artists. Brian is also an Annie Award-winning story artist who has worked on over ten Disney animated feature films from Tarzan to Big Hero 6. Brian has developed a substantial fan following through his original art and stories. To find out more, visit his website at www.bkartonline.com. You can also find him on Facebook by searching for â œBrian Kesinger's

The book itself is nicely crafted, with a padded and embossed cover, and thick satin gloss pages. The travel concept provides ample room for Otto and Victoria to try several Steampunk modes of locomotion as they traverse the world in search of high adventure. Kesinger's drawings are exquisitely evocative of an era we wish had existed. The colors are luxurious, the backgrounds are complimentary, the expressiveness of the characters is priceless, and the Easter Eggs are well worth the search. A treat to read again and again!

When I saw that there is new book featuring Victoria & her pet octopus, Otto, I had too buy it!!!! I enjoyed the first book, Walking your Octopus, immensely. Could not wait for the follow up too arrive!!! It is better & more entertaining then the first book. Super imaginative & fanciful!!! The creative stuff the 2 of them get up too is wonderful. They travel all over the world. Warm & cold climates alike. Places I never thought I would see an octopus. All done in the style Victoria is accustom too.

The illustrations are beautiful, colorful, captivating and enchanting. The text is witty and engaging, and is suitable for every age. I'll be buying the other books in the series.

The illustrations are excellent and quirky, and the short blurbs on each page highlight some of the fascinating aspects of octopus behavior and anatomy in a whimsical way (e.g. Otto's three hearts make it easier for him to climb in the Himalayas).

great writing and illustrations. Fun for anybody who loves the whimsical, octopi, and/or steampunk or things Victorian.

The further adventures of Victoria and Otto are just as charming as always! Delightful scenes illustrate their whirl-wind world tour, with the 'making snow angels' in Lapland particularly endearing. I sincerely hope more volumes are forthcoming for their further hijinks!

I'm a fan of Kesinger's art -- and this whimsical little introduction to Otto and Victoria is something I enjoy as a grown-up. I've not tried it on kids -- but mine would have giggled.

Great book....I would hightly recommend the series thus far.

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