About In These Words

Brief Introduction on In These Words and the Timeline of Its Prequels, Main Story and Extras

"In These Words" is a crime-suspense yaoi story created and written by Kichiku Neko, and made into manga by the artist, Jo Chen.

"In This Words" is divided into preguels, main story, extras and others. The timeline of the prequels takes place before the main story; it tells the story of how Asano Katsuya, when he lived in New York, worked in NYPD and became involved with Homicide Detective David Krause.

The main story focuses on Shinohara Kenji and Asano Katsuya, after Katsuya returned from USA to Japan. There, he was asked to be a consultant with Tokyo Police Department for an on-going serial killing case. The story also focuses on Asano and Shinohara's budding relationship.



David Krause X Asano Katsuya



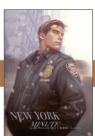
Shinohara Kenji X Asano Katsuya



UNDERTOW Novella / 48pp



Illustrated Novel / 120pp Manga + Novella / 64pp Manga / 40pp



New York Minute





One of these Nights Manga / 48pp



BAD COMPANY Part:1

Manga / 40pp

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In These Words 3 Manga / 40pp

MAIN

STORY



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EXTRA



Little by Little Manga / 32pp



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"In These Words" is published in the form of serialized chapters like the American comics, therefore, the page count of each chapter is approximately 36-64 pages, and once accumulated enough pages, a compilation of the "In These Words" chapters in one volume will be published. Currently, the Chinese and English versions of "In These Words" are published by Guilt|Pleasure, a creative team formed by Jo Chen and Kichiku Neko, and is licensed to several countries like Germany, France, Japan, South Korea, and Thailand.



In These Words Volume 1 Manga / 216pp In These Words Chap 1-5



In These Words Volume 2 Manga / 256pp In These Words Chap 6-11 & Wrapped Around Your Finger



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STORY



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EQUILIBRIUM side B Novella / 85pp



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In These Words 9 Manga / 48pp



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MAIN

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The Doll Illustrated Novel/128pp



Persona non Grata



Cruel to Be Kind Illustrated Novel / 164 pp Illustrated Novel/ 124pp



Icarus Syndrome Illustrated Novel In progress



The Bride Illustrated Novel / 48pp



The Human Stain Illustrated Novel / 120pp Unpublished



Chain Reaction Artbook / 40pp

Other than "In These Words", Guilt|Pleasure also published other creative works like novellas and novellas with illustrations, and is gradually expanding and linking every single story into same or parallel universes. For instance, "Cruel to be Kind" and its Sequel "Icarus Syndrome" occurred before the "In These Words" timeline as a young Shinohara Kenji was introduced in the novel. "The Bride"'s sequel "The Human Stain" has a Private Detective David Krause as a protagonist.