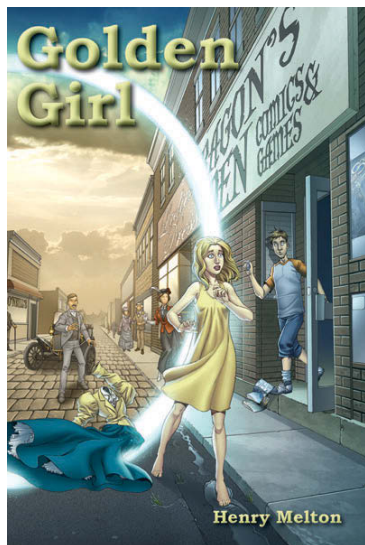


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Debra Barr was barely out of bed when she found herself thrust into a pivotal role in the future of the human race. Hey, she wanted to be more than just a small town girl, but this was ridiculous! Time engineers from the future had chosen her to change their past and told her exactly how to do it, but their faulty directions went out the window when she began bouncing from the past to the future, with only her own instincts to make sense of past and future, and the mystery of her own mother's disappearance. The only problem was that the more she knew, the more she suspected everyone was lying to her.

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