

Gene Wolfe's secret identity

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William Ansley — 22 Mar 2001, 11:14

Just now, as I was purchasing a book from Amazon.com, I was presented with the usual "Customers who bought the items in your shopping cart also bought:" list and on it was the entry:

* Epiphany of the Long Sun by Gene Calde of the Long Sun Wolfe, Gene Exodus f Wolfe; Paperback

So, just as the comics revealed who Bruce ("Batman") Wayne was, we now know not only Mr. Wolfe's secret identity but his real name as well.

Now, if only Gene ("Calde of the Long Sun") Exodus F. Wolfe would tell us what the F stands for!

Or, if only Amazon would hire competent data entry personnel! 8->

William Ansley

*This is WHORL, for discussion of Gene Wolfe's Book of the Long Sun.