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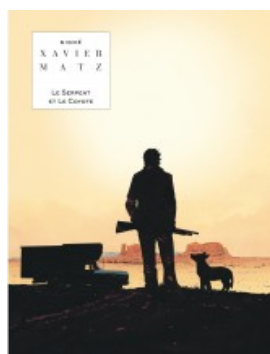


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USA, 1970. Joe is a harmless-looking old man, riding in his camper through the great desert landscapes of the American West... well, not so harmless this Joe, in fact. He is a former mafioso, and not the choirboy his looks could lead you to believe... Joe is the first police informant in history, a guinea pig of the Witness Protection Program, also called WITSEC, then still in its experimental stage. He has to testify against his former accomplices, who are trying to have him eliminated before he can testify at their trial. This makes him a bit on edge and suspicious of everyone he crosses.

Carl, the U.S. marshal in charge of his protection, is not too thrilled to have been put on this assignment. Baby-sitting a mobster was not what he had in mind when he joined the police force... For him, a guy like Joe belongs behind bars, or six feet under, not in the wilderness at the taxpayers' expense. Will WITSEC, designed to put a stop to organized crime, prove to be successful and survive the test of this first experimental "client," who's unpredictable to say the least? What if this "client" is worse than the mobsters he's going to help put away?

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