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Posted by [Dave Baranyi](#) on Thu, 04 Apr 2019 19:33:33 GMT
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In some sea-side Japanese town a randy teen with an attitude receives lots of female attention from his female classmates and his female teachers. But Randy Teen is also a moody teen who broods about his dead parents. In addition, Mysterious Things are happening in town including the delivery of a couple of mystery packages to the Teen from his supposedly dead father. The teen receives instructions to take an artifact to a forbidden place where he runs first into a mysterious naked girl with elf ears who kisses him and then vanishes, next into a male teacher who threatens the teen with a gun, and then into a dimensional warp that takes the teen to a parallel world where things are only slightly different.

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Dave Baranyi

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Posted by [Dave Baranyi](#) on Thu, 04 Apr 2019 19:37:51 GMT
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BTW - I forgot to add this to my original post, but my initial Rating is C+..

Dave
