

Colson Whitehead THE COLOSSUS OF NEW YORK

A City in Thirteen Parts

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Author and Narrator Colson Whitehead was born and raised in New York City and currently lives in Brooklyn. He won the New Voices Award for his first novel, *The Intuitionist*, which was a finalist for the PEN/Hemingway Award. He won the Young Lions Award for *John Henry Days*, which was a finalist for the National Book Critics Circle Award and the Pulitzer Prize. He has also received a MacArthur Fellowship and a Whiting Award.

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