

## Local Review



### Astonishing X-Men: Xenogenesis #3

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Ellis' Astonishing run comes into its third issue and I feel like its lost steam. This is not because the story is slowing down, but because publishing has been slow. I had to reread issue two to remember where I was and I don't even remember when it was even released. As for the story, it moves through a pressured situation in a dull fashion. The antagonist of the story tries to be witty calling out Wolverine, and reason with Cyclops that killing babies is okay. The only problem here is that he out right sucks at debating with the X-Men. Karen Andrew's art stays consistent with its past issues. Each character exaggerated to some degree making a reader certainly captivated, or it could just be Emma Frost using her "talents." However Ellis' script didn't come through on this issue. A passable 5.5 out of 10.