



I Am Malala by Malala Yousafzai

Reviewed by Harini



Autobiography

Give a summary without spoilers!

I Am Malala is an autobiography of Malala Yousafzai, a girl attacked for speaking up for the importance of education in Pakistan. Malala recounts her growing up in Pakistan, advocating for girls' education, highlighting the importance of education, and her ongoing activism for girls' rights. Through her voice and giving interviews from Pakistan, Malala reaches people all round the world who become aware of the oppression going on in Pakistan.

What drew you to this book?

This book was part of my summer reading, and I had heard about the impact of Malala's actions and wanted to read her autobiography to get more in-depth information about her life.

Did it remind you of something that you've previously read?

This book reminds me of *The Diary of a Young Girl* (Anne Frank) as they both focus on a young girl living under oppressive regimes. Both books also explore the importance of human rights, *The Diary of a Young Girl* deals with discrimination, and *I Am Malala* about the right to girls' education.

To whom would you recommend this book?

I recommend this book to anyone who enjoys reading autobiographies, especially about social activism and human rights. Someone interested in learning more about Malala and her journey would enjoy this book.

Overall, did you like it and would you recommend it to others?

I liked this book and would recommend it to others because it is a powerful book that inspires young people. It is a good reminder that everyone's voice matters and that a difference can be made by advocating for issues that speak to an individual's interest.

Anything else that you would like to add to this review? What made you choose it? Did you like the cover? Was it recommended to you? Did you find it at the library?

I chose this book because Malala's activism has impacted many people's lives worldwide, and through The Malala Funds, she has continued to impact many more lives. Also seeing that she wrote this book made me want to read it as it was written from her perspective.