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Carrie's Courage: Battling The Powers Of Bigotry (1923) (Sisters In Time #19)



Synopsis

Time Period: 1923 For ten-year-old Carrie Moe, friendship with a Jewish immigrant is perfectly normal. So why are many of her other friends uptight about that? Sadly, in 1924, bigotry is a powerful force in society-so much so, that the white-robed members of the Ku Klux Klan plot violence against Jews. Carrie's Courage is the story of a young girl who stands up for a friend in the face of persecution. Using actual historical events as a backdrop, this young readers' novel shows that standing up for others, though not always popular, is always right. It's a perfect teaching tool, at an even better price!

Book Information

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Age Range: 9 and up

Grade Level: 4 and up

Customer Reviews

NORMA JEAN LUTZ began her professional writing career in 1977 when she enrolled in a writing correspondence course. Since then, she has had over 200 short stories and articles published in both secular and Christian publications. She is also author of five published teen novels.

Carrie Ruhle has great fun playing with her friends in the attic. She is at a time though where she realizes that there are some serious things going on in her part of America in 1923. She decidedly makes a new friend with the Russian girl, Dvora, who lives next door. The big problem that grows

bigger every day is the raging members of the Klu Klux Klan. They are threatening Dvora's peaceful little family. There's another thing too that Carrie wants to do. She wholeheartedly desires to show her piano teacher the truth of God's love. No matter how hard Carrie tries though, Miss Tilden won't accept Him. Carrie is put into some very tough situations, but her strength is building up inside of her. What will she plan to do? I completely loved everything in this book. It's one of my favorites in the "Sisters in Time" series!

Carrie's Courage is a wonderful book about a ten-year-old girl named Carrie Ruhle who befriends a Jewish girl named Dvora who has just moved into town. Will Carrie be able to stay friends with Dvora though because her best friend Violet absolutely hates Dvora since she is Jewish? Can Carrie save her new friend from the white-robed Ku Klux Klan who is terrorizing the Jews, blacks, and other immigrants in her neighborhood before it's too late? Find out as Carrie and her friends struggle with racism in this fantastic book called Carrie's Courage, which is one of the many books in the spectacular Sisters In Time series. I think that Carrie's Courage is a wonderful faith-based book that kids ages 8-12 will enjoy reading. I loved the short, flowing, and very interesting poems the author added to this amazing book. The characters matched their 1920's time frame very well. I thought that the ending was kind of sad though. If you like American Girl books then I think you will love this brilliant book. I'm hoping to read all of the books in the whole series. Reviewed by a student for Flamingnet Book Reviews[...] Preteen, teen, and young adult book reviews and recommendations

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