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Rachel says

This is the first book that I ever remember crying over. Like nine-year-old bawling in my bed, wrapping a pillow over my face crying. It might also be the first book that I ever re-read... and cried over again. It was so moving and heartbreaking, and what more does a girl growing out of her childhood want more than for the last wolf of Ireland to survive it, like the unicorns - to survive the childhood.

Kayla says

I absolutely loved this book , I read it when I was about 7 years old ,it made me cry :'), this book is amazing, the storyline is fantastic.

Koohiki says

This is the first book that i ever cried at. I litterally balled my head off. I will always love this book for that reason. I opened and read the first page and was captivated by it. It took me in heart and soul.

Reba says

Heartbreaking but really well done. Deceptively short & simple, but packs an emotional punch.

Claire says

In Ireland in the 1780s, a young boy and girl who find a wolf's den in the forest vow to protect the animals from the superstitious townspeople and the greed of the hunters. Despite the frightening stories they have heard about wolves, they attempt to defy authority and save the last wolf left in the country.

Ansley says

This book is amazing...ly sad, but it really is good.
First book EVER to make me cry

Kenneth Minyard says

Almost cried! I seriously underestimated this book.

Marvin E. says

You would think that there is probably no wolf in Ireland now or ever, if you thought about that then your wrong. This book is about a boy that lives in a little town in Ireland, he got bully by another boy from the town. Now you can experience how this boy (Devin) raised the last wolf of Ireland. The genre of the book is historical fiction. This book is very happy, sad, angry, and scary all at the same time. This book brings lots of emotion to the reader that's what makes it great.

The setting is in a town in Ireland named scotch town In Barnes's Gap in the past in the 17th centuries. The story stars when Devin was young he came around a mother wolf and three pups, they didn't do nothing to Devin, it was rare to see a wolf in Ireland because all of them were being killed. Devin wanted to tell his friend that he saw a wolf (his friend hang out with the bully) but the other kids didn't believe and he kept saying that he really saw that wolf so the bully punch Devin to the floor and then was about to kick him so a guy stepped up to save him, then the guy thought him how to self defend himself. One day who came across the mother wolf again but this time the pups were not with her, then this hunter killed the mother wolf by shooting her. That same day he finds the hidden pups, he raised the three pups, and they found a hiding place for them and he brought them food. Another day when Devin was at church the bully told the hunter about the pups so the hunter could go kill them, when Devin went to the pups hiding place he found blood in the hiding place (there was 3 wolf pups by the way) But then he heard a sound it came from the bushes it was only one of the pups to manage to escape, so Devin raise the wolf he thought him how to hunt so he could survive by himself. One night Devin needed to let the wolf go.....3 years later Devin encounters the wolf again something happen to him.... You must read the book to find out.

The setting adds to the conflict because its telling a story where in Ireland they kill wolf and the wolf that Devin raise were killed. An example is when the mother of the wolf was looking for food she got killed by the hunter, and when two out of the three pups got killed by the hunter too. The setting adds to the conflict because it said That they were killing the wolf in IRELAND.

I was angry about when they killed the wolf just for the money. They used the wolf fur to make clothes to sell. If I were the author I would have change the ending because it was to sad for me. After the ending they only left it there and wrote nothing more. I wish that the author would have added more to the ending than just that.

I would give this book four stars because of I like the book a lot but not the ending. I would recommend this book to my Teacher Mr. Bruton my 7th grade ELA teacher to see how wonderful this book is. Now you probably change your mind about there no being wolf in Ireland. Anyone that is interested in Historical fiction then you should read this book. Thanks for your support and I hope you find this book interesting from what you read in my review.

Katelyn Klein says

I loved this book, in grade 5 my teacher read it to the class and i cried. Im the only person who cried but that is good because it means it makes an impact on you. This is a must read book it had a few flaws but those

flaws made it perfect. So grab your hanky and open the book and read. Trust me you will love it and will not up it down.

Books Kids Like says

When the sounds of the forest during a dense fog scare Devin O'Hara into running off the road, he meets a she-wolf. Having been taught that wolves attack and eat people, Devin is surprised when the female leaves him unharmed. Later, he finds this same wolf dead at the hands of Squire Watson. Devin and his friend, Katey, go to find the pups before the squire can kill them. They succeed in hiding the three wolf pups for awhile but then the town bully, Paul Chandler, follows them to the hiding place. Paul tells the squire, and the two female pups are killed. Sdhoirm, the male, gets away. Devin hides Sdhoirm in his father's stable until the wolf is old enough to hunt. Then, with a heavy heart, Devin turns the wolf loose in the forest. The legend of Sdhoirm grows and grows. Each new tale makes him seem more ferocious and invincible than the last. Finally, one night Devin wakes up to find Sdhoirm in the stable. The book takes place during the late 1700s. This haunting tale contains wonderful imagery. The authentic dialect places the reader right in the heart of 18th century Ireland. You will undoubtedly need a few tissues at the end.

Mariah says

This book was one of the first actual chapter books I've read, and its one of the two book that have ever made me cry. (The other is Stone Fox)

Angela says

Profound for a children's book. It touched my heart when I was very young. My favorite book ever and forever.

Jennifer says

We read this aloud, after our librarian featured it for St. Patrick's Day. It was sad, and we still enjoyed it. I thought it was a good introduction to the history of the relationship between Ireland and England, and it has sparked much interest in wolves.

Christina says

this book is soo sad you dudes should really read this book

Jesse Burk says

This book was definitely an easy read, but it was a little sad. I would recommend this book to anyone who wants to read a cute tear-jerker.
