

# RADIO SILENCE

by Alice Oseman

Published in 2017

Rating (0 stars is the absolute worst, 10 stars is the BEST BOOK EVER)



Genre(s):



Contemporary



Action/adventure



Science Fiction



Fantasy



Romance



Horror



Mystery



Nonfiction



Historical fiction



Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Radio Silence, by Alice Oseman, is a contemporary novel about 2 friends nearing adulthood and figuring out what they truly want (despite society's expectations) with the help of their radio show and their class mates. The protagonist is a 17 year old British-Ethiopian, Francis Janvier, whose only personality resides in her textbooks, or so it seems. One day, Bookworm Janvier finds herself at a club dreaming of home until she finds the perfect out: a drunken Aled Last, the boy next door, also an overachiever, but a terribly shy follower, or so it seems. Their relationship transforms in a beautiful way. I will finish with one fact, they never fall in love...in the traditional way at least.

Radio Silence is a book I personally enjoyed and I hope to find others who may want to join the ride with Francis and Aled. I think the book is more helpful to those who are entering the world as adults with doubts in mind, but I would still recommend to anyone. I was completely enthralled by the book by page 40. I was enticed, I laughed, and I just felt for the characters in every way possible. Alice Oseman knew her characters and their world and I applaud her for her dedication, there is certainly a piece of Oseman in her book.

By Michaella J, 9th grade