

# LOOKING FOR ALASKA

by John Green

Published in 2005

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:

Looking For Alaska is a book that tells the story of Miles (Pudge), a boy who plans to attend Culver Creek High School for his Junior Year, and the events that happen in his life leading up to the most life-changing event in the book. Miles is very interested in famous last words, and soon after days in his new school, he befriends a group, one of them being a girl named Alaska. Alaska enjoys reading and is a free-spirited girl who quickly becomes close friends with Miles, spending their junior year together and navigating through their teen experiences. Miles and his friends spend the second half of the book trying to find the details of the life-changing event, which affected all of them very greatly.

This book was truly a beautiful book that tackled themes such as friendship, death, class division, self-discovery, and religion. It was a book that made me think about life from a different perspective. It was a puzzle that is not meant to be solved. The setting of this book is very nostalgic, being set in a boarding school in Alabama in 2005. This book is now one of my favorite books of all time, and if you are a teen who is looking for a YA Novel, this is my ultimate recommendation to you.

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