

I WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU

by Kara A. Kennedy

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



Genre(s):

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Contemporary/Realistic

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Action/adventure

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Science Fiction

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Fantasy

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Romance

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Horror

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Mystery

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Nonfiction

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Historical fiction

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Other:

I Will Never Leave You follows high school senior Maya Rosier as she breaks up with her emotionally abusive girlfriend, Alana Murray. Post-breakup, Alana goes missing and is later found dead. Her ghost begins to haunt Maya, who tells her she needs to help her possess another girl or she'll make sure she goes down for her murder.

If you love a good ghost story, a thriller, and a good queer novel, then I definitely recommend this one! It's beautifully written, and watching Maya's story unfold- past and present- will keep you on the edge of your seat. Despite centering around ghosts, Maya's story can be relatable; She deals with issues surrounding her anxiety disorder throughout the novel, and as someone with anxiety myself, I found myself able to relate to her in certain ways. The mystery surrounding Alana's death and the desire to know her and Maya's full story will definitely keep you engaged as it did for me, a must read for those into thrillers and queer stories! It's a beautiful story of overcoming your past and your fears and learning how to be strong.

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