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Charlotte McKenzie lives in Melbourne. It is the end of WW1 and as she assists the doctor next door, she finds herself experiencing close at hand the devastating effects of the influenza pandemic, that killed more people than in WW1 itself.

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Anita says

While intended as a children's book, I found it readable and moving. The diary style and simple language make it accessible to children, but the themes of damage to people from the war and illness and death from the flu mean that children would need to be at the right emotional age to read it.

An easy introduction to that piece of history and always good to read a book set in Australia.
Highly recommended.

Ella says

i thought this was a great book, it was really interesting talking about the outbreak of flu and how it was treated. it was good seeing from the girls point of view.

Andrew says

A great kids read, teaches history whilst also tells a great story. Greenwood is a wonderful writer. Bring on Miss Fisher again!

Erica says

Definitely one of my favourite 'My story' books. It's is heartfelt, well written and extremely relevant and fitting to the time. A favourite of mine, I say.

Abby says

When I read this book it got to my heart ♥? and I was really Nice to see the girls point of view and the way she told the story of the flu

Emily says

It is one of my Favourites
Very moving and sad shows how people had look after each other at all ages.

It is also an inspiration to us all when we can't be bothered doing stuff for our families because this one girl looked after more than five people from her family and yet didn't complain once even though they had influenza. But on top of that she also worked with the local doctor helping other poor and sick families for free

Julie Kleehammer says

I have just finished reading this book leaning on the kitchen bench. I should be washing the dishes. I really enjoy Kerry Greenwood's writing and recommend this book. It has piqued an interest in this time, just post WW1, absolutely shocking to imagine, a pandemic that wiped out more people than the war. An easy read, aimed at young adults, but interesting and enjoyable. I feel secure in the authors research and her easy way of telling me about history. Thanks Kerry Greenwood!

Sally906 says

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Jen says

Interesting as it was based in a time I have not read much about before. Charlotte is a girl with a lot going for her and a strong will to be her best self and give back to society. She is a great role model for young girls.

Molly says

This entire series is a wonderful way to learn history or teach it to adolescents. I find today's generations seem to recall more when they learn through other people (pop songs, celebrity gossip, etc.), so what better way to teach history than through someone else's perspective? Yes, "authentic" diaries would be "better", but would the language really hold the modern student's attention? Did the diary writer know what WOULD be important in the context of history? Probably not.

Eleanor says

I thought it was very good. I liked how she described/ but no in detail about all the patients and medical procedures.
