

## I Am David Anne Holm Chapter Summary

*Having escaped from the eastern European concentration camp where he has spent most of his life, a twelve-year-old boy struggles to cope with an entirely strange world as he flees northward to freedom in Denmark. "[North to Freedom] is, to my mind, the single finest novel ever written for children of about ages 9 to 13."*--School Library Journal

*"Twins Finch and Birdie Franconi are stars of the flying trapeze. But when Birdie suffers a terrifying accident, Finch must team up with the geeky new kid, Hector Hazzard, to form an all-boys double act and save the family circus school. Together they learn to walk the high-wire of teen life and juggle the demands of friends, family, first love and facing up to who they are - all served up with a dash of circus-showbiz magic."*--Provided by publisher.

*A novel about a boy who escapes from a concentration camp during the Holocaust, travelling across Europe.*

*A Course in Narrative Comprehension and Composition for Caribbean Secondary Schools*

*A Story for Young People*

*A Study Guide for Anne Holm's "I Am David"*

*The Hostage*

*Flying Tips for Flightless Birds*

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*It is July 1945, Hitler's Third Reich has fallen, and Berlin is in ruins. Living on the edge of survival in the cellar of an abandoned hospital, Otto and his ragtag gang of kids have banded together in the desperate, bombed-out city. The war may be over, but danger lurks in the shadows of the wreckage as Otto and his friends find themselves caught between invading armies, ruthless rival gangs and a strange Nazi war criminal who stalks them ... A climactic story of truth, friendship and survival against the odds, Wolf Children will thrill readers of Michael Morpurgo and John Boyne.*

*Set in the current day, this is the final book in the series that began with Once, continued with Then and is . . . Now. Felix is a grandfather. He has achieved much in his life and is widely admired in the community. He has mostly buried the painful memories of his childhood, but they resurface when his granddaughter Zelda comes to stay with him. Together they face a cataclysmic event armed only with their with gusto and love—an event that helps them achieve salvation from the past, but also brings the possibility of destruction. Now is one of Kirkus Reviews' Best Children's Books of 2012*

*Shhh! I'm Sleeping*

*Autumn Street*

*Activity Approach to I Am David*

*Little Women*

From E. Lockhart, author of the highly acclaimed, New York Times bestseller *We Were Liars*, which John Green called "utterly unforgettable," comes *The Boy Book*, the second book in the uproarious and heartwarming Ruby Oliver novels. Here is how things stand at the beginning of newly-licensed driver Ruby Oliver's junior year at Tate Prep:

- Kim: Not speaking. But far away in Tokyo.
- Cricket: Not speaking.
- Nora: Speaking--sort of. Chatted a couple times this summer when they bumped into each other outside of school--once shopping in the U District, and once in the Elliot Bay Bookstore. But she hadn't called Ruby, or anything.
- Noel: Didn't care what anyone

thinks. • Meghan: Didn't have any other friends. • Dr. Z: Speaking. • And Jackson. The big one. Not speaking. But, by Winter Break, a new job, an unlikely but satisfying friend combo, additional entries to The Boy Book and many difficult decisions help Ruby to see that there is, indeed, life outside the Tate Universe.

Christopher, the son of the Danish Prime Minister, is kidnapped by Mr Moller, one of his father's political opponents. When the operation is taken over by the Red Brigade, who capture Moller's son as well, the kidnapping goes badly wrong.

Wavelengths is a collection of 20 superb stories by Caribbean writers, chosen to meet the needs of students in all types of Secondary school in the Caribbean. It provides a one year course for first or second year pupils.

A Study of Habits and Behaviors, Plus Techniques for Taming Them

Short Biographies from the World Wars

King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table

Then

I Am David

***For the many readers who love The Fault in Our Stars, this is the story of a girl who is determined to live, love, and to write her own ending before her time is finally up. Tessa has just months to live. Fighting back against hospital visits, endless tests, and drugs with excruciating side effects, Tessa compiles a list. It's her To Do Before I Die list. And number one is Sex. Released from the constraints of "normal" life, Tessa tastes new experiences to make her feel alive while her failing body struggles to keep up. Tessa's feelings, her relationships with her father and brother, her estranged mother, her best friend, and her new boyfriend, are all painfully crystallized in the precious weeks before Tessa's time runs out. A Publishers Weekly Best Children's Book of the Year A Booklist Editors' Choice A Book Sense Children's Pick A Kirkus Reviews Editors' Choice A Publishers Weekly Flying Start Author An ALA-YALSA Top Ten Best Book for Young Adults The newly released feature film Now Is Good, starring Dakota Fanning, is based on Jenny Downham's intensely moving novel.***

***After being released from Buchenwald at the end of World War II, fifteen-year-old Ruth risks her life to lead a group of children across Europe to Palestine.***

***Read about the Japanese pilot who led the attack on Pearl Harbor, the German pastor who was prepared to suffer imprisonment and death for the sake of his faith, the British general given the task of defending Malta against invasion by Hitler and Mussolini, the American airman who was converted while a prisoner of the Japanese and who later returned to Japan as a missionary, the Jewish girl who came to know Christ as her Saviour while in hiding from the Nazis, the American chaplain who witnessed to leading Nazi war criminals on trial at Nuremberg, and the British secret agent who was the inspiration for Q in the James Bond 007 stories. What did these people, and the others whose lives are told in this book, have in common? During the turbulent events of those momentous years, God was at work in their lives. He brought these thirteen people to trust, know, love and serve the Lord Jesus Christ, and therefore to give themselves to the***

**service of others.**

**The Sword and the Circle**

**Discovering Your Part in God's Plan**

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**Paper Wishes**

**Banner in the Sky**

**Felix and Zelda have escaped the train to the death camp, but where do they go now?**

**They're two runaway kids in Nazi-occupied Poland. Danger lies at every turn of the road.**

**With the help of a woman named Genia and their active imaginations, Felix and Zelda**

**find a new home and begin to heal, forming a new family together. But can it last? Morris**

**Gleitzman's winning characters will tug at readers' hearts as they struggle to survive in the**

**harsh political climate of Poland in 1942. Their lives are difficult, but they always**

**remember what matters: family, love, and hope.**

**David escapes from the concentration camp where he has spent his entire life and flees**

**across Europe. He is utterly alone. Who can he trust? What will await him? All the while,**

**how can he be sure they won't catch up with him? This is the remarkable story of David's**

**introduction to the world: sea, mountains, flowers, the colours of Italy, the taste of fruit,**

**people laughing and smiling. David learns that his polite mannter, his haunted eyes, and**

**thin features are strange to other people. He must learn to fend for himself in this strange**

**new world. An incredible story of self-discovery and survival against all odds for fans of**

**The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas and The Book Thief.**

**John F. Kennedy, late President of the United States, comes back to earth to find his real**

**killer - the Last One. JFK and a team of heavenly Angels, called Team F5 and headed by**

**Michael, scatter across the USA and disguise themselves in different locations to find**

**clues to get to the originator of JFK's assassination.**

**The Silver Sword**

**Now**

**The Boy Book**

**War and Grace**

**Brian's Winter : a Novel Study**

*Everyone is sound asleep, but when Popov starts snoring, the others wake up.*

*Nono wants a story, Zaza wants to switch beds, Kipp wants a drink of water.... Will anyone sleep tonight?*

*The Citadel It stands unconquered, the last great summit of the Alps. Only one*

*man has ever dared to approach the top, and that man died in his pursuit. He was*

*Josef Matt, Rudi Matt's father. At sixteen, Rudi is determined to pay tribute to the*

*man he never knew, and complete the quest that claimed his father's life. And so,*

*taking his father's red shirt as a flag, he heads off to face the earth's most*

*challenging peak. But before Rudi can reach the top, he must pass through the*

*forbidden Fortress, the gaping chasm in the high reaches of teh Citadel where his*

*father met his end. Rudi has followed Josef's footsteps as far as they will take him.*

*Now he must search deep within himself to find the strength for the final ascent to*

*the summit -- to plant his banner in the sky. His father died while trying to climb*

*Switzerland's greatest mountain -- the Citadel -- and young Rudi knows he must*

*make the assault himself.*

*Having escaped from the eastern European concentration camp where he has*

*spent most of his life, twelve-year-old David struggles to cope with an entirely*

*strange world as he flees northward to freedom in Denmark. Originally published as North to Freedom. An ALA Notable Book. Simultaneous.*

Questions

*The Last One: JFK Returns*

*After the War*

*Enemy Brothers*

*Growing Up in Siberia*

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Ten-year-old Manami did not realize how peaceful her family's life on Bainbridge Island was until the day it all changed. It's 1942, after the attack on Pearl Harbor, and Manami and her family are Japanese American, which means that the government says they must leave their home by the sea and join other Japanese Americans at a prison camp in the desert. Manami is sad to go, but even worse is that they are going to have to give her and her grandfather's dog, Yujin, to a neighbor to take care of. Manami decides to sneak Yujin under her coat and gets as far as the mainland before she is caught and forced to abandon Yujin. She and her grandfather are devastated, but Manami clings to the hope that somehow Yujin will find his way to the camp and make her family whole again. It isn't until she finds a way to let go of her guilt that Manami can reclaim the piece of herself that she left behind and accept all that has happened to her family.

A Study Guide for Anne Holm's "I Am David", excerpted from Gale's acclaimed Novels for Students. This concise study guide includes plot summary; character analysis; author biography; study questions; historical context; suggestions for further reading; and much more. For any literature project, trust Novels for Students for all of your research needs.

The Story Behind Anne Holm's I Am David

The Endless Steppe

Wavelengths

Wolf Children

Living Under God

Provides a background for Anne Holm's novel by looking at relevant biographical details about her life and providing historical details that place the story in context, with a literary analysis of the novel.

This is a private war formally declared between Tony and the inhabitants of the White Priory. British airman Dym Ingleford is convinced that young Max Eckermann is his brother, Anthony, who was kidnapped years before.

Raised in the Nazi ideology, Tony has by chance tumbled into British hands. Dym has brought him back, at least temporarily, to the family he neither remembers nor will acknowledge as his own. As Tony uses his nine attempts to escape, his stubborn anger is wittled away by the patient kindness he finds at the White Priory. Then, just as he is resigning himself to the English family, a new chance suddenly opens for him to return home to Germany.

Living with her grandparents in a small Pennsylvania town while her father

serves in the Pacific during World War II, sheltered Elizabeth Lorimer encounters racial prejudice when she befriends a young African American boy.

The Sky Grew Red

North to Freedom

HB Puffin Cloth Classic

Florence Nightingale, the Angel of the Crimea

I Am David by Anne Holm

**I Am David**Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

**Rooted in folklore, medieval ideals of chivalry, and the last gallant struggles of the British against the Saxon invaders, the legends of King Arthur have been told in song and story since the middle ages. The Sword and the Circle tells of the birth of Arthur, the gift of Excalibur, the forming of the Round Table and the first noble quests of its knights until the arrival of Percival . . .**

**Exiled to Siberia In June 1942, the Rudomin family is arrested by the Russians. They are "capitalists -- enemies of the people." Forced from their home and friends in Vilna, Poland, they are herded into crowded cattle cars. Their destination: the endless steppe of Siberia. For five years, Ester and her family live in exile, weeding potato fields and working in the mines, struggling for enough food and clothing to stay alive. Only the strength of family sustains them and gives them hope for the future.**

**Before I Die**

**A Study Guide for Anne Holm's I Am David**

**I Am Spartapuss**

*Louise who is Danish and Tim who is English are friends from their first meeting and carrying a secret message, they set out to stop Denmark from becoming involved in the Napoleonic Wars.*

*Building from the stories in Under God, each of the 60 four-page readings opens with Scripture and then presents a theme--including justice, mercy, and sacrifice, among others--illustrated in the lives and events of our country's past. Excerpts from Under God are married with deeper biblical exploration of these virtues, followed by tips on how they can be put into action in young people's lives today.*

*Questions for further study and discussion starters facilitate the use of Living Under God in group settings.*

*In ancient Rome--a part of the Feline Empire--a ginger cat named Spartapuss is arrested and forced to fight as a gladiator.*