

Shadow of Sherwood

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Annotation

The night her parents disappear, twelve-year-old Robyn Loxley must learn to fend for herself. Her home, Nott City, has been taken over by a harsh governor, Ignomus Crown. After fleeing for her life, Robyn has no choice but to join a band of strangers-misfit kids, each with their own special talent for mischief. Setting out to right the wrongs of Crown's merciless government, they take their outlaw status in stride. But Robyn can't rest until she finds her parents. As she pieces together clues from the night they disappeared, Robyn learns that her destiny is tied to the future of Nott City in ways she never expected.

Book Talk

Ah, the good life. Living in a mansion, having two loving parents, and all the tech supplies a girl could ask for (so what if Robyn had to rummage in the dump). UNTIL...Robyn discovers her parents are missing at the hands of a harsh governor taking over Nott City! She's on her own. Well that is until she runs into a band of misfit kids and joins the fight against the dictatorship of Ignomus Crown. This modern day Robin Hood story is action-packed, with chases and near escapes that will keep you turning the pages.

Book Trailers

- None yet

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Items to use in a library display

- computer keyboard
- Robin Hood classic book
- a crown
- a castle
- a red beret

Book Club Discussion Questions/Topics

- What's one life lesson you learned from this book?
- How would you feel if you came home and your parents were suddenly gone? Explain.
- Do you think you could suddenly live on your own? What's the first thing you would do?

- What do you feel the intentions were of the band of strangers? Discuss each character in detail.
- How does this story compare with the original Robin Hood? Which did you enjoy more?

First Line of the Book

- “The sign on the fence said ‘Beware of dogs’.”

Non-Fiction Companion Titles

- *Robin Hood* by David Culcutt
- *Outlaw: The legend of Robin Hood*, graphic novel by Tony Lee

What to Read Next

- *Rebellion of Thieves* by Kekla Magoon

Other Books by this Author:

- *Rebellion of Thieves* by Kekla Magoon

Additional Resources

- Music: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dbmSCgTqewU>
- Interview with the author:
<http://www.thepiratetree.com/2015/02/19/interview-with-author-kekla-magoon/>