

THE READING ZONE

STUDENT BOOK REVIEW

Heartland: Coming Home

By Lauren Brooks

Published by Scholastic Books

Hearthland: Coming Home is a book about Amy Fleming, a 15 year-old girl who is growing up at Heartland. Heartland is a horse farm where horses that need help are being taken care of. Amy and her mom, Marion Fleming, run the farm.



After a terrible accident, Amy, her grandpa, and her sister, Lou, have to run Heartland on their own. Lou wanted to be practical and close Heartland, but Amy was determined that the horse farm could still carry on. Amy was trying her best to care for the horses with the aid of Ty.

When an old friend, Mrs. Bell died, they had to take her horse, Sugarfoot, back to Heartland, but Sugarfoot refused to eat or drink anything! It seemed like he didn't want to live anymore! Many times, Amy attempted to get him to eat, but he continued to refuse.

Everything was going wrong at the same time! Amy had to figure it out. This series is terrific!

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Favorite Author:

J.K. Rowling

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