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The Snow Sister

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Full of sadness, hope and ultimately happiness *The Snow Sister* is a heart-warming story for Christmas with a strong Victorian setting.

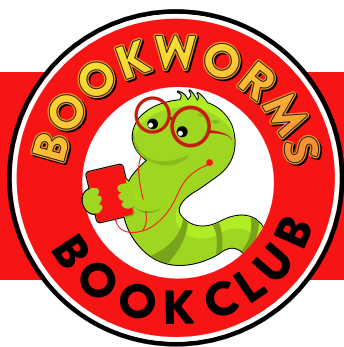
IN DETAIL

Ever since her sister, Agnes, died, Pearl has a tradition whenever it snows. She makes a person out of snow. A snow sister. It makes Christmas feel a little less lonely. On Christmas Eve, her father receives a letter about a long-lost relative's will. Is their luck about to change? Hoping for a better Christmas, Pearl wants to make a Christmas pudding and asks for credit at Mr Noble's grocery. But she is refused, chased down the street and hit by a hansom cab. The snow is falling so hard that they can't take her home. She'll have to stay at Flintfield Manor overnight, and in a haunted room!



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QUICK QUESTIONS

What did you like best about *The Snow Sister*?

What did you like least about *The Snow Sister*?

What other books did *The Snow Sister* remind you of?

Which characters in the book did you like best?

Which characters did you like least?

How would you describe *The Snow Sister* in three words?

LONGER TASK

The Snow Sister takes place at Christmas during the Victorian time. Make a list of all the differences between a Victorian Christmas and a 21st Century one.



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