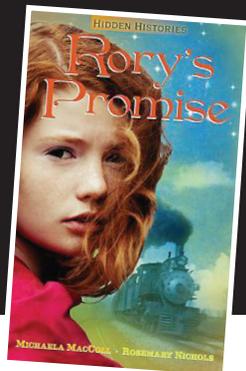




RORY'S PROMISE

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Who is your favorite Author and why?

Rob Sharenow because he wrote my favorite book, *The Girl in the Torch*

What genre do you prefer to read?

I prefer to read Realistic Fiction books.

Where do you learn about books you might want to read in the future?

I look on Amazon or a friend recommends them to me.

Where do you like to read best?

I like to read on my bay window seat the best because it is quiet there and there is a lot of natural light.

Rory's Promise is an unforgettable story with a great message. On her journey to save her sister Violet, she faces many obstacles. In the end she has to deal with one of the toughest parts of her life. Can she keep Violet and herself safe from the anglos?

Rory and her sister Violet are orphans at the Foundling ran by sisters. Before her mom died, Rory promised to never leave Violet. When she finds out that a family in Arizona wants to adopt Violet, she throws a tantrum in front of Sister Anna, and runs away but the police catch her, Sister Anna comes to retrieve her. Rory is not allowed on the train that is going to Arizona, so she hops in the back. When they reach Arizona, angry women are trying to kidnap the orphans. Will Violet be safe and stay with her original family?

Rory's journey is unforgettable and reminds us that family needs to stick together no matter what. I recommend this book to people who like books about families, sticking together, and a twist at the end. Read until the end to find out if Violet is kidnapped and if Rory stays with Violet.

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