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## #E-PUB ? Different Seasons ? eBook or E-pub free

5 starsSimply amazing. I really liked the movie Stand By Me so I knew going in to expect a great read, but what I found was so much.The Body is a timeless coming of age story Set in

late summer of 1960 s Maine, four twelve year old buddies, all with strangely abusive and dysfunctional families, take a longer than anticipated walking trip in hopes of seeing a dead body rud to be hit by a train As their many harrowing adventures and touching personal stories unfold, they run into big trouble with some older dudes, but rein victoriousor so they think.In the end, the boys discover many tough, but important lessons about life, and the narratorunlike in the moviereveals how three of the lads sadly meet their untimely demise The only downside for me is wishing I would have skipped the five plus hours of audio and opted for a good old ordinary book 4.5 Stars. #E-PUB ? Different Seasons ? Popular EPub, Different Seasons By Stephen King This Is Very Good And Becomes The Main Topic To Read, The Readers Are Very Takjup And Always Take Inspiration From The Contents Of The Book Different Seasons, Essay By Stephen King Is Now On Our Website And You Can Download It By Register What Are You Waiting For Please Read And Make A Refission For You Well what can I say What a great coming of age drama King at his absolute best When this story was made into a film Stand By Me with River Phoenix and Keifer Sutherland I thought there is no way they will make the movie as good as the book Well I was wrong, the film is brilliant too So darling, darling, stand, by me, oooooooh Stand, by me This early Stephen King story was adapted into the 1986 movie Stand by Me The setting is 1960s Maine where four young teens take a walking adventure trip looking for a dead boy s body If you grew up in the 50s and 60s, this is the kind of stuff you would do, damn the consequences Great story telling by a master story teller. 4.5 StarsI LOVE the movie Stand By Me I don t know if its because its a great film it is Or if it s because I watched it around the same time, I watched movies like The Sandlot and My Girl So in my mind I just equate them with summers in my childhood I haven t watched Stand By Me in probably over 15years, it was probably around the same time I read this book for the first time I remember not really liking the book back then I think it was the combination of it being a non horror Stephen King book and or because I loved the movie so much This time around I loved this book the only thing stopping it from being a 5 star read is that its in my opinion too short I want As an adult I read this book in a completely different way and I m sure that I would view the movie differently now as well The Body is about 4 friends who decide to go on a weekend adventure to find the rud body of a kid who was hit by a train It s Stephen King so know its gonna be a darker read but despite that morbid premise The Body is a story of friendships The boys are around 12 years old and they ve been inseparable for years but they can feel themselves growing apart High School tends to do that When I was a kid I hung out with about 6 girls and we just knew we would be friends forever but by sopho year I was only still friends with 3 and as an adult I m only friends with 1 Times change In high school I found my tribe but I still have fond memories of my preteen girl gang , even if I m no longer friends with them The Body is the perfect gateway drug to start reading Stephen King Its not scary, its not gory maybe a little bit gory , and it has a lot of heart. A beauty Not gonna lie, I teared up about Chris.One of King s greatest stories. The most important

things are the hardest to say, because words diminish them It s hard to make strangers care about the good things in your life Besides Charles Dickens and Ruth Hogan, Stephen King is one of the few authors I admire who has always been able to stir so many different emotions in me in a single book Any other author could have written the simple story of 4 adolescents, who decide to embark on a journey to see the body of another youth, who has been killed by a train But not anyone could have conveyed the senses of pleasure, misery, horror, rage, decency, camaraderie, wonderment and sympathy embedded throughout the story. Stephen King s wonderful 1982 novella, which was transformed into the classic 1986 film, Stand By Me, four young boys to come of age over a weekend together Set in 1960, the story takes place in the small town of Castle Rock, Maine, where twelve year old Gordie Lachance and his three friends are ready to set out to substantiate the rumours that the body of a missing boy has turned up near the next town As the boys to begin their summer trek, they must come together to face winding train tracks, a brief dip in an interesting water hole, and a great deal of self discovery In a story that seeks to explore the innermost thoughts and feelings of these four, the reader can see that emotions run deep and that the tough guy exteriors are only a pre teen facade King pulls the reader in from the outset in this well paced piece, which shows just how amazing youth can be, when tempered with a little sobering maturity Recommended for those who like King and his various writing styles No need to be wary, for there is little gore, but enough language that some readers may want to look elsewhere. I always enjoy Stephen King pieces, as they keep me wondering where things will go in his circuitous writing style There was a strict ban on my reading his novels when I was younger, for reasons I am not entirely sure I remember My adult years have been spent catching up and I have come to see that King can be a little intense, but he has a great deal I thoroughly enjoy King offers up a lighter novella here, allowing his characters to develop nicely without the excessive gore Gordie Lachance is both the presumptive protagonist and the author of this story, a flashback piece penned when he was much older Lachance explores some of the sentiments of his own childhood, as well as honing his skills as a writer Gordie offers up much development as it relates to his friends, giving the reader a comprehensive approach to those who populate the story Through a series of events that weave together into the larger story, King allows his characters to mature through their learning experiences Keeping the reader engaged throughout this quick read, King shows just how strong his writing can be, close to four decades later Kudos, Mr King, for another wonderful piece of writing I am happy to have stumbled upon this one and will admit that I have not seen Stand By Me in its entirety, which will soon change. Like hate the review An ever growing collection of others appears at Book for All Seasons, a different sort of Book Challenge

# STEPHEN KING



## THE BODY

PENGUIN READERS

Find all of my reviews at [premise is simple](#) Do you guys wanna go see a dead body The end product is quite possibly the best coming of age story ever written This is what the saying boys will be boys is about It s about going on an adventure, and saying swear words when out of your parents earshot, and trying a cigarette just so you can say you did, and standing up to bullies, and most of all it s about friendship Because really I never had any friends later on like the ones I had when I was twelve Jesus, did you I decided to give this one a listen after forcing it on my oldest son in order to make sure he s actually reading when he says he is There s a good chance he ll choose to be contrary simply to hurt my feelings since even the most decent teenager is still pretty horrible The good news is I was able to pull a double whammy and make the youngest listen too on the way to and from his baseball tournament this weekend He arrived a little late to the party when Gordy and the boys were getting ready to meet Milo Pressman and the notorious Chopper and was on the edge of his seat during the train dodge He completely blew me away when he complained as I hit strategically hit pause at a certain point in the story so we could hear it in full the next morning And what a morning we had A total barf o rama full of cackling and full blown guffaws An obvious must for any Constant Reader and, as far as I m concerned, anyone else as well Truly an actual contender when it comes to the like this or we can t be friends option It s that good And the movie is one of the best book to screen translations in the history of filmmaking Perfection Endnote This was my third audio book and I finally found a winner Frank Muller s voice was just like butter The only thing that could have been better is if it would have been Richard Dreyfus doing the narrating

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