Reckless-The Petrified Flesh by Cornelia Funke Book Club

- 1. What do you think of the 3rd person narration and shifting perspectives?
- 2. How do you feel about the book beginning in the modern world before shifting to the Mirrorworld?
- 3. What do you think of the world building?
- 4. How do you feel about the twisting of the fairy tales you know?
- 5. Would you cross into the Mirrorworld? Why or why not?
- 6. Do you think of the names Will and Jacob are supposed to remind you of anyone?
- 7. Who is your favorite character and why?
- 8. Who is your least favorite character and why?
- 9. What do you think of the Goyl as a group?
- 10. Does being a treasure hunter in the Mirrorworld sound like an interesting job? Why or why not?
- 11. How does Clara's addition affect the story?
- 12. What is the most frightening part of this world and why?
- 13. How do you feel about the Fairies in this book?
- 14. What do you think of the relationship between Will and Jacob in this book?
- 15. How does revenge shape this book?
- 16. What do you think of the theme of betrayal in the book?
- 17. Is this book a hero's journey? Why or why not?
- 18. Why do you think Fox is so upset that Jacob kissed Clara after drinking Lark's Water?
- 19. Were you surprised that John Reckless, the boys' father was the engineer who helped the Goyl? Why or why not?
- 20. What do you think of the Dragons which are actually airplanes in this book?
- 21. Are the magical objects cheating? Why or why not?
- 22. How do you feel about the wedding?
- 23. Why do you think the Goyl king hid the massacre from the crowds outside?
- 24. Does this book have a happy ending? Why or why not?
- 25. Did you like the book?
- 26. Would you read more in the series?