

The Dark Side of Nowhere by Neal Shusterman

1. What do you think of the 1st person narration?
2. Is the laughter after the announcement of Ethan's death disrespectful or something else?
3. Do you like Jason, why or why not?
4. Does he seem like a fairly typical 14 year old boy?
5. Why do you think he picked a fight at the Little League baseball game and how does it affect him?
6. What do you think of Old Town?
7. How do you feel about the monthly shots?
8. What do you think of the gloves that shoot BBs?
9. Were you surprised that Jason and his family and his town were aliens?
10. Are you surprised the rest of the town didn't seem to notice the new arrivals taking the place of the original inhabitants of Old Town?
11. Do you think it is better to be a small town human or a Warrior Fool invader from outer space?
12. Who is your favorite character and why?
13. Who is your least favorite character and why?
14. Do you think the children of the aliens would have clustered and started to feel superior after finding out about the crash and the upcoming invasion?
15. Were you surprised the lifeless appearing body was Ethan?
16. What do you think of Jason's relationship with Paula?
17. Was it a good idea to try to get Jason to dig up Ethan's grave?
18. Why do you think Jason switched back to the old serum?
19. What do you think of Jason going to Mrs. Pohl?
20. Did his parents surprise you?
21. What did you think of the ending?
22. Did you like the book?
23. Would you read more by the author?