

Lily Alone by Jacqueline Wilson

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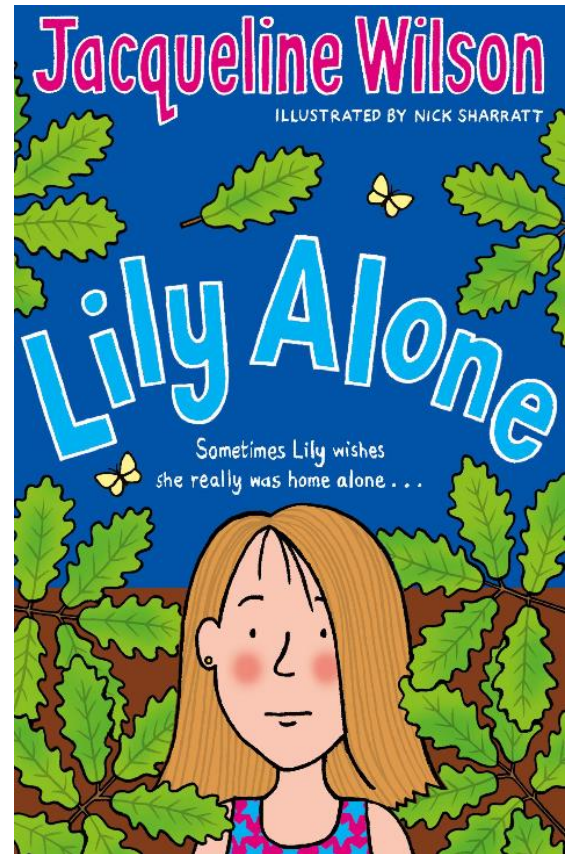
*LILY'S THINGS TO REMEMBER!*

*HOW TO LOOK AFTER MY BROTHER AND SISTERS*

1. *Make sure they eat three meals a day - and not just ice cream!*
2. *Keep clothes not too mucky!*
3. *Everyone must go to bed before midnight, especially Pixie!*
4. *Don't let them go to school in case they give away our secret.*
5. *Keep everyone safe till Mum comes back...*

Lily's Mum gets a new boyfriend who takes her on holiday to Spain, and Lily is left looking after her siblings, Bliss, Baxter, and Pixie.

Lily gets a new role; 'Lily Mum' and tries her best to be good at it. But how long will Lily have to do this for, and will she be able to keep it a secret that her and her siblings are home alone?



Jacqueline Wilson is my favourite author, so I was really excited to read another one of her books. I like the way that she writes in first person, as if she is the character and not herself telling a story about someone else. The language that Jacqueline Wilson uses in her writing is easy for anybody, any age to understand. She describes the characters and their personalities really well so I could definitely imagine meeting them in real life.

I really loved this book - it included family, tears, laughter, injuries, and hospital. I would definitely give the book five stars and recommend it to anyone who likes the sound of this book. I can guarantee you will become a big Jacqueline Wilson fan too.