

[Writing sample on screen.]

Old Yeller's Survival by Ryan Crevier. In the book and movie Old Yeller it was to survive for Old Yeller. The reason it was hard is because there was not a lot to eat, no shelter, and a lot of vicious and wild animals like bears, bulls, and hogs, and that is just a full. I think it was hard for Mama and Arliss because Arliss cooked wild animals, not a lot of food, not a lot of warmth, and had a lot of work. Tavis, it was very hard for him because he had to grow up very fast. He had to hunt, tag the pigs, be a man of the house, take care of Old Yeller, take care of Jumper, and protect the family, and that is why it was so hard to survive.

[New writing sample on screen.]

The Giver. A better ending.

Since The Giver had such a horrible ending, I'm going to change it up.

I wake up in a bed, in a blue room. I look over and see a beautiful girl, and then I remember the memory that was given to me by The Giver. It was of his daughter.

"Rosemary," I say out loud.

"Yes. How do you know my name?" Rosemary exclaimed.

"Oh, right. My name is Jonas. I was a receiver too," I explained to Rosemary.

"Really? So you worked with my father?"

"Yes, he was a great man. He taught me a lot."

"I'm sorry, you probably are wondering where you are."

"Yeah."

"You're in Elsewhere, but the people that live here like to call it Life."

"Why that name?"

"Oh, because you're actually living here with emotions and risks. Enough of that boring stuff; let's go!"

I followed her out of the quaint house. I find myself in a whimsical town full of people with genuine desires. I see two teenagers kissing. Then it came to me. "Can they see colours and do they have feelings?" I blurt out.

She laughs, then replies with, "Why, yes, they do. I probably should have explained."

I recognize that she has the cutest laugh I've ever heard and she's very attractive. I was starting to have a schoolgirl crush.

“Hey, follow me!” she says in her ear-melting voice.

So I did just that and found us alone at a gorgeous Sakura tree. She urged me to sit beside her, then out of nowhere she said, “When I first saw you at the bottom of the hill, I remembered I had a huge crush on you.”

I was speechless and that’s when I decided to kiss her. Sparks flew. The End.