

**Summer Reading 2011  
Rising Sophomore College Prep**

***same kind of different as me***

By Ron Hall and Denver Moore with Lynn Vincent

While reading the autobiography, please record 10 journal entries of at least ½ page each (handwritten) that span the chapters of the book.

**Date:**                      **Title of Entry:**                      **Pages Covered:**

What should you put in the journal entries? I want your *thoughts* and *reflections*, NOT a plot summary. I want you to respond to the characters, their actions and decisions, archaic customs, unfamiliar vocabulary terms, etc. If you need help, use the following questions, but don't feel like you are "bound" to them.

1. Discuss your reactions to what is happening in the book.
2. Describe what you have learned from the story.
3. Explain why you would or would not recommend this book to someone else.
4. Define any unknown vocabulary or terminology.
5. Describe the main character(s).
6. Are you like any of the characters? Explain.
7. Has this book made you question anything about your life, future, faith, etc?
8. Describe the setting of the story.
10. Describe a reoccurring theme of the book (a universal message)
11. Explain the book's title.
12. Describe a situation that challenged your faith.
13. Explain a portion of the book to a friend - record their reactions.
14. Interview someone who works in a mission.
15. Write a letter to Ron, Deborah or Denver...
16. Have you been inspired to act "outside of the box"? Give details.

The book needs to be read in its entirety and the journal completed by Wednesday, August 17. In addition, we will spend about two days discussing the novel before being tested on the material.

Please email if you have any questions: [Anordhorn@gracebc.org](mailto:Anordhorn@gracebc.org)