

Sea Glass

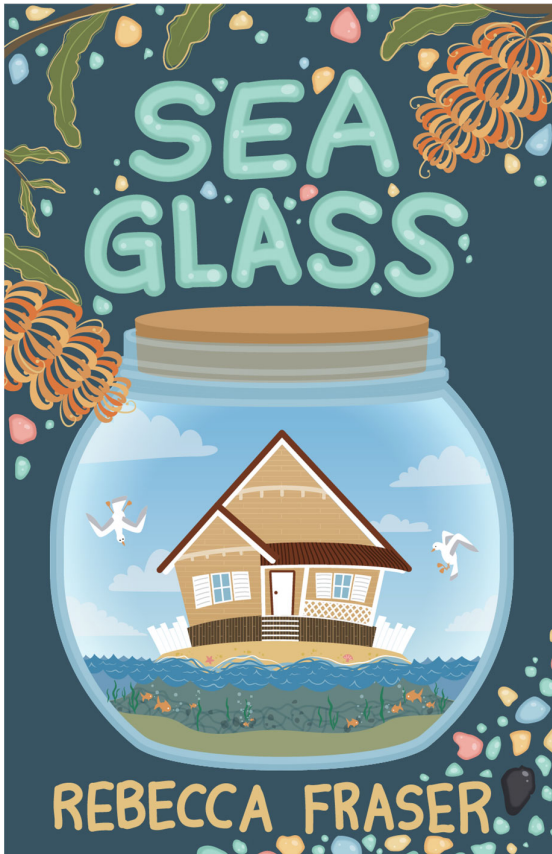
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KEY POINTS

- Family friendly connection between estranged grandparent and child.
- Explores healing family relationships, particularly through grief.
- Easy read for younger readers but enjoyable for older middle fiction readers.
- Relatable story.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Rebecca Fraser is an Australian author of genre-mashing fiction for children and adults.

Her work has won, been shortlisted, and honourably mentioned for numerous awards and prizes including an Aurealis Awards, and three Australian Shadows Awards.

Rebecca's publications include over sixty short stories and poems, with longer works including three middle grade novels, and a collection of short fiction for adults.

DESCRIPTION

When eleven-year-old Cailin's mother takes a contract job on Victoria's eastern coast, Cailin's holiday plans are ruined. Worse, they're staying at her eccentric grandfather's shack at Whitefoam Cove. Cailin barely remembers him, let alone knows him. Grandpa doesn't have Wi-Fi, and his television is older than him. The memories of her father are everywhere and, to make matters worse, she's left her cricket bat at home. How will she make the team now? And how will she keep in touch with her best friend, Josie? It's going to be the worst summer ever.

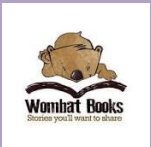
But life with Grandpa proves to be anything but boring. There's treasure to be found at Whitefoam Cove, and Cailin's collection of sea glass is growing rapidly. But just when cricket-mad Cailin and her estranged grandfather finally feel like they're making a connection, disaster strikes...and Cailin knows it's all her fault. Will Grandpa ever forgive her?

Sea Glass is a family drama for readers aged 7-12 that explores how, despite difference and disaster, a generational gap is bridged over a shared enthusiasm for sea glass. This contemporary Australian middle grade novel celebrates the importance of family and environment ... and proves you're never too old to go treasure hunting.

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