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Brody had been on the at-risk register since birth but was only removed from his alcoholic parents when he reached the age of six. Foster carer Mia Marconi was thrilled when he first arrived – a boy the same age as her son.

It can be so bewildering for foster children when they arrive. The older ones are usually withdrawn and sullen. The younger ones will be screaming, spitting at you, making themselves sick and throwing themselves on the floor.

For Mia, it's normally her boisterous, happy children who provide the comfort at the beginning, because why should they trust another adult. Children always feel safe and secure when there are other children about. Mia believes it's through making relationships with other children that they begin to trust adults again. But little did she know that six-year-old Brody was actually taking his anger and frustration out on her son. She quickly begins to realise the heavy price her family has had to pay. (Amazon.com)

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Shawnda Meek says

This book

It ending was not good....making you feel like there was more that was not told I was sad it ended like it did.....

Renee Johnson says

Wipe never know

Having first hand experience with situations such as this, it was a very well told story. Sometimes nothing matter how you want to help it is not possible.

Emily Potisk says

Admirable

This book is a story I think every person involved with CPS (Child Protection Services) should read. All I can say is Thank you Mia for what you have done for the foster kids in your life. Also, thank you for teaching your own children the true meaning of unconditional love.

Jennifer Hillier says

It was OK. Not bad but not good either.

sandra turner says

Brody

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I was once a foster carer myself for eleven years under fives most of the time. Reading this story although no one as difficult as Rory looking in from the outside I can now see some of the children were so badly disturbed at times although my children were very good and loved having new placements to stay I can see certain patterns that I deffinately did not. See at the time. A story about a truly amazing foster mother

Michael Allen says

A good read

Would recommend for a short read,I got completely hooked and couldn't put the book down. Def a good read anytime

Lindsay says

A horrible story about a horrible foster mom who lets a little boy terrorize her family without repercussions. They don't get him therapy and don't put him in a secure unit at school even though he is constantly running away from it.