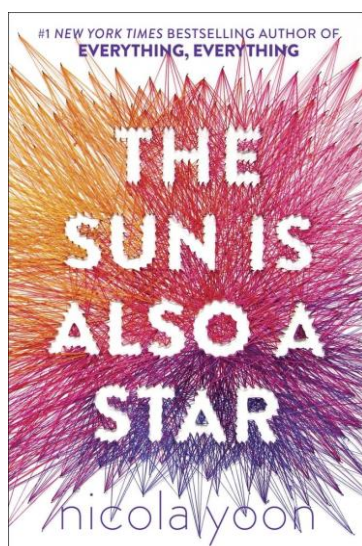


## BOOK REVIEW

**Name of the Book:-** The Sun Is Also A Star

**Name of the Author:-** Nicola Yoon

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*“Love is just chemicals and coincidence...”*

Do you agree to this? Do you think that ‘love’ is nothing but a scientific concept incorporating the feel-good hormones or is it something more than that? Well. Nicola Yoon’s second novel ‘The Sun is also Star’ delivers the solution.

Science-geek and a ‘perfect believer of facts’ Natasha hates when the probability count is somewhere between always and never. She’s not somebody who is going to fall in love, because she knows that it can be explained by some logical theories and thus, the feelings can also be cancelled out. On the other hand, Daniel appreciates the concept of uncertainty, because he believes that is the truth! He knows that the feeling of love is not always the same for every person he meets, because he feels that it is something sudden.

On a fateful day, they come across a critical moment in their lives. What if their fates collide with each other, along with their opposite interests?

If you had been searching for a book where the spark is ignited between the protagonists in the most beautifully poetic yet scientific way possible, this is going to end your anticipation. Yoon’s ethereal writing style highlights their extraordinary journey of rediscovering themselves and the various matters of life and love. It is also a story about

the different ethnicities, capturing the problems faced by immigrants in America and the differences in the cultures, successfully. The interlinking of the characters adds a tinge of enchantment to the storyline. The tone is highly appropriate for soft and light-hearted romance lovers. Keeping the setting as the vibrant backdrop of New York City for this contemporary realistic concept is quite a satisfactory approach. And, the idea i.e. 'Exploring questions about destiny, love, and the impact of their choices' is so exquisitely portrayed that, you would definitely pick up this book again and get lost in its perfect and sweetly woven narrative while, tugging at your heartstrings.

Consequently, 'The Sun Is Also a Star' was a 4/5 read for me as it is such a poignant and magnificently crafted novel with its heart-warming love tale and profound themes, which creates its impact by reverberating through one's soul and forever marking its essence on it.

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