

Parvana in the Breadwinner

Vs

Sunny in the Ghost series

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Sunny by Jason Reynolds

For my supplemental reading I read Sunny, it is the third book in the Ghost book series. It's about a boy that feels forced into running track because his mother ran track and died giving birth to him. His true passion is dancing and his coach helps him combine track and dancing by doing discus.

How are Parvana and Sunny's identities similar?

Parvana

Parvana has to become the breadwinner for her family because her dad is gone in jail.

Sunny

Sunny feels like he has to run track for his mother because she died giving birth to him.

Another similarity in their identity is?

Parvana

Parvana is brave because she has to go out in the world pretending she is a boy.

Sunny

Sunny is brave because one day he just stopped running and started dancing.

How Parvana is different from Sunny...

Parvana

Part of Parvana's identity is to speak about her thoughts and what is in her mind to her family.

Sunny

Part of Sunny's identity is to not express his thoughts and ideas out loud but to keep them inside or write them in a diary.

Another difference is?

Sunny

Part of Sunny's identity is feeling a lot of guilt for believing that he killed his mother, even though it's not his fault, and not being able to let that go.

Parvana

Part of Parvana's identity is that she doesn't hang on to much guilt. When she does feel guilty about something, she can let it go and move on with her life.

Thank you for making it to the end!