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## **Last Night I Sang to the Monster by Benjamin Alire Sáenz**

Author \_\_\_\_\_

# of Pages \_\_\_\_\_

Main Characters \_\_\_\_\_

Setting(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Introduction - How does the book begin?

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Point-of-View -What are the advantages of this book's being written from a first person point-of-view? How would it be different if it were written from a third person point-of-view?

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Describe the changes that occur in Zach throughout the course of the novel. How does he slowly begin to open up to the people and environment around him? How is that opening up key to his remembering and recovery?

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Discuss all of the residents of Cabin 9. What role do they play in Zach's recovery? Are there any characters you would consider to be unnecessary? Why or why not?

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Consider stereotypes. Who would you be most likely to stereotype in this novel? In what ways does that individual defy normal stereotypes?

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Who is your favorite character? Why?

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Would you recommend this book for others to read? Why or why not?

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