

Book Review

“Painting The Future :Louis Hey ”

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Introduction:

Title: Painting the Future

Authors: 1. Louise L. Hay 2. Lynn Lauber

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Louis L. Hay is author of the international bestseller ‘You Can Heal Your Life’. For over thirty years, Louis has helped individuals throughout the planet discover and

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implement the complete potential of their own inventive powers for personal growth and self-healing.

Lynn Lauber is known for fiction and nonfiction work. Her essays are famous and appeared in The New York Times.

Summary:

This is a story about a successful painter and printmaker and his 11-years old neighbour Lupe. Jonathan had lost his vision due to a degenerative disease. This ruined his life and now he was living lonely in a rented house. Lupe was living with her grandparents. She always inspired Jonathan for painting again. She used to talk about *quinceanera*. In the end, he came to know that Lupe was suffering from cancer. He couldn't believe it at first. Then he realizes his mistake. Finally, he paints a beautiful painting of Lupe in her *quinceanera* dress.

Analysis:

Painting the future has meaningful lessons in storytelling. This novel is plain sailing and easy to read. The storytelling itself flowed and was easy to follow the characters. The characters personalities came to life and you felt like you were a part of the experience. There is no weakness as such in this book. I would definitely recommend this book, especially to people who have lost hope in life.

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Conclusion:

We all should remain hopeful in any dammed worst situation of life. This story is excellent and inspirational.