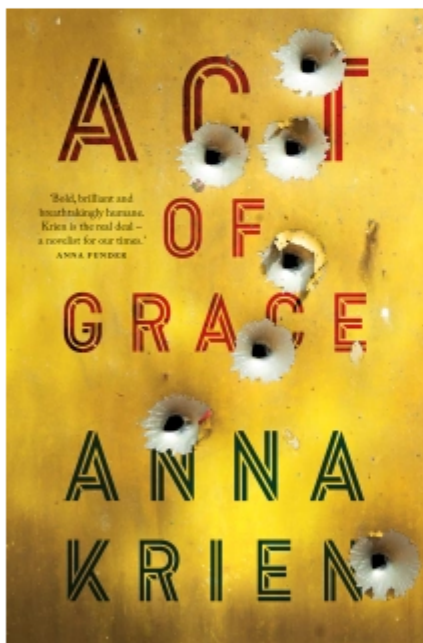


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We met this month to discuss *Act of Grace* by Anne Krien.

The discussion was lively. For some the book was too traumatic to read. Others thought it handled real world events well and the characters grew and had more hope for the future but not all.

We welcome 3 new members – thanks for coming along and participating in our robust discussions.

For a review of this book click [here](#)

**Ratings:** Sandy 3.5 Hetta 3 Linda 4 Suzy 3.5 Sophie 3.5 Margie 3 Janet DNF Jenny 3.5 Jo.

We look forward to seeing you again at our next meeting 6:30pm on Tuesday 9th of May at *QCWA Mermaid Beach Centre located in 43 Ventura Rd, Mermaid Beach*, when we'll talk about *Before the coffee gets cold: tales from the cafe* by Toshikazu Kawaguchi. Hope to see you there and Happy Reading!

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## Other Books We Read

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The Singularities by John Banville, 4

The God of No Good by Sita Walker, 3

Limberlost by Robbie Arnott, 3.5

The Remains of the Day by Kazuo Ishiguro, 4

Fake by Stephanie Wood, 3.5

Turns Out I'm Fine by Judith Lucy, 3

It's Raining in Mango by Thea Astley, 4.5

The Gate of Angels by Penelope Fitzgerald, 4

Small Things Like These by Claire Keegan – 4

Kingdom of Fear by Hunter S Thompson 3.5

Stoner by John Williams 4.5

Stolen Tides: among the islands and atolls of the Pacific Ocean by Tom Bamforth 3.5