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A Lamar Giles Reading Challenge

Award winning author Lamar Giles read his first Steven King novel when he was just 11 years old! It seems he has always been drawn to adventure, mystery, and horror stories.

Here he shares some of his favorite scary and scary-ish books for middle grade and young adult readers. Mark off all of the books you read!



Book Recommendations

- "Bunnicula" by Deborah and James Howe
- "The Witches" by Roald Dahl
- "The Graveyard Book" by Neil Gaiman
- "Devil's Wake" by Steven Barnes and Tananarive Due
- "The Weight of Blood" by Tiffany D. Jackson
- "Spirit Hunters" by Ellen Oh
- "The Jumbies" by Tracey Baptiste
- "Later" by Stephen King
- "Fear Nothing" by Dean Koontz
- "Unwind" by Neal Shusterman
- "I Hunt Killers" by Barry Lyga
- "The Getaway" by Lamar Giles



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Reading Log

Color in a skull for every 30 minutes that you read.



30m



60m



90m



120m



150m



180m



210m



240m



270m



300m



Lamar Giles was a guest on the Beanstack podcast, The Reading Culture, where he shared about this challenge and about his journey to becoming a writer.

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