**Little & Lion**

**By Brandy Colbert**

**About the Book**

When Suzette comes home to Los Angeles from her boarding school in New England, she's isn't sure if she'll ever want to go back. L.A. is where her friends and family are (as well as her crush, Emil). And her stepbrother, Lionel, who has been diagnosed with bipolar disorder, needs her emotional support.

But as she settles into her old life, Suzette finds herself falling for someone new...the same girl her brother is in love with. When Lionel's disorder spirals out of control, Suzette is forced to confront her past mistakes and find a way to help her brother before he hurts himself--or worse.

**About the Author**

Brandy Colbert was born and raised in Springfield, Missouri, and has worked as an editor for several national magazines. She lives and writes in Los Angeles.

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**Discussion Questions**

1. What did you like about the book? Dislike?
2. Discuss the different characters in the book. Who was your favorite? Least favorite? Explain why.
3. Did you find that you could relate to characters or situations in the book? Was it emotionally compelling to you?
4. What did you think of the writing style?
5. Did any passage or quote stand out to you while reading?
6. What did you think of how mental illness was portrayed in the book? Do you think the writer did a good job?
7. Some reviews complain that having a bisexual character in a love triangle is a cliché. Do you agree with them? If so, how would you change things?
8. How did you feel about the ending? Was it too ambiguous, or did you think it suited the rest of the story?
9. If you could ask the author anything, what would it be?