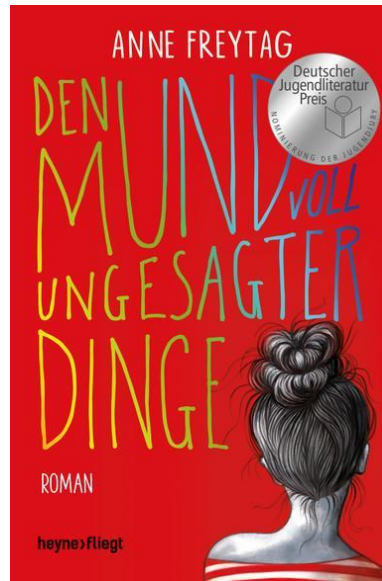


## A kiss, a look and a moment that changes everything between two girls



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If Sophie had any say in the matter, her life would be simple. But it isn't. And it never has been. It all starts with her mother abandoning her immediately after her birth and ends with her father suddenly deciding to go to Munich to move in with his girlfriend and take his daughter with him. Everyone is happy. Everyone, that is, except Sophie.

What's this business with love about? Sophie herself has never been in love. There have been boys, of course, but in spite of that she's still lonely – until, in the new city, she meets Alex: the girl from next door with a little gap between her teeth, green eyes and an infectious laugh. For the first time, Sophie connects fully and entirely with another person. Life is now suddenly new and exciting – until a kiss changes everything.

- Patchwork family, friendship and love: important issues in the process of growing up sensitively and humorously addressed by Anne Freytag
- Anne Freytag's narrative is supremely moving and captivating – the book has you hooked after you have read only one page