

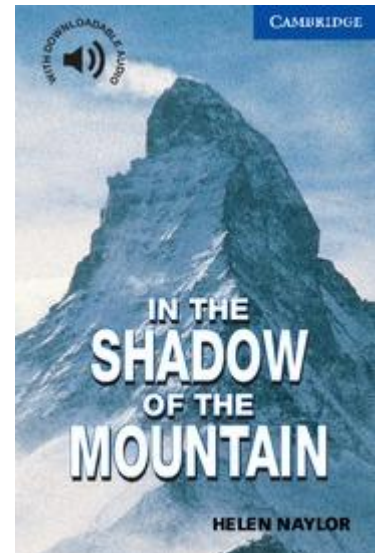
A BOOK REVIEW: “IN THE SHADOW OF THE MOUNTAIN” BY HELEN NAYLOR (1999)

The book *In the shadow of the mountain* was written by Helen Naylor in 1999. The book is mainly an adventure novel. It's an award-winning original fiction narrative for learners of English.

The book is set in the UK and Switzerland, more specifically in the Zermatt area in the late twentieth century.

It tells the story of a British journalist, Clare Newton, who one day gets a call notifying her that her grandfather's body has been found frozen in a glacier in Zermatt, Switzerland, seventy-four years after a climbing accident. Clare knows that there was a great mystery around the death of his grandfather. She travels to Zermatt to bring back the body and to investigate about the death of Edward Crowe. In Zermatt she meets people who will help her to know more.

In my opinion, it's lively and believable novel, where adventure is combined with drama, romance and mystery. I recommend the book because it's nothing dull and you want to read more to find out what happens afterwards.



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