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## *My Beating Heart*

*My Beating Heart* deals with life at its finest and also its most awful. 14-year-old Amanda is in love for the first time when a dangerous illness suddenly threatens to rob her of everything: love, hope of being loved, life itself. *My Beating Heart* is a love story. What is it like for a young girl in love to be waiting for a new heart?

*“My Beating Heart is both a description of illness and an extremely well told love story. (...) It is realistic, sad and romantic at the same time.”*

- Litteraturavisen Bokstaver

*‘Alf Kjetil Walgermo creates a dramatic story filled with hope and doubt – the sometimes optimistic alternating with increasingly depressive periods. (...) My Beating Heart has an intense nerve – written with empathy and insight.’*

- Gjengangeren

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Alf Kjetil Walgermo made his literary debut in 2007 with a picture book, *Keegan og Sjriffen*. In 2009 the illustrated book *Mor og far i himmelen* was published. Walgermo works as a culture journalist for the daily newspaper *Vårt Land*.



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