



# BOOK RESUME: SULA

## BOOK SYNOPSIS

Masterful, richly textured, bittersweet, and vital, *Sula* is a modern masterpiece about love and kinship, about living in an America birthed from slavery. Nobel Prize laureate Toni Morrison gives life to characters who struggle with what society tells them to be, and the love they long for and crave as Black women. Most of all, they ask: When can we let go? What must we hold back? And just *how* much can be shared in a friendship?

## REVIEWS AND PRAISE

“Extravagantly beautiful. . . . Enormously, achingly alive. . . . A howl of love and rage, playful and funny as well as hard and bitter.” —*The New York Times*

“Toni Morrison is not just an important contemporary novelist but a major figure in our national literature.” —*The New York Review of Books*

“*Sula* is one of the most beautifully written, sustained works of fiction I have read in some time. . . . [Morrison] is a major talent.” —Elliot Anderson, *Chicago Tribune*

## AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

- Winner of the 1993 Nobel Prize

## RESPONSE TO CHALLENGES

- [Students Upset By Local Book Bans - AHS Revolution](#)

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