

# Time to Remember

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*When the Canterbury Earthquakes destroyed their city, Natalie and her friends were only ten years old. Too old to forget, but too young to be heard, they have never told their stories. Until now.*

Ten years after the earthquakes, Natalie returns to her home town with a plan. To show how the earthquakes shaped her generation, she wants to curate her fellow students' stories into a special edition of the student magazine. Her project is well-received by all, but one: her self-proclaimed nemesis Josh. From the start, Josh goes out of his way to get the project cancelled. Natalie is determined to see her vision through, yet when she finally uncovers the reason behind Josh's actions, she finds herself questioning everything she's been working towards.

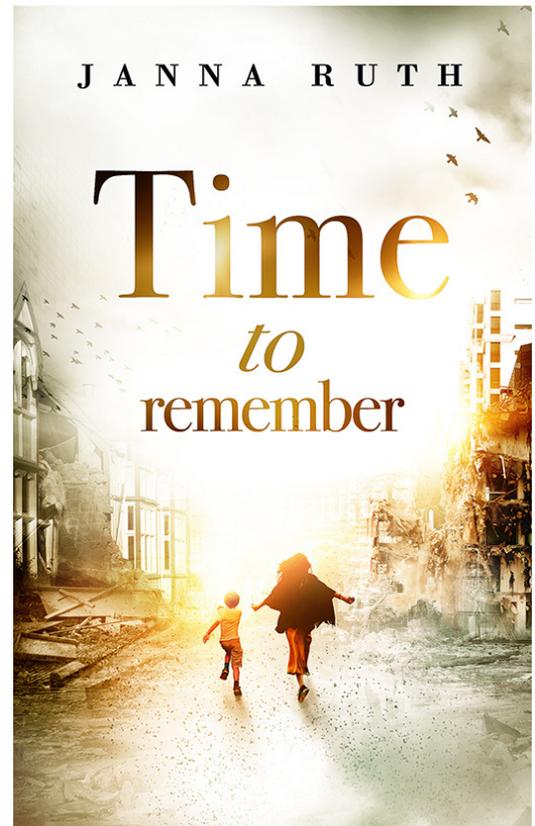
## SALES POINTS

- Publicity by Elizabeth Heritage with a publication set around the 10-year anniversary
- The author lived in Ōtautahi Christchurch during the earthquakes and is a former geologist
- All previous books have been nominated or won awards
- Strong appeal to Cantabrians, young adults, and everyone affected by the earthquakes
- Engaging storytelling with a diverse cast & mental health topics

## ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Janna first came to New Zealand in 2009 to study geology at the University of Canterbury. After the earthquakes, Janna turned to writing, publishing her first book in 2017. Her second book "Im Bann der zertanzten Schuhe", a self-published, modern fairy tale retelling about PTSD won the German speculative fiction award SERAPH Phantastikpreis for "Best independent novel" in 2018. [www.janna-ruth.com](http://www.janna-ruth.com)

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