



TUIMEL TREIN



Why Tuimeltrein?

I wanted to write a story in which three teenagers, who are complete opposites, suddenly have to work together to survive – without the usual support systems, coping mechanisms, or social media.

I also wanted to show that each of us stereotypes other people and judges them based on appearance and hearsay – without truly knowing a person and what they are like inside.

Only when you spend time with someone, walk in their shoes, and build relationships do you begin to understand that unique person and their motivations.

I wanted to portray this through humor and strange situations – especially the idea that everyone fits best in their own skin, just as they are. And that's okay.

The three of them are also standing on the threshold of adulthood, and each one realizes that their choices are going to drastically influence their entire future.

Roller Coaster: Symbolism

1. Life is like that roller-coaster ride at amusement parks.
2. Ups and downs: Sometimes you're on top of the world, and sometimes in the gutter, full of challenges and uncertainties.
3. Unpredictability: Surprises and sudden twists throw you off balance.
4. Tension and excitement: Sometimes the ride is smooth, sometimes wild, and sometimes your brain pumps adrenaline — either from joy or from fear/stress.
5. Hold on tight: To the railings for safety. In life these are our values, beliefs, and support systems (such as family, friends, faith in God) that help us through difficult times. Sometimes they can also be negative things, such as addictions and dependency.
6. Final destination: We all know the roller-coaster ride — in other words, our life journey — will one day end. So enjoy the ride, be yourself, live your dreams, and never give up.



NO ONE IS SPARED FROM THE
ROLLER-COASTER RIDE. 🎢

THE STORY



Three teenagers have to do a group assignment.

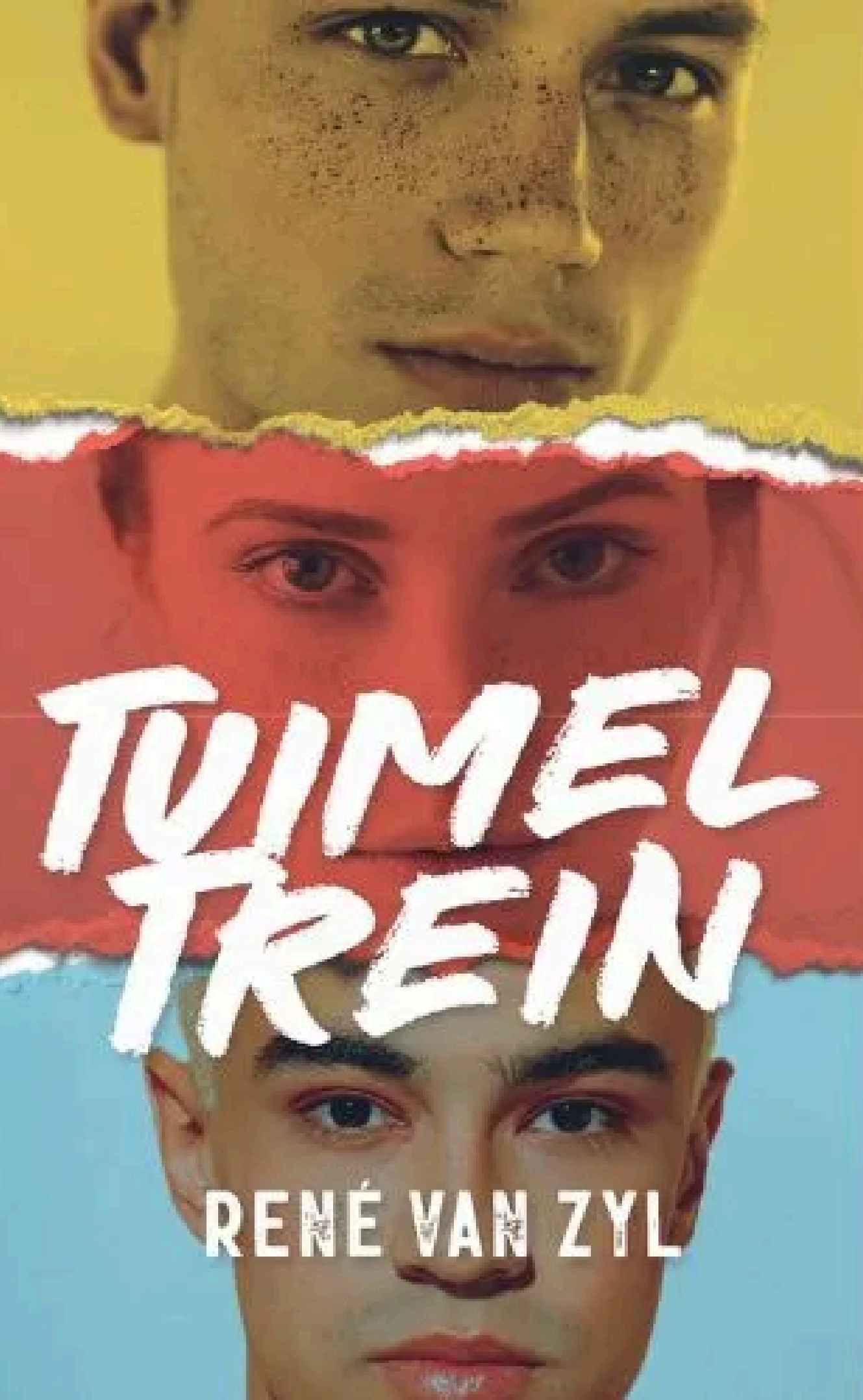
They are as different as Venus, Earth, and Mars.

Friday afternoon: A simple task.

An ice cream.

A murder.

The roller coaster takes off!



Drie Protagoniste / Three Protagonists

Jasper, Abby, Henri

- 3 different personalities
- 3 different backgrounds
- Yellow - Fun & Intellect
- Red - Energy & Danger
- Blue - Honesty & Bravery

There is a clear rip between them

One thing they have in common: They all see themselves as RANDFIGURE
(background/sidecharacters)

THEMES:

- Physical & emotional conflict
- Social status
- Influence
- Humor
- Coping mechanisms
- Relationship & relationship problems
- Choices, futures, morals
- Sexuality & LGBTQIA





Life is a roller coaster,
Just climb on the beast,
Hang on and enjoy the ride!

JUST DO IT





Abby - Aarde/Earth



- Athletic / The ‘it’ girl / Earthy-soul
- Deep-rooted connections to the Earth and nature
- Symbolises energy, drive, passion
- Practical
- She understands harmony and balance
- Very responsible

Jasper - Mars

- Gamer/ bad boy/ Rebel
- Has an inner fire, confident, driven, Reference to Roman god of war, Mars
- Unpredictable
- Potential
- Leader
- Full of energy - Compared to a volcano that erupts often
- Creative, active imagination
- Gamertag - Jasper Jabberwocky - sees himself as a dangerous opponent





Henri - Venus

- Drama Queen/ Loud, Proud & Out, Dreamer
- Roman god of love
- Love, art, creativity, appreciates aesthetics
- Dramatic & sprakly
- Blue aura of poetic art
- Always honest, fair and sincere
- Natural talent of communication, expressing feelings
- Great listener & friend
- Interested in the deep thoughts & questions of the world