There is a city beneath New York City, one made by and for Anybodies. There you can find Bing Chubbs Ballpark, Willy Fattlers ever-changing Underground Hotel, and a castle whose spire sticks up into the dirt-filled sky...dangerously close to the rear ends of unsuspecting picnic-goers in Central Park. Its an extraordinary place, but it is in danger of becoming ordinary because of the nefarious Blue Queen. Somebody has to stop her, and if anybody is going to, nobody is better than everybodys favorite Anybody. In her third quirky adventure, Fern takes on the biggest, baddest, bluest opponent ever. Yikes!

My Personal Review:
After accidentally getting expelled from school and threatened with military academy, Fern and Howard--the boy who is considered her almost-kind-of-sort-of brother--find themselves in the secret Anybody city far below New York City. Fern has an invitation to a meeting of the mysterious Somebodies.

All is not well, as they have to take great care not to meet an untimely end. The evil, book-killing Blue Queen wants to rule over the Anybodies; and if shes like most villains, that wont be enough.

Fern and Howard must follow a series of clues in order to stop the Blue Queens dastardly plan. During their adventure in the city beneath the city, they will earn new allies, learn a few lessons, and maybe win a battle too terrible to behold.

In the meantime, Ferns esteemed narrator--N.E. Bode--continues to dodge perilous assassination attempts by a certain writing instructor.

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this serious prose without a great deal of worry for our young heroine, Fern. She and Howard will face danger greater than ever, and if they don't succeed, horrible things will happen to everybody!

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Bravely endured by Christina Wantz Fixemer (Just don't tell that writing instructor! I'd hate to be like N.E. Bode and take drastic measures to avoid that crazy teachers wrath!)

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