BOOK REVIEW I chose the book ‘Jungle Omnibus’ written by Ruskin Bond after I saw the humongous and beautiful letters of author’s name. Ruskin bond was a famous author and poet. He wrote many books and poems for children. For this, he backed-up five awards. His name makes one think of nature- valleys, pines, mountains and animals.

This book contains many chapters and poems in between. I have selected a few chapters for the review. One day, Ruskin Bond and his friends went for an excursion and came back. One of his friends named Romi left-off from the group because his dad was sick. He cycled down the valley to reach his home. But suddenly the nearby forests caught fire. There he saw unforgettable events such as cracking of bridges, elephants and other wild creatures crossing the road and so on. Another day, his friend Bisnu was been hurted by a panther. By God’s grace and his courage, he escaped from his death with small injuries. Even nowadays because of the madness of people all animals are entering into cities. If I had been in such these situations, I would have cried and made a commotion and would have perished.

I love all characters in the story because all were brave. I enjoyed a lot by reading this book. It was in simple English with many poems. First of all, I hate reading books. But after reading this, I can’t be without reading books. Some chapters were funny, some were exciting, some taught me a lesson, some made me to keep on thinking about it and some made me cry. It gave a change in my life. I wanted the title to be as ‘Ruskin Bond and brave fellows’ because everyone were brave.

The end of the book was a little, sweet poem. It was quite nice but I wanted the end to be as Bond and his companions should stuck in an accident and escape from it. By:M.B.Sivadharani