‘Skellig’ Key Quotations

* ‘my heart was thudding and thundering’ p16
* ‘they say that shoulder blades are where your wings were, when you were an angel.’ p36
* ‘he seemed to be just waiting to die.’ p44
* ‘the baby’s ill and we hope she won’t die but she might.’ p53
* ‘I stayed dead silent, and concentrated on keeping the baby safe.’ p92
* ‘I wanted things to be just the way they used to be.’ p96
* I looked at the garage and imagined it gone, saw the big emptiness that would take its place.’ p98
* ‘too much thinking and wondering and worrying going on in there.’ p115
* ‘I should have stayed at home. I should have kept thinking about her.’ p121
* ‘you couldn’t have done these before. You’re getting braver and bolder.’ p127
* ‘sometimes we just have to accept there are things we cannot know.’ p131
* ‘and the fear just increased and increased and increased.’ p132
* ‘we just have to wait and pray and believe that everything will be all right.’ p134
* ‘you just keep believing and everything will be fine.’ p136
* ‘she talked about the way spring made the world burst into life after months of apparent death.’ p137
* ‘life dared to come back.’ p137
* ‘it was possible to be overwhelmed by the presence of so much beauty in the world.’ p143
* ‘Skellig was gone. The world that was left was ugly, cold, terrifying.’ p146
* ‘they said everything’ll be all right now.’ p148
* ‘love is the child that breathes our breath/Love is the child that scatters death.’ p152
* ‘I sighed and whispered, Goodbye, Skellig.’ p165
* ‘I trembled. I couldn’t move. Then I took deep breaths, and thought of Skellig and went to open the door.’ p167