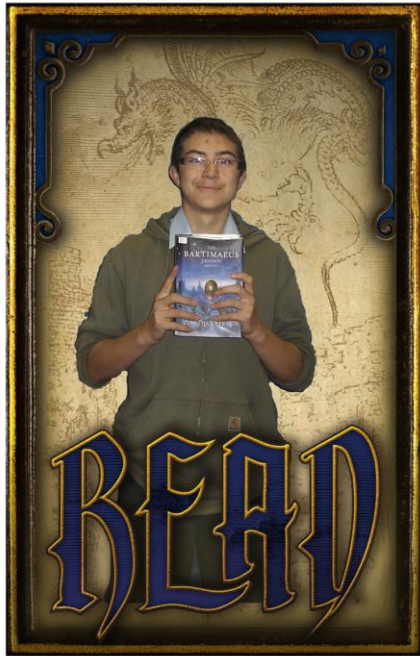


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Essay: My name is Gamaliel Kruse and I choose the Bartimaeus Trilogy book one The Amulet of Samarkand by Jonathan Stroud because it is an entertaining and complex read. It is a fantasy novel that has an interesting twist on what life in London, England would be like if magic and djinn (genies) were real. It also gives an interesting outlook from the viewpoint of a supernatural slave, who is summoned to do anything from levitating an object to stealing a piece of intense magical power. The book also gives some interesting facts on mythology and complex views on some of the major historical battles from the past. This book was a very well written book. I would recommend it for people between the ages of twelve to nineteen.