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THE BONEDIGGER'S SON

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Titus' mother has disappeared under mysterious circumstances. Did she run away, was there an accident or was she murdered?

It's been eight months since Titus' mother disappeared without a trace. As a native Italian, she always remained a stranger in the village. His father had brought her with him from one of his expeditions. Rumors and suspicions quickly spread: Did she drown in the lake, did she run away with a lover, or was she the victim of a crime? Titus has been an outsider for years. He avoids people because of a burn scar in his face. The offer to live with and assist the new gravedigger seems like a good way to escape the confinement of his father's home. As it turns out, the gravedigger is no stranger... Evelyn Grill takes her readers on a journey into a dark world full of secrets. Thrilling suspense from first to last page!

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