

## **Recent Reviews of *The Elixir of Freedom*:**

### **5-Star Review by Maria Beltran for Readers' Favorite**

... M.R. Neer's *The Elixir of Freedom*: The Light Finder Legends, Volume 1 is a visionary fiction work that should appeal to all kinds of readers. When Ravi sets out to find the Heart of the Sun and save his brother, he goes on an adventure where he meets a friendly peddler, the forest guardians, and a dwarf. Without any tangible plan of how he is going to rescue his brother, except for the inspiration of an old legend, he meets Verda, one of the forest guardians who will accompany him on his quest. This is a story that warms the heart and, at the same time, it reminds us of the need to appreciate nature. Author M.R. Neer has a vision of the future and it is a beautiful picture. As Ravi goes on a quest to find the light that will transform his world, we are reminded of all the quests that we have to go on throughout our very own lives.

### **5-Star Review by Rabia Tanveer for Readers' Favorite**

... This is a really amazing story. I picked up this book, read the first page, and I was hooked. I just could not stop myself. The story is great, the fantastic elements were great, and the characterization was spot on. I loved the plot, how it sprung up and become a giant, living being. It is a well-conceived novel that will stick in your mind and make you think about it long after you have finished reading.

### **4-Star Review by Ica Iova for Readers' Favorite**

... *The Elixir of Freedom* by M.R. Neer is a captivating tale of intrigue, love, and danger in a world where fantasy is woven into reality. Gripping, clean, and character-driven, with a unique premise and skilled writing, the story draws you in from the first page and takes you on a magical journey. I liked the idea of fighting the darkness with the light. Deep down we all know that is the only possible way to overcome our fears, doubts, and bigotry. I especially liked Ravi and Verda's journey to find the light. Through their determination and powerful love for Vik, Ravi and Verda inspire us to examine our own lives and try to find our own internal light that could lead us to a better existence.

### **5-Star Review by Deepak Menon for Readers' Favorite**

... *The Elixir of Freedom* by M.R. Neer is full of the stuff legends are made of. ... Well thought out and a fine book- the author has really delved into family values, bonding with nature, and the goodness of things. With great finesse, excellent flow of words, simple lucid language, and exceptional expression, M.R. Neer has started another legend in this incredibly charming tale, and added another valuable brick to the castle of dreams for people across society. This book is a classic literary effort and fully deserves a bouquet of 5 stars.