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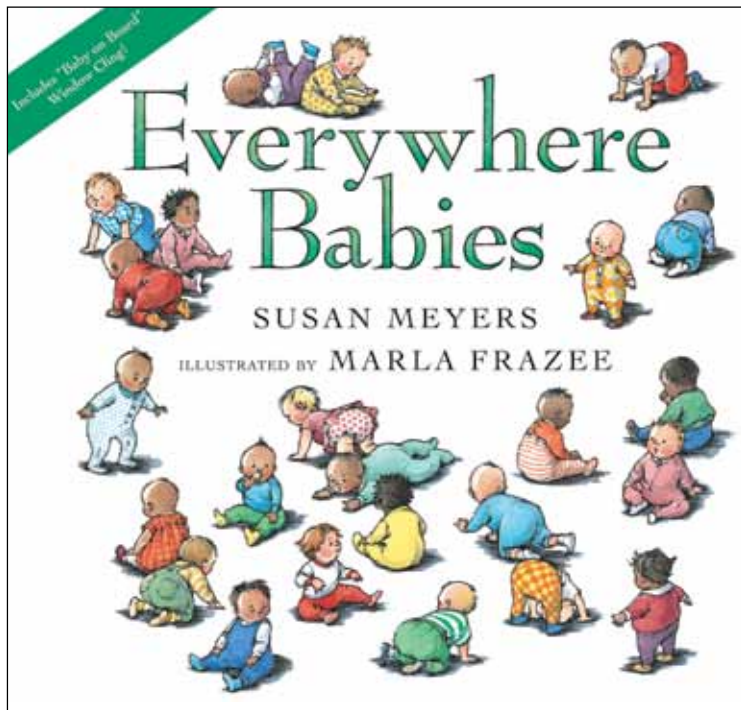
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**Susan Meyers** wrote this story to celebrate all the babies born every day and the joy they bring to everyone around them. She lives in San Raphael, California.

**Marla Frazee** is the author and illustrator of *A Couple of Boys Have the Best Week Ever*, a 2009 Caldecott Honor Book. She lives in Pasadena, California. Visit her website at [www.marlafrazee.com](http://www.marlafrazee.com).

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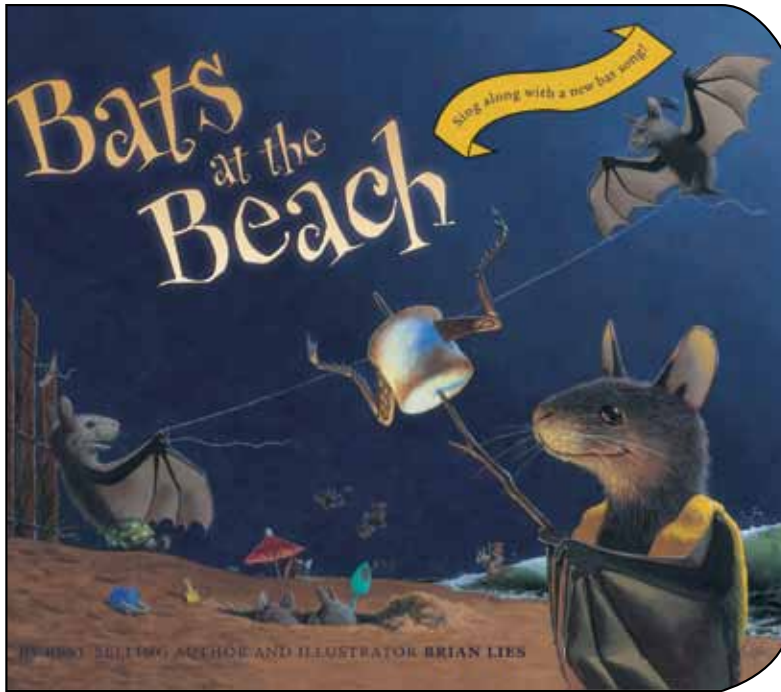
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**Denise Dowling Mortensen** is also the author of *Ohio Thunder*. She lives in Chatham, New Jersey. Visit her website at [www.denisemortensen.com](http://www.denisemortensen.com).

**Melissa Iwai** has illustrated many books for children, including *Gramps and the Fire Dragon*. She lives in Brooklyn, New York. Visit her website at [www.melissaiwai.com](http://www.melissaiwai.com).

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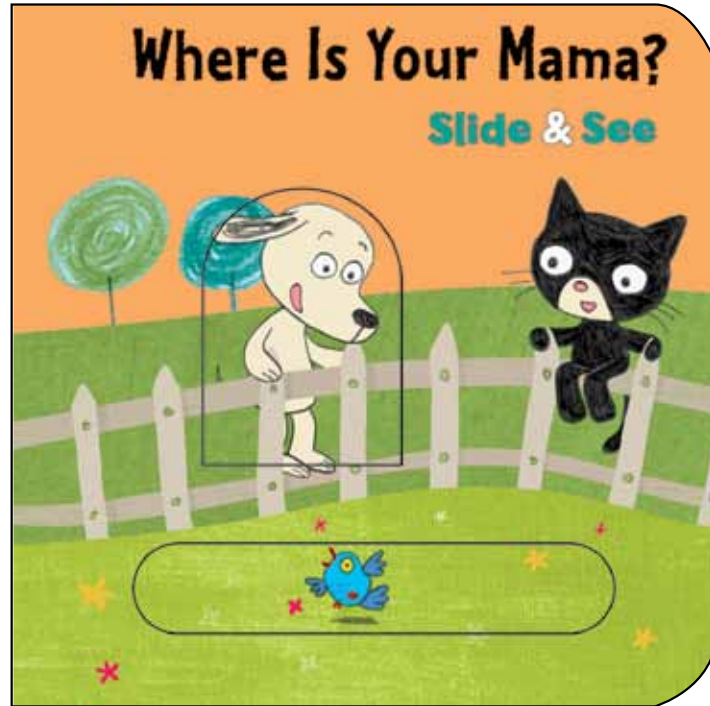
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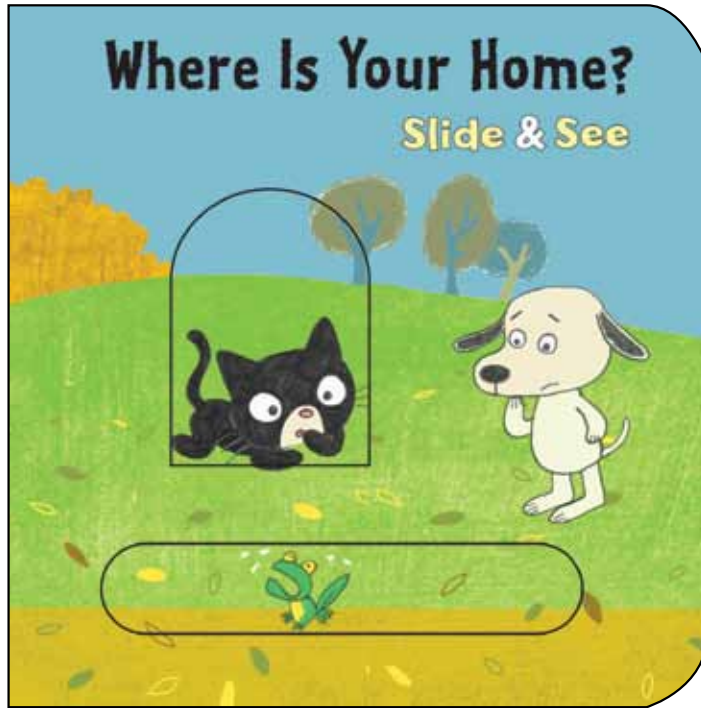
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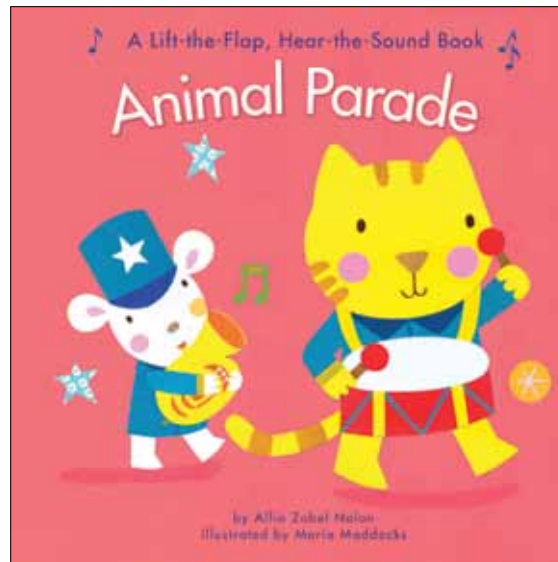


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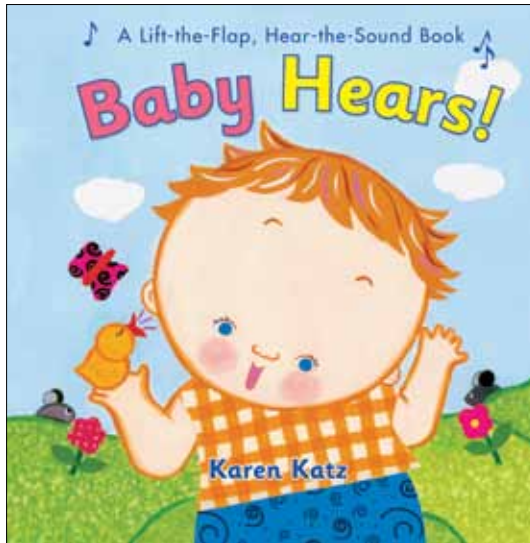
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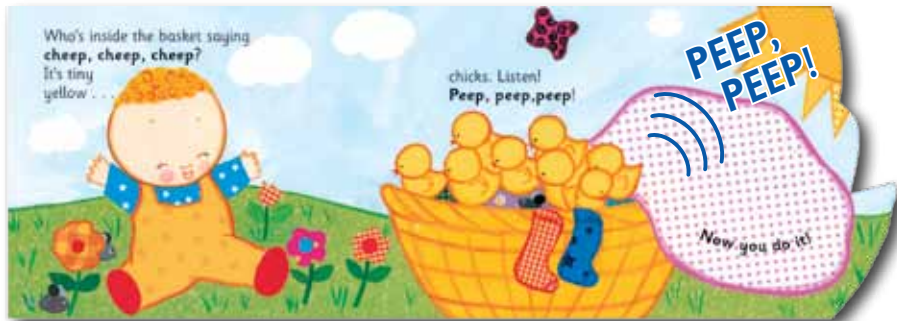
**Allia Zobel Nolan** is an internationally published, award-winning author of more than 170 children's and adult trade titles. She lives in Connecticut with her husband and their three feline children. Visit her website at [www.AlliaWrites.com](http://www.AlliaWrites.com).

**Maria Maddocks** is a freelance illustrator. Her multimedia artwork can be found in books and magazines for children.

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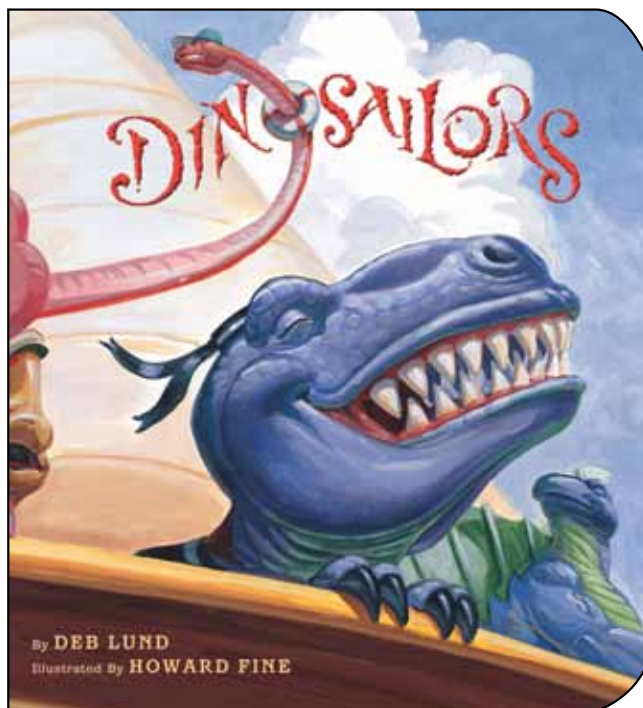
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## Dinosailors

*Board Book*

Deb Lund Illustrated by Howard Fine

“A happy-go-lucky tale. . . . The rhythm and word play are the fun here.” —*Booklist*

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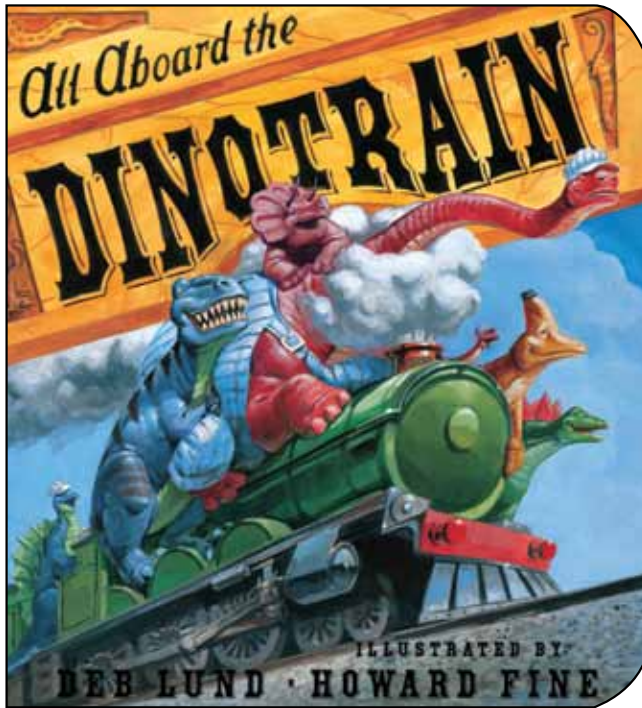
Aren't they?

Life at sea may be too much for these landlubber dinos, but the ups and downs of their dinosailing trip is sure to have readers in stitches!

**Deb Lund** has written several picture books, including *Monsters on Machines*. She lives in Greenbank, Washington. Visit her website at [www.deblund.com](http://www.deblund.com).

**Howard Fine** is the illustrator of many popular picture books, including the best-selling *Piggie Pie!* He lives in White Plains, New York. Visit his website at [www.howardfineillustration.com](http://www.howardfineillustration.com).

Climb aboard for a hilly, spilly, and out-and-out silly roller coaster of a train ride.



## All Aboard the Dinotrain

### Board Book

Deb Lund Illustrated by Howard Fine

“Fine’s playful, colorful dinosaurs are remarkably expressive and full of child appeal.” —*School Library Journal*

Load the cargo, stoke the coal—this dinotrain is set to roll!

The hills are steep, the ride is long, but dinotrainers won’t go wrong . . .

Unless this trainosaurus wrecks. . . !

(It won’t, will it?)

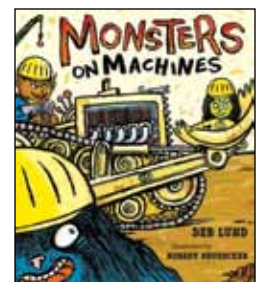
This energetic and exciting tale of one wild dinoride is just right for train- and dino-obsessed toddlers, and its ingenious rhyming wordplay makes it a great read-aloud.

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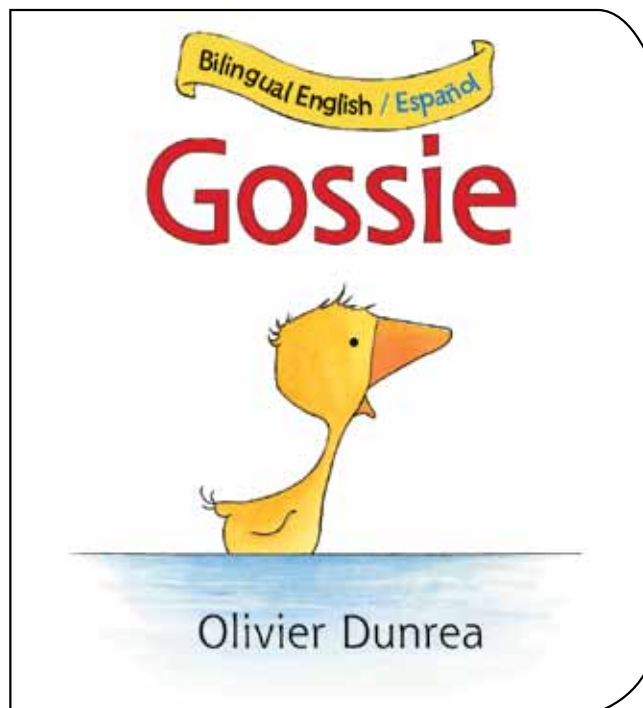
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## Gossie

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Olivier Dunrea

★ “Adding ample wry humor to both his spare ink-and-watercolor pictures and minimalist text, Dunrea imbues both goslings with distinctive, endearing personalities.” —*Publishers Weekly*, starred review

“Tap[s] into quintessential preschool experiences.” —*School Library Journal*



### Also by Olivier Dunrea:

*Gossie and Gertie*

978-0-618-74793-1

\$6.95 BB / \$8.95 CAN

*Ollie the Stomper*

978-0-618-75504-2

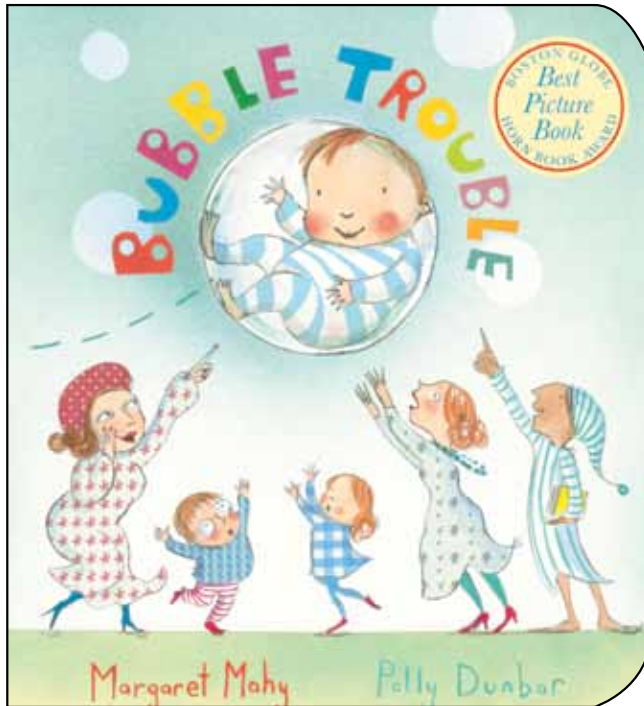
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Gossie is a gosling. A small, yellow gosling who likes to wear bright red boots. Every day. Until the day her boots disappear . . .

The lovable Gossie is now available in an English/Spanish bilingual board book edition! This simply and charmingly told tale of sharing with style is perfect for bilingual preschoolers or new language learners. English text appears in black, Spanish in blue.

**Olivier Dunrea** was born and raised in rural Virginia and now lives in a remote mountain village in upstate New York. Old farms and farm animals are often seen in his books for children, as well as a small, secretive mole. Visit his website at [www.olivierdunrea.com](http://www.olivierdunrea.com).

The ebullient winner of the 2009 Boston  
Globe–Horn Book Award for Best Picture Book  
. . . now in a baby-friendly board book!



## Bubble Trouble

Board Book

Margaret Mahy Illustrated by Polly Dunbar

★ “Read this aloud and expect a lot of giggles and calls for a repeat performance.”  
—*Horn Book*, starred review

*Little Mabel blew a bubble, and it caused a lot of trouble . . .*

When little Mabel’s bubble gets away from her, it’s her baby brother who gets into trouble. Soon he’s floating out of the house, above the fence, and all over town! It’s up to Mabel, Mother, and the rest of the townspeople to get him safely back down. Who knew that so much trouble could come from one little bubble?

**Margaret Mahy** has received the Hans Christian Andersen Award, is a two-time winner of England’s Carnegie Medal, and received the Order of New Zealand, the highest honor a citizen can receive.

**Polly Dunbar** is the creator of *Penguin*, *Dog Blue*, and *Flyaway Katie* and illustrated Margaret Mahy’s *Down the Back of the Chair*. She lives in Brighton, England.

April  
Ages up to 3  
Grades PreK  
32 pages  
6 ¾ x 7 ½  
CTN 32  
Terr: US, C, O  
Rights:  
B/T/A/P/M: Frances Lincoln Limited  
Board book  
Hardcover edition:  
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978-0-547-07421-4

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Winner of the 2009  
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Award for Best  
Picture Book



**Also by Margaret Mahy  
and Polly Dunbar:**  
*Down the Back of the Chair*  
978-0-618-69395-5  
\$16.00 CL / \$19.95 CAN

# The much louder companion to the New

April  
 Ages 4 to 8  
 Grades PreK to 3  
 32 pages  
 7 x 8 ½  
 CTN 50  
 Terr: World  
 Rights:  
 B/T: HMH  
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 Art: Pippin Properties  
 Picture book

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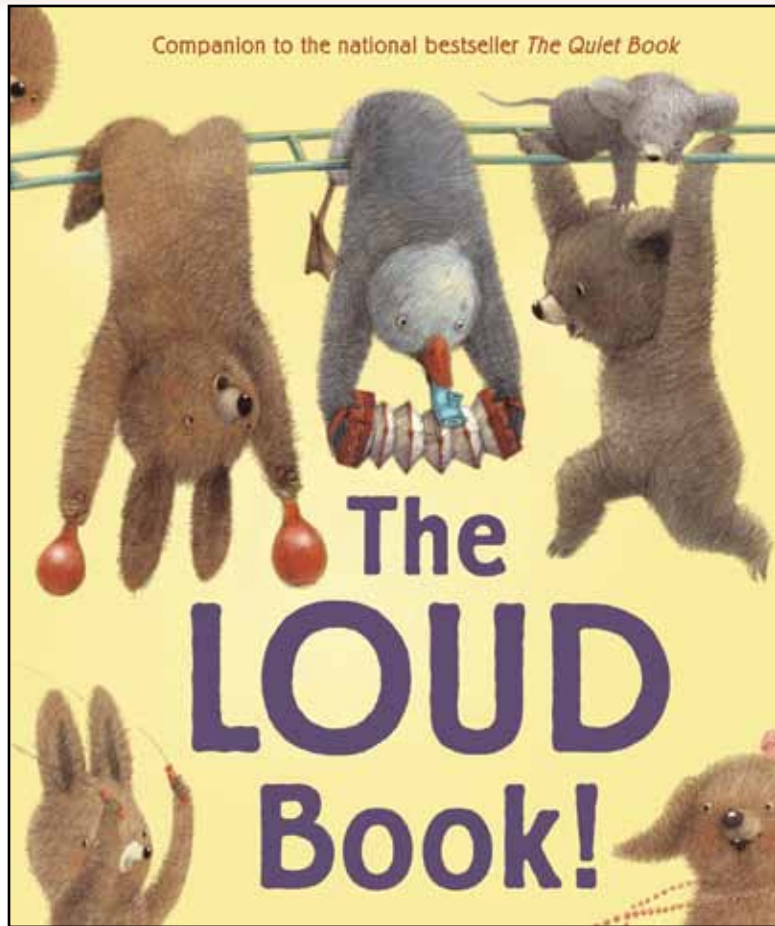
#### MARKETING:

- National consumer advertising
- Online advertising
- Poster
- Conference promotions

BANG!

CRACKLE!

BOO!



## The Loud Book!

Deborah Underwood

Illustrated by Renata Liwska

Just as there are different kinds of quiet, there are also different kinds of loud:

Good louds

(HOORAY!).

And bad louds

(CRASH!).

And accidental louds that make you  
 the center of attention (BURP!).

*The Loud Book!* presents all these kid-friendly noises in a way that is sure to make readers CHEER!

# York Times best-selling *The Quiet Book*.

When asked about what loud means to her, **Renata Liwska** says, “There were a lot of children where I grew up, and it was loud—all the time. We didn’t have cell phones, text messaging, or e-mails, so we called our friends using the windows of our five-story apartment building. In the mornings we’d call loudly to our friends, asking them to come down to play. If we forgot something, we would yell up to our moms, asking them to throw down the jump rope or hula hoop. Many pages in *The Loud Book!* capture a little moment from that time, with cute critters standing in for us kids.” Renata grew up in Poland and now lives in Calgary, Canada, with her husband. Visit her website at [www.renataliwska.com](http://www.renataliwska.com).

**Deborah Underwood**’s earliest memory of loud is her first day of preschool, which she spent hiding under a table. However, as she grew older, she discovered that loud can be lovely. She is particularly fond of Mahler’s Eighth Symphony loud, breaching whale loud, and niece’s laughter loud. The author of numerous fiction and nonfiction books, Deborah lives in Northern California, where her quiet writing time is occasionally interrupted by loud scrub jays demanding peanuts. Visit her website at [www.deborahunderwoodbooks.com](http://www.deborahunderwoodbooks.com).



FIRE TRUCK DAY AT SCHOOL LOUD



AUNT TILLIE’S BANJO BAND  
LOUD



Also by Deborah Underwood  
and Renata Liwska:

*The Quiet Book*  
978-0-547-21567-9  
\$12.95 Rnf. / \$15.95 CAN

★ “A delightful and enchanting choice for storytime or sharing one-on-one.”  
—*School Library Journal*, starred review



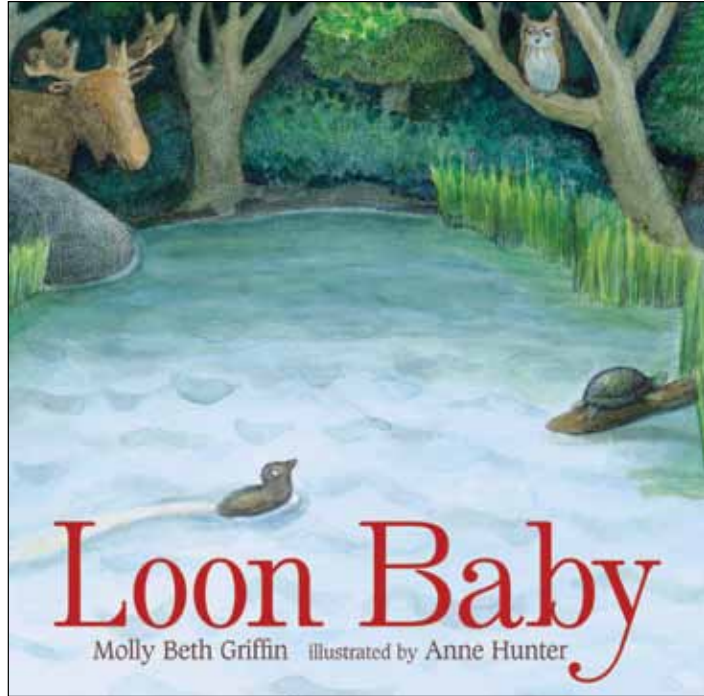
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 Ages 4 to 8  
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 32 pages  
 10 x 10  
 CTN 24  
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 Picture book

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**Also by Anne Hunter:**  
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 \$6.95 PA / \$8.95 CAN  
*Possum's Harvest Moon*  
 978-0-395-91824-1  
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**A gentle read-aloud to help calm every  
 young child's greatest fear.**



## Loon Baby

Molly Beth Griffin Illustrated by Anne Hunter

Atop the rippling waves—  
 the breeze ruffling his fluff—  
 Loon Baby waits, alone,  
 and wonders:

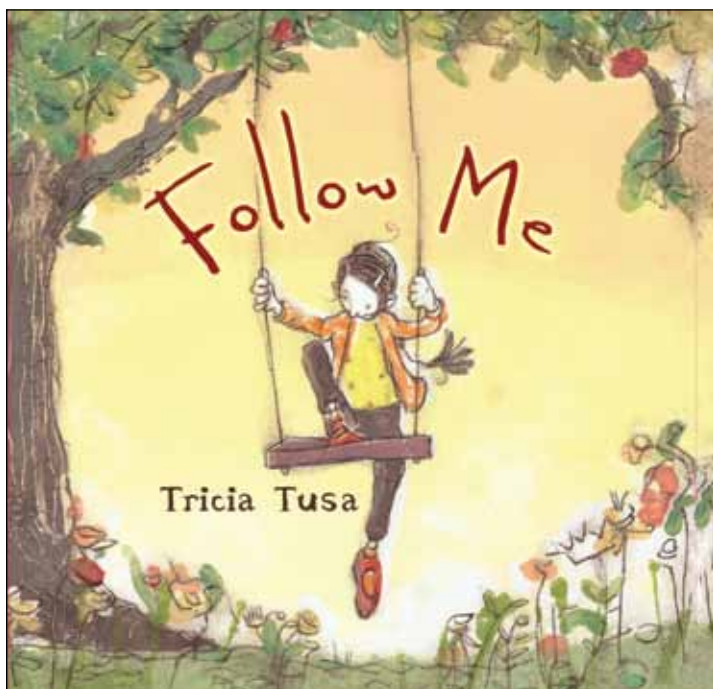
Will his mother ever come back?

With sensitivity and a spare prose, first-time author Molly Beth Griffin navigates the quiet panic that Loon Baby experiences in the absence of Mama. Anne Hunter's soft cross-hatched and watercolor paintings shape a serene lake-scape with varied scenes that amplify and illuminate the emotion this book captures.

**Molly Beth Griffin** is a graduate of Hamline University's MFA program in writing for children and a teacher at the Loft Literary Center in Minneapolis, where she makes her home.

**Anne Hunter** has written and illustrated many books for children, including *Possum's Harvest Moon* and most recently *Who Would Like a Christmas Tree?* She lives on a farm in Shaftsbury, Vermont. Visit her website at [www.annehunterstudio.com](http://www.annehunterstudio.com).

Swing into a daydream of color when you follow the girl in this charming picture book.



## Follow Me

Tricia Tusa

Swing high into the sky and explore a world full of earthy and elegant colors with the girl in this story as she experiences nature with a twist of her imagination. After she's ventured far away, she floats gently back down and heads home, where her mother is waiting.

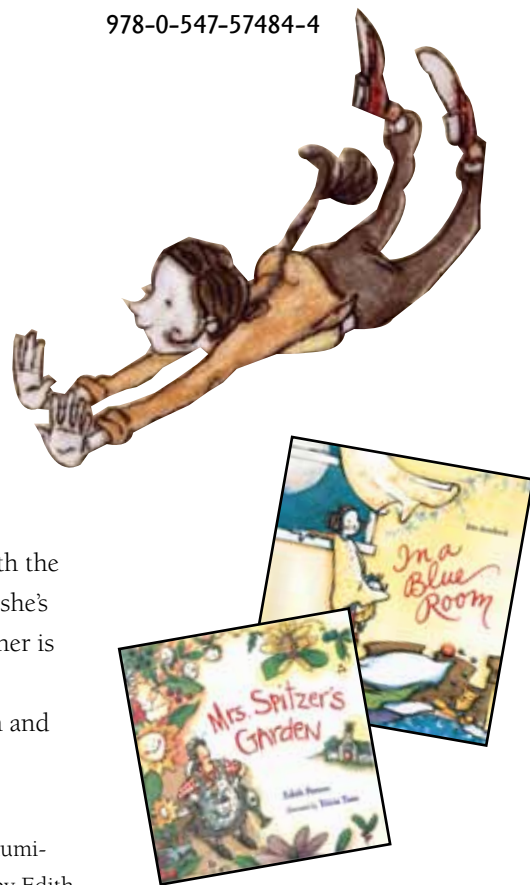
Tricia Tusa's lyrical story and rich, sweeping art create a stylish swirl of charm and adventure, perfect for anyone who's ever sat on a swing and daydreamed.

**Tricia Tusa** is an award-winning writer and illustrator of children's books. She created luminous art for such picture books as *In a Blue Room* by Jim Averbeck, *Mrs. Spitzer's Garden* by Edith Pattou, and *The Magic Hat* by Mem Fox. She lives with her family in New Mexico.

April  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
40 pages  
9 x 9  
CTN 48  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
B/T/A/P/M/S: HMH  
Picture book

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### Also illustrated by Tricia Tusa:

*In a Blue Room*

by Jim Averbeck

978-0-15-205992-7

\$16.00 CL / \$19.95 CAN

*Mrs. Spitzer's Garden*

by Edith Pattou

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\$9.95 CL (Gift Edition)/ \$11.95 CAN

# A Caldecott Honor–winning duo offers an

Would you like to eat a ball of elephant dung for dinner, take a dust bath, and then curl up in a slimy sleeping bag? Oh, you'd rather chew on a tasty worm, lick yourself clean, and stand on one leg to fall asleep? Vibrantly colored cut-and-torn paper illustrations introduce tasty, silly, and quirky ways some animals like to eat, take a bath, and go to sleep in this playful new series by celebrated husband-and-wife team Steve Jenkins and Robin Page.

**Steve Jenkins** and **Robin Page** have collaborated on many books, including the Caldecott Honor–winning *What Do You Do with a Tail Like This?* and the New York Times Best Illustrated Book *Move!* Steve, Robin, and their three children eat, bathe, and sleep in Boulder, Colorado. Visit them at Steve's website at [www.stevejenkinsbooks.com](http://www.stevejenkinsbooks.com).

## MARKETING:

- Online Promotions

The koala wedges itself between tree branches so it won't tumble out in its sleep.



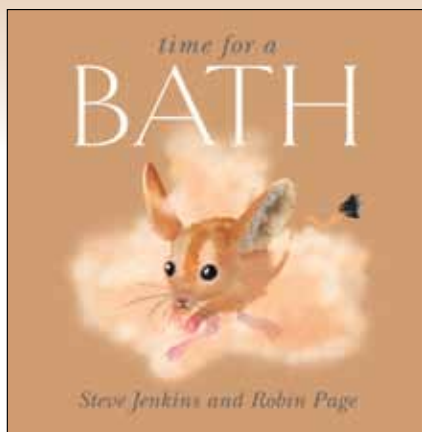
The jack rabbit washes with its tongue.



The chipmunk's cheek pouches stretch to hold an astounding number of nuts and seeds.



adorable new series for young animal lovers.



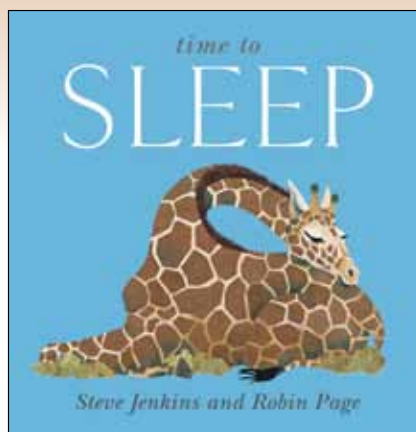
## Time for a Bath

Steve Jenkins  
and Robin Page

It's time for a bath! Find out which animals soak, lick, bake, or spray their dirt away.

May  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
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Picture book

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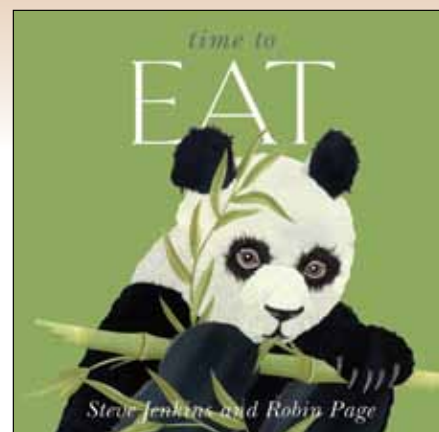
## Time to Sleep

Steve Jenkins  
and Robin Page

It's time to sleep! Who dozes standing on one leg without falling over, snores while flying, or snuggles together in a big sleepy pile?

May  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
B/T/A/P/M/S: HMH  
Picture book

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## Time to Eat

Steve Jenkins  
and Robin Page

It's time to eat! Which animals eat bamboo, can gulp down a whole deer, or swallow rocks to help them eat?

May  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
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Picture book

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April  
 Ages 4 to 8  
 Grades PreK to 3  
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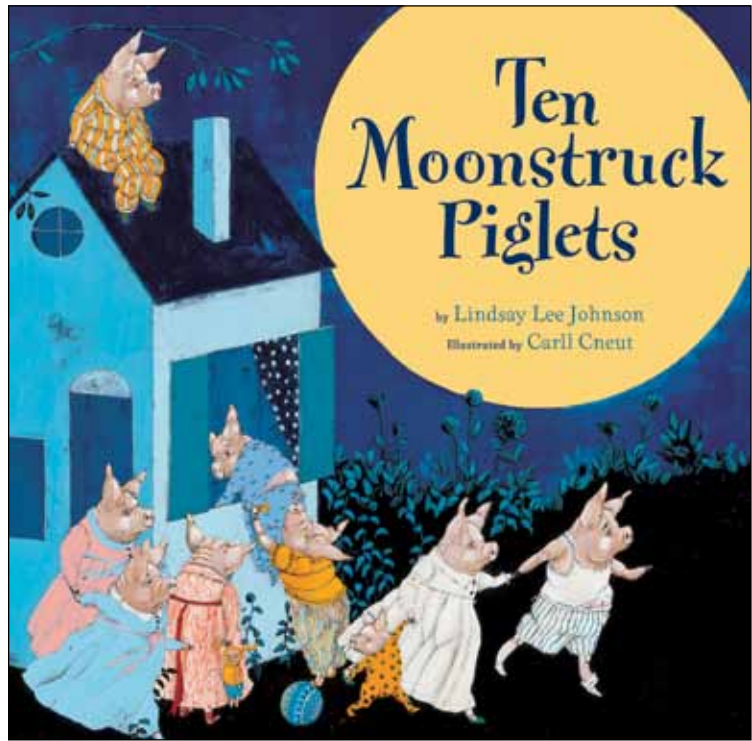
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**A unique and stylishly illustrated bedtime story based on a real-life phenomenon.**



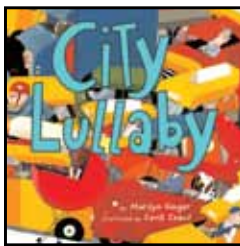
## Ten Moonstruck Piglets

Lindsay Lee Johnson Illustrated by Carll Cneut

Playful, fun-to-read-aloud language from a respected young adult poet and novelist joins distinctive illustrations from a noted European artist in this captivating picture book. Ten piglets wander off into the dark, drawn by the light of the moon. After rambling far from home, plundering and looting and dancing in a moonlit trance, they attract the attention of a prowling fox. They howl for their mama, an enormous sow, who awakens, heaves herself to her feet, and tracks down all of her offspring. Each pig has a distinct personality and name, so readers can follow the adventures of their favorite through the book. This satisfying bedtime story is based on a real phenomenon in which baby animals become entranced by the moonlight.

**Lindsay Lee Johnson** is the author of *Worlds Apart*, a collection of connected poetry, and a novel, *Soul Moon Soup*. She lives in Cambridge, Minnesota.

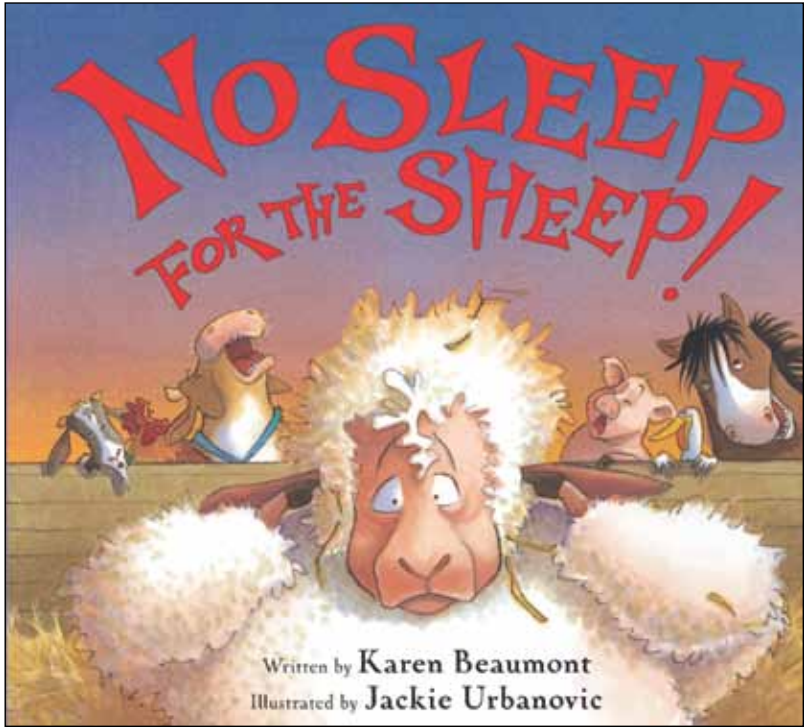
**Carll Cneut** has won many awards and accolades for his work. In 2010, he was short listed for the Hans Christian Andersen Award. He lives in Ghent, Belgium.



**Also illustrated by Carll Cneut:**

*City Lullaby*  
 by Marilyn Singer  
 978-0-618-60703-7  
 \$16.00 Rnf. / \$19.95 CAN

Noisy surprise visitors can lead to all sorts of trouble.



## No Sleep for the Sheep!

Karen Beaumont Illustrated by Jackie Urbanovic

One tired sheep wants nothing more than a good night's sleep. All is peaceful until—QUACK! Is that a duck at the barn door? And now a goat? A pig? A cow? A horse? Each new unexpected guest is bigger and louder than the last! How will the sheep ever get this barnyard crowd to quiet down before—COCK-A-DOODLE-DOO!

**Karen Beaumont** is the author of many celebrated picture books, including the Geisel Honor book *Move Over, Rover!*, *I Like Myself!*, and the *New York Times* bestseller *I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!*. She lives in Capitola, California. Visit her website at [www.karenbeaumont.com](http://www.karenbeaumont.com).

**Jackie Urbanovic** is the illustrator of many popular picture books, including the *New York Times* bestseller *Duck at the Door* and its companion books about Max, which she also wrote. She lives in Silver Spring, Maryland. Visit her website at [www.jackieurbanovic.com](http://www.jackieurbanovic.com).

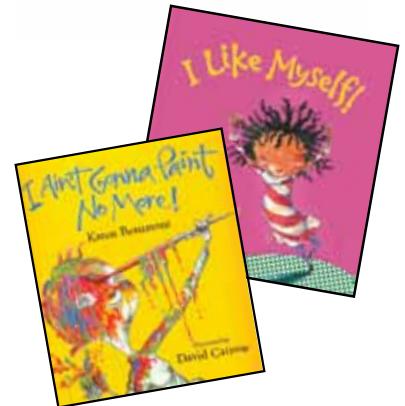
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**MARKETING:**

- Promotional awake/asleep door hanger
- Conference promotions



**Also by Karen Beaumont:**

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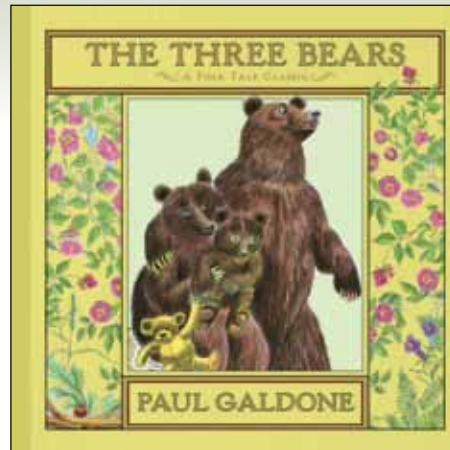
- Online promotion—video
- Conference promotions

## PICTURE BOOK

March  
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Grades Prek to 3  
40 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
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Picture book  
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## The Three Bears

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Once upon a time, there were three bears who lived peacefully together in a house in the woods . . . until Goldilocks came along! Great Big, Middle-Sized, and Little Wee readers alike will love this delightful depiction of the original folk tale.

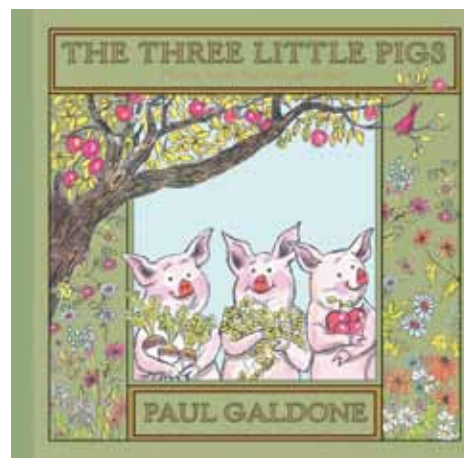
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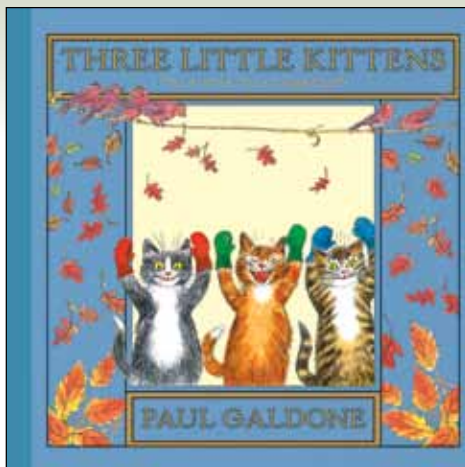
## The Three Little Pigs

“All in all, a very appealing edition of a beloved story.”

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When a hungry wolf huffs, and puffs, and blows in the houses of two little pigs, the third realizes he needs more than a sturdy house of bricks to drive the wolf away. A classic battle of wits, dramatically and charmingly illustrated.

# Timeless tales, by Paul Galdone, with gold foil accents.



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Three little kittens, they lost their mittens, and they began to cry. The three little kittens may be a bit careless, but they always manage to correct their mistakes in this favorite Mother Goose rhyme.

March  
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Grades PreK to 3  
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8 x 8  
CTN 50  
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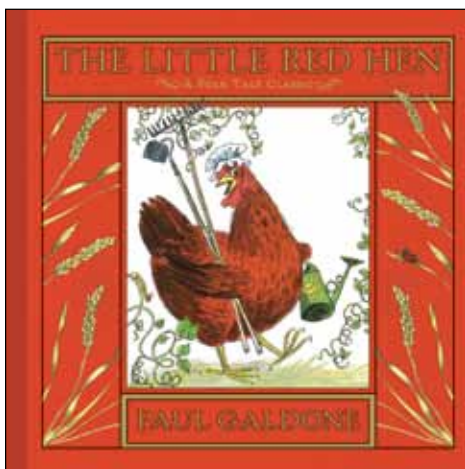
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PICTURE BOOK



## The Little Red Hen

★ “This imaginative rendition will surely help sustain the popularity of this old favorite.”

—*School Library Journal*, starred review

Who will help the little red hen as she toils about the house all day? With its familiar refrain and colorful, humorous artwork, this timeless tale of hard work and perseverance is perfect for sharing.

**Paul Galdone** was born in Budapest in 1907. He was the winner of a Caldecott Honor and illustrated more than three hundred books in his lifetime, many of which are classic retellings.

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8 x 8  
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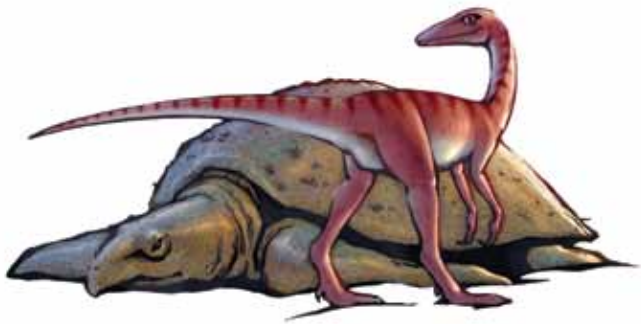
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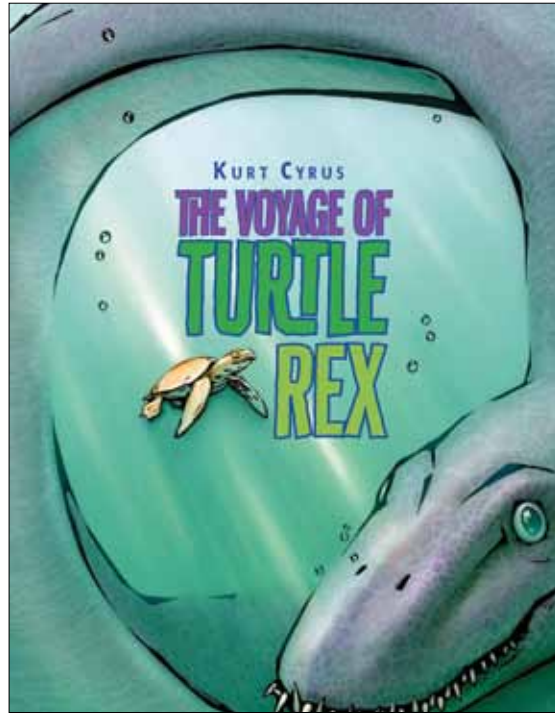
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**A dramatic read-aloud companion to  
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## The Voyage of Turtle Rex

Kurt Cyrus



*Sploosh! Fizz! Swish!* The prehistoric ocean is a dangerous place for a baby sea turtle. But after she emerges from her egg, the treacherous waters are her goal. Swimming through the swirling waves and dodging larger sea creatures, she finds a resting place deep below. There she waits, until she grows into the majestic sea turtle that returns to the sand to lay her own eggs and begin the cycle again.

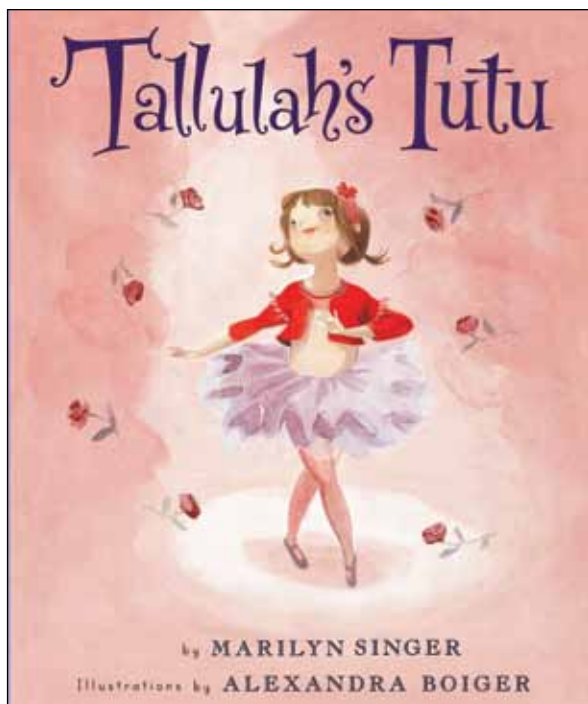
This journey of a small creature in the oceanic world of the dinosaurs is a perfect mix of scientific integrity and dramatic storytelling.

**Kurt Cyrus** is a poet, a writer, and the illustrator of nearly twenty books, many of which he also wrote, among them *Tadpole Rex*, *Oddhopper Opera*, and *Hotel Deep*. He lives near Eugene, Oregon. Visit his website at [www.kurtcyrus.com](http://www.kurtcyrus.com).

**Also by Kurt Cyrus:**

*Tadpole Rex*  
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*Oddhopper Opera*  
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Meet a new star named Tallulah and  
find out what ballet is all about.



## Tallulah's Tutu

Marilyn Singer Illustrated by Alexandra Boiger

Tallulah just knew she could be a great ballerina, if only she had a tutu. So she starts ballet class. When she does not receive a tutu, she quits. But everywhere she goes, things keep reminding her of ballet. Her neighbor's basset hound always stands in second position. The kitchen clock performs perfect *ronds de jambe*. And Tallulah can't seem to stop doing ballet, either. A park bench makes a perfect *barre*, and what better way to pet the dog than with a graceful *plié*?

This well-told, funny story with a smart new character will satisfy girls' cravings for pretty and pink, but also shows that ballet is about more than just the tutu.

**Marilyn Singer** is the author of many books for children, including the highly praised *Mirror Mirror* and *City Lullaby*. She lives in Brooklyn, New York, and Washington, Connecticut. Visit her website at [www.marilynsinger.net](http://www.marilynsinger.net).

**Alexandra Boiger** has illustrated several award-winning picture and chapter books, including *Thanks a Lot, Emily Post!* and *While Mama Had a Quick Little Chat*. Originally from Munich, Germany, she now lives in California. Visit her website at [www.alexandraboiger.com](http://www.alexandraboiger.com).

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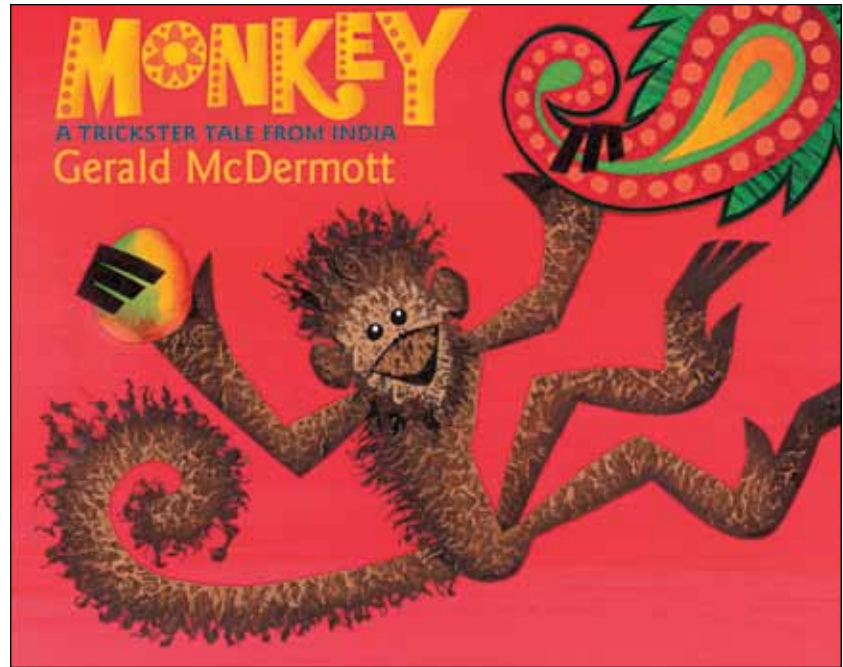
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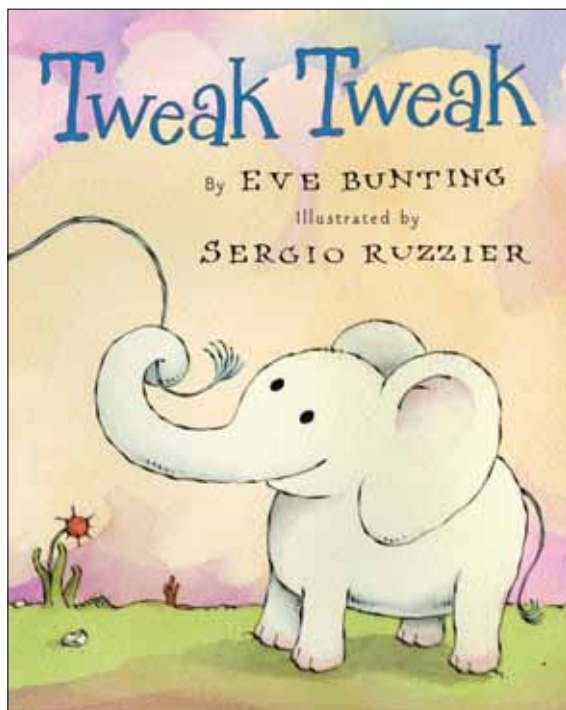
Gerald McDermott

Monkey is hungry for the delicious mangoes on the island in the river, but he can't swim! How will he get there? Crocodile offers to carry Monkey across the water on his back, so Monkey hops aboard. Trouble is, Crocodile is hungry, too—for Monkey! Will clever Monkey come up with a way to get the mangoes *and* escape Crocodile's sharp teeth?

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Eve Bunting Illustrated by Sergio Ruzzier

Little Elephant and Mama Elephant are going for a walk. “Hold on to my tail,” says Mama. “If you want to ask me a question, tweak twice.”

*Tweak, tweak!* “Mama, what is that?” Little Elephant is curious about the frog, the monkey, the songbird, the butterfly, and the crocodile—and especially about what a little elephant can do. Mama knows just how to answer, to help her cherished Little Elephant grow.

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**Eve Bunting** is the esteemed and beloved author of more than two hundred children’s books. Her work has been honored with the Regina Medal and the Golden Kite Award, and she wrote the text for the Caldecott Medal book *Smoky Night*. She lives in Pasadena, California.

**Sergio Ruzzier** has illustrated for Karla Kuskin, Lore Segal, and Emily Jenkins and has many other titles that he also wrote. His work has been honored by American Illustration and the Society of Illustrators. He lives in New York City.

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## These Hands

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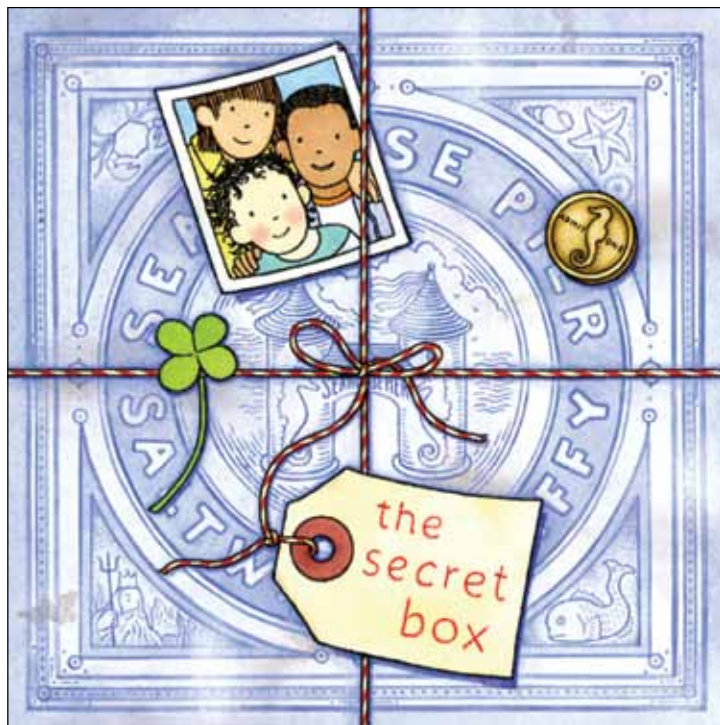
Joseph's grandpa could do almost anything with his hands. He could play the piano, throw a curveball, and tie a triple bowline knot in three seconds flat. But in the 1950s and 60s, he could not bake bread at the Wonder Bread factory. Factory bosses said white people would not want to eat bread touched by the hands of the African Americans who worked there.

In this powerful intergenerational story, Joseph learns that people joined their hands together to fight discrimination so that one day, their hands—Joseph's hands—could do *anything at all in this whole wide world*.

**Margaret H. Mason** learned about the Detroit Wonder Bread factory's discriminatory policies from an old friend and Bakers Union stalwart. She lives in Ferndale, Michigan. Visit her website at [www.margarethmason.com](http://www.margarethmason.com).

The illustrator of more than sixty children's books, **Floyd Cooper** is a past recipient of the Coretta Scott King Award for Illustration and a four-time recipient of the Coretta Scott King Honor Award. He lives in Pennsylvania with his family. Visit his website at [www.floydcooper.com](http://www.floydcooper.com).

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You'll never know what you'll find when you look inside!

**Barbara Lehman** is the creator of Caldecott Honor winner and *New York Times* bestseller *The Red Book*, as well as *Museum Trip*, *Rainstorm*, and *Trainstop*. She lives in Claverack, New York.



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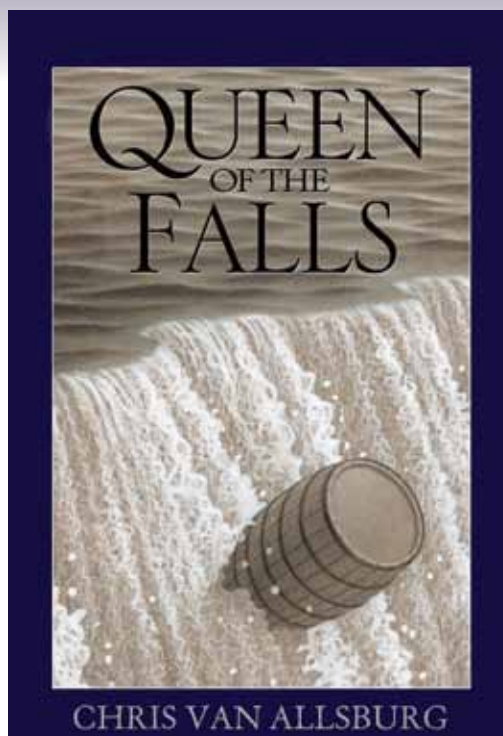
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## Queen of the Falls

Chris Van Allsburg

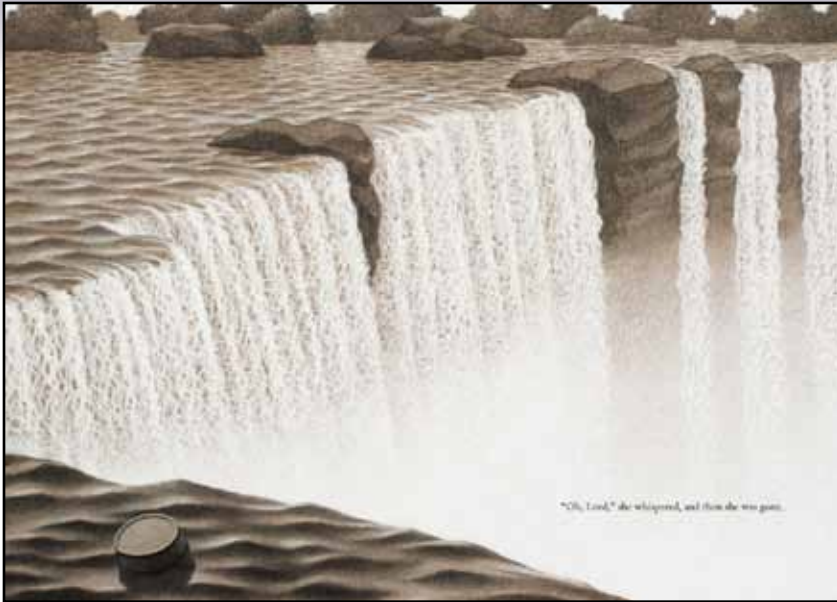
*She could remember standing in a park near the falls, hypnotized by the sight and sound, and holding her father's hand as they took a walk that would lead them closer.*

*That's what everyone wonders when they see Niagara . . . How close will their courage let them get to it?*

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“Mr. Van Allsburg’s illustrations have a beautiful simplicity of design, balance, texture, and a subtle intelligence beyond the call of illustration.”  
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*Why had so many people gathered to watch a barrel plunge over the waterfall? Wouldn't the tons of water pounding onto the rocks below have simply broken it to pieces? And yet there they stood, watching and waiting, holding their breath—waiting, because they all knew the barrel was not empty.*



**Chris Van Allsburg** has won two Caldecott Medals, for *Jumanji* and *The Polar Express*, a Caldecott Honor for *The Garden of Abdul Gasazi*, the National Book Award, and the Regina Medal for lifetime achievement in children's literature. He lives in Rhode Island with his wife and two children. He has never gone over Niagara Falls in a barrel.

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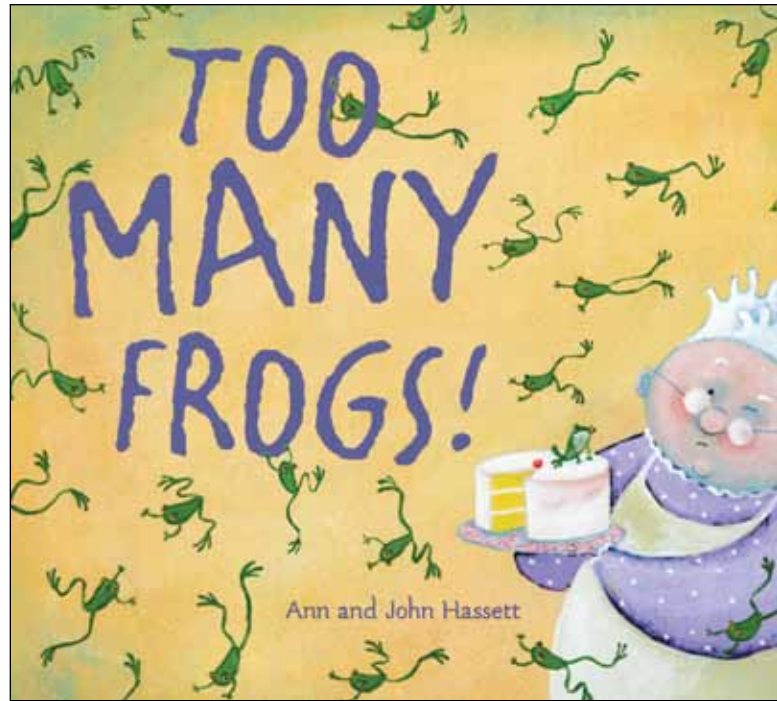
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**A perfect read-aloud featuring counting,  
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## Too Many Frogs!

Ann Hassett Illustrated by John Hassett

Nana Quimby has a problem. She wants to bake a cake, but it seems her cellar is filled with water! Too much water! Nana puts a call in to the plumber, who makes a house call. After the plumber leaves and the water is gone, with just one thump, Nana Quimby has an even bigger problem: TOO MANY FROGS! First one frog comes from the basement. Then ten frogs. Then twenty, thirty, then more! Nana Quimby goes about her cake-making business. But the thumping, bumping, banging, bonking frogs become too much to ignore! With the help of some clever neighborhood kids, will Nana Quimby be able to solve her problem and enjoy her cake in peace and quiet? CROAK!

**Ann** and **John Hassett** live in an old yellow farmhouse on the Maine coast. They have never had frogs, but they have shared their home with a cow, a pig, four sheep, a guinea pig, a white rabbit, three dogs, a cat, twenty-three chickens, and three goats, as well as mice in the walls.

Visit their website at [hassettbooks.wordpress.com](http://hassettbooks.wordpress.com).

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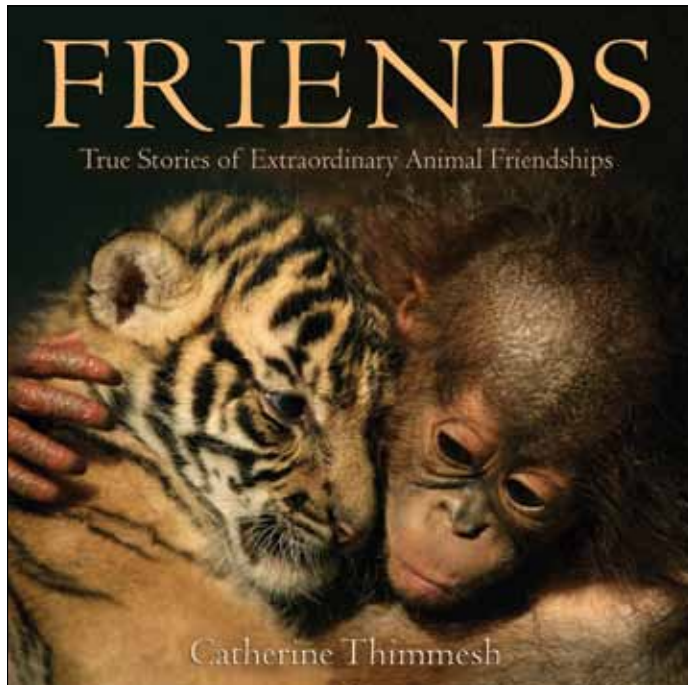
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*True Stories of Extraordinary Animal Friendships*

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What makes a camel friends with a Vietnamese pig? Or a wild polar bear pals with a sled dog? In this young preschool book, Catherine Thimmesh makes us wonder at the truth and mystery of unlikely animal friendships. Because the stories behind these friendships are true, not contrived, captured by photographers in many countries ranging from Siberia to Japan, they not only give readers insight into animals but challenge preconceived notions about compatibility. This book also expresses tolerance of differences and makes us look at the kindness of animals—and humans—a little differently.

**Catherine Thimmesh** is the award-winning author of many books for children, including *Team Moon*, winner of the Sibert Medal. Her books have received numerous starred reviews, appeared on best books lists, and won many awards, including the IRA Children's Book Award and Minnesota Book Award. She lives in Minnesota with her family. Visit her website at [www.catherinethimmesh.com](http://www.catherinethimmesh.com).



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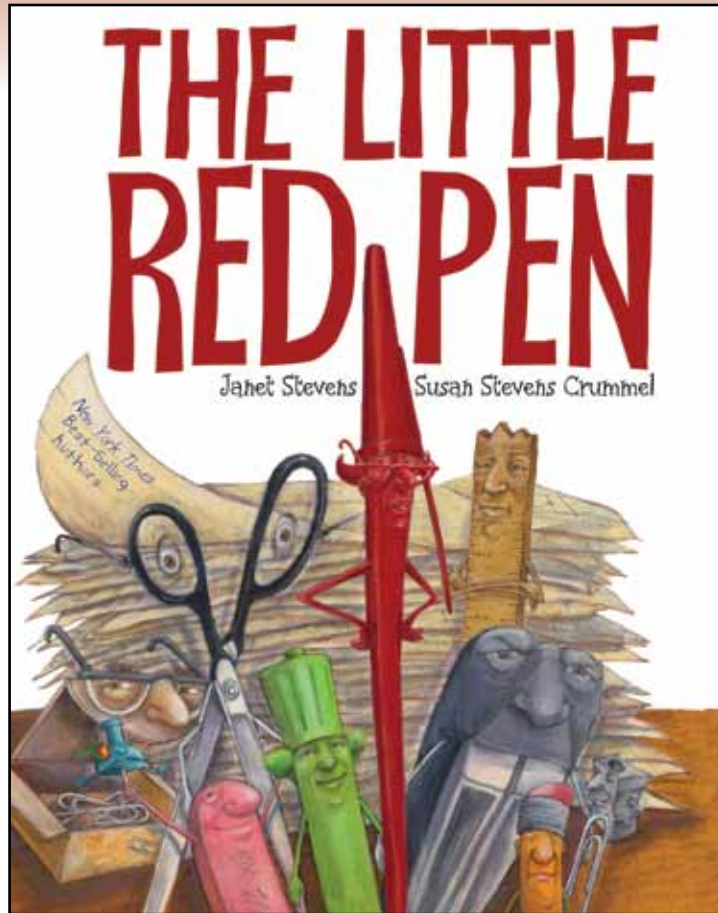
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## The Little Red Pen

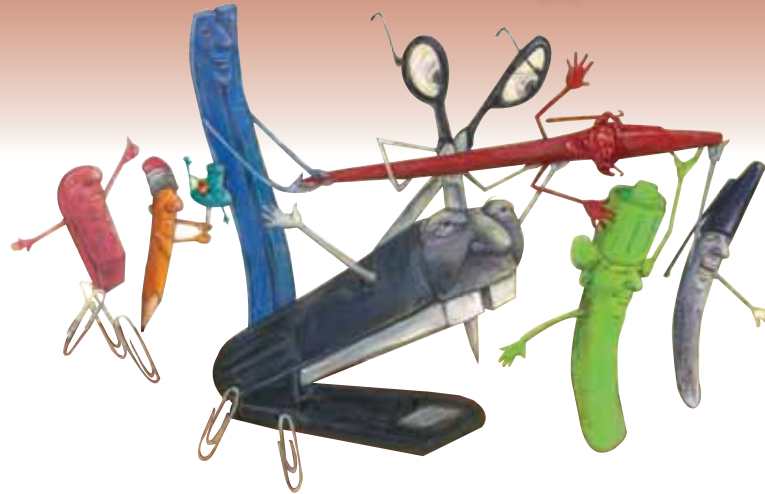
Janet Stevens and Susan Stevens Crummel



Poor Little Red Pen! She can't possibly correct a mountain of homework all by herself. Who will help her? "Not I!" says Stapler. "Not I!" says Eraser. "¡Yo no!" says Pushpin, a.k.a. Señorita Chincheta. But when the Little Red Pen tumbles in exhaustion into the Pit of No Return (the trash!), her fellow school supplies must get themselves out of the desk drawer and work together to rescue her. Trouble is, their plan depends on Tank, the rotund class hamster, who's not inclined to cooperate. Will the Little Red Pen be lost forever?

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### Also by Janet Stevens and Susan Stevens Crummel:



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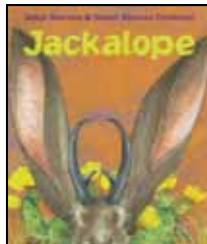
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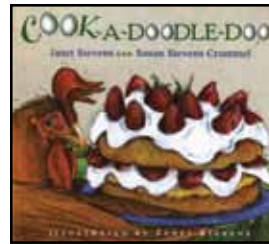
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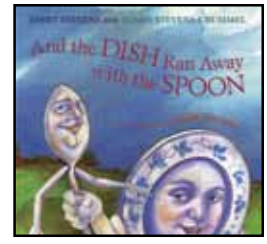


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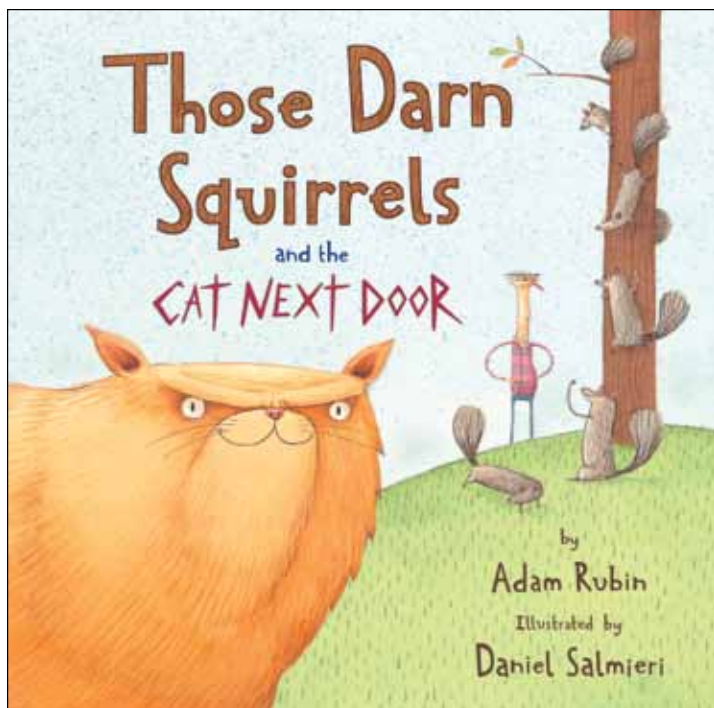
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**John Grandits** is a book and magazine designer and the author of *Technically, It’s Not My Fault* and *Blue Lipstick*, award-winning books of concrete poetry, as well as *The Travel Game*. He and his wife, Joanne, live in Red Bank, New Jersey. Visit his website at [www.johngrandits.com](http://www.johngrandits.com).

**Michael Allen Austin** is the award-winning illustrator of several children’s books. He lives in Atlanta with his wife, Kim, and their own wild animal, Riley the sheepdog. Visit his website at [www.austinillustration.com](http://www.austinillustration.com).

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## Those Darn Squirrels and the Cat Next Door

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**Adam Rubin** lives in Chicago, Illinois. Since the publication of *Those Darn Squirrels!* he has become a major celebrity in the squirrel community.

**Daniel Salmieri** lives in Brooklyn, New York. To prepare for this book, he painted the squirrels in his backyard—which thoroughly annoyed the squirrels, who didn't like being covered in paint. Visit his website at [www.danielsalmieri.com](http://www.danielsalmieri.com).



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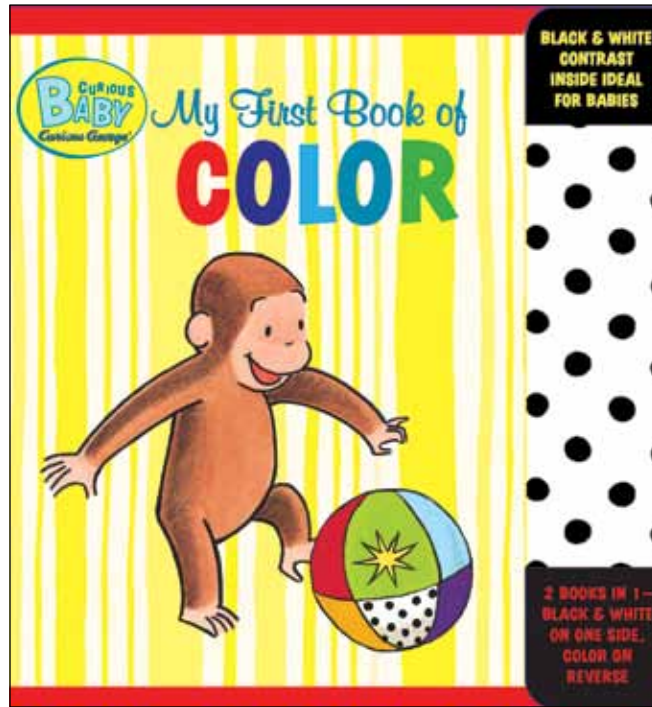
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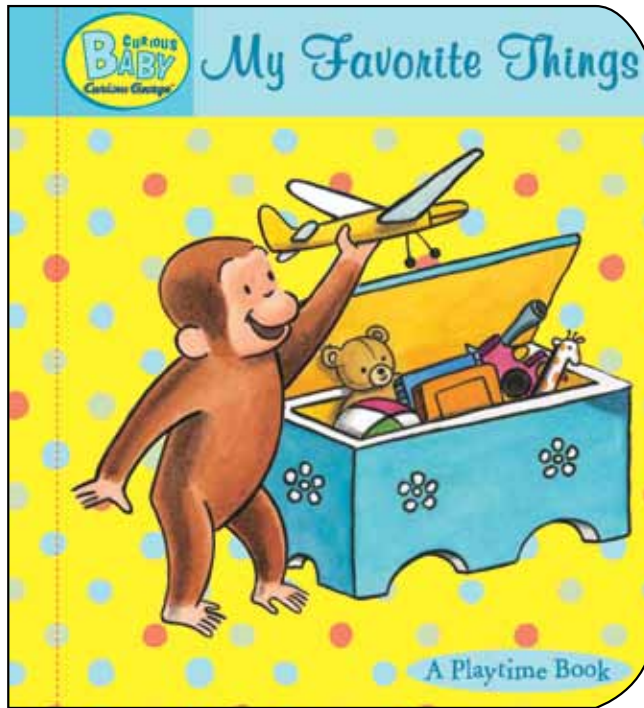
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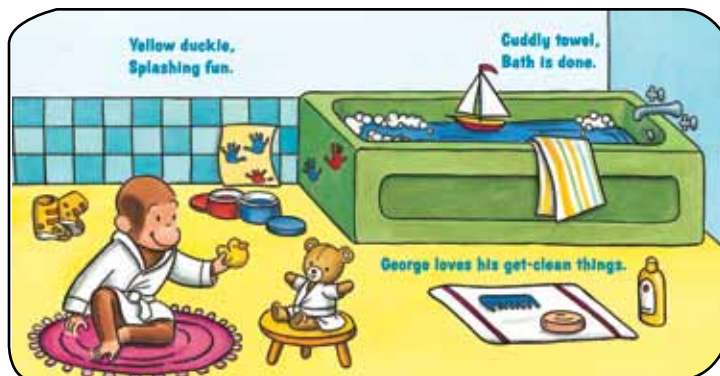


## Curious Baby My Favorite Things (Curious George Padded Board Book)

H. A. Rey

This adorable padded board book follows George and his beloved teddy as they adventure together. The sweet and engaging story encourages babies to follow along and discover all of George's favorite things—from soft, warm blankets to fresh bananas to his yellow duckie. At the end they will discover George's *most* favorite thing of all!

The padded front and back covers and sturdy board book pages make this perfect for little hands. The book also includes ideas for playtime use.

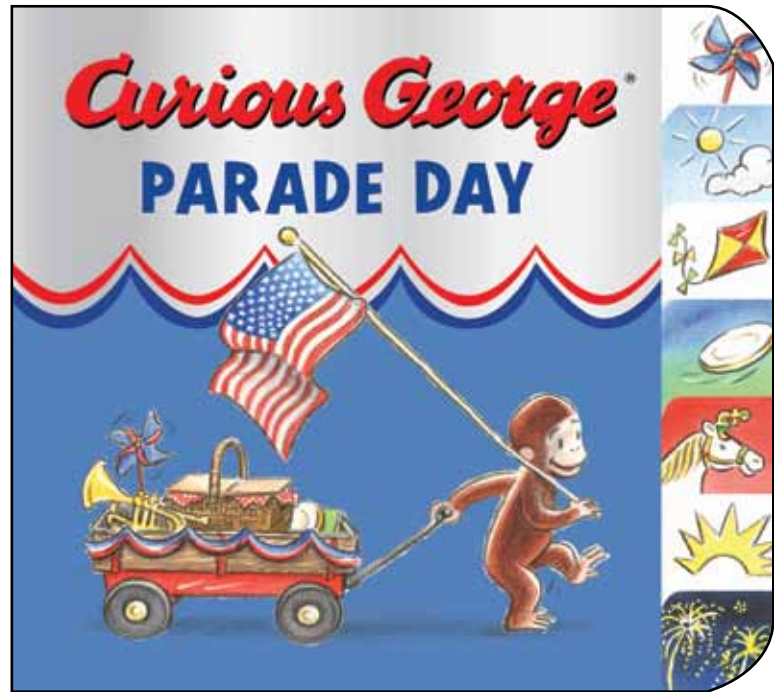


May  
 Ages up to 3  
 Grades PreK  
 14 pages  
 9 x 8  
 CTN 50  
 Terr: World  
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 Board book

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**978-0-547-47282-9**

**A tabbed board book about the excitement—  
 and mischief—George finds at the parade.**



## Curious George Parade Day

*Tabbed Board Book*



There's nothing like waiting for something special and magical to happen. Today George is waiting for a parade to start! But before it does, this little monkey manages to find—and make—plenty of mischief. When the fun gets a little out of control, George must save the parade . . . but will it mean he misses a spectacular end to the day? Each spread features a short poem and the fun tabbed pages are perfect for little fingers!

**More Curious George tabbed  
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*Happy Thanksgiving, Curious George*  
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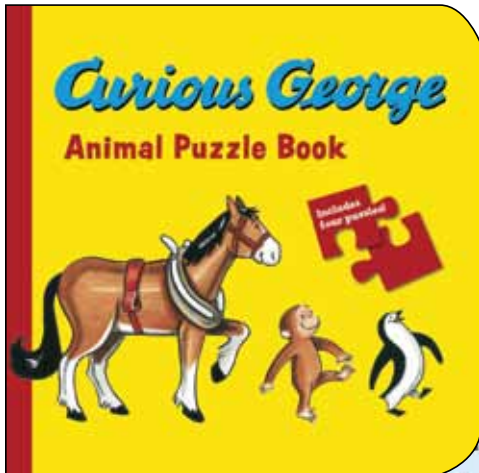
*Happy Halloween, Curious George*

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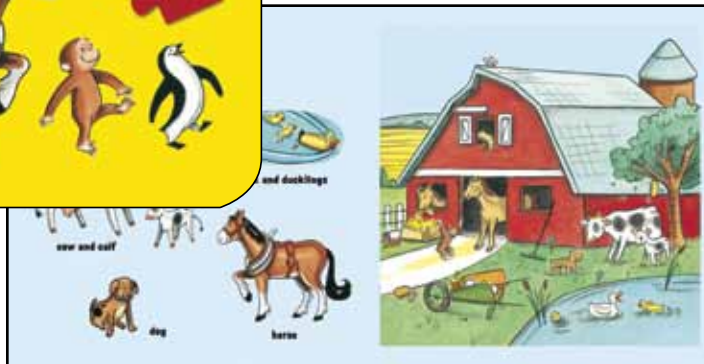
**A pair of Curious George novelty books, each with four chunky jigsaw puzzles—perfect for little hands.**

Two exciting and innovative novelty books about Curious George! Both books feature fun poems about George visiting his animal friends or exploring the four seasons, plus four four-piece jigsaw puzzles. Preschoolers will love pointing out familiar creatures and weather cues and assembling the age-appropriate puzzles to complete the illustrations. Great for reading aloud and playtime!

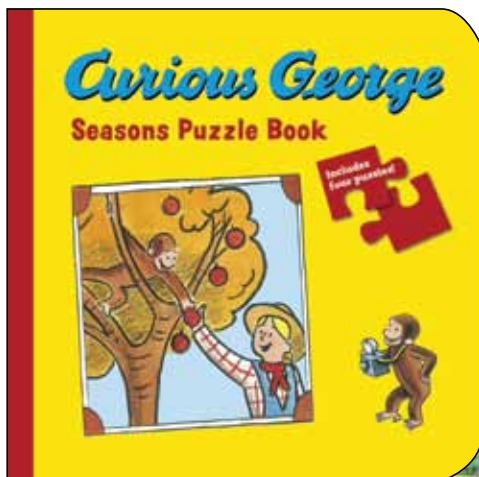


**Curious George  
Animal  
Puzzle Book**

March  
Ages up to 3  
Grades PreK  
10 pages  
7 x 7  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
B/T/A/S: HMH  
P/M: Universal  
Board book

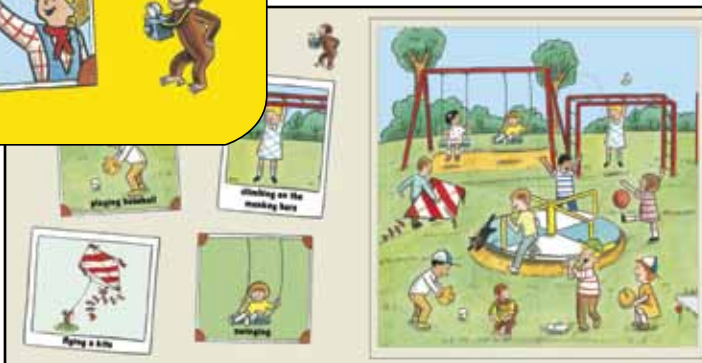


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**Curious George  
Seasons  
Puzzle Book**

March  
Ages up to 3  
Grades PreK  
10 pages  
7 x 7  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
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Board book



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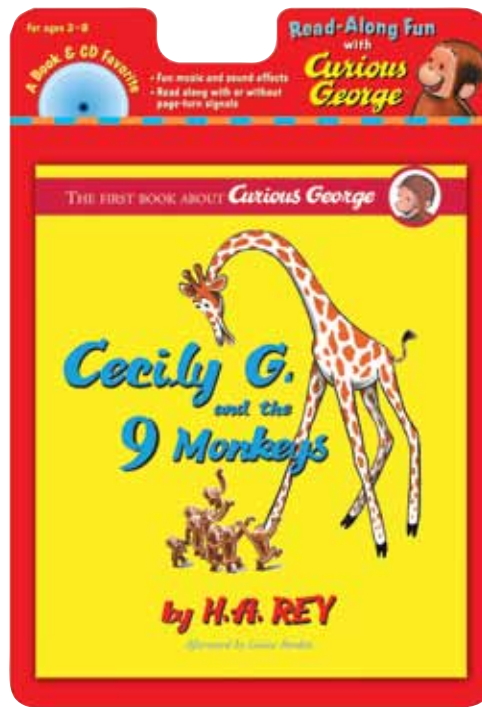
BOARD BOOK

BOARD BOOK

April  
 Ages 4 to 8  
 Grades PreK to 3  
 48 pages  
 8 ½ x 10 ⅛  
 CTN 1  
 Terr: World  
 Rights:  
 B/T/A: HMH  
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**The first story to feature Curious George  
 now in a book and CD set.**



## Curious George: Cecily G. and the Nine Monkeys Book and CD

H. A. Rey Afterword by Louise Borden

“There is originality and a childlike humor in both the amusing antics and engaging pictures.” —*Booklist*

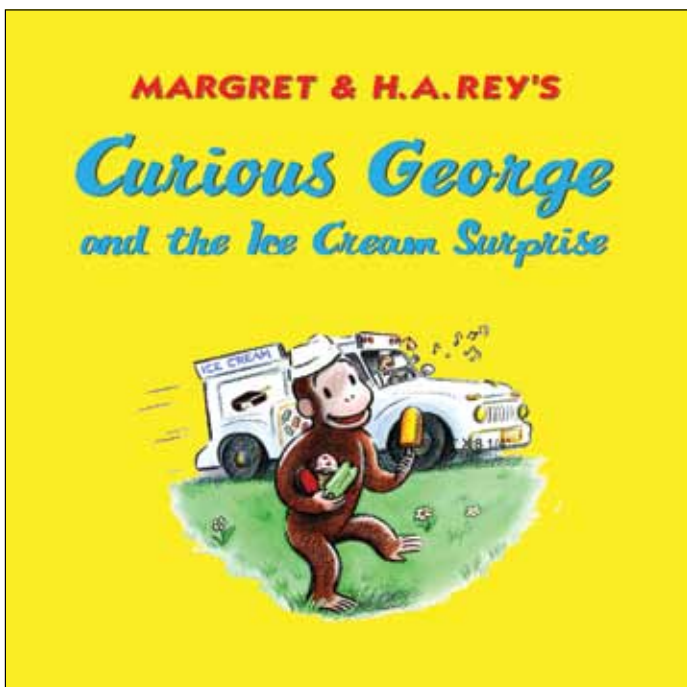
Cecily G. is a lonely giraffe who finds herself befriended by nine monkeys—including everyone’s favorite curious monkey! Together they share many adventures—from skiing to sailing to the heroic saving of Cecily’s house. This first story featuring Curious George showcases the adventure and humor readers love about the Reys’ stories. This edition of the book includes Louise Borden’s engaging afterword that places *Cecily G.* in historical context vis-a-vis the development of Curious George and the Reys’ personal immigration journey.

**Louise Borden** is the acclaimed author of many books, including *The Journey That Saved Curious George*. She lives in Cincinnati, Ohio. Visit her website at [www.louiseborden.com](http://www.louiseborden.com).



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 (Book & CD)  
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During a heat wave George makes mischief everyone can enjoy. Ice cream!



## Curious George and the Ice Cream Surprise

H. A. Rey

George is looking for a way to beat the summer heat. Swimming, running through sprinklers, a glass of lemonade—none can help George cool off! What George really wants is a sweet, cold treat from the ice cream truck, but will he ever catch it?



May  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
B/T/A/S: HMH  
P/M: Universal  
Picture book

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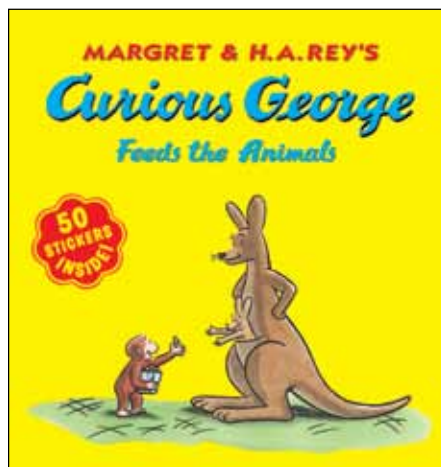
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 Ages 4 to 8  
 Grades PreK to 3  
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 8 x 8  
 CTN 50  
 Terr: World  
 Rights:  
 B/T/A: HMH  
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 Picture book  
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**Two favorite Curious George adventures,  
 now with 50 stickers each.**



**Margret and H.A. Rey's  
 Curious George  
 Feeds the Animals**

When a cuddly koala takes an interest in George's snack at the zoo, George is happy to share. In fact, George is happy to share with ALL the animals! Following a trail of peanuts, the zookeepers soon catch up with George and discover this little monkey is good for more than just mischief.

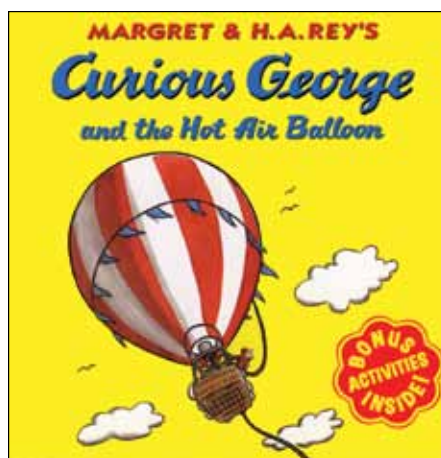
Now includes a sheet of fun animal stickers!

June  
 Ages 4 to 8  
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**Margret and H.A. Rey's  
 Curious George and  
 the Hot Air Balloon**

While visiting Mt. Rushmore, George and the man with the yellow hat decide to stop at a hot air balloon race. Before long, the rope tethering one of the balloons proves too tempting to George. He decides to climb it and finds himself on an unplanned high-flying adventure!

Now includes a sheet of fifty fun road-trip-themed stickers!

Two favorite adventures offered as English/  
Spanish bilingual editions for the first time.



## Margret and H.A. Rey's Curious George at the Baseball Game *Bilingual Edition*

Play ball! George and the man with the yellow hat are going to a baseball game. Between the game, the cheering crowd, the food, and the big TV camera, George doesn't know what to explore first! One little curious monkey and so many things to see leads to one exciting day at the ballpark!

The new English/Spanish edition includes highly readable text and bilingual bonus activities.

March  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
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Picture book

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## Margret and H.A. Rey's Curious George Visits the Library *Bilingual Edition*

George is lucky to arrive at the library just in time for story hour. But it's not easy for a little monkey to sit still too long. George finds so many books he wants to read and can't wait to take them home. From selecting books to getting his very own library card, George's day at the library celebrates all the fun of reading!

The new English/Spanish edition includes highly readable text and bilingual bonus activities.

May  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: US, C, O  
Rights:  
B: Walker  
T/A: HMH  
P/M: Universal  
Picture book

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March  
 Ages 4 to 8  
 Grades PreK to 3  
 24 pages  
 8 x 8  
 CTN 50  
 Terr: World  
 Rights:  
 B/T/A/S: HMH  
 P/M: Universal  
 Picture book

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**978-0-547-31586-7**

Bonus weather  
 mobile included!

April  
 Ages 4 to 8  
 Grades PreK to 3  
 24 pages  
 6 x 9  
 CTN 50  
 Terr: World  
 Rights:  
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 P/M: Universal  
 Green Light Reader Level 1

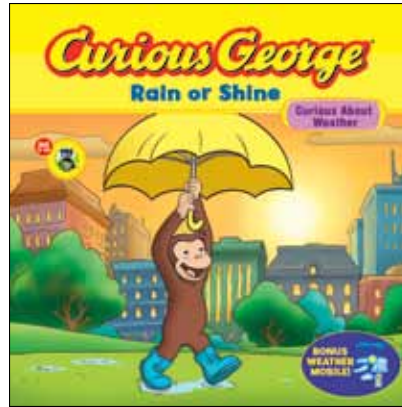
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## George discovers that he might be able to predict the weather.

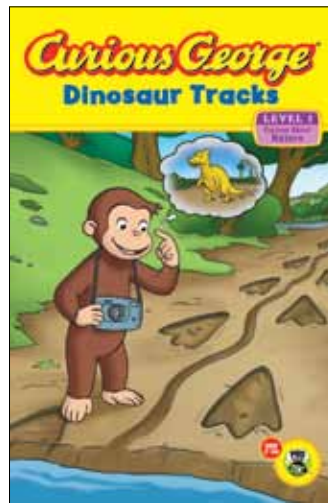


### Curious George Rain or Shine

George wants to play outside, but the weather keeps changing his plans! He decides to create a weather journal by drawing pictures of the sky each day. But George soon discovers that predicting the weather isn't easy. After rain ruins his picnic and he stays indoors on a beautiful sunny day, he decides to study wind patterns. Then the city's weather station loses its satellite, and the scientists turn to George for help—but is he ready for his debut as a meteorologist?

Includes a punch-out weather mobile, as well as instructions on how to make your own weather journal and how to create your own tornado!

## George thinks he's discovered the perfect animal for his wildlife photo collection—a real dinosaur!

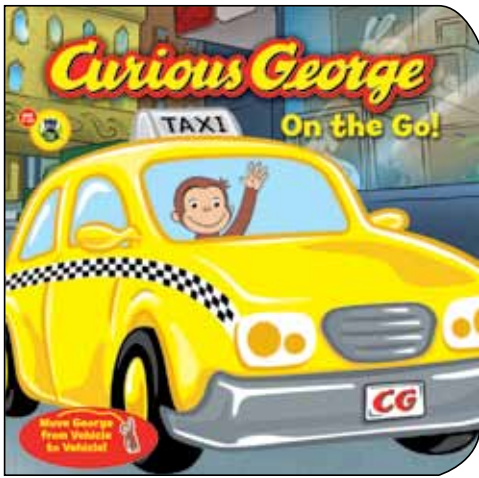


### Curious George Dinosaur Tracks

George is taking pictures of wild animals and their tracks for his photo collection. While looking for the fawn his friend Bill spotted, he finds an unusual set of tracks. George thinks he has discovered dinosaur footprints—which would make the perfect addition to his collection! In hopes of getting a photo, he attempts to lure the dinosaur with food, but quickly remembers that some dinosaurs are not friendly. Eventually George discovers the real culprit behind the tracks and it's not what he expects!

Fun activities include instructions on how to create your own plaster cast of an animal track and a matching activity. Now bilingual!

**Beep, beep! A movable George "travels" with each vehicle in this board book.**



## Curious George On the Go

Ready, set, go! Curious George is on the go in this new concept board book for toddlers. The book includes a double-sided George attached to a ribbon that can be slipped in and out of pockets that appear on each spread. Each pocket puts George in a different vehicle—a fire truck, a taxi, a convertible, an airplane, and even a rocket ship!

May  
Ages up to 3  
Grades PreK  
10 pages  
7 x 7  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
B/T/A/S: HMH  
P/M: Universal  
Board book

### HMH Books

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**Follow George hour by hour through a fun-filled day in kindergarten.**



## Curious George Time for School

Learn to tell time with Curious George using this 8x8 storybook featuring a fold-out clock. The fun and engaging text chronicles George's visit to kindergarten and the variety of activities he encounters throughout the day, such as storytime, playtime, and of course lunchtime! The sturdy fold-out page at the front of the book reveals a clock with movable plastic hands. Young readers can change the time as George moves from one adventure to the next.

July  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
16 pages  
8 x 8  
CTN 50  
Terr: World  
Rights:  
B/T/A/S: HMH  
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Novelty

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## Every baby is a curious baby!

All babies are naturally curious about their world. So, who better to help them explore than Curious George? Curious Baby books are created especially for babies ages 0–3. They are designed to follow the natural interest babies have in the world around them.



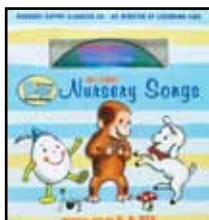
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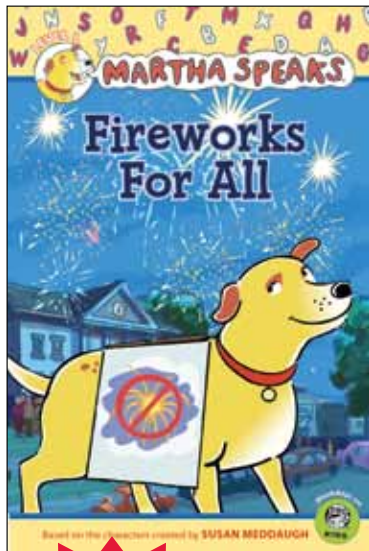


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- Ad Council / Library of Congress PSA campaign
- May 2010–May 2012: print, online, and outdoor ads
- Ads featuring Curious George encourage parents to read with their children and inspire them to become curious readers for a lifetime.

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**Can Martha and her dog friends make their voices heard over the frightening din of the summertime fireworks?**



Now  
bilingual!

Susan Meddaugh's  
**MARTHA SPEAKS**  
**Fireworks for All**

For Martha and the other dogs in town, Saturday-night fireworks are the worst part of summer—they are so scary to canines with their sensitive ears! Crabby Mrs. Demson couldn't agree more. In fact, she's collecting signatures for a petition to ban fireworks, and Martha is happy to add her pawprint to the list. But when Helen and her friends are devastated about the fireworks ban, Martha realizes that she helped Mrs. Demson ruin their fun. Can Martha find a way to reverse the ban and still protect her doggy ears?

With fun word activities that highlight the new vocabulary, including a complete-the-sentence activity.

April  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
6 x 9  
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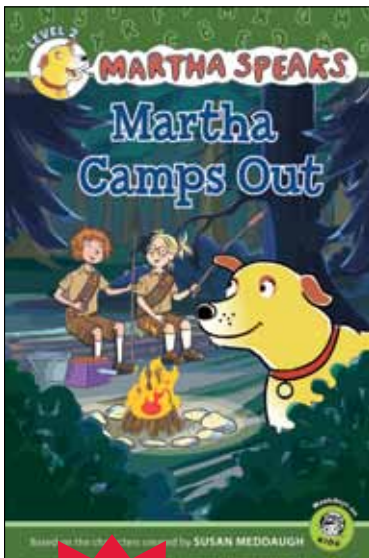
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**Martha and her friends go on a camping trip and hope they don't encounter any Bigfoot monsters.**



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Susan Meddaugh's  
**MARTHA SPEAKS**  
**Martha Camps Out**

Alice and Helen plan to go camping to earn their Junior Gophers badges. When Ronald finds out, he warns them about Big Minnie, a mythical monster who lives in the woods. Undeterred, the campers set off. After all, everybody knows Big Minnie's imaginary. Or is she?

Includes a fun pretend camping trip activity.

April  
Ages 4 to 8  
Grades PreK to 3  
24 pages  
6 x 9  
CTN 50  
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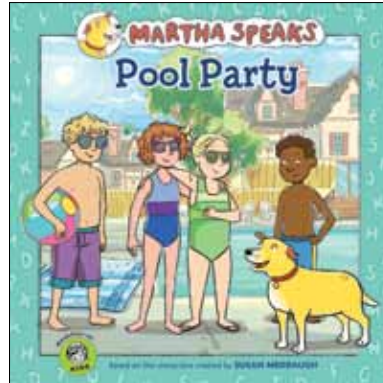
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**Martha and friends try to find a solution to Alice's sunscreen disaster so she won't miss the biggest neighborhood pool party ever.**



Susan Meddaugh's  
**MARTHA SPEAKS**  
**Pool Party**

It's the pool party of the season! Every kid in town is going, especially with temperatures at an all-time high. But after Alice mistakes sun bronzer for sun block, Martha, Helen, and friends try to find a way for Alice to still go to the party and feel comfortable in her own—very orange!—skin.

Includes a fun sun protection kit activity!

May  
 Ages 6 to 9  
 Grades 1 to 4  
 96 pages  
 5 1/4 x 7 5/8  
 CTN 50  
 Terr: World  
 Rights:  
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 A: HMH  
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 Chapter book

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**978-0-547-42891-8**

E-book available  
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**Martha and Skits get ready for a real-life cattle drive with the stubbornest cows in the Wild, Wild West!**



Susan Meddaugh's  
**MARTHA SPEAKS**  
**Martha and Skits**  
**Out West**

Martha's family and Skits are going out west on vacation, and Martha doesn't want to be left behind. But that cargo hold where dogs have to travel sounds scary. Martha has to prove that she's no scaredy-dog if she wants to go on the trip. After they arrive, Martha is so excited to go on a cattle drive through Montana. But Cookie the cowhand isn't so sure that Martha is fit for the trip after she causes a stampede. Can Martha show Cookie that she has what it takes to be at home on the range?

Includes a glossary, instructions on creating your own travel journal, and a fun western word activity.



# MARTHA SPEAKS™

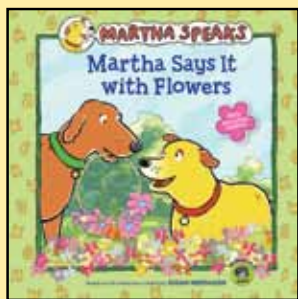


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“Martha’s vocab skills will inspire your child.”  
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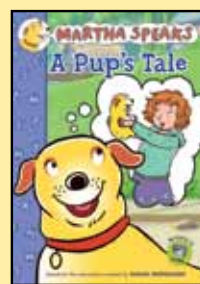
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\$14.99 POB / \$18.99 CAN



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978-0-547-36903-7  
\$15.00 POB / \$18.95 CAN



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## MARTHA SPEAKS

## Marketing

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**Canine Caper Event kit**  
Throw a Martha party in your store, school, or library. Games, activities, and instructions are on [www.marthathetalkingdog.com](http://www.marthathetalkingdog.com).

**Martha costumes are available for your events!** Just call Costume Specialists at (800) 596-9357.

**Martha plush dolls!** These cute and cuddly dolls are available from Kids Preferred.

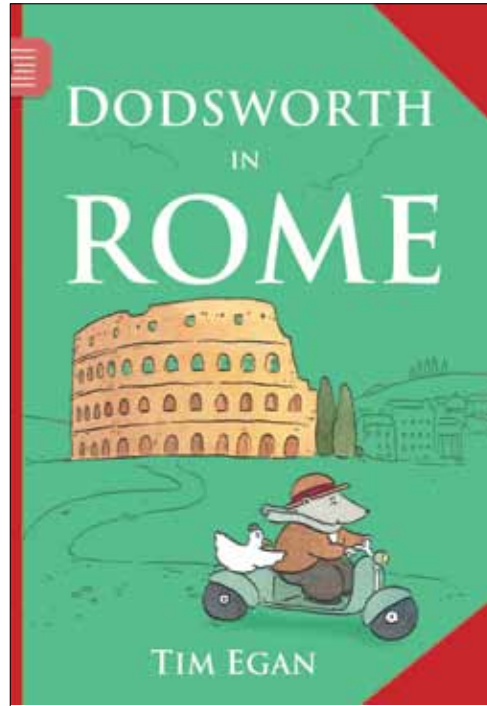
Martha posts and promotion on Twitter, Facebook, and blogs!

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 Early reader

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## Dodsworth and his charming duck roam to yet another city: Rome!

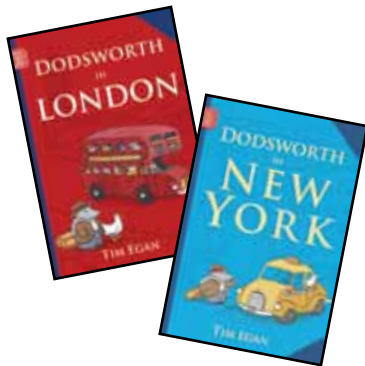


## Dodsworth in Rome

Tim Egan

With trips to New York, Paris, and London under their belts, it's now time for Dodsworth and the duck to visit Rome! From throwing coins into the Trevi Fountain to winning a pizza-dough-throwing contest to looking up at the Sistine Chapel ceiling, Dodsworth and his misbehaving duck take a tour of their oldest city yet. With Tim Egan's snappy words and playful illustrations, it will surely be a spaghetti-twirling sight to see. *Ciao!*

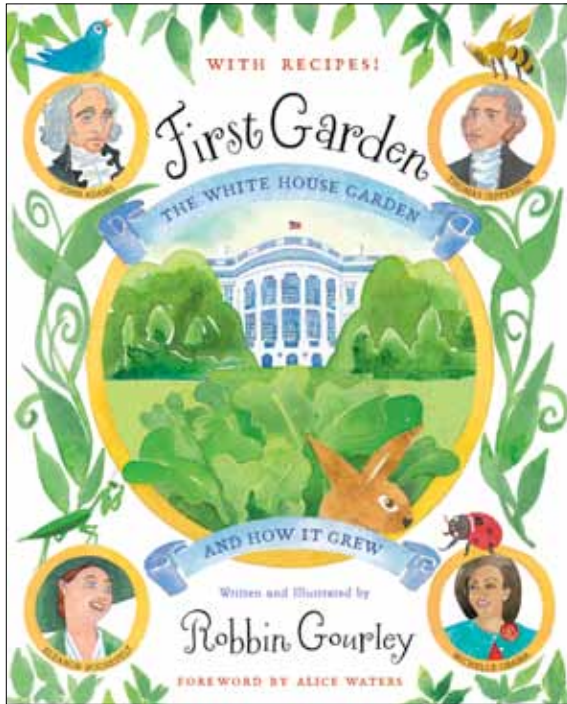
**Tim Egan** is the author and illustrator of several humorous tales for children. He is consistently recognized for his individuality and delightful illustrations. He lives in Southern California with his wife, Ann, and their two sons. Visit his website at [www.timegan.com](http://www.timegan.com).



**Also by Tim Egan:**

*Dodsworth in London*  
 978-0-547-13816-9  
 \$15.00 Rnf. / \$18.95 CAN  
 978-0-547-41440-9  
 \$4.99 PA / \$5.99 CAN  
*Dodsworth in New York*  
 978-0-618-77708-2  
 \$15.00 Rnf. / \$18.95 CAN  
 978-0-547-24831-8  
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**The first picture book to focus on the White House kitchen garden established by Michelle Obama.**



## First Garden

*The White House Garden and How It Grew*

Robbin Gourley

Foreword by Alice Waters

The White House kitchen garden, part of Michelle Obama's campaign to encourage healthful eating, was established in 2009. This book tells the story of Mrs. Obama's garden, as well as the story of the White House grounds, the other gardens (including Eleanor Roosevelt's Victory Garden in World War II) that came before, the White House children who have played there, and the teamwork, involving local children as well as the Obama family and White House staff, that led to the garden now flourishing on the South Lawn. This is a lighthearted, entertaining, and lavishly illustrated introduction to an inspiring and much-publicized project. *Includes recipes.*

**Robbin Gourley** grew up in North Carolina and spent summers on her grandmother's farm, growing, gathering, preparing, and eating delicious food from the garden. She has worked as an art director of children's books and has illustrated many cookbooks, two of which she also wrote. She lives in Brooklyn, New York, with her family. Visit her website at [www.robbingourley.com](http://www.robbingourley.com).

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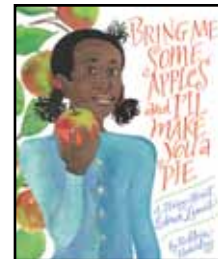
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E-book available  
978-0-547-57404-2

**MARKETING:**

- Select author appearances
- Online promotions
- Recipe card
- Downloadable activity sheet
- Conference promotions



**Also by Robbin Gourley:**

*Bring Me Some Apples  
and I'll Make You a Pie*

978-0-618-15836-2  
\$16.00 CL / \$19.95 CAN

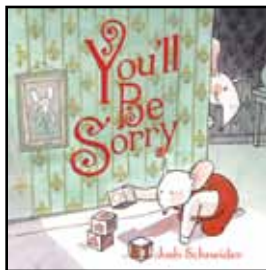
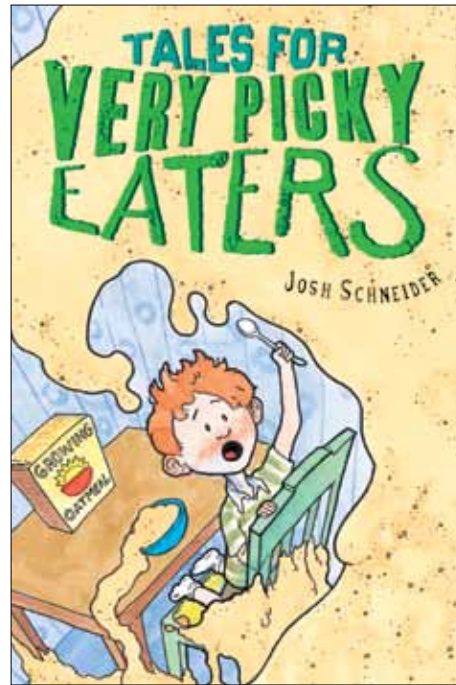
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**Another hilarious, over-the-top take  
 on a common childhood issue.**



**Also by Josh Schneider:**

*You'll Be Sorry*

978-0-618-81932-4  
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## Tales for Very Picky Eaters

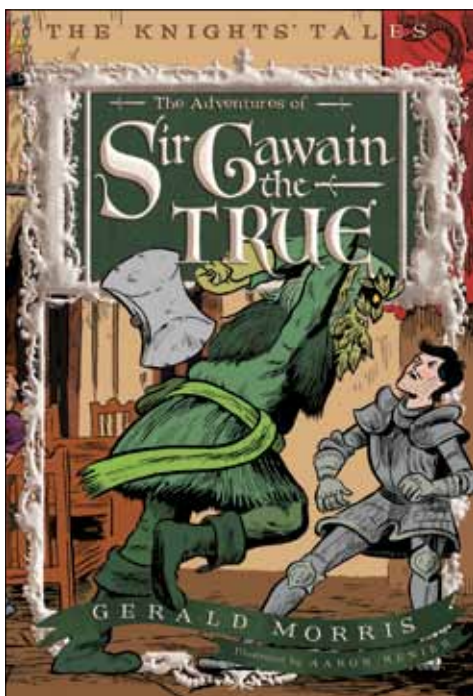
Josh Schneider

James is a very picky eater. His dad has to get creative—very creative—in order to get James to eat foods he thinks he doesn't like. He presents James with a series of out-landish scenarios packed with fanciful and gross kid-friendly details—like pre-chewed gum as an alternative to broccoli and lumpy oatmeal that grows so big it eats the dog—in an effort to get James to eat. But it is eventually James himself who discovers that some foods are not so bad, after all, if you're willing to give them a try.

This irreverently hilarious early reader, illustrated in full color, explores a universal point of contention between parent and child in a playful, satisfying way.

**Josh Schneider's** first book for Clarion, *You'll Be Sorry*, was named a "Book That Provides Best Ammunition to Parents Weary of Warning Their Kids About Socking Their Siblings" by *Publishers Weekly* magazine. Josh lives in Chicago. He is very brave and can eat lots of scary foods (although he doesn't).

**Hear ye, hear ye! Joust into the adventures of Sir Gawain in book three of the Knights' Tales series.**



April  
Ages 6 to 9  
Grades 1 to 4  
128 pages  
5 ¼ x 7 ¾  
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**MARKETING:**

- ARC mailings and giveaways
- Bookmark
- Conference promotions

## The Adventures of Sir Gawain the True

Gerald Morris Illustrated by Aaron Renier

In the third installment in the Knights' Tales series, Gerald Morris tells the laugh-out-loud tale of King Arthur's most celebrated knight, and nephew, Sir Gawain and the Green Knight. With lively illustrations by Aaron Renier, Morris creates a captivating and comical medieval world that teems with humor and wonder.

This chapter book is sure to set young readers on another rollicking and hilarious Arthurian adventure!

**Gerald Morris** lives in Wausau, Wisconsin, with his wife and their three children. In addition to writing he serves as a minister in a church.

**Aaron Renier** is the recipient of the Will Eisner Comic Industry Award for Talent Deserving Wider Recognition and received a nomination for best children's album in 2005. Visit his website at [www.aaronrenier.com](http://www.aaronrenier.com).



**Also by Gerald Morris:**

*The Adventures of Sir Givret the Short*

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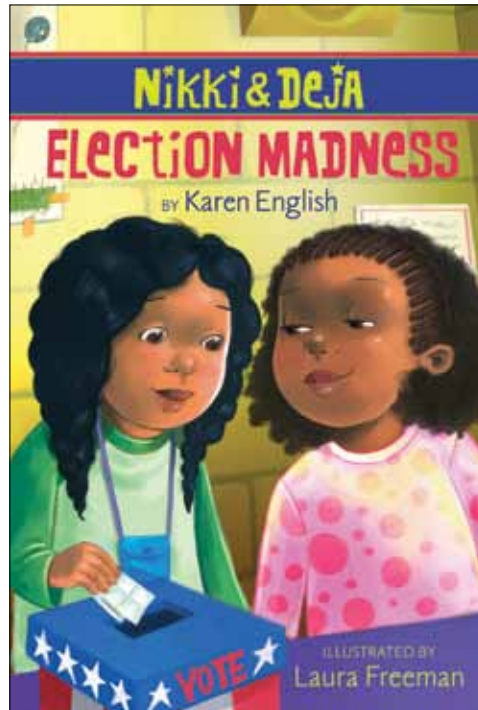
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**MARKETING:**

- Select author appearances
- ARC mailings and giveaways
- Conference promotions

**Watch out, Carver Elementary—Deja is running for student body president.**



## Nikki and Deja: Election Madness

Karen English Illustrated by Laura Freeman

When the students in Nikki and Deja's class find out that their school is going to hold its first-ever election for student body president, some kids are more excited than others. But none is as excited as Deja, who figures she's a shoo-in for the third grade nomination. Deja decides that Nikki will be her campaign manager, of course, and puts her to work right away. But will Deja's tendency to rush into things and boss people around alienate her best friend when she needs her most, and spoil her chances of becoming president of Carver Elementary?

This is a charming new entry in a chapter book series praised for its humor and authentic characters.

**Karen English**, recipient of a Coretta Scott King Honor Award, lives in Los Angeles, California, and taught elementary school in urban neighborhoods for many years.

**Laura Freeman** has illustrated several books for children. She grew up in New York City and now lives in Atlanta, Georgia. Her drawings for this book were inspired by her own childhood. Visit her website at [www.lfreemanart.com](http://www.lfreemanart.com).

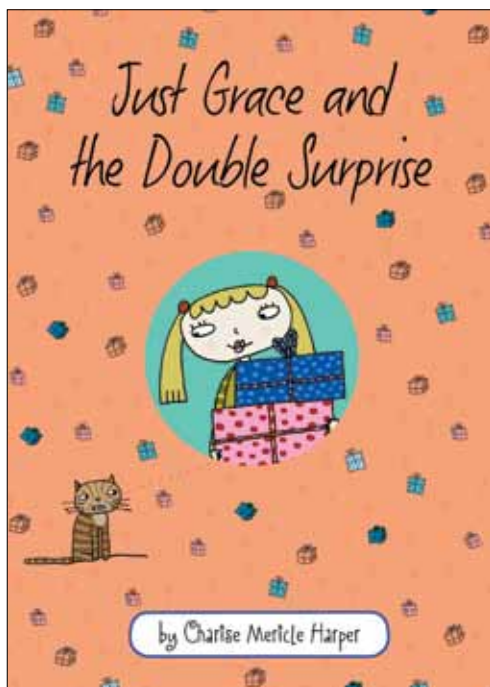


**Also by Karen English and Laura Freeman:**

*Nikki and DeJa*  
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**Grace and Mimi can't wait for Mimi's adopted little sister to arrive—except they are in for a surprise . . . it's a boy!**



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**MARKETING:**

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- ARC mailings and giveaways
- IndieBound promotion
- [www.justgracebooks.com](http://www.justgracebooks.com)

## Just Grace and the Double Surprise

Charise Mericle Harper

In this seventh installment in the Just Grace series, any day now Grace's best friend in the whole world, Mimi, is going to be getting a brand-new sister. Grace is really excited, plus nervous, plus worried, plus happy all mixed together. But both Grace and Mimi are in for a surprise when they find out that Mimi's family is *not* adopting a brand-new sister—and instead she is getting a brand-new brother. (Oh, brother!) And to heighten the excitement even further, Grace is in for *another* big surprise!

**Charise Mericle Harper** is the author of many books for young readers in addition to the witty and winning Just Grace series. In a starred review, *Booklist* called *Just Grace* “hilarious” and said, “The kids come alive in the story, and Harper enhances the comic goings-on with sparkling cartoon sketches. Give this to . . . anyone looking for a funny book.” Charise lives in New York with her family. Visit her website at [www.chariseharper.com](http://www.chariseharper.com). Visit Just Grace's website at [www.justgracebooks.com](http://www.justgracebooks.com), where you'll find all sorts of fun things, including videos, quizzes, and information about all the Just Grace books.



**Also by Charise Mericle Harper:**

*Just Grace and the Terrible Tutu*

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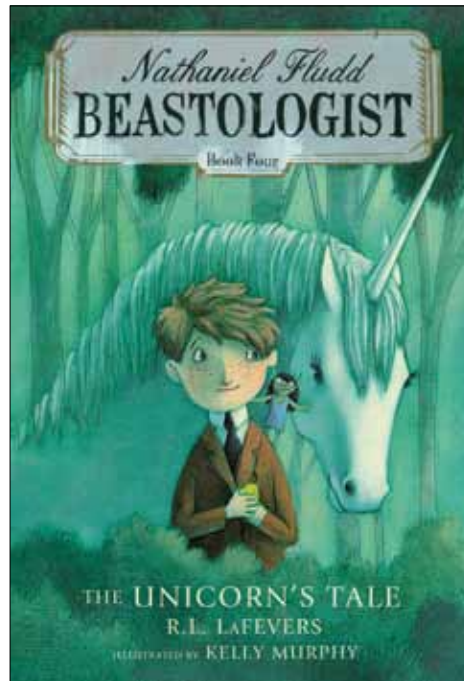
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**MARKETING:**

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**The fourth installment in Nathaniel Fludd's adventures  
 as the world's youngest beastologist-in-training.**



## The Unicorn's Tale

*Nathaniel Fludd, Beastologist, Book 4*

**R. L. LaFevers** Illustrated by **Kelly Murphy**



**Also by R.L. LaFevers:**

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*Nathaniel Fludd, Beastologist, Book 3*  
 978-0-547-31618-5

\$16.00 CL / \$19.95 CAN

*Flight of the Phoenix*  
*Nathaniel Fludd, Beastologist, Book 1*  
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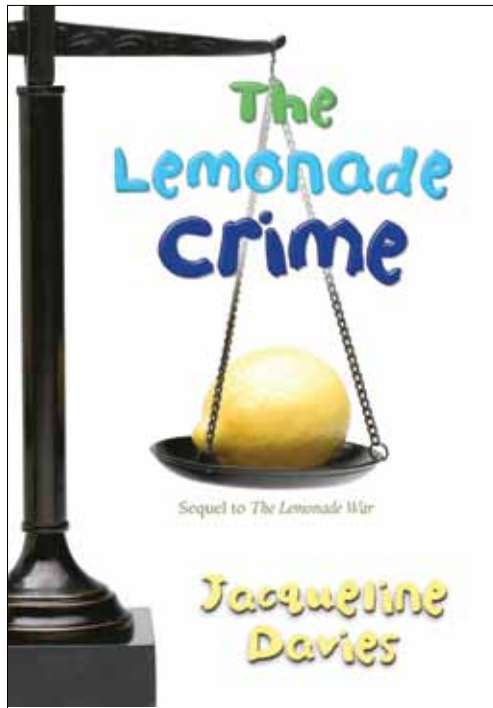
Is there no rest for the travel worn and weary? Not if you're Nathaniel Fludd, the world's youngest beastologist-in-training! All Nate really wants is to track down his missing parents, but when a unicorn falls mysteriously ill, Nate's Aunt Phil makes it clear where a beastologist's duty lies: to the beasts.

And if taking care of the world's beasts isn't difficult enough, Nate and Aunt Phil must also keep them safe from the villainous Obediah Fludd, who intends to do them harm. With all this taking up every last bit of his energy and time, will Nate ever find the parents he is so absolutely convinced are alive?

**R. L. LaFevers** grew up surrounded by a wide variety of beasts including goats, chickens, chipmunks, an anteater, and, for a brief time, two bear cubs. Visit her website at [www.rllafevers.com](http://www.rllafevers.com).

**Kelly Murphy** grew up surrounded by swamps and marshes that she explored with her six other siblings in southern New England. Visit her website at [www.kelmurphy.com](http://www.kelmurphy.com).

The sequel to the best-selling *The Lemonade War*.



## The Lemonade Crime

Jacqueline Davies

Following the laws of our legal system, Evan and Jessie's fourth grade class concocts a courtroom on the playground, putting Scott Spencer, alleged thief, on trial. They create a legitimate courtroom—with a judge, witnesses, a jury of their peers—and surprising consequences.

As she explores the difficulties of fairness, Jacqueline Davies once again reveals how good she is at understanding the complex emotions of children this age.

**Jacqueline Davies** was inspired to write this novel after many young readers of *The Lemonade War* asked, "But what about Scott Spencer?!" She is the talented writer of several novels and picture books, including *The Boy Who Drew Birds*. Ms. Davies lives in Needham, Massachusetts, with her family. Visit her website at [www.jacquelinedavies.net](http://www.jacquelinedavies.net).



### Also by Jacqueline Davies:

*The Lemonade War*  
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- Online promotions—video
- Discussion guide
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# Another hilarious and timeless tale from Newbery medalist

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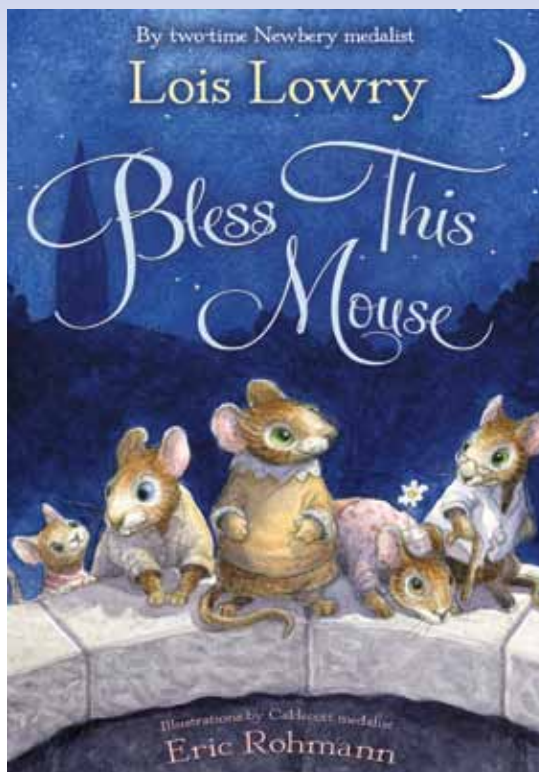
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- National consumer advertising
- Author/illustrator tour
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- ARC mailings and giveaways
- Postcard



## Bless This Mouse

Lois Lowry Illustrated by Eric Rohmann

A resilient and quirky colony of church mice fears another Great X more than they fear cats. Under Mouse Mistress Hildegard's leadership, they save themselves from one danger after another—sometimes just by the skin of their tails! Can one ultimate act of bravery during the feast day of St. Francis get Father Murphy to bless these mice and keep them safe forever?

Rife with humor and personality, this young middle-grade novel has an old-fashioned feel with the makings of a modern classic.



# Lois Lowry, illustrated by Caldecott Medalist Eric Rohmann.

An excerpt from *Bless this Mouse*:

"We must count the numbers who return."

"Who return?" Roderick asked. "You mean—?"

"That's right. We may lose some brave souls tonight." She turned to the crowd of waiting mice. "Volunteers?"

Fifty-two enthusiastic squeaks responded to her. "It's time," she told them. "You all have your instructions. Do your best! Do your duty! Our prayers are with you! Now go!"

Moving in silence now, with no squeaks, no farewells, the fifty-two brave mice turned and marched in a line toward Saint Bartholemew's.



**Lois Lowry** is known for her versatility and invention as a writer. She has received countless honors, including two Newbery Medals for *Number the Stars* and *The Giver*. She divides her time between Cambridge, Massachusetts, and a farmhouse in Maine. Visit her website at [www.loislowry.com](http://www.loislowry.com).

**Eric Rohmann** won the Caldecott Medal for *My Friend Rabbit*, and a Caldecott Honor for *Time Flies*, and now makes his dynamic Houghton debut with these illustrations. He lives in a suburb of Chicago. Visit his website at [www.ericrohmann.com](http://www.ericrohmann.com).



**Also by Lois Lowry:**

*The Birthday Ball*

illustrated by Jules Feiffer

- ★ "An original fairy tale with a decidedly comical twist."  
—*Booklist*, starred review  
978-0-547-23869-2  
\$16.00 CL / \$19.95 CAN

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*Gooney Bird Is So Absurd*

- "The story unfolds with fresh humor that keeps readers interested."  
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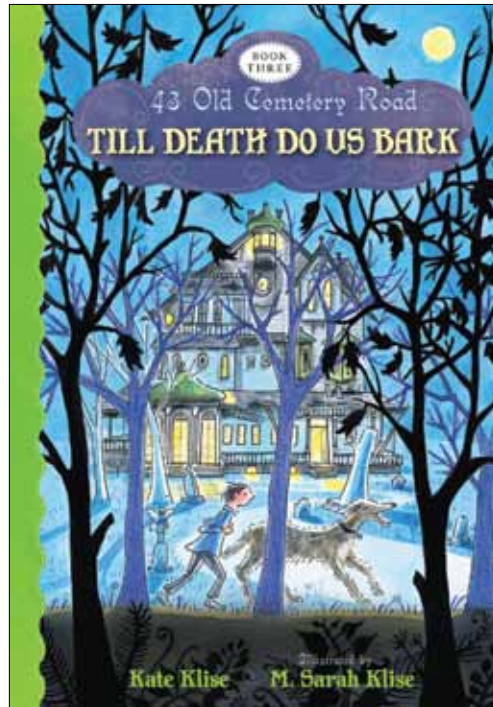
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**In Ghastly, Illinois, where there's a will,  
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## Till Death Do Us Bark

### 43 Old Cemetery Road, Book 3

Kate Klise Illustrated by M. Sarah Klise



**Also by Kate and M. Sarah Klise:**

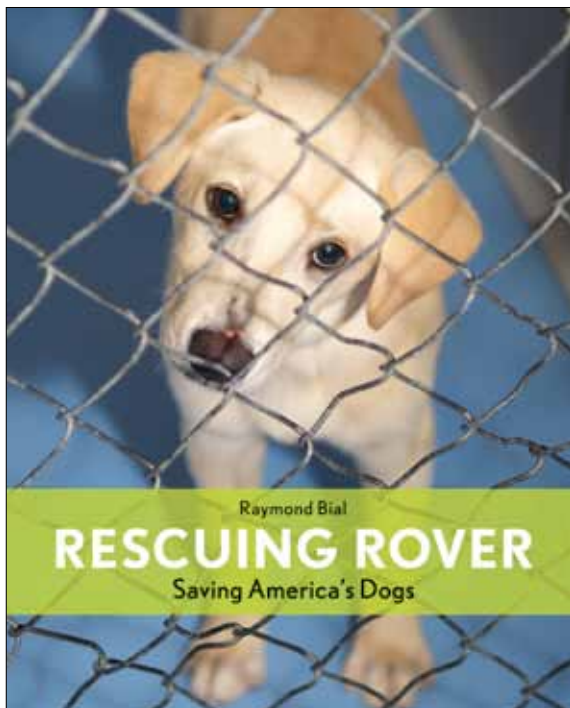
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 43 Old Cemetery Road, Book 1  
 978-0-547-39848-8  
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*Over My Dead Body*  
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When a dog arrives at Spence Mansion, Seymour is overjoyed. His adoptive parents, Ignatius B. Grumply and Olive C. Spence, are less enthusiastic—especially when Secret, the dog, begins barking all night long. Is it possible Secret just misses his old companion, the late Noah Breth, whose children are fighting like cats and dogs over their father's money? Or does Secret have a secret that, in the end, will make the entire town of Ghastly howl with delight?

This third book in the 43 Old Cemetery Road series, a runaway mystery told in letters, limericks, a last will, and loose change, is guaranteed to please anyone who's ever tried to keep a secret.

**Kate Klise** and **M. Sarah Klise** are known for creating well-loved graphically illustrated novels for children. They've also collaborated on picture books and middle-grade novels. Kate, a former correspondent for *People* magazine, now leads writing workshops all over the country and lives in Norwood, Missouri. Sarah is an art teacher in San Francisco, California. Visit their website at [www.kateandsarahklise.com](http://www.kateandsarahklise.com).

The perfect book for anyone who loves dogs.



## Rescuing Rover

### Saving America's Dogs

Raymond Bial

Nearly 75 million dogs live with American families, where many sleep in our beds, walk us to school, and eat our unwanted broccoli. However, millions of dogs are born in America each year without a place to live. Most of these animals find themselves in shelters, and many, if they are not adopted, are put to sleep. Raymond Bial takes readers into the genesis of the dog overpopulation problem, covering puppy mills, pet stores, and backyard breeders, and then he profiles a local animal shelter, sharing with readers the ins and outs of daily life there. Who runs animal shelters? Who plays with the pets? How long do they stay? And how can you adopt one?

While researching *Rescuing Rover*, **Raymond Bial** managed to photograph for one day at the local shelter before adopting Isabel, a Siamese cat. He and his wife, Linda, now have two cats and four rescued dogs (though Isabel loves to hang out with the dogs, especially when treats are being handed out). Ray lives with his family in Urbana, Illinois. Visit his website at [www.raybial.com](http://www.raybial.com).

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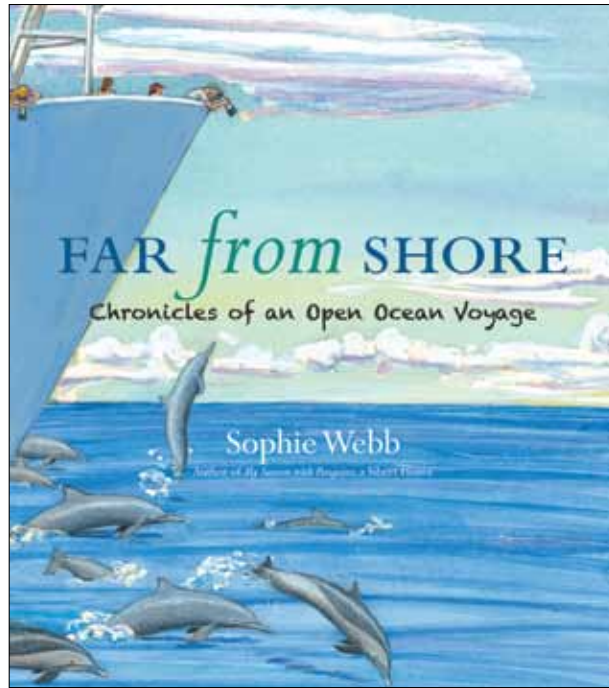


**Also by Raymond Bial:**  
*Ellis Island*  
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\$18.00 CL / \$22.50 CAN  
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**From whales to plankton, scope out the  
 marvels of deep sea creatures.**



**Far from Shore**  
*Chronicles of an Open Ocean Voyage*  
 Sophie Webb

In extremely deep waters (two miles deep), the vast sea appears empty. But as natural-ist and artist Sophie Webb shows us, it is full of fascinating—yet difficult to study—life. Together with her shipmates, Sophie counts and collects samples of life in the deep ocean, from seabirds to dolphins, from winged fish to whales. Only their long-term field work can really help scientists determine the health of these remarkable creatures who need the clean deep ocean to survive.

**Sophie Webb** is often at sea and has traveled to many shores on research ships, including those of Hawaii, Mexico, Central and South America, Alaska, and the Antarctic. Her first book, *My Season with Penguins*, was awarded a Sibert Honor and the IRA Children's Book for Older Readers Award. When she is not out at sea, she makes her home in Felton, California.



**Also by Sophie Webb:**

*Looking for Seabirds*  
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## Theodosia and the Last Pharaoh

R. L. LaFevers with illustrations by Yoko Tanaka

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**R. L. LaFevers** grew up with a gaggle of brothers who taught her an awful lot about how to get into mischief of all kinds, much like Theodosia. R. L. lives in California with her husband and their cat and dog. Visit her website at [www.rllafevers.com](http://www.rllafevers.com).

**Yoko Tanaka** lives in Los Angeles and Bangkok with her husband and three cats. Visit her website at [www.yokotanaka.com](http://www.yokotanaka.com).



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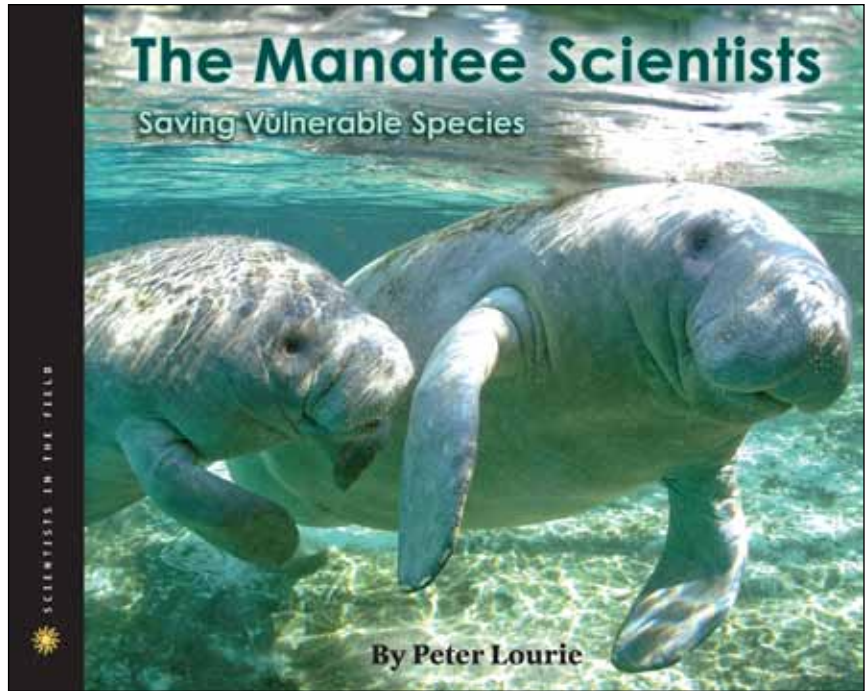
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**Follow three scientists as they try to get the  
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## The Manatee Scientists (SITF)

Peter Lourie

In *The Manatee Scientists*, John Reynolds does an aerial count of manatees from the Florida sky; Lucy Keith spends a weekend rescuing manatees trapped in a dam in Senegal; and Fernando Rosas takes the author on an Amazonian boat trip, looking for a young manatee he released back into the wild, with emotional results. These scientists are working hard to save manatees: docile, large sea mammals who are eaten in some parts of the world, feared in others, and adored in still others. But factors such as human encroachment, disease, environmental hazards, and being hunted are causing their numbers to decline: they are an endangered species, in need of help.



**Also by Peter Lourie:**

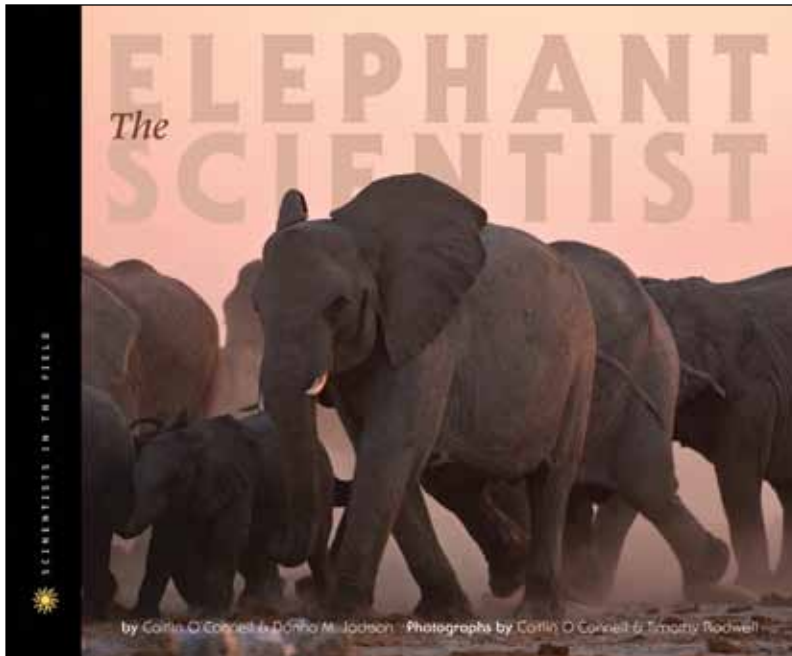
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**Peter Lourie** lives in Vermont with his family. He is an avid traveler who spent weeks in Florida and Brazil working on this book and says, "I am grateful to all the scientists who allow me to accompany them on their explorations. Every little bit of knowledge does in fact contribute to the overall picture of how science can help us to conserve animals." Visit his website at [www.peterlourie.com](http://www.peterlourie.com).

**Trek into a scientist's life and discover the surprising truth about the largest land animal on earth.**

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In the sprawling African scrub desert of Etosha National Park, they call her “the mother of all elephants.” Holding binoculars closely to her eyes, American scientist Caitlin O'Connell could not believe what she was seeing from these African elephants: as the mighty matriarch scanned the horizon, the other elephants followed suit, stopped midstride, and stood as still as statues.

This observation would guide the scientist to a groundbreaking discovery about elephant communication: elephants actually listen with their limbs.

**Donna M. Jackson** is an award-winning author of nonfiction books for children and holds a master's degree in journalism. She lives in Colorado. Visit her website at [www.donnamjackson.net](http://www.donnamjackson.net).

**Caitlin O'Connell** has devoted the past nineteen years of her research career to the study of elephants. She lives in California with her husband, photographer **Timothy Rodwell**.



**Also by Donna M. Jackson:**  
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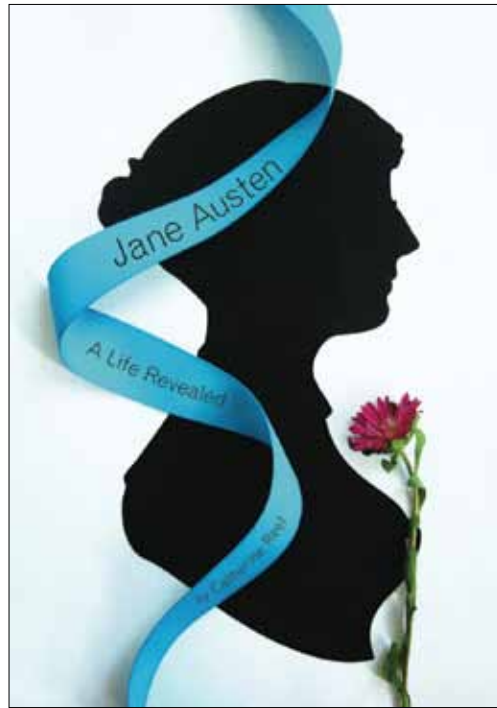
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## Jane Austen

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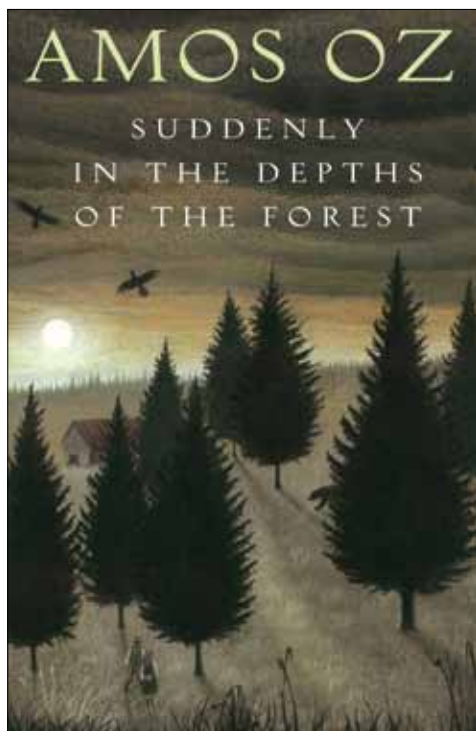
**Catherine Reef** is the author of more than forty nonfiction books for young people, many of them award winners. She lives in College Park, Maryland.



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## Suddenly in the Depths of the Forest

Amos Oz

In a gray and gloomy village, all of the animals—from dogs and cats to fish and snails—disappeared years before. No one talks about it and no one knows why, though everyone agrees that the village has been cursed. But when two children see a fish—a tiny one and just for a second—they become determined to unravel the mystery of where the animals have gone. And so they travel into the depths of the forest with that mission in mind, terrified and hopeful about what they may encounter.

From the internationally best-selling author Amos Oz, this is a hauntingly beautiful fable for both children and adults about tolerance, loneliness, denial, and remembrance.

**Amos Oz** is a prizewinning novelist and essayist whose work has been translated into more than forty languages. His honors include the Prix Femina, the Israel Prize, the Frankfurt Peace Prize, and the Prince of Asturias Award for Letters. His memoir, *A Tale of Love and Darkness*, received the Koret Jewish Book Award in 2005. He lives in Arad, Israel.

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## Okay for Now Gary D. Schmidt

As a fourteen-year-old who just moved to a new town, with no friends and a louse for an older brother, Doug Swieteck has all the stats stacked against him. So begins a coming-of-age masterwork full of equal parts comedy and tragedy from Newbery Honor winner Gary D. Schmidt. As Doug struggles to be more than the “skinny thug” that his teachers and the police think him to be, he finds an unlikely ally in Lil Spicer—a fiery young lady who “smelled like daisies would smell if they were growing in a big field under a clearing sky after a rain.” In Lil, Doug finds the strength to endure an abusive father, the suspicions of a whole town, and the return of his oldest brother, forever scarred, from Vietnam. Together, they find a safe haven in the local library, inspiration in learning about the plates of John James Audubon’s birds, and a hilarious adventure on a Broadway stage. In this stunning novel, Schmidt expertly weaves multiple themes of loss and recovery in a story teeming with distinctive, unusual characters and invaluable lessons about love, creativity, and survival.

# companion novel to *The Wednesday Wars*.



An excerpt from *Okay for Now*:

"I went down to the mill yesterday," I said.

My father and Ernie Eco looked at me. My mother did, too—with worried eyes. She held her fork in midair.

"Yeah?" said my father.

"He said that he gave you the signed baseball and a hundred dollars."

My father put his two hands down flat on the table. He looked at me a long time. "What are you trying to say?"

"I'm telling you what Mr. Ballard said."

My father's hands twitched. "If Mr. Big Bucks Ballard said he gave me the signed baseball and a hundred dollars, then he's a liar. You got that?"

"Someone's a liar," I said.

Here are the stats for that night:

He missed me the first time because I leaned away.

He missed me the second time because I pushed the chair back and got up.

He just clipped me when I had to push through Ernie Eco's arm, the jerk.

And he missed me again when I spun around and got to the back door first.

I count that a win.



Also by Gary D. Schmidt:

*Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy*

2005 Newbery Honor

2005 Printz Honor

★ "With fully developed, memorable characters and a fascinating, little known piece of history, this novel will leave a powerful impression on readers."

—*School Library Journal*,  
starred review

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*The Wednesday Wars*

2008 Newbery Honor

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"*Okay for Now* is, in a word, superb. It is simply un-put-downable. Gary Schmidt's books somehow make hope feel like a living thing, something that breathes, something you can touch. He makes you believe."

—Sarah Todd, *Children's Book World*, Haverford, PA



**Gary Schmidt** is a professor of English at Calvin College in Grand Rapids, Michigan. He received both a Newbery Honor and a Printz Honor for *Lizzie Bright and the Buckminster Boy* and a Newbery Honor for *The Wednesday Wars*. He lives with his family on a one-hundred-fifty-year-old farm in Alto, Michigan, where he splits wood, plants gardens, writes, and feeds the wild cats that drop by.

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**A gripping new historical novel from award-winning author Elizabeth Laird**



## The Betrayal of Maggie Blair

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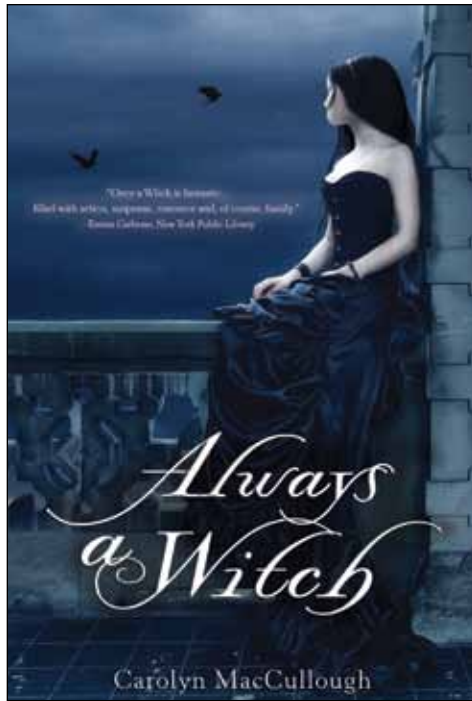
In seventeenth-century Scotland, saying the wrong thing can lead to banishment—or worse. Accused of being a witch, sixteen-year-old Maggie Blair is sentenced to be hanged. She escapes, but instead of finding shelter with her principled, patriotic uncle, she brings disaster to his door.

Betrayed by one of her own accusers, Maggie must try to save her uncle and his family from the king's men, even if she has to risk her own life in the process.

Originally published in the UK, this book has a powerful blend of heart-stopping action and thought-provoking themes.

**Elizabeth Laird** has been nominated five times for the Carnegie Medal and has won numerous awards, including the Children's Book Award. She and her husband divide their time between London and Edinburgh. Visit her website at [www.elizabethlaird.co.uk](http://www.elizabethlaird.co.uk).

The time-bending conclusion to the critically acclaimed urban fantasy *Once a Witch*.



## Always a Witch

Carolyn MacCullough

Since the gripping conclusion of *Once a Witch*, Tamsin Greene has been haunted by her grandmother's prophecy that she will soon be forced to make a crucial decision—one so terrible that it could harm her family forever. When she discovers that her enemy, Alistair Knight, went back in time to Victorian-era New York in order to destroy her family, Tamsin is forced to follow him into the past. Stranded all alone in the nineteenth century, Tamsin soon finds herself disguised as a lady's maid in the terrifying mansion of the evil Knight family, avoiding the watchful eye of the vicious matron, La Spider, and fending off the advances of Liam Knight. As time runs out, both families square off in a thrilling display of magic. And to her horror, Tamsin finally understands the nature of her fateful choice.

**Carolyn MacCullough** is the author of the young adult urban fantasy *Once a Witch* and three other YA novels. Born and raised in Connecticut, she has lived in Sicily, Scotland, and even the wilds of New Jersey before settling down in Brooklyn, where she now lives with her husband and daughter. She teaches creative writing at NYU and the New School. Visit her website at [www.carolynmaccullough.com](http://www.carolynmaccullough.com).

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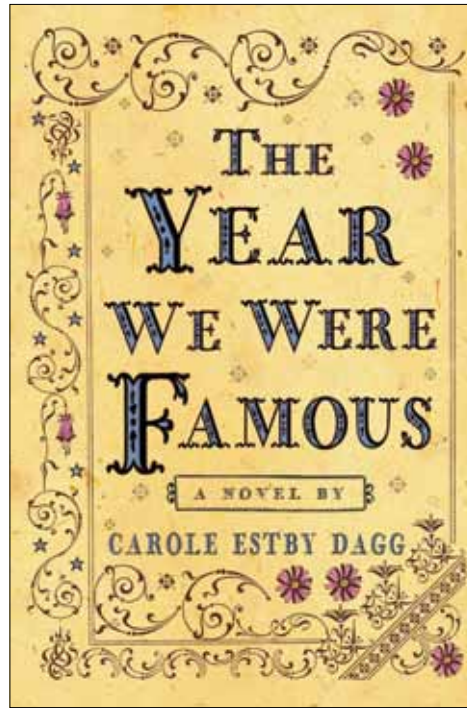
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**Based on the amazing true story of two women who walked across a continent to save their family.**



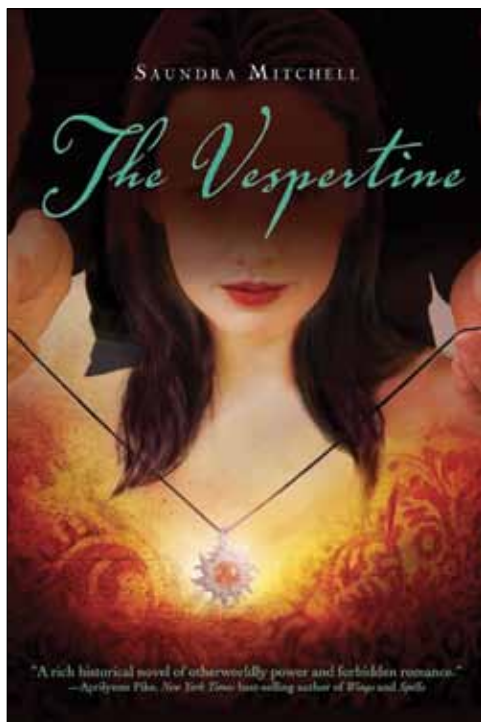
## The Year We Were Famous

Carole Estby Dagg

With their family home facing foreclosure, seventeen-year-old Clara Estby and her mother, Helga, need to raise a lot of money fast—no easy feat for two women in 1896. Helga wants to tackle the problem with her usual loud and flashy style, while Clara favors a less showy approach. Together they come up with a plan to walk the 4,600 miles from Mica Creek, Washington, to New York City—and if they can do it in only seven months, a publisher has agreed to give them \$10,000. Based on the true story of the author’s great-aunt and great-grandmother, this is a fast-paced historical adventure that sets the drama of *Around the World in Eighty Days* against an American backdrop during the time of the suffragist movement, the 1896 presidential campaign, and the changing perception of “a woman’s place” in society.

Of her debut novel, **Carole Estby Dagg** says, “Since Helga and Clara never published the book they had originally intended to write, I feel as if I have not won a victory for myself, but for them.” Carole has two children, two grandchildren, a husband, and a bossy cat.

The lush, atmospheric tale of a teen mystic's summer of romance and tragedy in Victorian Baltimore.



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## The Vespertine

Sandra Mitchell

It's the summer of 1889, and Amelia van den Broek is new to Baltimore and eager to take in all the pleasures the city has to offer. But her gaiety is interrupted by disturbing, dreamlike visions she has only at sunset—visions that offer glimpses of the future. Soon, friends and strangers alike call on Amelia to hear her prophecies. However, a forbidden romance with Nathaniel, an artist, threatens the new life Amelia is building in Baltimore. This enigmatic young man is keeping secrets of his own—still, Amelia finds herself irrepressibly drawn to him.

When one of her darkest visions comes to pass, Amelia's world is thrown into chaos. And those around her begin to wonder if she's not the seer of dark portents, but the cause.

**Sandra Mitchell** is a screenwriter and author. Her debut novel, *Shadowed Summer*, was a 2010 Edgar Award Nominee, a Junior Library Guild selection, and an ALAN Pick. Sandra lives in Indianapolis with her husband and two children. Visit her website at [www.saundramitchell.com](http://www.saundramitchell.com).

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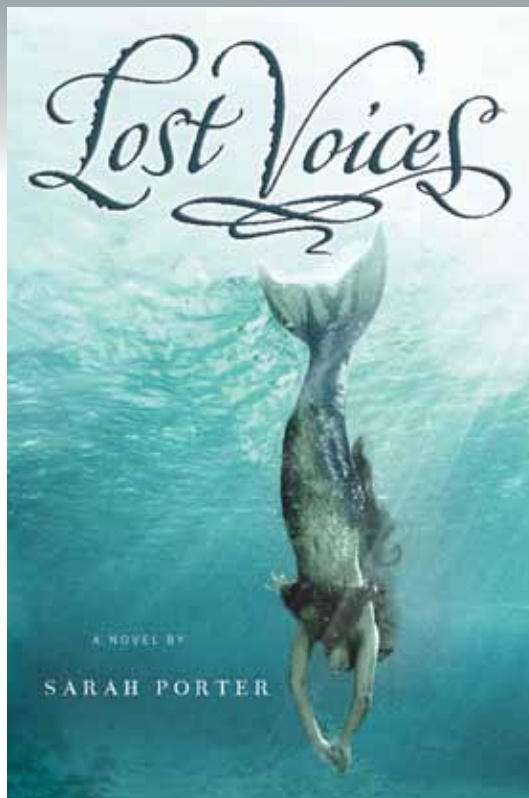
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## Lost Voices

Sarah Porter

Fourteen-year-old Luce has had a tough life, but she reaches the depths of despair when she is assaulted and left on the cliffs outside of a grim, gray Alaskan fishing village. She expects to die when she tumbles into the icy waves below, but instead undergoes an astonishing transformation and becomes a mermaid.

A tribe of mermaids finds Luce and welcomes her in—all of them, like her, lost girls who surrendered their humanity in the darkest moments of their lives. Luce is thrilled with her new life until she discovers the catch: the mermaids feel an uncontrollable desire to drown seafarers, using their enchanted voices to lure ships into the rocks. Luce possesses an extraordinary singing talent, which makes her important to the tribe—she may even have a shot at becoming their queen. However her struggle to retain her humanity puts her at odds with her new friends. Will Luce be pressured into committing mass murder?

The first book in a trilogy, *Lost Voices* is a captivating and wildly original tale about finding a voice, the healing power of friendship, and the strength it takes to forgive.

# outskirts of society are transformed into mermaids.

"A beautifully written and heartbreaking story about a lost soul struggling to forgive the people she loved who wronged her, and ultimately to forgive herself."—Jennifer Echols, author of *Going Too Far*



An excerpt from *Lost Voices*:

The boat was speeding up now and the mermaids' song flowed over the sky until every breath of air, every grain of sunlight, was awake and alive. Luce felt the song streaming over and inside her body, and then she heard a single high, tremulous note soaring up above the curls of music. It tore from her chest and peaked somewhere just under the sun, floated there, and then began a long, tumbling descent. The young sailor's sleepy love changed, heightened into a fever of longing. The song entered into his mind, and Luce suddenly understood him. Her quivering song felt his thoughts, and it told her how heartbroken he'd been since his mother's death. They'd been fighting, and he hadn't gone to see her in the hospital as cancer ate through her; he'd stayed away, until it was too late.

She had promised she wouldn't sing, Luce reminded herself. She could still lift her tail up into the sunlight and hold it there until the burning forced her voice to stop. But even then the ship would smash apart. Everyone on it was already doomed. And she *couldn't* let the young sailor die, Luce thought, with so much grief still inside him. Her song fell and the note split into a widening chord, and then the young sailor knew that, even as she died, his mother had forgiven him. She'd thought of him with the purest compassion, with gratitude for the years of joy he'd brought to her life.

At least, that was what Luce's song told him. It vibrated with a sense of perfect homecoming, and as Luce sang to him everything broken was mended, and everything lost was restored.



**Sarah Porter** is a writer and artist. *Lost Voices* is her first novel. Sarah and her husband live in Brooklyn.

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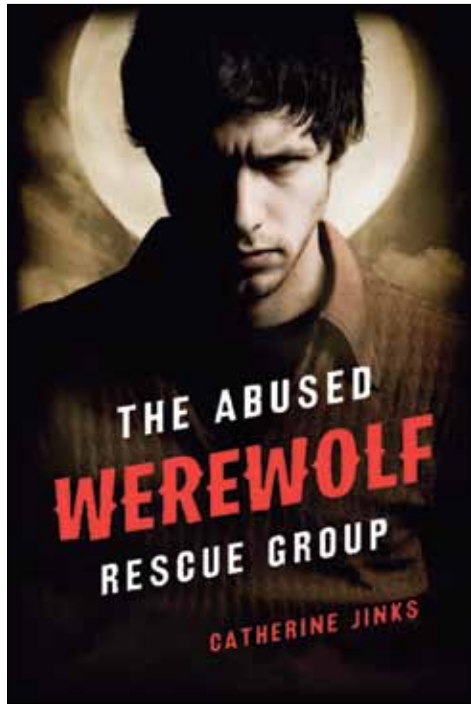
## My Favorite Band Does Not Exist

Robert T. Jeschonek

Sixteen-year-old genius Idea Deity believes that he exists only in the pages of a novel written by a malevolent, omnipotent author . . . and that he will die in chapter 64. Meanwhile, an older teen named Reacher Mirage sings lead vocals for the undercover rock band Youforia . . . a band that exists in Idea's world only as an Internet hoax that Idea himself perpetuated. Then there's beautiful and mysterious Eunice Truant, who links their destinies. When Idea and Reacher plunge into the reality of *Fireskull's Revenant*, the twisted epic fantasy novel they've both been reading, chapter 64 bears down on them like a speeding freight train on an unstoppable collision course. Being trapped in a bad book can be a nightmare. Just ask Idea Deity.

**Robert T. Jeschonek's** stories have appeared in magazines and anthologies around the world, including those in the Star Trek series published by Pocket Books. He has also written for DC Comics, several podcasts, numerous e-books, and a Twitter serial. He lives in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, and this is his first novel. You can visit him online at [www.thefictioneer.com](http://www.thefictioneer.com).

The riveting and highly anticipated sequel to  
*The Reformed Vampire Support Group.*



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**The Abused Werewolf Rescue Group**  
 Catherine Jinks

When Tobias Richard Vandeveldel wakes up in a hospital with no memory of the night before, his horrified mother tells him that he was found unconscious. At Featherdale Wildlife Park. *In a dingo pen.*

He assumes that his two best friends are somehow responsible, until the mysterious Reuben turns up, claiming that Toby has a rare and dangerous “condition.” Next thing he knows, Toby finds himself involved with a strange bunch of sickly insomniacs who seem convinced that he needs their help.

It's not until he's kidnapped and imprisoned that he starts to believe them—and to understand what being a paranormal monster really means.

**Catherine Jinks** is the author of *The Reformed Vampire Support Group* and the Genius trilogy: *Evil Genius*, *Genius Squad*, and *The Genius Wars*. She is a three-time winner of the Children's Book Council of Australia Book of the Year award, and in 2001 received a Centenary Medal for her contribution to Australian children's literature. She lives in Leura, Australia. Visit her website at [www.catherinejinks.com](http://www.catherinejinks.com).



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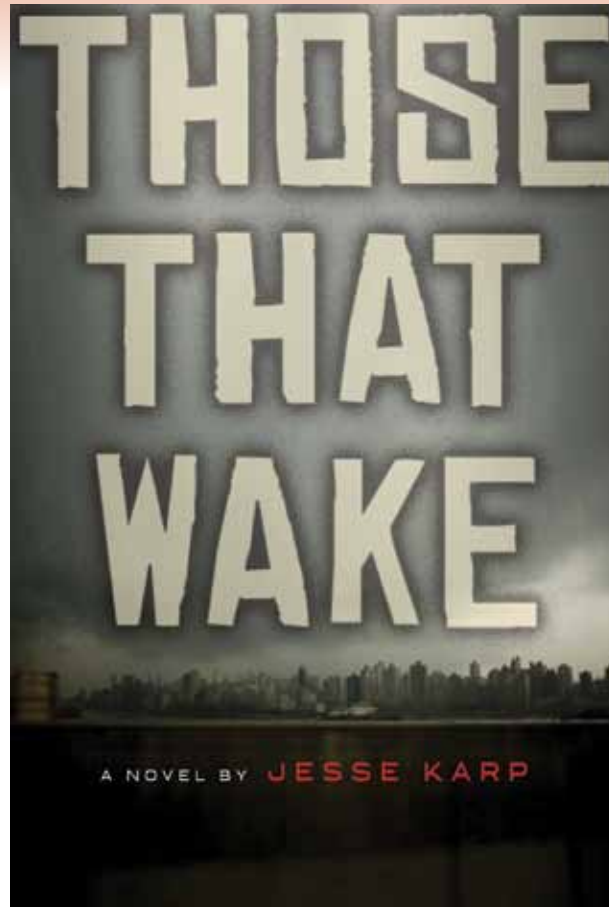
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## Those That Wake

Jesse Karp

New York City's spirit has been crushed. People walk the streets with their heads down, withdrawing from one another and into the cold comfort of technology. Teenagers Mal and Laura have grown up in this reality. They've never met. Seemingly, they never will.

But on the same day Mal learns his brother has disappeared, Laura discovers her parents have forgotten her. Both begin a search for their families that leads them to the same truth: someone or something has wiped the teens from the memories of every person they have ever known. Thrown together, Mal and Laura must find common ground as they attempt to reclaim their pasts.

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An excerpt from *Those That Wake*:

Clare Westlake's eyes were dumb and empty.

"I don't know any of these people," she said.

"*What? Look!*" Laura nearly screamed it. "That's *you*, Mom!"

"Please turn that off and leave."

"Mom." Laura struggled to make herself understood from beneath her sobs. "You have an appendectomy scar, but you still have your appendix because they misdiagnosed a bad stomachache when you were twelve."

Her mother looked thunderstruck at that.

"I don't have a scar," her mother said. "I don't know who you are, but you need help. I'm going to call security."

"No, *no!* Mom. One of your students made a pass at you once and started sending flowers to the house until Dad – "

"This is preposterous." Her father's dead voice belied the claim, but he took her by the arm and pulled her towards the door. With a burst of hysterical strength, she yanked free from his grasp and lunged at her mother. She got hold of her mother's clothes and tore at her shirt and the waist of her pants, trying to reveal the scar she knew was there.

But her father had her by both arms now and pulled her kicking and screaming from the room and slammed the door in her face.

She attacked the door with her hands and feet, tears flying from her face.

"*Mom! Mom!*"



**Jesse Karp** is a school librarian in Greenwich Village. He grew up in and loves New York City, where he lives with his family.

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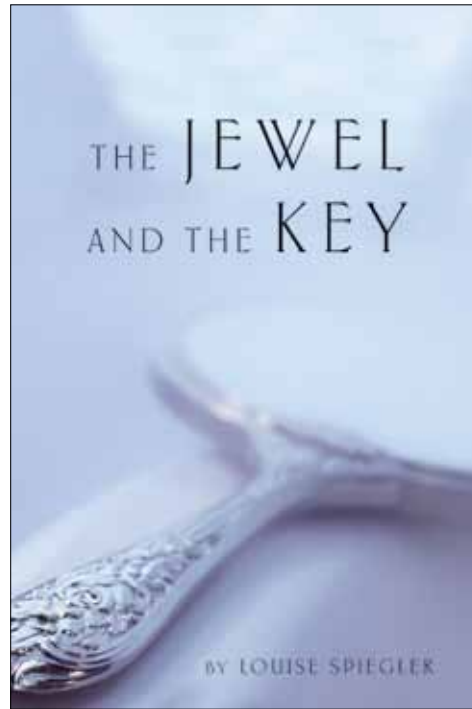
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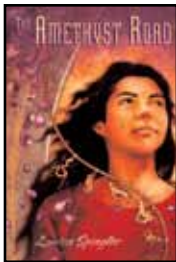


## The Jewel and the Key

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An earthquake and the discovery of a mysterious antique mirror unleash forces that jolt sixteen-year-old Addie McNeal back to 1917 Seattle, just as the United States is entering World War I. Addie finds herself shuttling back and forth between past and present, drawn in both times to the grand Jewel Theater. In both decades the existence of the Jewel is threatened and war is looming . . . and someone she cares about is determined to fight.

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## **Awaken**

**Katie Kacvinsky**

Maddie lives in a world where everything is done on the computer. Whether it's to go to school or on a date, people don't venture out of their home. There's really no need. For the most part, Maddie's okay with the solitary, digital life—until she meets Justin. Justin likes being with people. He enjoys the physical closeness of face-to-face interactions. People aren't meant to be alone, he tells her.

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**Katie Kacvinsky** worked as a model and a high school English teacher before deciding to write full time. She currently lives in Corvallis, Oregon. *Awaken* is her debut novel.

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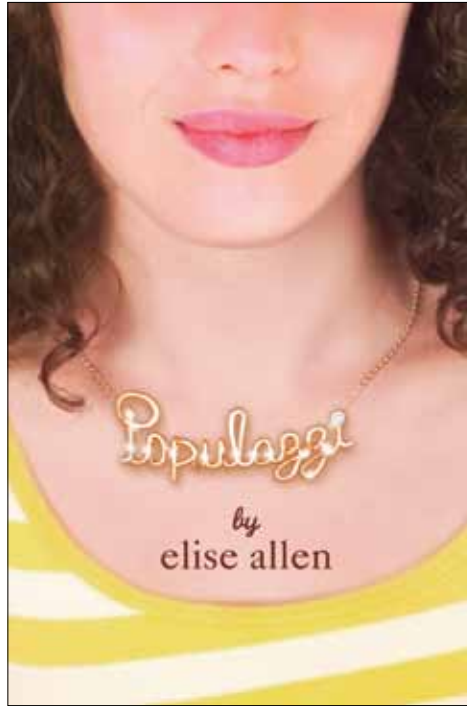
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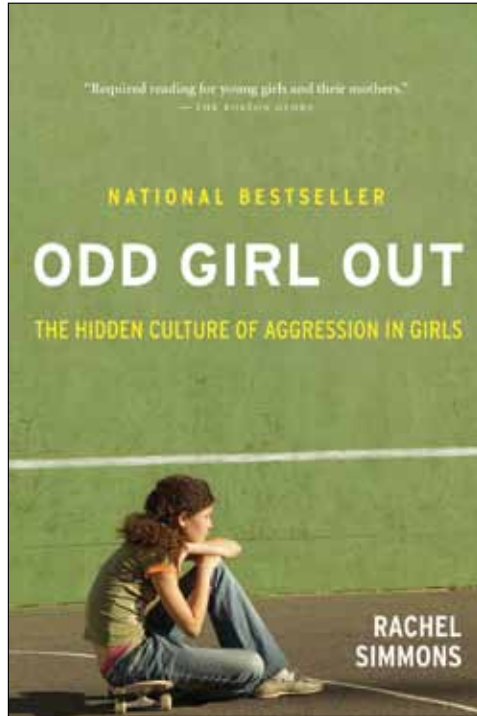
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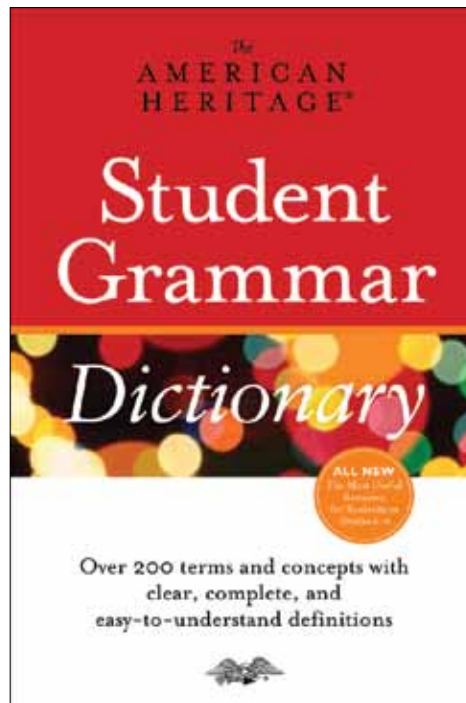
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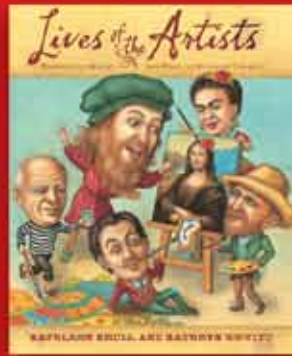
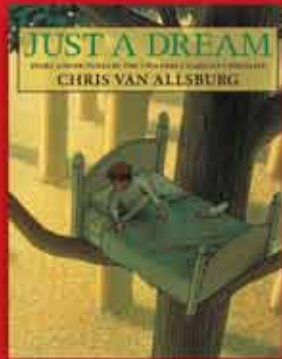
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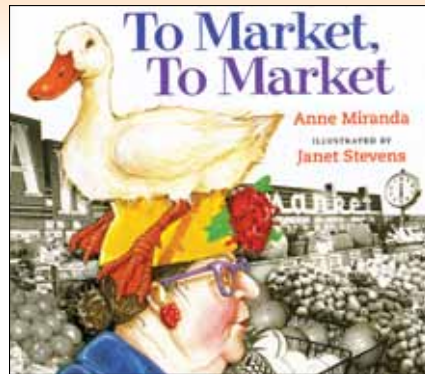


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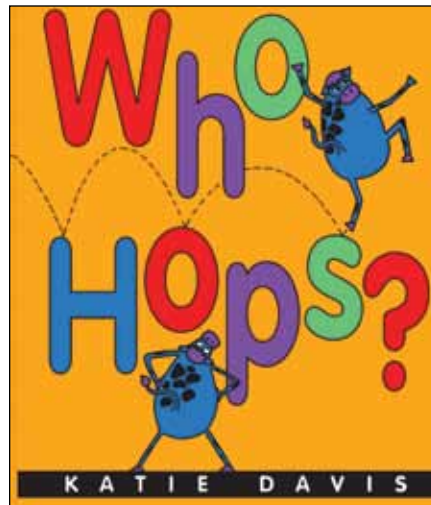
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*Cows hop?*

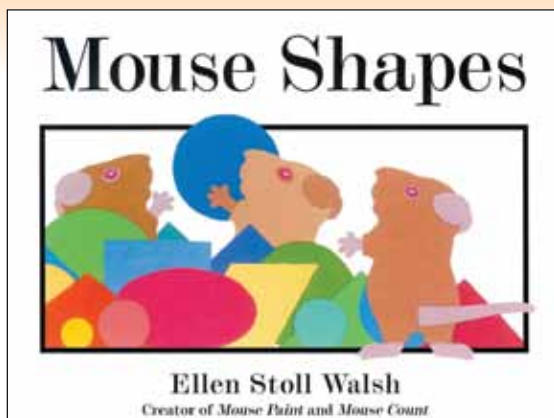
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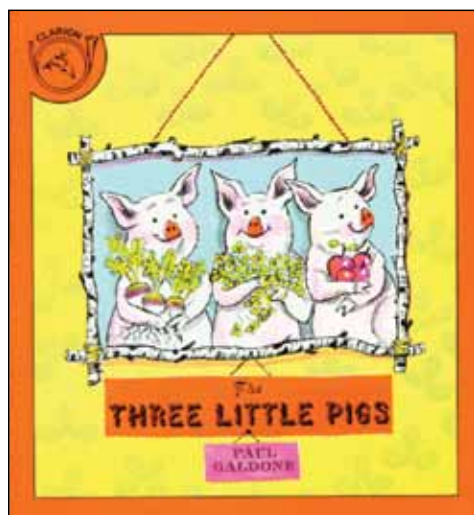
The mice are at it again. This time, they are discussing shapes and arranging them to create recognizable images. They even make a cat face with lots of pointy teeth. When the real cat shows up, they use their typical ingenuity to escape!

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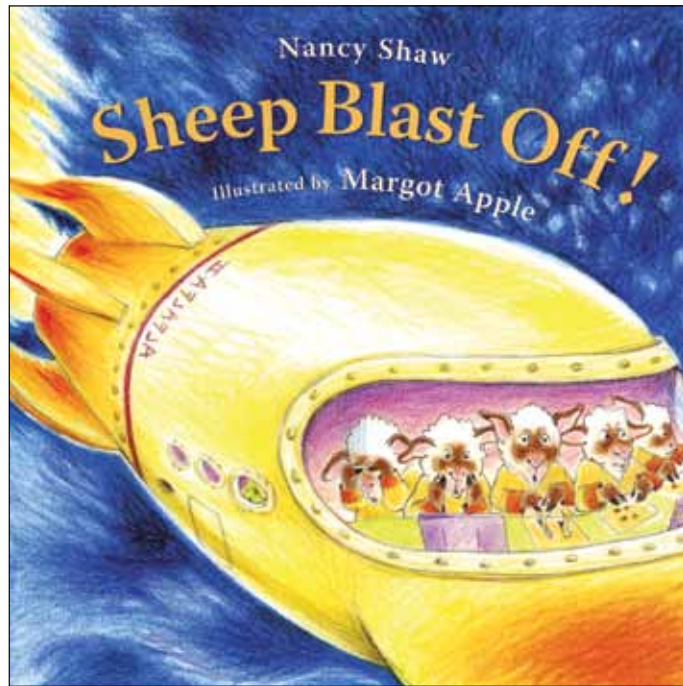
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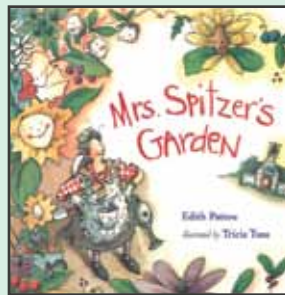
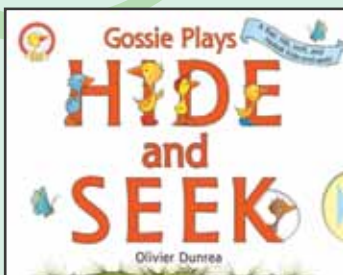
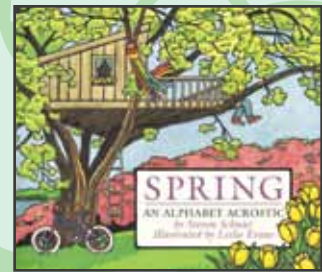
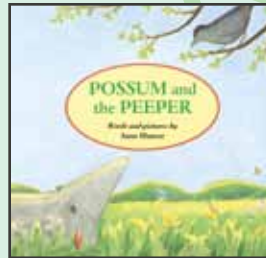
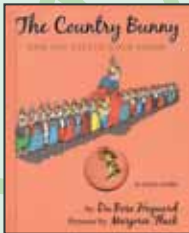
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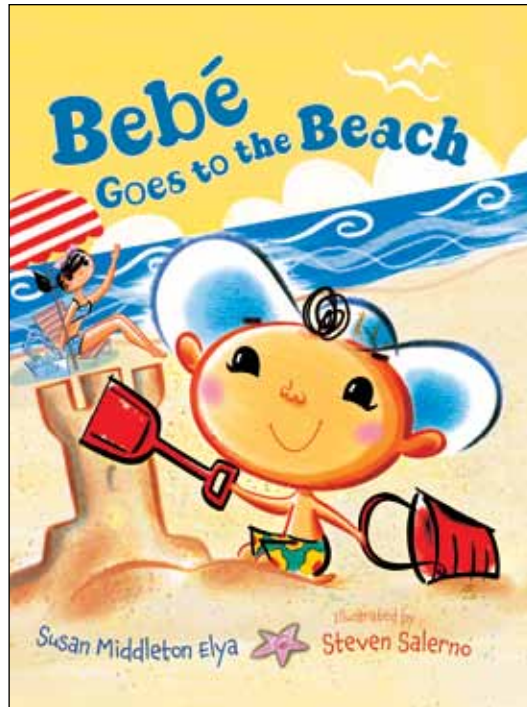
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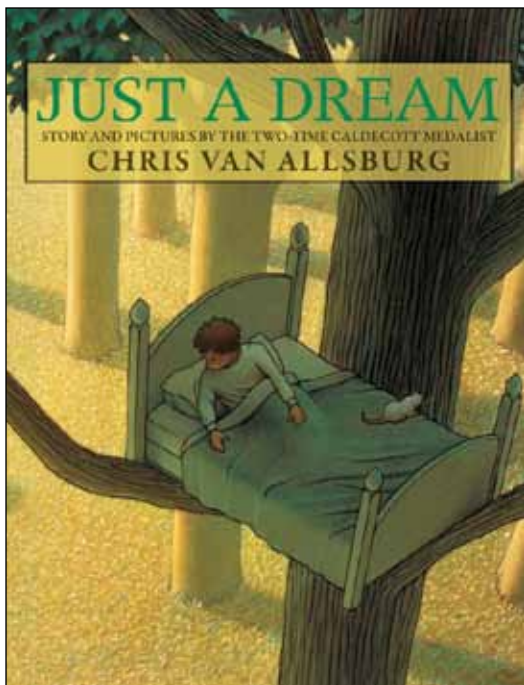
Mamá leaves the shopping behind to spend a relaxing day at the beach. But sweet Bebé won't sit still! He toddles after the waves, chases a bouncing *pelota*, and even surfs on a sand sculpture. When Bebé finally tuckers out, Mamá gets her chance to soak up *el sol*.

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**Susan Middleton Elya** is the author of more than fifteen books for children, and she taught Spanish for ten years. She lives in northern California.

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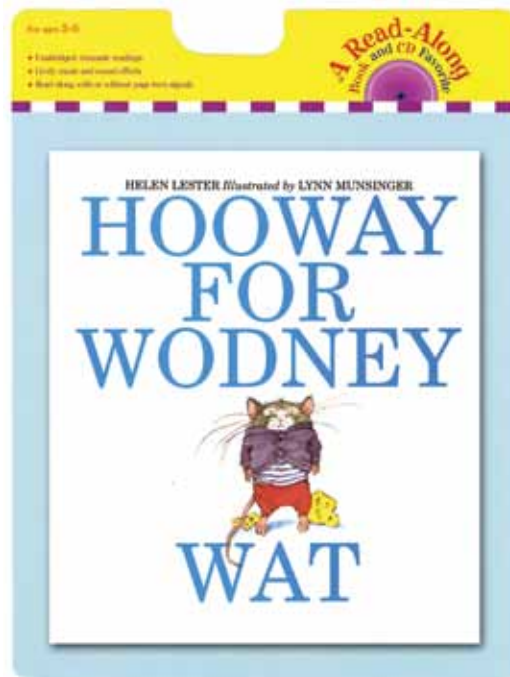
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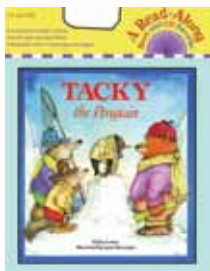
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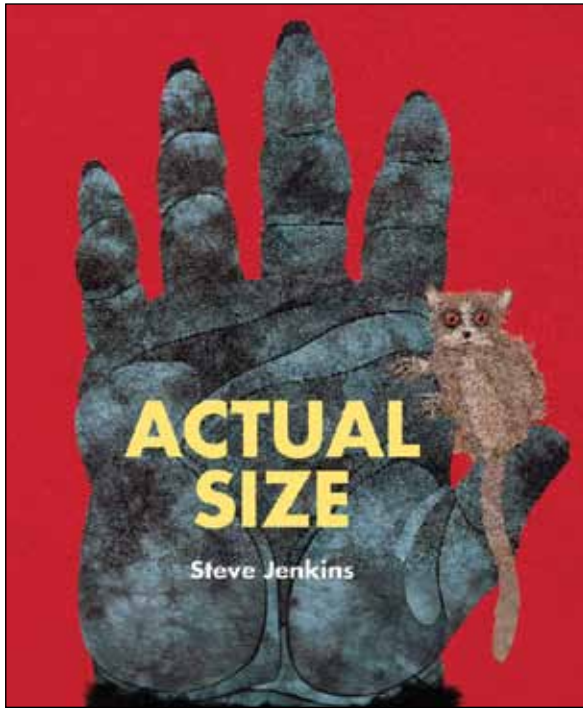
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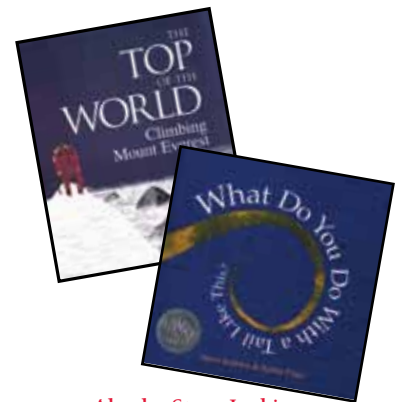
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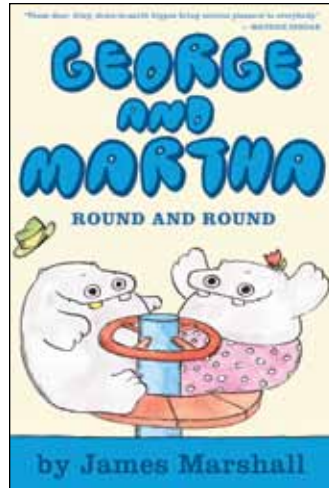
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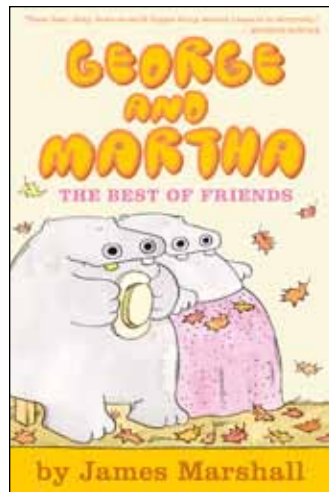
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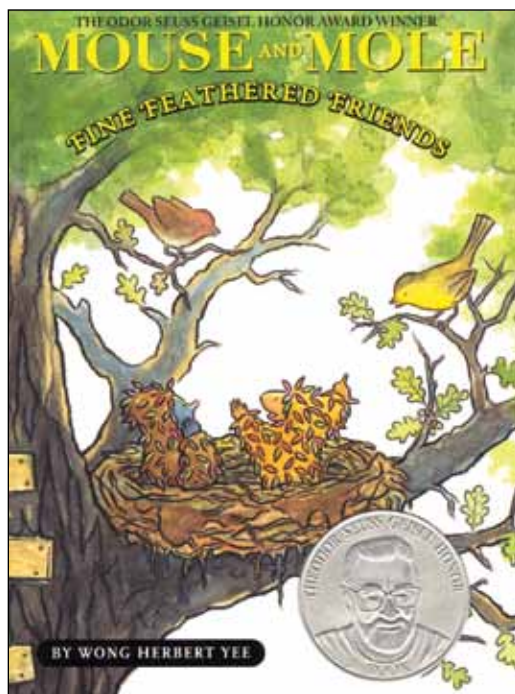
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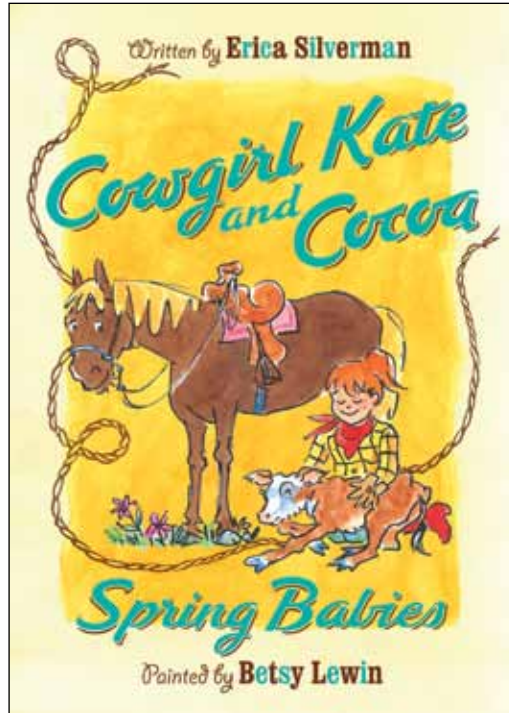
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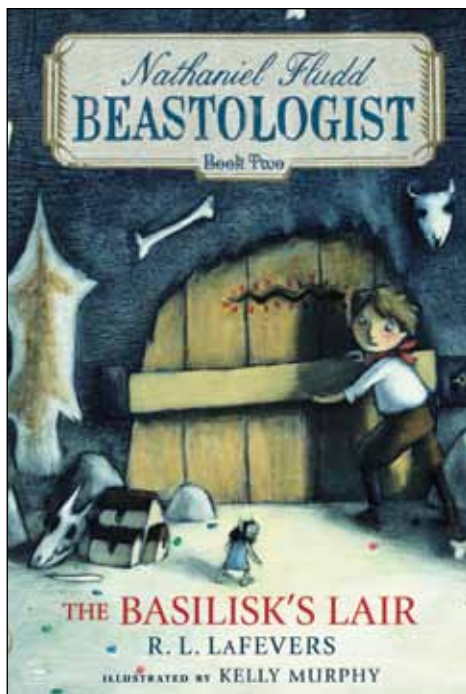
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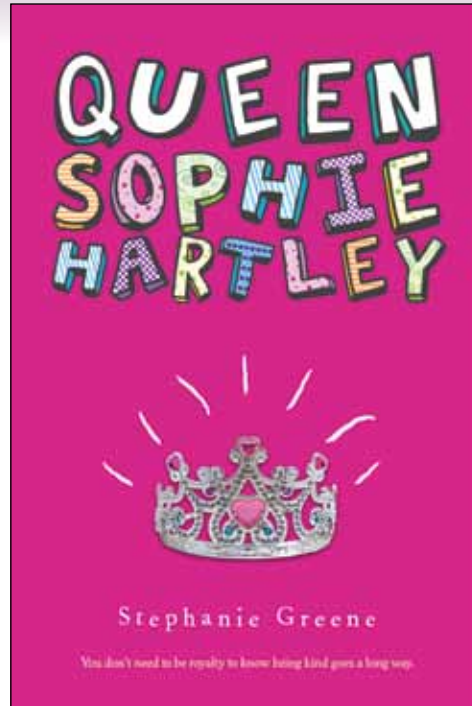
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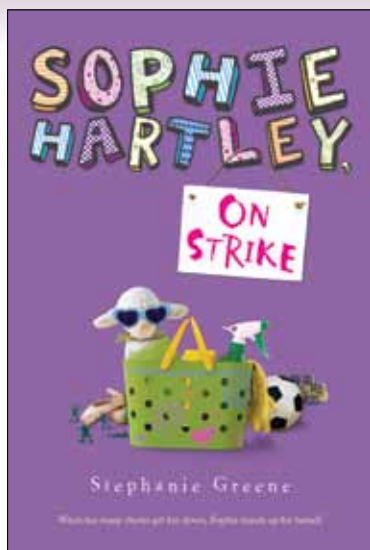
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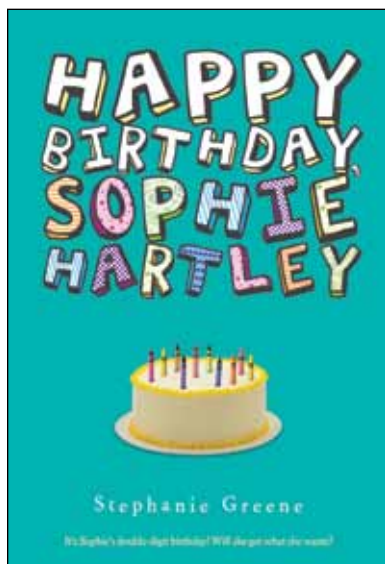
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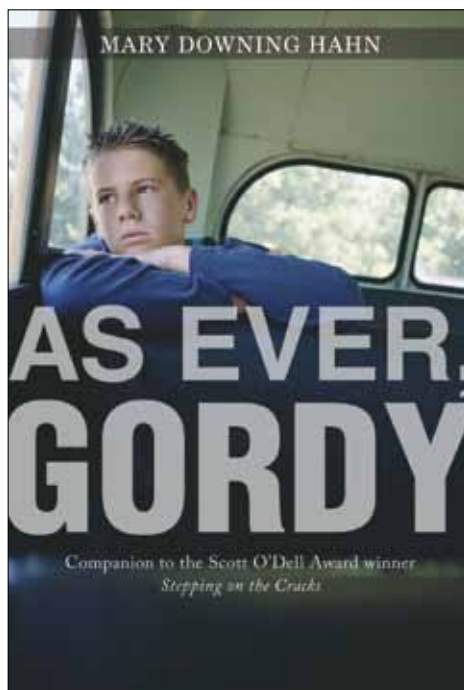
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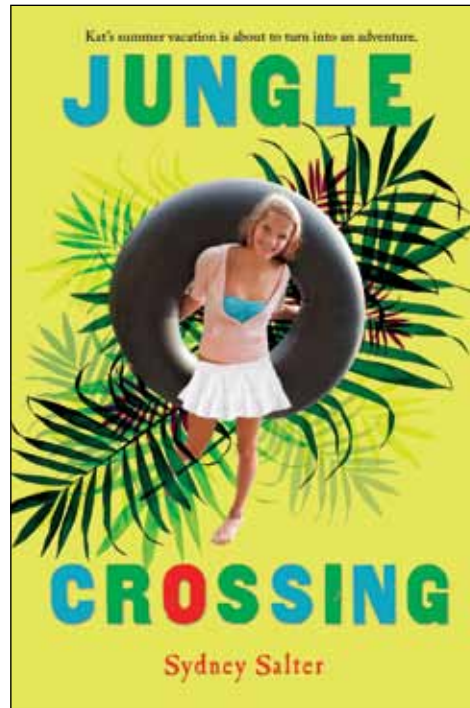
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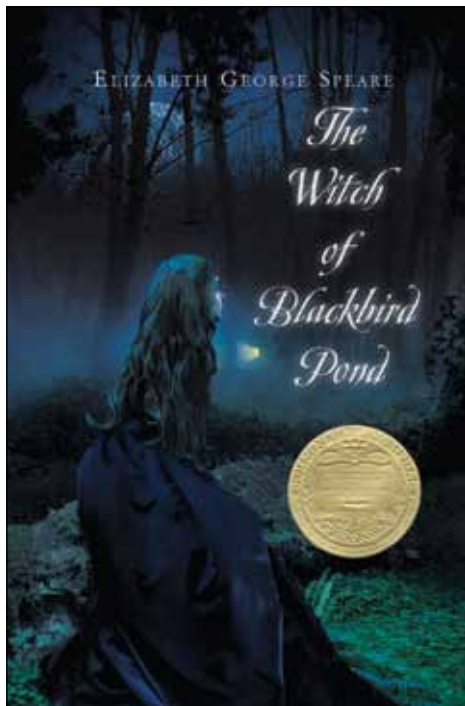
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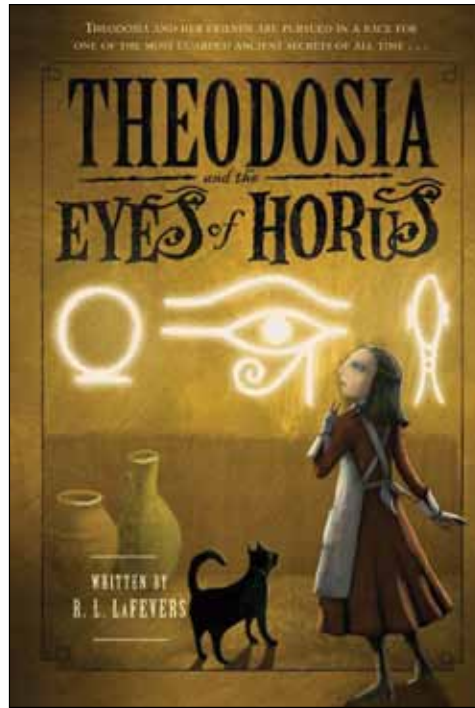
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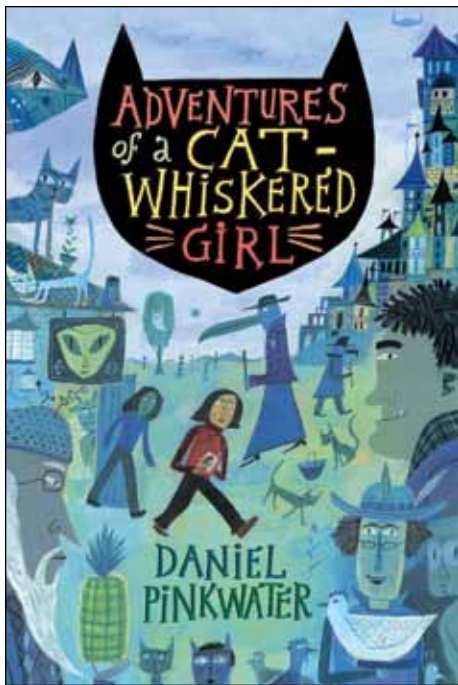
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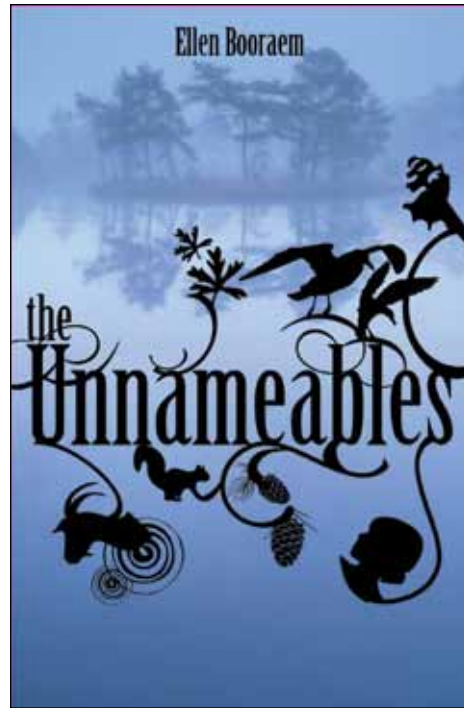
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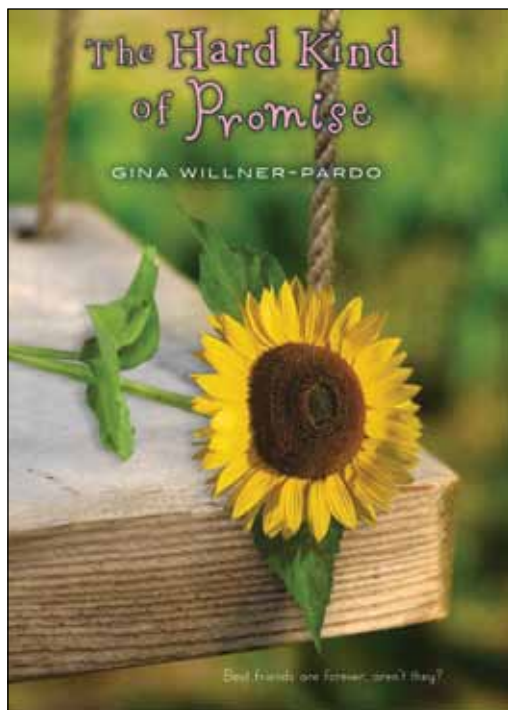
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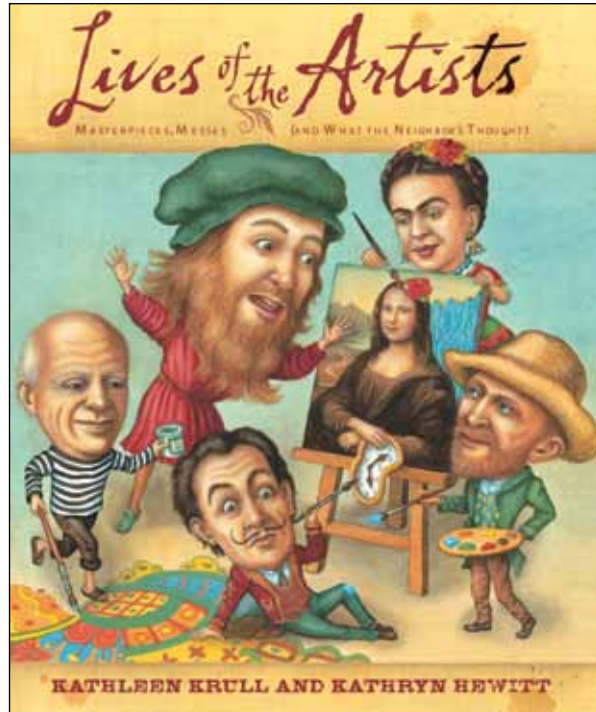
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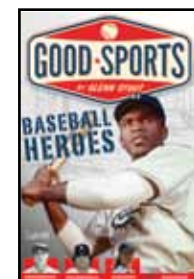
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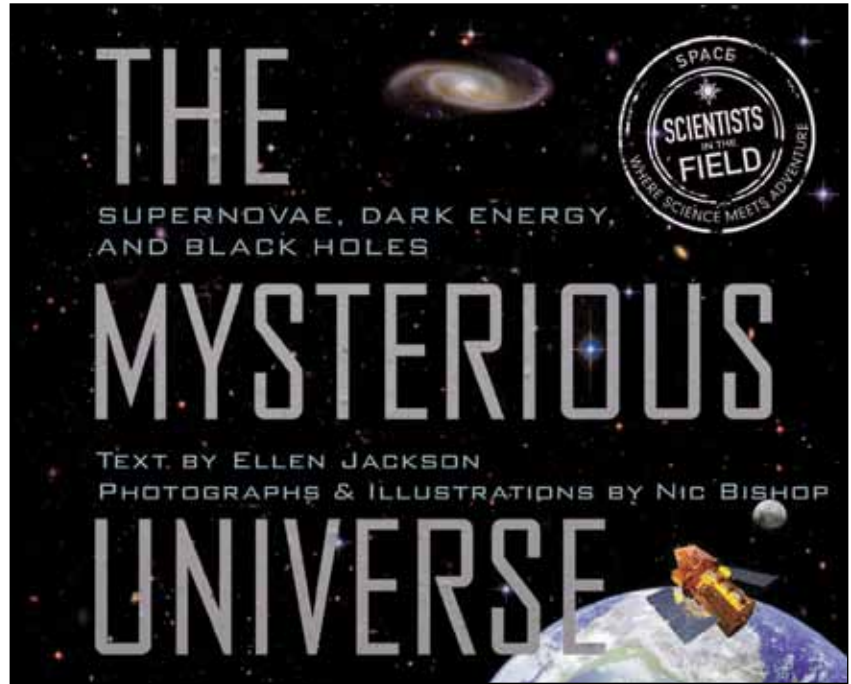
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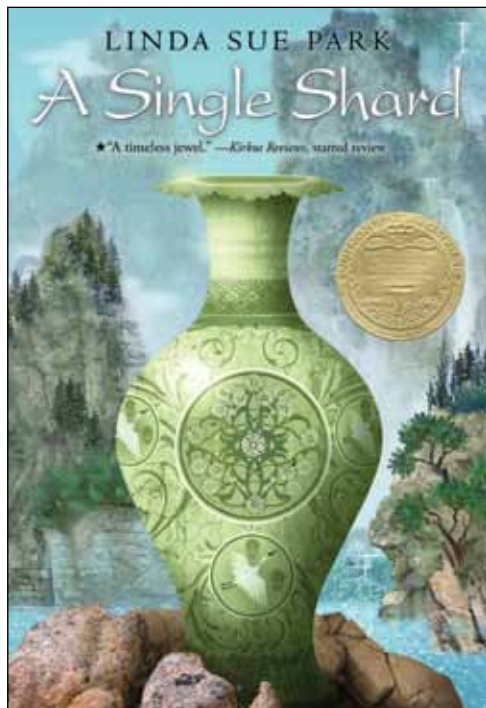
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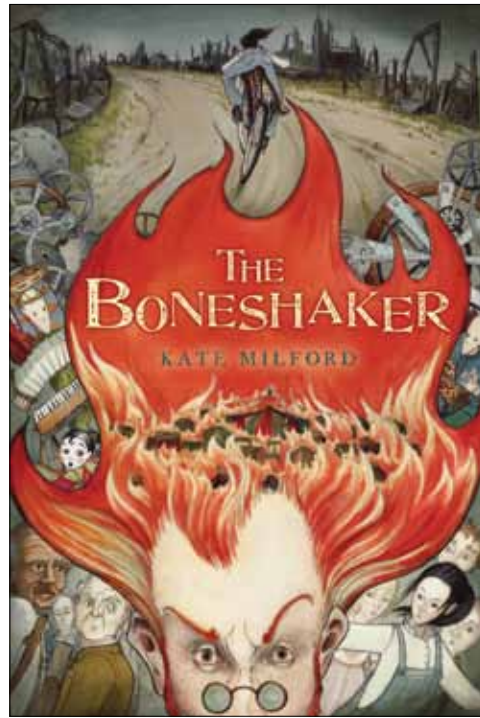
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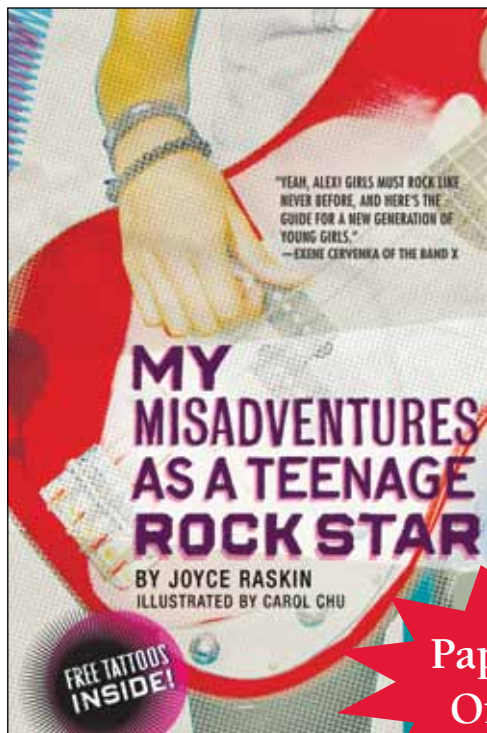
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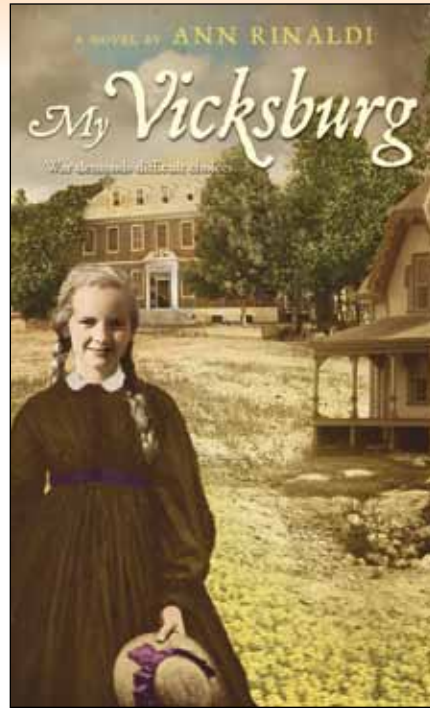
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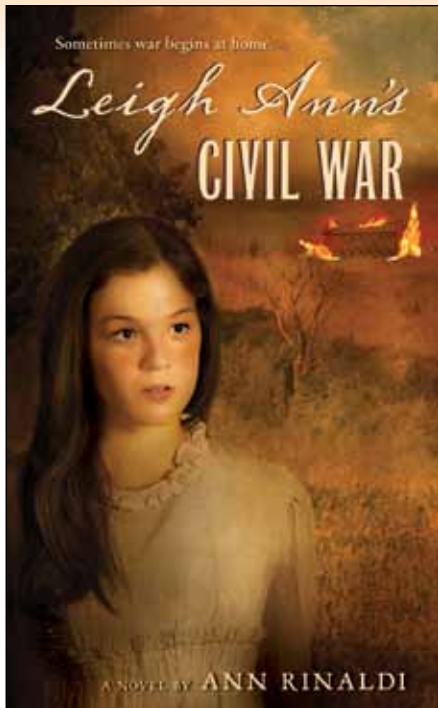
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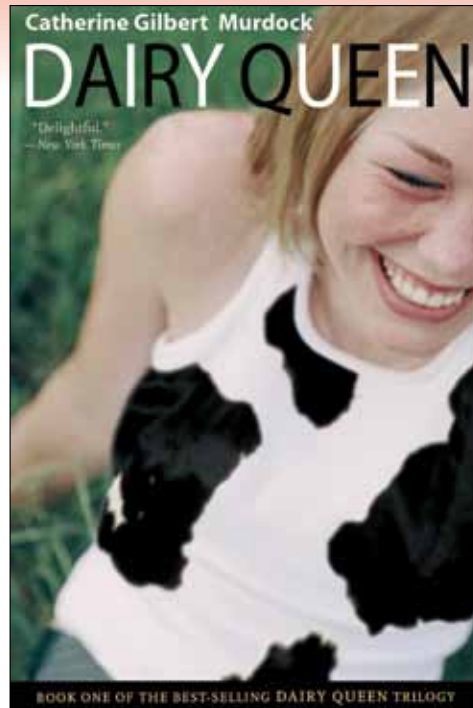
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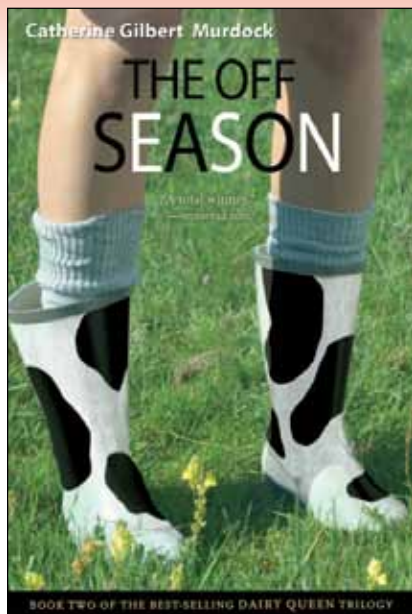
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**Catherine Gilbert Murdock** grew up avoiding all sports involving hand-eye coordination. She now lives in suburban Philadelphia with her husband, children, and several cats. Visit her website at [www.catherinemurdock.com](http://www.catherinemurdock.com).

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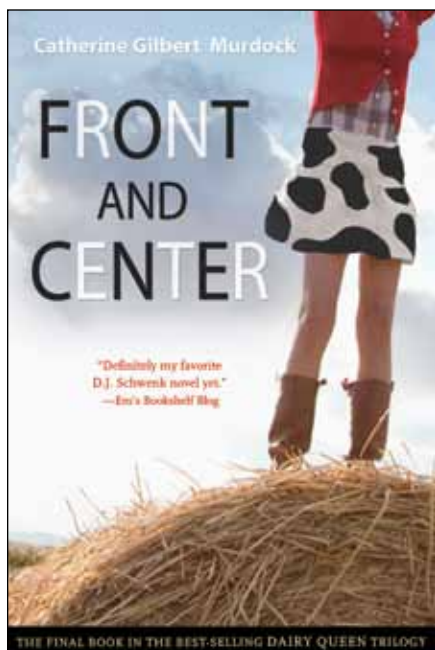
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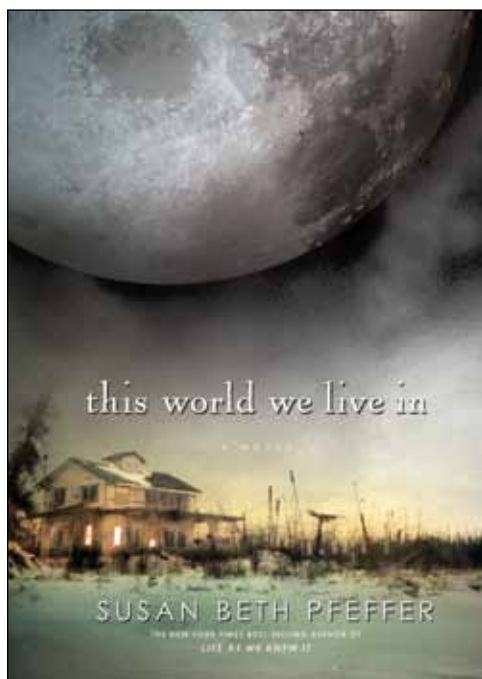
*It's the worst sound I've ever heard in all my years of umping.  
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**Gene Fehler** is a widely published and anthologized poet whose work has appeared in books, poetry collections, and textbooks. He and his wife, Polly, live in Seneca, South Carolina. Visit his website at [www.genefehler.com](http://www.genefehler.com).

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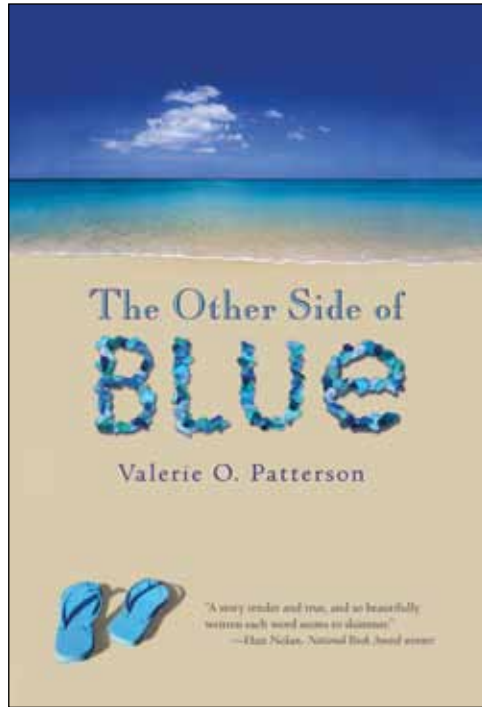
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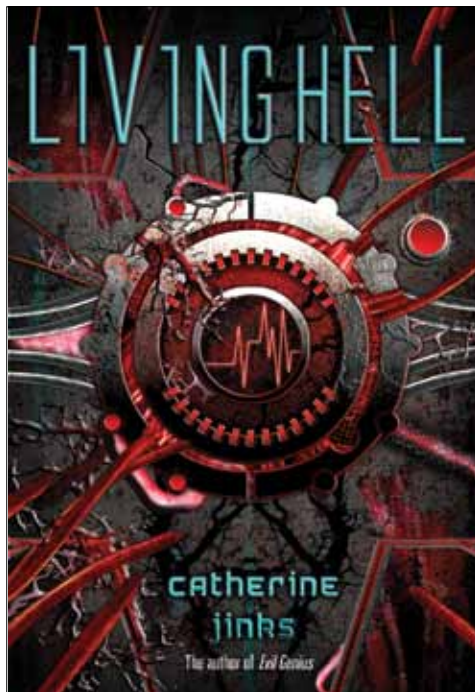
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**Valerie O. Patterson** holds an MFA in children’s literature from Hollins University, where she twice received the Shirley Henn Award for Creative Scholarship. Valerie is an attorney in her day job and lives with her husband in Leesburg, Virginia. Visit her website at [www.valerieopatterson.com](http://www.valerieopatterson.com).

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**Catherine Jinks** is the author of *Evil Genius*, *Genius Squad*, and *The Reformed Vampire Support Group*. She is a three-time winner of the Children's Book Council of Australia Book of the Year award. In 2001 she was presented with a Centenary Medal for her contribution to Australian children's literature. Catherine lives in Leura, Australia. Visit her website at [www.catherinejinks.com](http://www.catherinejinks.com).

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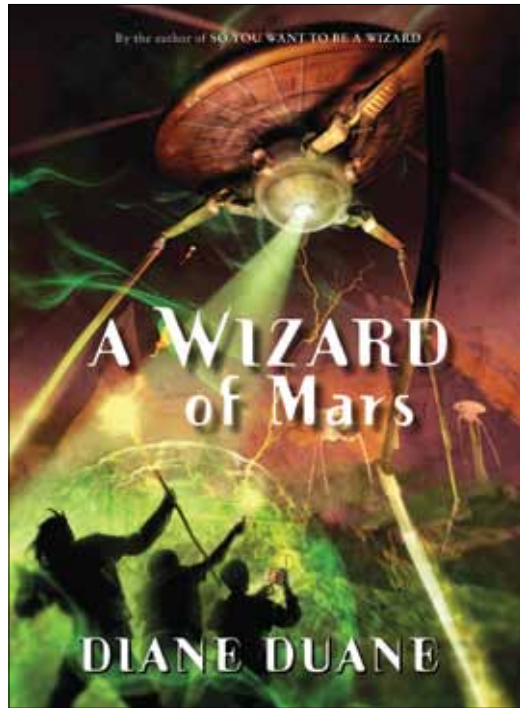
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**Diane Duane** is the author of nearly fifty science fiction and fantasy novels, including eight previous books in the Young Wizards series. She lives in rural Ireland. Visit her websites at [www.DianeDuane.com](http://www.DianeDuane.com) and [www.youngwizards.com](http://www.youngwizards.com)



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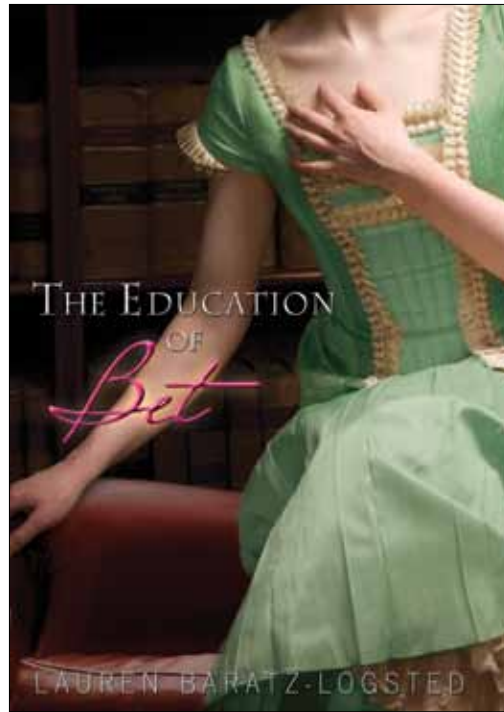
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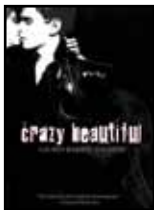
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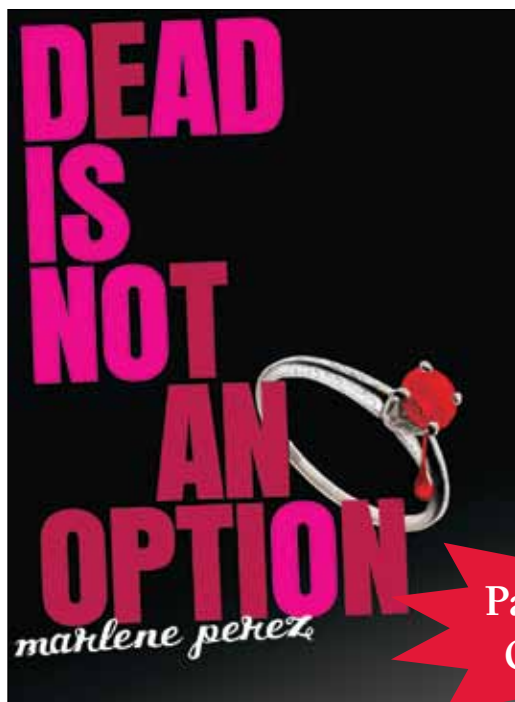
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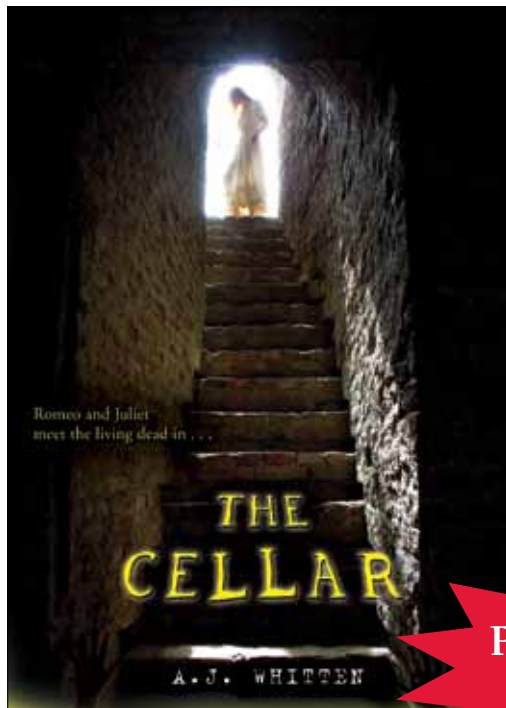
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**A. J. Whitten** is a pseudonym for *New York Times* best-selling author Shirley Jump writing with her teenage daughter, Amanda. They have also written the *Hamlet* horror mash-up *The Well*. They live in Ft. Wayne, Indiana. Visit their website at [www.ajwhitten.com](http://www.ajwhitten.com).

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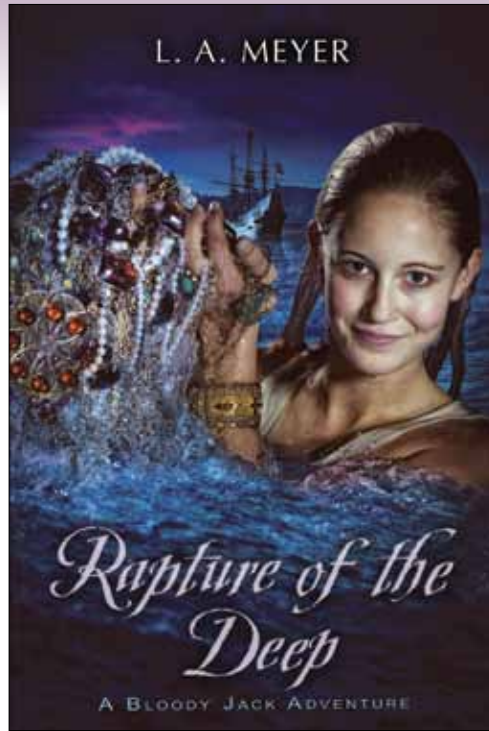
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## Rapture of the Deep

*Being an Account of the Further Adventures of Jacky Faber, Soldier, Sailor, Mermaid, Spy*

L. A. Meyer

“A fast-paced and often amusing swashbuckler. Fans . . . will relish the latest escapades of this high-spirited and decidedly unconventional heroine.” —*Booklist*

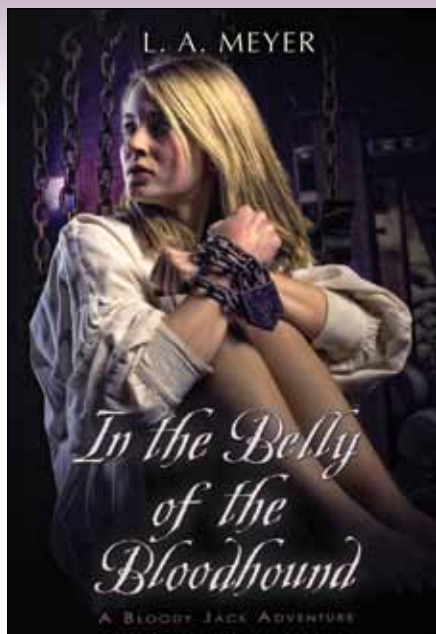
On the very day that Jacky Faber is to wed her true love, she is kidnapped by British Naval Intelligence and forced to embark on yet another daring mission—this time to search for sunken Spanish gold. But when Jacky is involved, things don't always go as planned.

Jacky has survived battles on the high seas, the stifling propriety of a Boston finishing school, and even confinement in a dank French prison. But no adventure has quite matched her opportunistic street-urchin desires—until now.

**L. A. Meyer** was an art teacher, an illustrator, a designer, and a naval officer before he began to write about the impetuous Jacky Faber. He and his wife operate an art gallery near their home in a small fishing village on the coast of Maine. Visit his website at [www.jackyfaber.com](http://www.jackyfaber.com).

# the newly rejacketed Bloody Jack Adventures.

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## In the Belly of the Bloodhound

*Being an Account of a Particularly Peculiar Adventure in the Life of Jacky Faber*

L. A. Meyer

“This exciting high seas adventure blows by at gale force.”—*The Horn Book Guide*

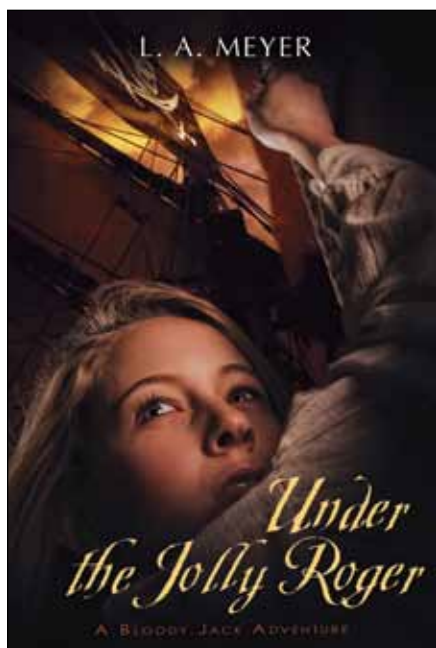
A school outing goes awry as Jacky and her classmates are abducted and forced into the hold of the *Bloodhound*, a ship bound for the slave markets on the Barbary Coast. All of Jacky’s ingenuity, determination, and plain old good luck will be put to the test as she rallies her delicate classmates to fight together and become their *own* rescuers.

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After leaving the Lawson Peabody School for Young Girls in Boston—under dire circumstances, of course—Jacky Faber boards a whaling ship bound for London, where she hopes to find her beloved Jaimy. But things don’t go as planned, and soon Jacky is off on a wild misadventure at sea.

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*The Discovery*

Marley Gibson

After some time off, Kendall's ready to begin ghost hunting again. But her life is still in flux. She misses Patrick, her new love. She needs to find a photographer to replace Taylor. Plus, she may have discovered who her real father is, but to be sure, she has to convince his family she's not a fake.

And then there's a certain doll that seems to be out to get her and her friends. A *doll*? How could that be? Unless, perhaps, it's not just a doll. Maybe it's a vessel containing the soul of a man so evil in life, not even death could stop his reign of terror. This could be Kendall's most terrifying and deadliest encounter yet.

While researching for this series, **Marley Gibson** discovered her own inner ghost huntress. Now, besides writing, she travels across the country, participating in ghost hunts and talking on the subject. She currently has no home address. Instead, she travels around in an RV with her significant other, Patrick Burns, host of TruTV's Haunted Evidence.

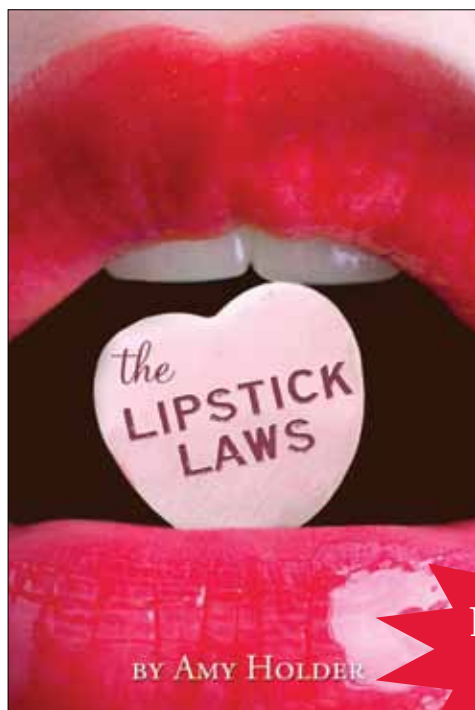


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**In this compelling tale of high school popularity,  
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## **The Lipstick Laws**

**Amy Holder**

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At Penford High School, Brittany Taylor is the queen bee. She dates whomever she likes, rules over her inner circle of friends like Genghis Khan, and can ruin anyone's life with a snap of perfectly manicured fingers. Just ask the unfortunate few who have crossed her.

For April Bowers, Brittany is the answer to her prayers. April is so unpopular, kids don't know she exists. One lunch spent at Brittany's table, and April is basking in the glow of popularity.

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**Amy Holder** has worked as an assistant teacher in a Montessori school, as a therapeutic staff support for youth with mental health and/or emotional issues, and for a nonprofit agency helping special needs children. She lives in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Visit her website at [www.amyholder.com](http://www.amyholder.com).

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**A suspenseful tale of bullying, peer pressure,  
 and death at an exclusive boarding school.**



## Freefall

Ariela Anhalt

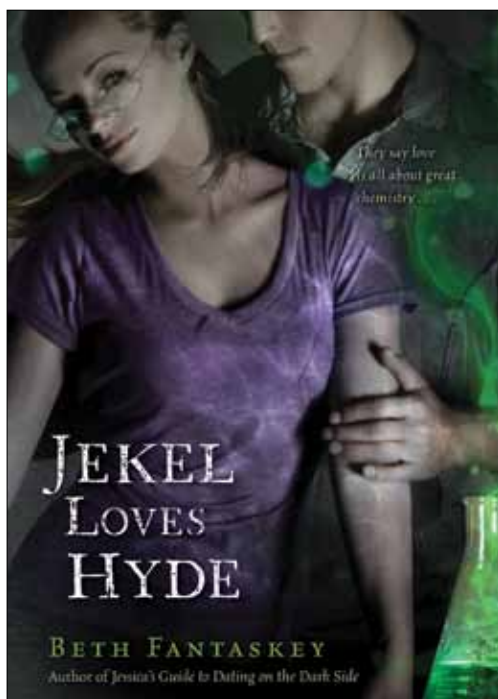
“Teens drawn to boarding-school-scandal dramas will find plenty to gasp about here.” —*Booklist*

“The high stakes, complex character development, and realistic dialogue and interactions will keep readers riveted.” —*Publishers Weekly*

Three guys from the Briar Academy fencing team went up to the cliff that night for a hazing ritual—but only two came back alive. Now Luke’s best friend, Hayden, is in jail and the pressure is on Luke to report what he saw. But what did he see? An accident—or a murder? Luke has always followed Hayden’s lead, but this is one decision he’ll be forced to make on his own. And to do it, he must face the truth about his friendship with Hayden and his own painful past.

**Ariela Anhalt** is a student at Dartmouth College. *Freefall* is her first novel.

**Love is all about great chemistry in this contemporary retelling of *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde*.**



## **Jekel Loves Hyde**

**Beth Fantaskey**

“[The] premise is creative, and there are plenty of twists to keep readers engaged—right through the fiery final face-off.” —*Publishers Weekly*

When Jill Jekel’s dad is murdered and her college savings disappear, she enlists the help of gorgeous, brooding Tristen Hyde in her quest for a lucrative chemistry scholarship. As the team of Jekel and Hyde, they recreate experiments based on the classic novel, hoping not only to win a prize, but to save Tristen’s sanity. Maybe his *life*. But Jill’s accidental taste of a formula unleashes her darkest nature and compels her to risk everything—even Tristen’s love—just for the thrill of being . . . bad.

**Beth Fantaskey** lives in rural Pennsylvania with her husband and two daughters. She is the author of *Jessica’s Guide to Dating on the Dark Side*. Visit her website at [www.bethfantaskey.com](http://www.bethfantaskey.com).



**Also by Beth Fantaskey:**

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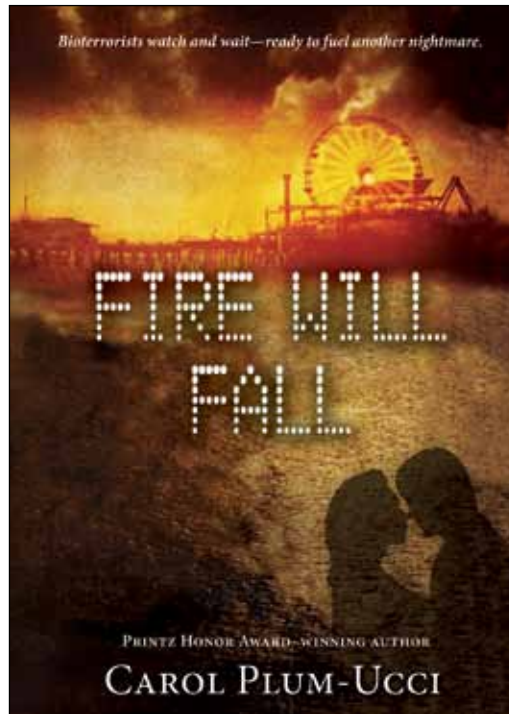
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**An action-packed story of bioterrorism  
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## Fire Will Fall

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### Also by Carol Plum-Ucci:

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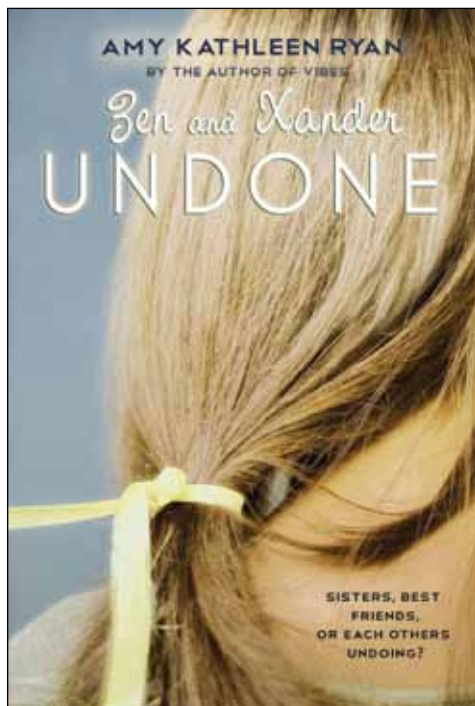
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ShadowStrike poisoned the water of Trinity Falls two months ago. Now the Trinity Four, the teens most affected by the poison, have been isolated in a remote mansion, under twenty-four-hour medical care while scientists on four continents rush to discover a cure. Meanwhile, U.S. operatives scour the world for the bioterrorists responsible for this heinous crime, as two teen virtual spies, also infected, hunt for the criminals on the Internet. The danger remains real—for ShadowStrike has every reason to pursue the Trinity Four, and their evil plan will unleash a new designer virus that's even deadlier than the first.

**Carol Plum-Ucci** was a Michael L. Printz Award Honor winner and an Edgar Allan Poe Award finalist for her first novel, *The Body of Christopher Creed*. *Fire Will Fall* is the continuation of the thriller begun with *Streams of Babel*. Ms. Plum-Ucci lives in New Jersey. Visit her website at [www.carolplumucci.com](http://www.carolplumucci.com).

**The author of *Vibes* captures a spectrum of teen emotions in her latest young adult novel.**



## Zen and Xander Undone

Amy Kathleen Ryan

★ “Full of longing and hard-won insight—draws readers in and won’t let go.”  
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Zen and Xander are sisters—truly, madly, deeply sisters—and this is their last summer together.

They are surviving fine since their mother’s death. Except Zen keeps getting into fights and Xander is spiraling into a vortex of dangerous parties.

In the midst of the chaos, Zen and Xander discover a mystery about their mother’s past. Sharing its secrets will be the bond that holds them together.

**Amy Kathleen Ryan** is also the author of *Vibes* and a graduate of the New School creative writing program. She lives in Colorado. Visit her website at [www.amykathleenryan.com](http://www.amykathleenryan.com).

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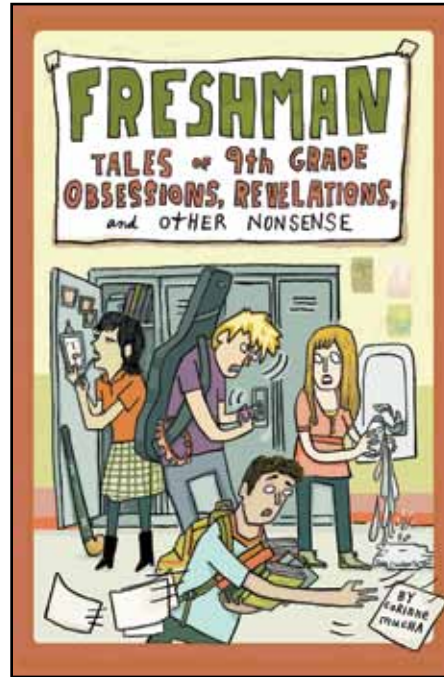
**A humorous graphic novel with quirky illustrations, *Freshman* is a great read for anyone who currently is a freshman—or who ever was.**

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Ages 13 and up  
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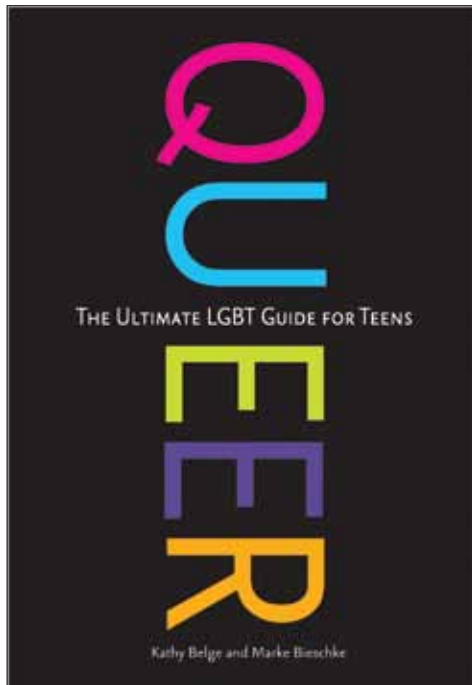


**Freshman**  
*Tales of 9th Grade Obsessions,  
Revelations, and Other Nonsense*  
Corinne Mucha

Annie has just started high school and she's a mess. Her older brother has told her that her freshman year will strongly affect the rest of her life, and if that's true her future is looking grim: She's a loser at sports, is jealous of everyone, and has totally fallen in love with her best friend's older brother. When she gets cast as a moaning, hunched-over old lady in the school play, she starts to forget about the rest of her life. Now she just wants to make it through freshman year.

This hilarious and unique take on the beginning of a new school venture will make the perfect back-to-school gift.

**Corinne Mucha** is a Chicago-based author and illustrator. Among her credits are the Xeric Award-winning graphic novel *My Alaskan Summer*, several minicomics, and the *Philadelphia Inquirer* comic-strip etiquette column "Barnyard Etiquette."



**Queer**  
*The Ultimate LGBT Guide for Teens*  
 Kathy Belge and Marke Bieschke

Teen life is hard enough with all of the pressures kids face, but for teens who are LGBT (lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender), it's even harder. When do you decide to come out? To whom? Will your friends accept you? And how on earth do you meet people to date?

*Queer* is a humorous, engaging, and honest guide that helps LGBT teens come out to friends and family, navigate their new LGBT social life, figure out if a crush is also queer, and rise up against bigotry and homophobia.

*Queer* also includes personal stories from the authors and sidebars on queer history. It's a must-read for any teen who thinks he or she might be queer—or knows someone who is.

**Marke Bieschke** is the former health and dating editor of Gay.com and PlanetOut.com and the current senior editor at the *San Francisco Bay Guardian*.

**Kathy Belge** coauthored the book *Lipstick & Dipstick's Essential Guide to Lesbian Relationships*, and writes on lesbian life for *Curve* magazine and About.com.

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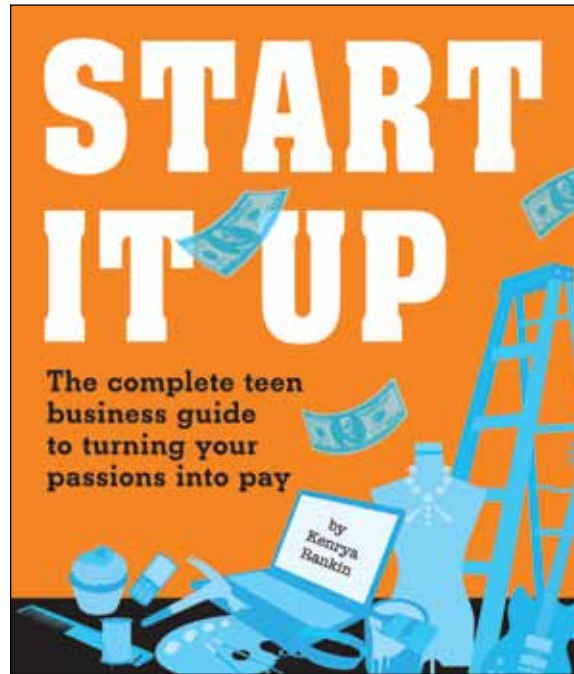
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**Start It Up**  
*The Complete Teen Business Guide to  
Turning Your Passions Into Pay*  
by **Kenrya Rankin**

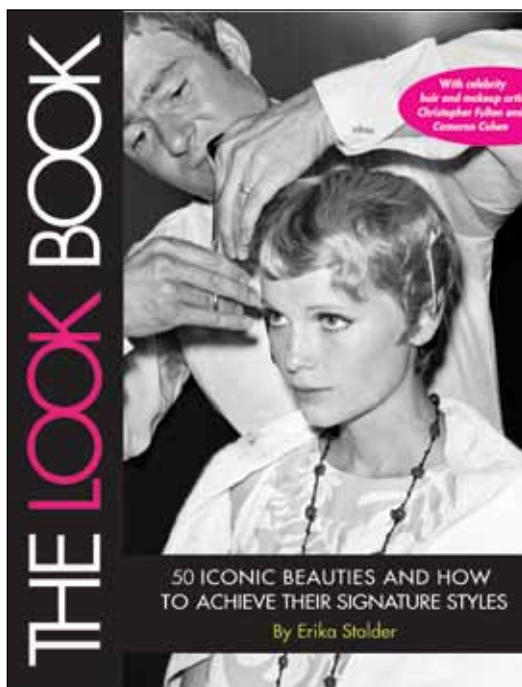
Do you have a passion you want to turn into pay? Or maybe you are looking for a way to make some extra cash in high school? *Start It Up* shows teens how to turn their hobbies and talents into full-fledged businesses.

Inside you'll find comprehensive and fun information on how to

- know what's the best business for you,
- pull together a company, and
- sell your product and let the world know about it!

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**Kenrya Rankin** is a writer and business reporter based in Washington, D.C., who has contributed to *Parlour* magazine, *Latina*, *Reader's Digest*, *UPTOWN* magazine, *Glamour*, *Black Enterprise*, *Vibe's Prodigy*, *Consumer Reports ShopSmart*, *WeddingChannel*, *TheLoop21*, and *The Plain Dealer*.



## The Look Book

*50 Iconic Beauties and How to Achieve Their Signature Styles*

Erika Stalder

Audrey Hepburn's winged eyes. Veronica Lake's peek a boo curls. Over the past century, celebrities have been at the forefront of fashion, introducing numerous classic hair and makeup looks to society. Now you can find out where these looks came from—and get them for yourself. This book celebrates fifty beauty icons and examines when each one ushered in a unique look, why it became so legendary, and how to recreate it. Written with celebrity hair stylist Christopher Fulton and celebrity makeup artist Cameron Cohen, this unique collection includes professional tips on how to get the best look, glamorous photos, and easy-to-follow instructions.

**Erika Stalder** is a San Francisco-based writer who has contributed to *Wired*, *Missbehave*, *Planet*, and *The Journal of Life Sciences* and worked with the International Museum of Women to produce the *Imagining Ourselves* anthology. She also currently writes the “Dear Erika” advice column for ABC Family's *The Secret Life of the American Teenager* website.

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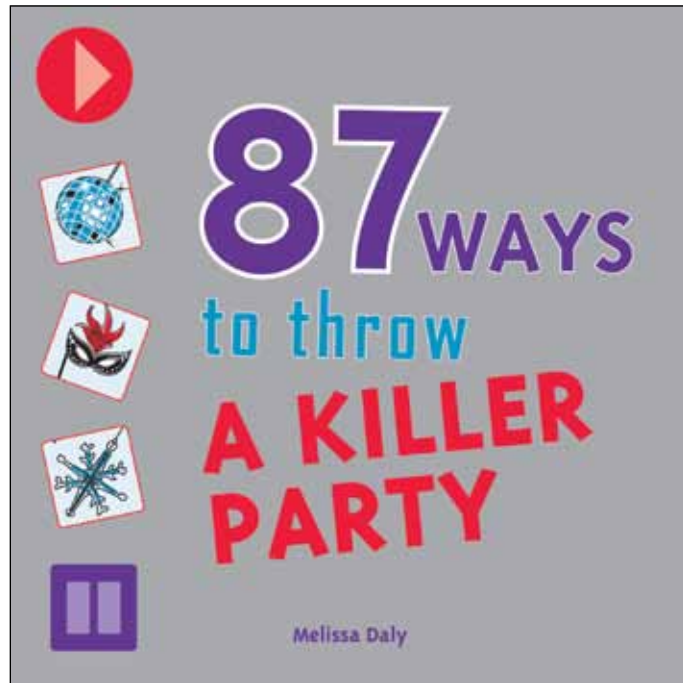
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*97 Things to Do  
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## 87 Ways to Throw a Killer Party

Melissa Daly

Want an excuse to get friends together? Or looking for an idea for a party your friends will never forget? This ultimate party-planning book for teens includes eighty-seven original ideas (and original takes on classic ideas) for great bashes. Inside you'll find parties of all kinds, such as an anti Valentine's Day soiree, a haunted house party, and a season finale get-together. Also includes party-planning tips, hosting etiquette, and how to avoid typical party pitfalls. Each idea contains some historical background information, a description of what you'll need, and guidelines of how to set it up. Fun illustrations and safety and money-saving tips included.

**Melissa Daly** is a former *Seventeen* magazine editor and has written for *Self*, *Shape*, *Men's Health*, *Fitness*, and others. She is also the coauthor of eight books in a tween nonfiction series on health and relationships called *Sunscreen*.

# Recent Awards and Accolades



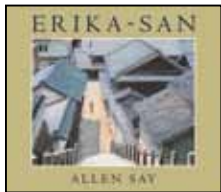
**2011 Phoenix Award Honor Book**  
*Stepping on the Cracks*  
by Mary Downing Hahn

**Edgar Award Best Juvenile Book**  
*Closed for the Season*  
by Mary Downing Hahn



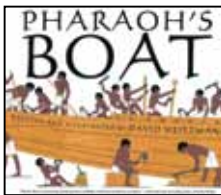
**Oregon Spirit Book Award**  
*Erika-San*  
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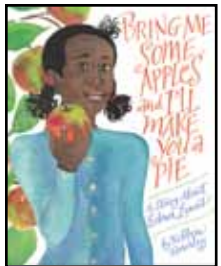
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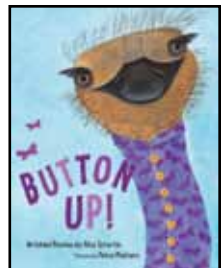


**Patterson Prize for Poetry for**  
**Books for Young People**  
*Button Up! Wrinkled Rhymes*

by Alice Schertle,  
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**Minnesota Book Award in the**  
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*Red Sings from the Treetops:*  
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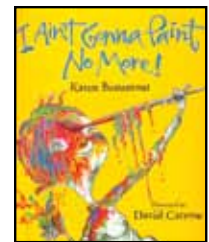


**YALSA Teens' Top Ten nominee**  
*The Reformed Vampire*  
*Support Group*  
by Catherine Jinks



## State Awards

**2009–2010 Georgia**  
**Children's Book Award**  
*I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!*  
by Karen Beaumont,  
illustrated by David Catrow  
*Deep and Dark and Dangerous*  
by Mary Downing Hahn



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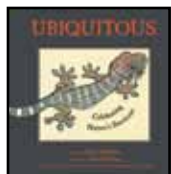


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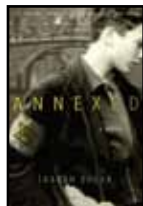


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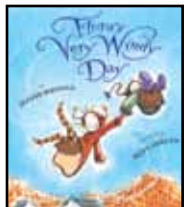
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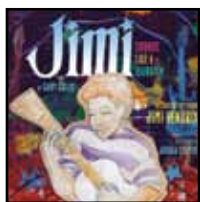
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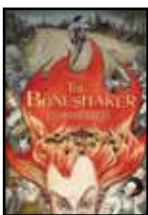


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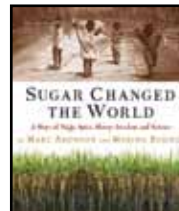
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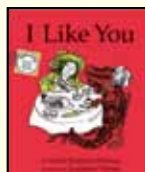
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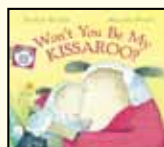
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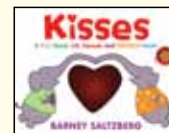
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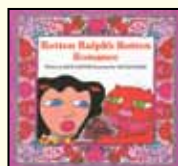
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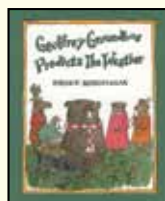
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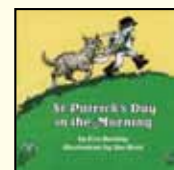
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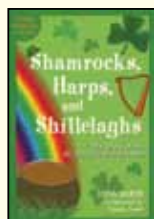


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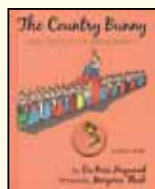
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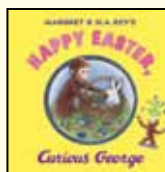
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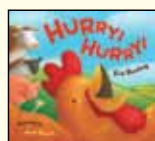
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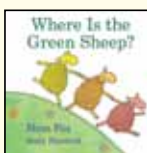
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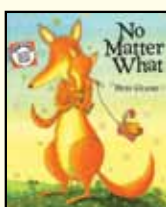
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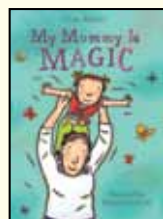
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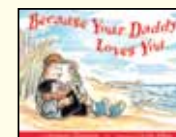
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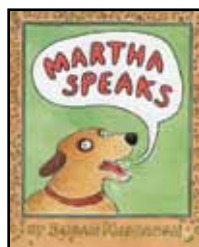
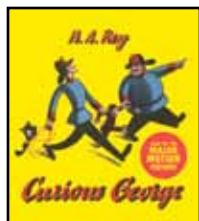
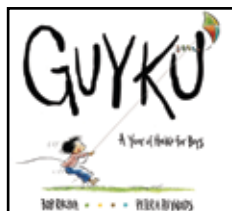


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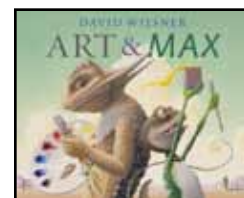
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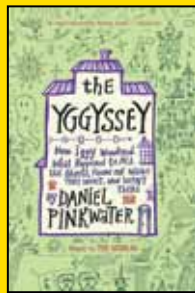
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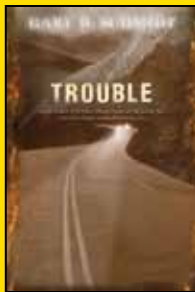


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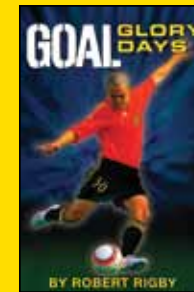
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