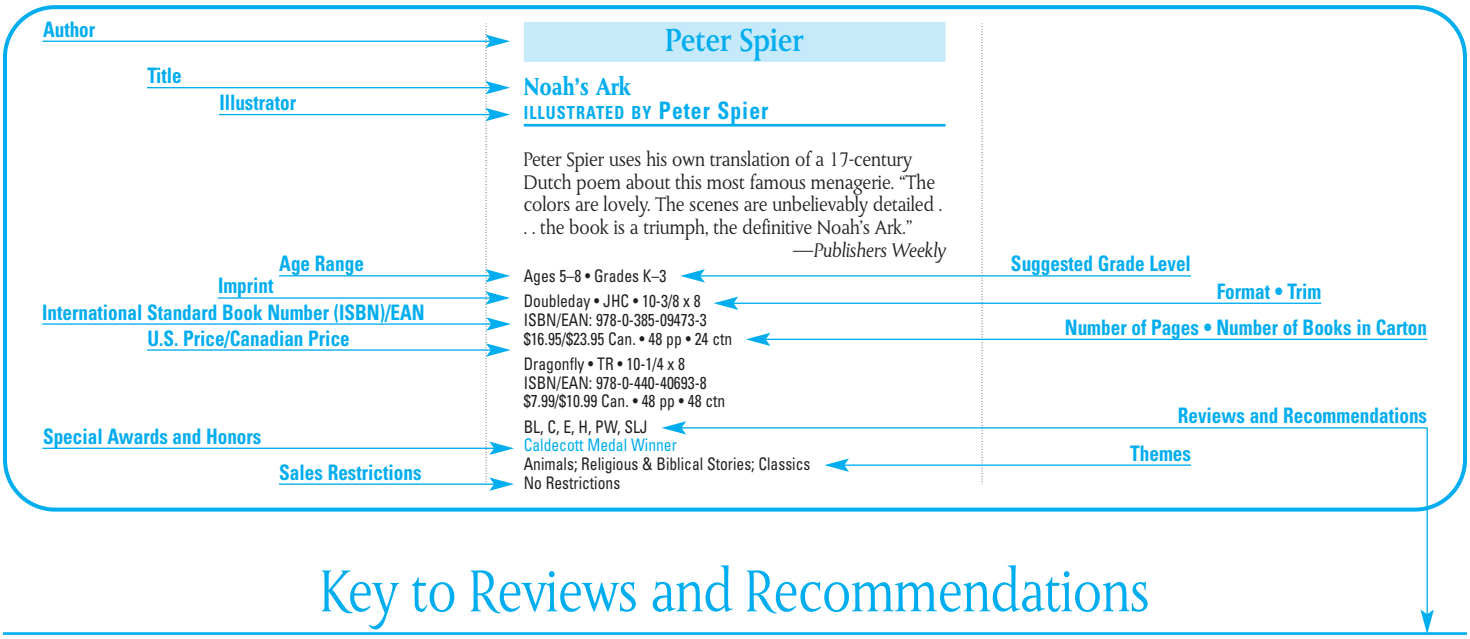


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Key to Reviews and Recommendations

Symbol	Professional Recommendation
AAAS	American Association for the Advancement of Science, all lists and reviews
ACEI	Association for Childhood Education International, all lists and reviews
AIGA	American Institute of Graphic Arts Annual Books Show Selection
AP	Appraisal
B	Best Books for Children, R. R. Bowker Company
BG	Boston Globe
BKL	ALA Book Links
BL	Booklist, ALA
BL■	Booklist, ALA, boxed review
BL★	Booklist, ALA, recommended as excellent (starred)
BR	Book Report
BR★	Book Report, highly recommended (starred)
BST	Children's Book Committee at Bank Street College Best Book of the Year
C	Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books, University of Chicago
C★	Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books, University of Chicago, especially recommended (starred)
CL	Catholic Library World, Catholic Library Association
CR	Children's Book Review Service
CSM	Christian Science Monitor
E	Elementary School Library Collection, Brodart Foundation
E★	Selector's Choice, especially recommended (starred)
FO	Five Owls
H	Horn Book
H★	Horn Book, recommended as excellent (starred)
HWW	H. W. Wilson, all catalog and Wilson Library Bulletin
HWW★	H. W. Wilson, all catalog and Wilson Library Bulletin, especially recommended (starred)
HWW★★	H. W. Wilson, all catalog and Wilson Library Bulletin, most highly recommended (double starred)
IN	Instructor
IRA	International Reading Association, all lists and reviews
IRACC	"Children's Choices," IRA
IRAJR	"Journal of Reading," IRA
IRART	"The Reading Teacher," IRA
IRATC	"Teachers Choices," IRA
IRAYC	"Young Adult Choices," IRA
IS	All publications of the National Association of Independent Schools
K	Kirkus Reviews
K◆	Kirkus Reviews, especially recommended (past term for starred review) (pointer)
K★	Kirkus Reviews, especially recommended (starred)
KL	Kobrin Letter
KYA	Kliatt
KYA★	Kliatt, recommended as exceptional (starred)
L	Learning
LAT	Los Angeles Times
LC	Library of Congress
LJ	Library Journal
LJ★	Library Journal, recommended as excellent (starred)
LMC	Library Media Connection
LMC★	Library Media Connection, recommended as excellent (starred)
LT	Library Talk, Linworth Publishing
NA	The New Advocate
NCSS	"Notable Children's Trade Books in the Field of Social Studies" or reviews and lists of the national Council for Social Studies
NCTE	"Notable Children's Trade Books in Language Arts" or reviews and lists of the National Council of Teachers of English
NSTA	"Outstanding Science Trade Books for Children," National Science Teachers Association Book Review Panel of the NSTA–CBC Joint Committee, or reviews in Science and Children
NYPLC	"Children's Books—100 Titles for Reading and Sharing," New York Public Library
NYPLT	"Books for the Teen Age," New York Public Library
NYT	The New York Times
NYTBR	The New York Times Book Review, including semi-annual selections of outstanding children's books
PC	Parents' Choice, including annual "Parents' Choice Awards"
PW	Publishers Weekly
PW★	Publishers Weekly, recommended as excellent (starred)
PWBS	Publishers Weekly Bestsellers Lists
RR	Reading Rainbow Selection
SFC	San Francisco Chronicle
SLJ	School Library Journal
SLJ★	School Library Journal, recommended as excellent (starred)
SSM	School Science and Mathematics
SQ	Science Books and Films
T	Teacher
TK8	Teaching PreK–8
V	VOYA (Voice of Youth Advocates)
V★	VOYA especially recommended (starred)
WP	Washington Post

★ = starred ◆ = pointer ■ = boxed

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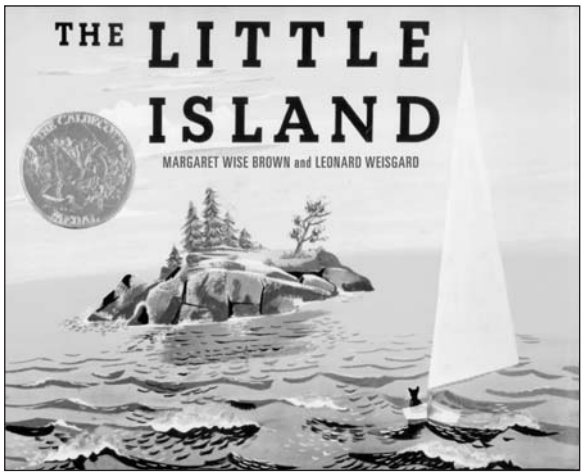
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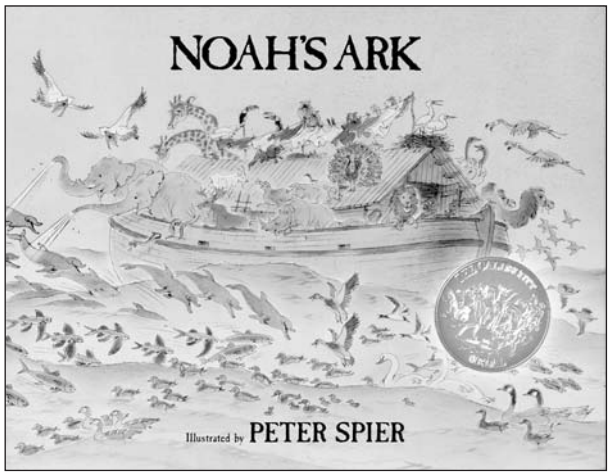


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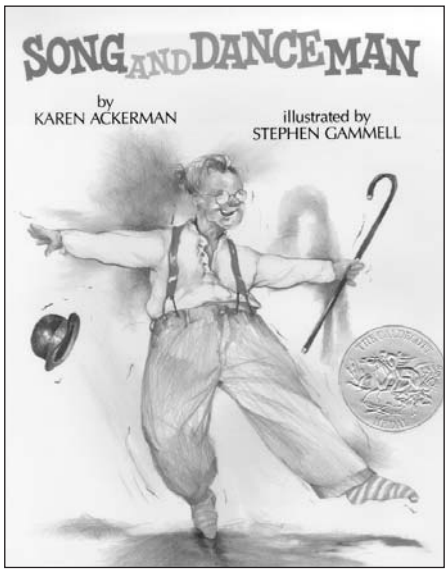
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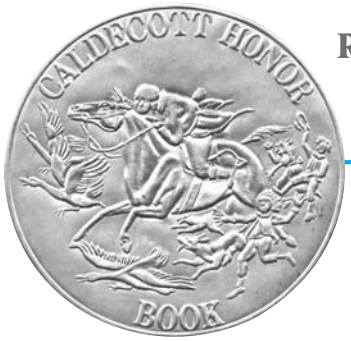


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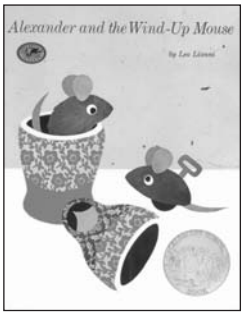
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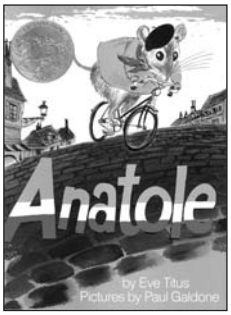


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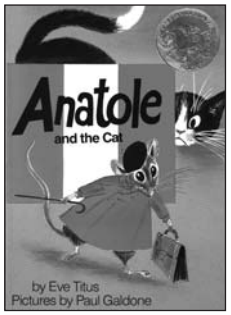
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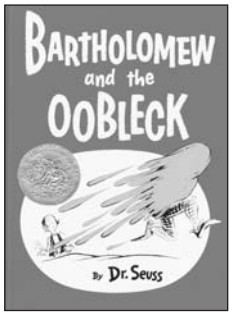
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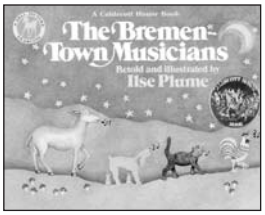
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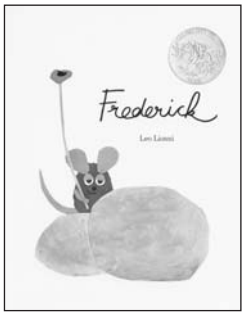
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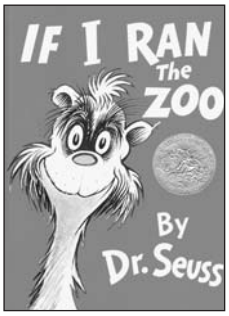
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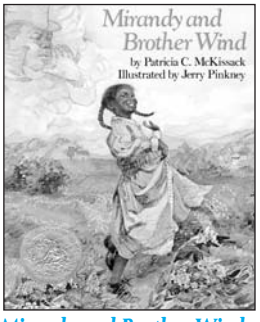
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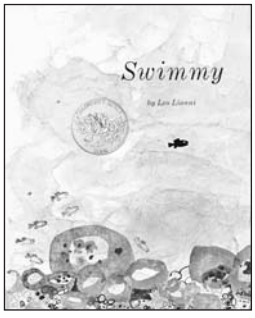
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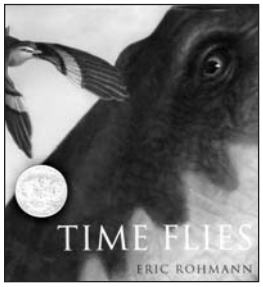
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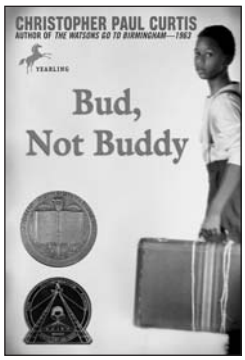


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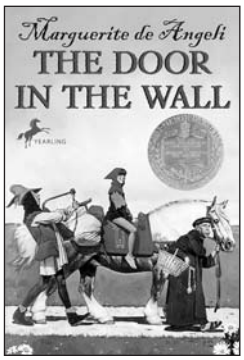


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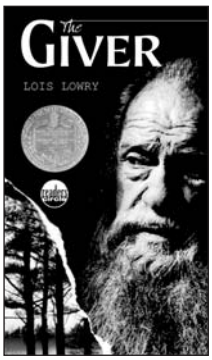
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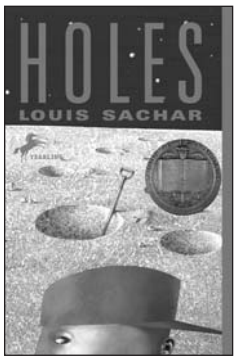
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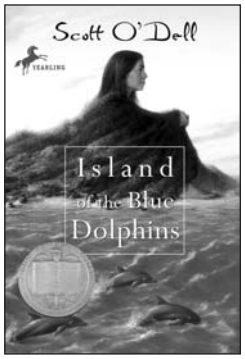
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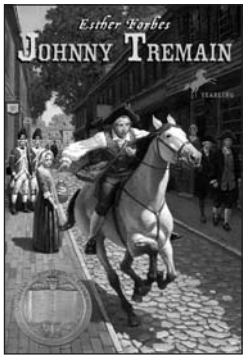
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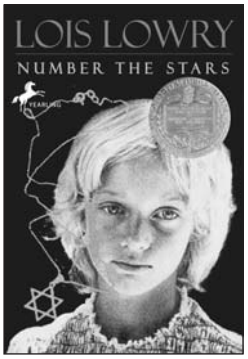
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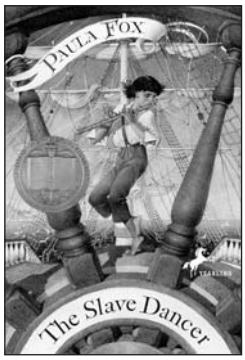
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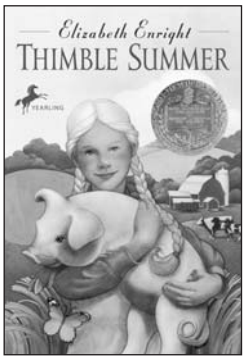
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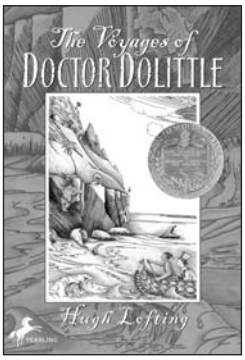
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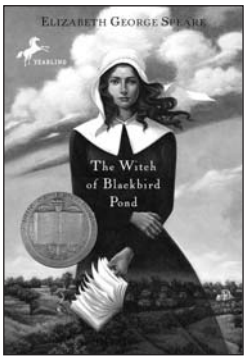
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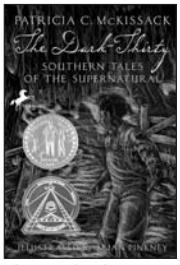
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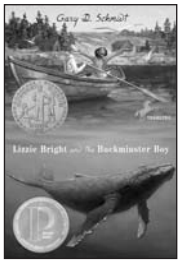
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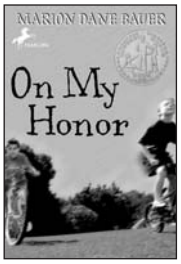
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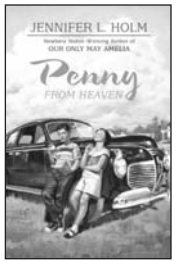
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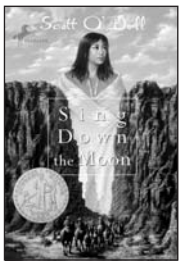
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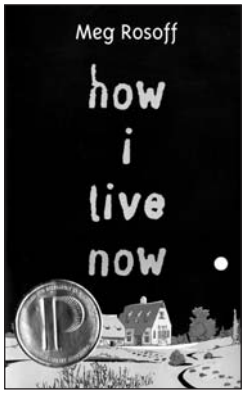
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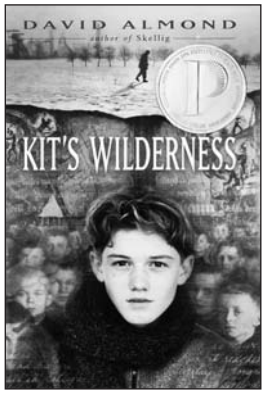


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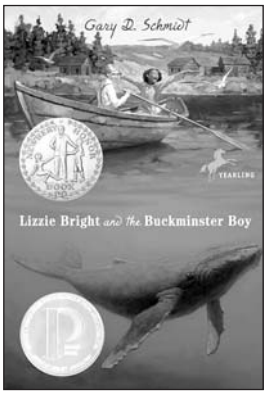


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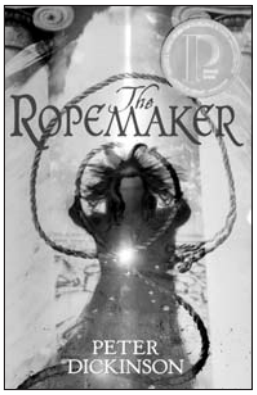
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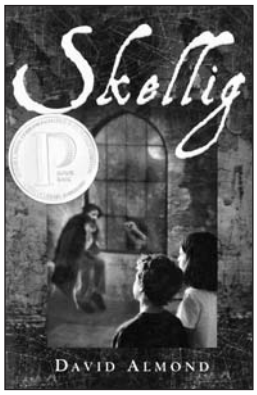
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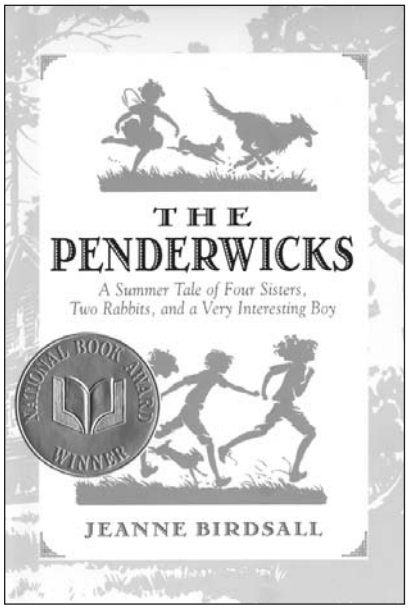
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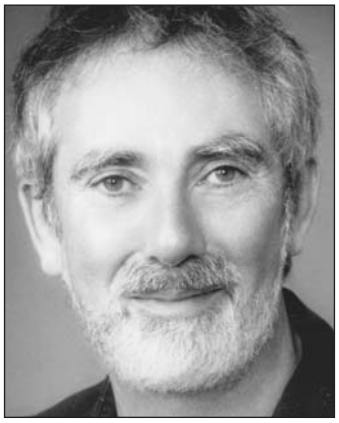
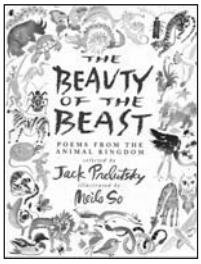


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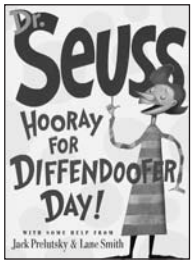
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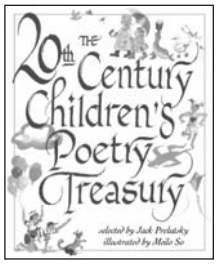
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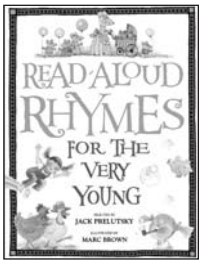
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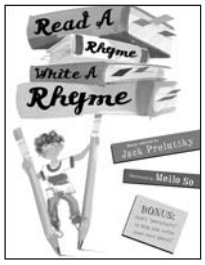
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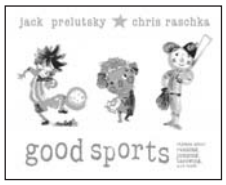
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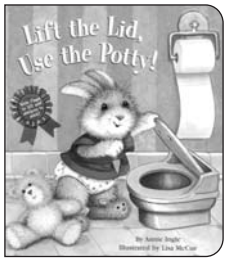
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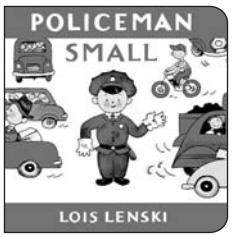
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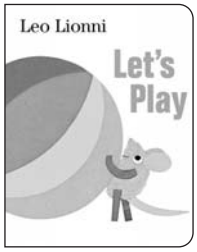
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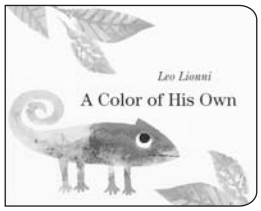


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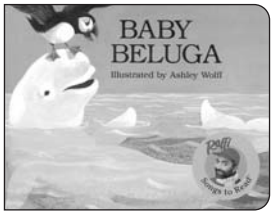
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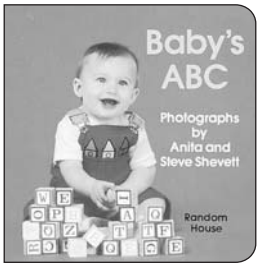
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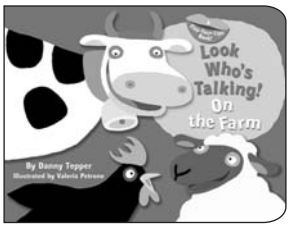
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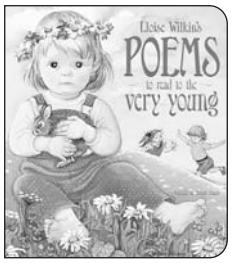
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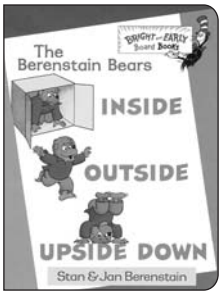
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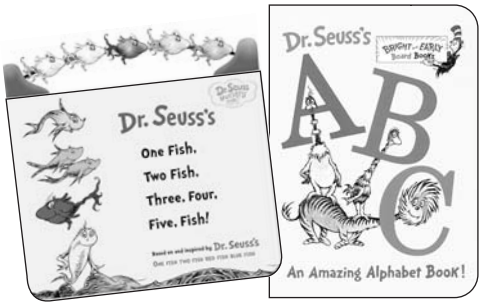


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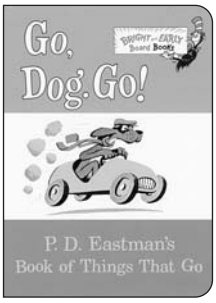


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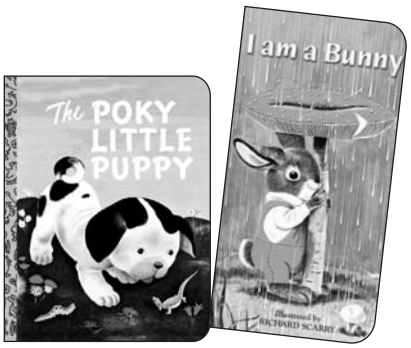
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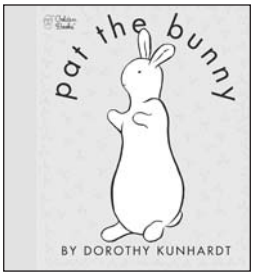
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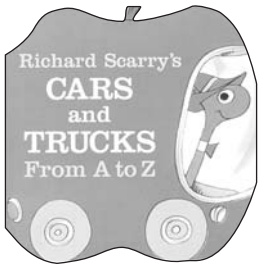
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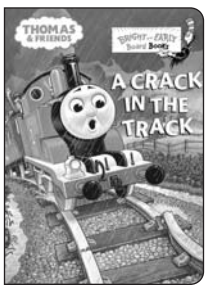
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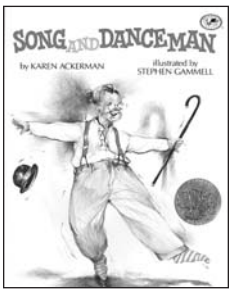
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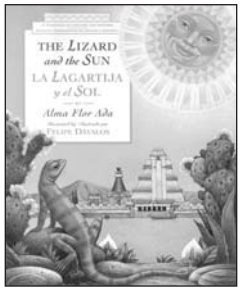
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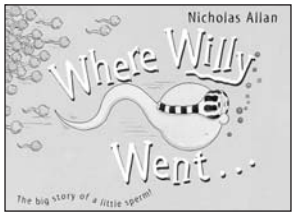
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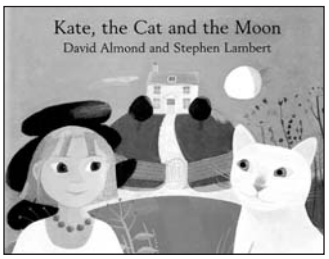
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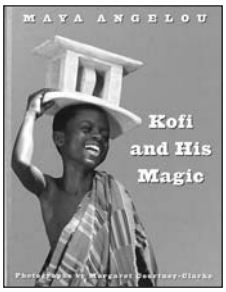
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Maya Angelou



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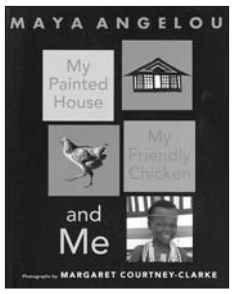
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ILLUSTRATED BY Michael Garland

A boy is excited about his newly acquired ability to read and wants to share a book aloud with someone in his family, but everyone is busy. Just when he's about to give up and is resigned to read aloud to his stuffed animals, his family comes through, ready to listen. "This rhyming story . . . speaks of reading as a social activity that involves love and fun."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

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SLJ
Humor; Perseverance; Family & Relationships
No Restrictions

Judy Blume



The Pain and the Great One

ILLUSTRATED BY Irene Trivas

An eight-year-old girl, "The Great One," and her six-year-old brother, "The Pain," state their cases for each other and who is best loved by their parents. "Vibrant watercolors add depth and humor to a valuable book on sibling relationships."
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Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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BKL, BL, C, E, SLJ, K
Family & Relationships • No Restrictions

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Ray Bradbury



Switch on the Night

ILLUSTRATED BY Leo AND Diane Dillon

A lonely boy who is afraid of the dark always stays indoors after the sun sets until a magical girl named Dark shows him the beauty of night. "[The] story has that vivid sense of magic that infuses all of Bradbury's poetic writing. The illustrations enhance this otherworldly mood. . . . strongly atmospheric, and founded on an ingenious strategy for coping with a common fear."—*School Library Journal*

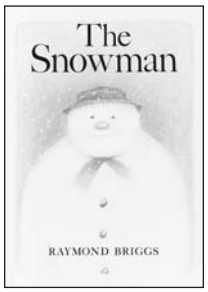
Ages 2–7 • Up to grade 2

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BL, SLJ
Bedtime Stories; Emotions & Feelings; Growing Up
No Restrictions

Raymond Briggs



The Snowman

In this wordless story, young James shares a magical nighttime adventure with a very special snowman. "The experience is one that neither [James] nor young 'readers' will ever regret or forget."
—*Booklist*, Starred

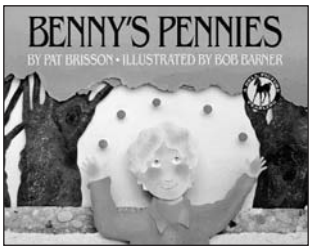
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Pat Brisson



Benny's Pennies

ILLUSTRATED BY Bob Barner

Benny McBride starts his day with five new pennies and, with the help of generous neighbors, fulfills his family members' request to buy them each a gift. "Well-chosen language, cumulative refrain and judiciously placed rhymes lend text a pleasing musicality."—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Dragonfly • TR • 10 x 8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41016-4
$6.99/$9.99 Can. • 32 pp • 48 ctn

PW, SLJ
Concepts/Counting; Math • No Restrictions

Margaret Wise Brown



The Golden Egg Book

ILLUSTRATED BY Leonard Weisgard

The Golden Easter classic about a bunny and a little duck that is about to hatch.

Ages 2–5 • Up to kindergarten

Golden • UHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82717-4
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Classics; Animals; Easter • US/Can. Only

Home for a Bunny

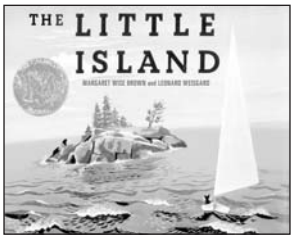
ILLUSTATED BY Garth Williams

This simple and playful tale of a furry, lovable bunny on his journey to find a home has been a family favorite since 1956.

Ages 2–5 • Up to kindergarten

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Friendship; Animals; Classics; Acceptance & Belonging; Easter • US/Can. Only



The Little Island

ILLUSTRATED BY Leonard Weisgard

A fairy-tale adventure of a year in the life of a special little island. "A picture book of great charm."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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No Restrictions

The Wonderful House

ILLUSTRATED BY J.P. Miller

"This deluxe edition—a large format jacketed hardcover—is a guessing game about which creatures live in a wide array of homes, culminating with a fabulous flying house piloted by a girl and boy who sail through the air 'to where they want to go.'"—*The Horn Book Guide*

Ages 2–5 • Up to kindergarten

Golden • JHC • 8 x 10
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$12.95/$19.95 Can. • 48 pp • 24 ctn

Classics; Animals • No Restrictions

Ruth Brown

Ten Seeds

In this delightful book about subtraction and plant life cycles, a preschooler plants 10 seeds. On each page one seed is lost to an act of nature until only one remains. The last seed blooms into a gorgeous flower, is pollinated, and starts the cycle again with 10 more seeds. "Brown's warm, realistic close-up pictures will pull children right in."—*Booklist*

Ages 2–5 • Up to kindergarten

Knopf • UHC • 8-1/4 x 8-1/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-80697-1
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BL, PW, SLJ
NSTA–CBC Outstanding Science Trade Books for Students K–12
Concepts/Counting; Science & Nature
No Restrictions

Anthony Browne

Piggybook

In this delightfully wicked feminist tale, Mrs. Piggot takes a short vacation away from her slovenly husband and two sons, leaving them a note that says, "You are pigs." A literal and hilarious porcine transformation takes place while she is away but Mrs. Piggot returns, divvies up the household chores, and restores order. "In terms of cleverness and style, this one brings home the bacon."—*School Library Journal,* Starred

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Dragonfly • TR • 8-1/2 x 9-7/8
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Family & Relationships; Humor; Cooperation & Teamwork • US/Can. Only

Things I Like

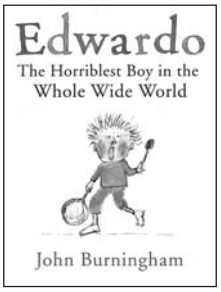
A young chimpanzee recounts his favorite activities, from painting and riding a bike to paddling in the sea and being with his friends. "As he did in *Willy the Wimp* and *Gorilla* . . . Browne will again captivate preschoolers with his charming chimp, simple sentences, and colorful, action-filled illustrations."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 2–5 • Preschool–2

Dragonfly • TR • 7 x 7-3/4
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BL, K, SLJ
Concepts/General • US and Opn Mkt

John Burningham



Edwardo *The Horriblest Boy in the Whole Wide World*

Edwardo is an ordinary boy who does his best to live up to grown-ups' expectations. So when they rant at him for being the clumsiest, nastiest, dirtiest boy in the world, he actually becomes the most horrible boy in the world. How Edwardo becomes the nicest boy in the world will be appreciated by little boys everywhere.

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 8-1/2 x 11
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$16.99/$22.99 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 8-1/2 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-94053-8
$19.99/$26.99 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

BL, K
Boy Interest • US/Can. Only

Hey! Get Off Our Train

A boy dreams that he and his stuffed dog ride a train around the world, saving endangered animals along the way. "Only Burningham could make an ecological fable so much fun. . . . The artist juggles antic humor with a serious message—and never misses a beat."—*The Bulletin*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Dragonfly • TR • 11-3/8 x 9
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-517-88204-7
$7.99/NCR • 48 pp • 48 ctn

BKL, BL, C, H, K★, PW
IRA–CBC Children's Choice; California Children's Book Award Honorable Mention; Parents' Choice Award
Transportation; Animals; Ecology & Conservation; Humor • US and Opn Mkt

The Magic Bed

When it is time for Georgie to move out of his crib he chooses an antique bed with magical powers as a replacement. Once he discovers the secret password, Georgie travels off on wonderful adventures every night—to the jungle, to race geese and witches, and more. "With simple, word-perfect prose, Burningham captures a child's imagination. The flights of fancy are every youngster's dream."
—*School Library Journal,* Starred

Ages 3–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 11-1/2 x 9
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82423-4
$16.95/$25.95 Can. • 48 pp • 20 ctn

BL, K, NYTBR, SLJ★
Bedtime Stories; Fantasy; Growing Up
US, Can., Opn Mkt

Jane Cabrera

The Lonesome Polar Bear

A young polar bear longs for a companion with whom to swim and play hide-and-seek. "A charming picture book about a little polar bear's search for a friend. . . . The many different shades of blue, green, and purple of the ice and snow make a wonderful backdrop for the occasional orange fish and bold yellow-orange sky. . . . A nice choice for a winter storytime."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Random House • JHC • 8-1/2 x 10-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82410-4
$13.95/NCR • 32 pp • 25 ctn

SLJ
Animals; Friendship • US and Opn Mkt

Isobelle Carmody

Magic Night

ILLUSTRATED BY Declan Lee

Magic Night is the story of a cat who finds something that does not belong in his people's house—something flittery and skittery that turns the rest of the night mysterious and magical. What is it and what could it want? Hurricane the cat is going to find out. Declan Lee's beautiful, detailed artwork will keep young eyes rapt.

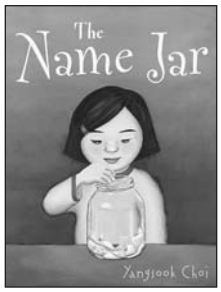
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Fantasy; Animals; Bedtime Stories • US/Can. Only

Yangsook Choi



The Name Jar

A young girl—Unhei, which means grace—who has recently moved to America from Korea, is teased about her name on her first day of school and asks her classmates to suggest other names that will help her assimilate. But after realizing its beauty and uniqueness, she decides to keep her given name. Choi's "figures have both stature and simplicity—as does the story."—*Booklist*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Dragonfly • TR • 8-1/2 x 11
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BL, K, SLJ
Arkansas Diamond Primary Book Master List; IRA Teachers' Choice
Asian/Asian American Int; Friendship; Growing Up; Self-Esteem; Immigrant Experience • No Restrictions

Emma Chichester Clark

It Was You, Blue Kangaroo!

Lily blames her stuffed toy Blue Kangaroo for her bad behavior. Mom takes him away until he can behave and Lily must set things right. "Clark's bright, clear pictures with lots of red and blue capture the slapstick, and preschoolers will love the scenes of chaotic disobedience. Just as appealing is the redemptive ending when Lily's toy draws a picture that says, 'I'm sorry.'"—*Booklist*

Ages 2–5 • Up to kindergarten

Doubleday • TR • 8-5/8 x 10-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-553-11280-1
$6.99/NCR • 32 pp • 24 ctn

BL
Animals; Family & Relationships; Friendship; Fairness, Justice & Equality; Emotions & Feelings
US and Opn Mkt

Merry Christmas to You, Blue Kangaroo!

Lily and her toy, Blue Kangaroo, are getting ready for Christmas. Lily is busy preparing cards and gifts for everyone, including Blue Kangaroo, but he doesn't have a gift for Lily and stays awake Christmas Eve wondering what to give her. "Attractive scenes of various holiday activities enjoyed by Lily's loving and creative family abound in this tale of friendship touched by a little bit of magic."—*School Library Journal*

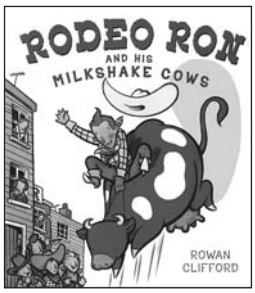
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SLJ
Character Education/Caring; Emotions & Feelings; Friendship; Animals; Christmas • US and Opn Mkt

Rowan Clifford



Rodeo Ron and His Milkshake Cows

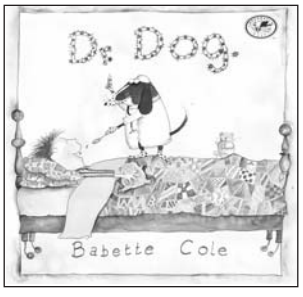
Rodeo Ron and his colorful cows ride into Cavity to save the soda-slurping residents from tooth decay and chronic belching. To accomplish his mission Ron must challenge Frothy and Fruity, owners of the soda bar, to a shake off—a taste test of his milkshakes versus their sodas. "This over-the-top delight will leave kids laughing as well as remembering the message."—*Booklist*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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BL, K, SLJ
Animals; Humor; Health/Nutrition/Phys Fitness Concepts/Colors; Rhyme & Alliteration
US/Can. Only

Babette Cole



Dr. Dog

Dr. Dog is not your ordinary hound—or your traditional doctor! His methods may be unorthodox, but his advice is sound as he tries to reform the unhealthy habits of his human family. "On-target health lessons delivered with a decidedly different

slant."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 4–6 • Preschool–1

Dragonfly • TR • 8-7/8 x 8-5/8
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BL, SLJ
Animals; Health/Nutrition/Phys Fitness; Humor
US, Can., Opn Mkt

Peter Collington



A Small Miracle

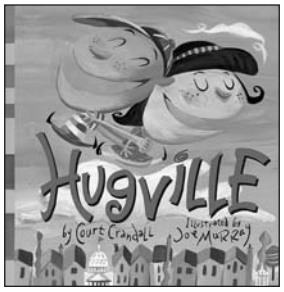
In this wordless picture book, a poor old woman intercepts a thief who has pilfered money from a church poor box and damaged the nativity. "This is a Christmas miracle like no other, with such richness in image and story that children will return to it again and again."—*Booklist*, Starred

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Community; Character Education/Caring; Christmas
US, Can., Opn Mkt

Court Crandall



Hugville

ILLUSTRATED BY Joe Murray

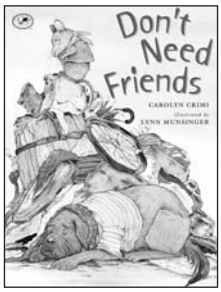
In this engaging story, the mustachioed mayor of Hugville is giving a tour of his town where all types of hugs are practiced, including the Itchy Dog and the Pogo Stick. Children attend hugging school, doctors prescribe hugs, and the whole town of blue people gathers every night to pull a hug out of the Hug Jug. "A cute way to spice up one's hug life."—*Kirkus Reviews*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

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K, PW, SLJ
Humor; Love & Romance; Valentine's Day
No Restrictions

Carolyn Crimi



Don't Need Friends

ILLUSTRATED BY Lynn Munsinger

Devastated when his best friend Possum moves away, Rat decides that he doesn't need friends and rejects the overtures of his neighbors. But when an equally curmudgeonly dog moves into the neighborhood the two become friends in spite of themselves. Munsinger and Crimi "are in perfect sync in this slyly funny and deeply touching story."
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Dragonfly • TR • 8-3/8 x 10-7/8
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BL, C, H, PW★, SLJ
Kentucky Bluegrass Award
Friendship; Animals; Self-Esteem • No Restrictions

Shutta Crum



The Bravest of the Brave

ILLUSTRATED BY Tim Bowers

"When a little skunk hurries home through the dark forest, a robber, two ghosts, three trappers (or so the skunk thinks), and so on frighten him. The engaging illustrations in dark greens and browns reveal the menaces to be one raccoon, two owls, three spiders, etc. The rhymes are bouncy and the tale reassuring."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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IRA–CBC Children's Choice
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No Restrictions

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"For any child fortunate enough to have this generous book . . . the kings and heroes of ancient legend will remain forever matter-of-fact; the pictures interpret the text literally and are full of detail and witty observation."
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Ages 8 up • Grade 3 up

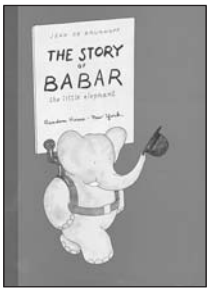
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Classics; Myths, Legends & Folklore
No Restrictions

Jean de Brunhoff

BABAR



The Story of Babar

"Translated from the French, with many absurd and funny pictures, these tales of the popular elephant furnish hours of enjoyment to the young person."
—*Elementary English*

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Horn Book Children's Classics
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The Travels of Babar

In the second Babar story, Babar and Celeste set off in a balloon to begin an exciting series of adventures.

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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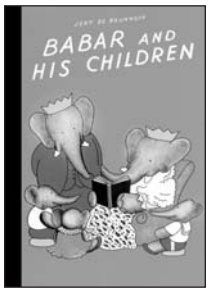
Babar the King

Babar establishes Celesteville, the beautiful and happy city over which he and his queen reign.

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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Animals; Classics; Friendship • US/Can. Only



Babar and His Children

Babar and Queen Celeste have triplets who are as mischievous as they are charming.

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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ISBN/EAN: 978-0-394-80577-1
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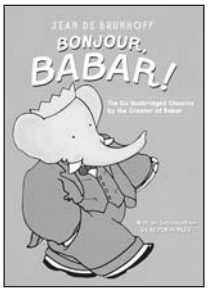
Babar and Father Christmas

Can Babar persuade Father Christmas to come to the elephants' country?

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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Animals; Classics; Christmas • US/Can. Only



Bonjour, Babar!
The Six Unabridged Classics by the Creator of Babar

This big, inviting edition includes every word and every picture of the six Babar stories written and illustrated by Jean de Brunhoff.

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Demi



Happy, Happy Chinese New Year!

"In a book that is itself a celebration, Demi explains the rituals and ideas behind the Chinese New Year festival. . . . Demi's characteristic tiny, lively figures illustrate each page, with several spreads devoted to small, labeled pictures identifying things associated with the holiday. Infused with joy and filled with information."—*Booklist*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Crown • JHC • 7-3/4 x 6-1/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82642-9
$8.95/$13.95 Can. • 24 pp • 24 ctn

Dragonfly • TR • 10 x 8
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$6.99/$9.50 Can. • 40 pp • 48 ctn

BL
Customs & Traditions; Asian/Asian American Int
No Restrictions

Kites
Magic Wishes that Fly Up to the Sky

Demi's book blends storytelling with fact to reveal the time-honored traditions behind kite flying and kite festivals in China. "The small, intricate, colorful kites . . . are lovely to look at."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Dragonfly • TR • 10 x 8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-81008-4
$6.99/$9.99 Can. • 40 pp • 48 ctn

C, H, SLJ
Activities, Crafts & Hobbies; Asian/Asian American Int; Customs & Traditions • No Restrictions

Shane DeRolf

The Crayon Box that Talked

ILLUSTRATED BY Michael Letzig

"While walking through a toy store, the day before today, I overheard a crayon box with many things to say. . . ." Once upon a time, Shane DeRolf wrote a poem that celebrates the creation of harmony through diversity. The folks at the Ad Council heard it—and liked it so much that they made it the theme for their 1997 National Anti-Discrimination Campaign for Children. Random House is honored to publish the picture book, illustrated in every color in the crayon box by dazzling newcomer Michael Letzig and conveying the sublimely simple message that when we all work together, the results are much more interesting and colorful.

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Random House • HC • 7-1/4 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-679-88611-2
$12.95/$19.95 Can. • 32 pp • 48 ctn

Racism & Prejudice; Acceptance & Belonging
No Restrictions

Ted Dewan

BING



Bing: Bed Time

"The impish rabbit and his stuffed bunny sidekick, Flop, return in *Bing: Bed Time* by Ted Dewan, in which Bing goes through nightly rituals."—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

Fickling • UHC • 5-3/4 x 5-3/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-75045-5
$5.99/$8.99 Can. • 24 pp • 90 ctn

PW
Bedtime Stories; Family & Relationships; Friendship
US/Can. Only

Bing: Get Dressed

With the encouragement of his stuffed toy Flop to help him, Bing Bunny gets dressed. When he's fully clad, he has a little accident but thanks to Flop's gentle support decides to just start all over again rather than get upset. "Illustrated with bold, computer-generated art, [this book] will appeal to toddlers who will relate to a world in which everything can go wrong but come out right at the end."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

Fickling • UHC • 5-3/4 x 5-3/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-75020-2
$5.95/$8.95 Can. • 24 pp • 120 ctn

BL, PW★, SLJ
Publishers Weekly Best Book
Growing Up; Concepts/General; Friendship
US/Can. Only

Bing: Go Picnic

"The energetic duo pack items for an outdoor picnic, which eventually gets rained out. . . . Invigorating. Bright colors, white backgrounds, and black text are combined for dynamic effect."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

Fickling • UHC • 5-3/4 x 5-3/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-75056-1
$5.99/$7.99 Can. • 24 pp • 96 ctn

BL, C, PW, SLJ
Growing Up; Concepts/General; Friendship
US/Can. Only



Bing: Make Music

Another welcome story about "the energetic toddler bunny and his stuffed animal sidekick find the duo playing instruments fashioned from household objects. . . . Hip, lively . . . and rambunctious."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

Fickling • UHC • 5-3/4 x 5-3/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-75057-8
$5.99/$7.99 Can. • 24 pp • 96 ctn

C, H, PW, SLJ
Growing Up; Concepts/General; Art, Music & Theater • US/Can. Only

Bing: Paint Day

Bing Bunny is painting with the helpful guidance of his stuffed toy Flop. Despite Flop's cautionary advice, Bing makes a big, wet mess, but Flop assures him that it's okay as there is still one dry page left and plenty of his favorite orange paint. "For all [its] simplicity, [this] easygoing book closely observes children's everyday activities and lets readers know that ordinary mishaps are bound to occur."
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

Fickling • UHC • 5-3/4 x 5-3/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-75021-9
$5.95/$8.95 Can. • 24 pp • 24 ctn

BL, PW★, SLJ
Growing Up; Concepts/General; Concepts/Colors
US/Can. Only

Bing: Something for Daddy

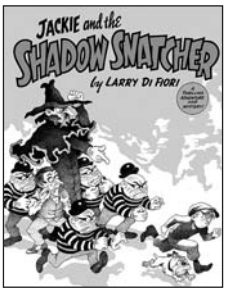
"The fun of creating a lovably gloppy, gluey artwork for Daddy [is] depicted with gusto. . . . Vibrant, modern-looking mixed-media illustrations work with the enthusiastic text to create an atmosphere that encourages young children to explore."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

Fickling • UHC • 5-3/4 x 5-3/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-75046-2
$5.99/$8.99 Can. • 24 pp • 90 ctn

H, PW
Growing Up; Family & Relationships • US/Can. Only

Larry Di Fiori



Jackie and the Shadow Snatcher

"In this picture-book-size graphic novel, Di Fiori uses black-and-white illustrations to tell the story of Jackie, a boy who has lost his lunch pail, his math book, and his shadow. Wise Mr. Socrates tells Jackie that the evil Shadow Snatcher is the thief, and Jackie must confront him to get his shadow back. Accompanied by his faithful dog, Baxter, Jackie goes to the spooky old house across the river to face the Shadow Snatcher and his henchman. Judging by the villains' car, Di Fiori has set his story sometime in the 1920s, and the Shadow Snatcher bears a strong resemblance to an old pulp-fiction hero, the Shadow. While the characters look as though they could be in a Betty Boop cartoon, the scenery is beautifully detailed without overwhelming the panels. Children will care less about that, however, than about the rollicking, old-fashioned adventure, which reads like a comic book, and about Jackie, who presses on despite his fears."—*Booklist*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Knopf • JHC • 8-1/2 x 10-7/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-87515-1
$15.95/$21.00 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 8-1/2 x 10-7/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-97515-8
$17.99/$23.99 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

BL, K, PW, SLJ
Adventure; Good vs. Evil; Mystery & Suspense
No Restrictions

Christian Ditchfield

Cowlick!

ILLUSTRATED BY Rosalind Beardshaw

She comes in the middle of the night, when everyone is sleeping. When she sees a smooth little head on a pillow, she can't resist giving it a cow kiss—sluuurrrp! *Cowlick!* gives young readers an imaginative and playful explanation for the "bedhead" that afflicts us all!

Ages 2–5 • Up to kindergarten

Golden • JHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83540-7
$14.99/$21.00 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Golden • GLB • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-93540-4
$17.99/$23.99 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

SLJ
Bedtime Stories; Fantasy; Animals • No Restrictions

Sylviane Donnio

I'd Really Like to Eat a Child

ILLUSTRATED BY Dorothée de Monfreid

A scrawny little crocodile is tired of eating bananas and today, he'd like to eat a child. But he's smaller than he thinks, and the little girl he chooses for his first meal picks him up and tickles his tummy! This little crocodile is going to have to eat a lot of bananas before he is big enough to add children to his menu!

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Random House • JHC • 10 x 8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83761-6
$14.99/$19.95 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Random House • GLB • 10 x 8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-93761-3
$17.99/$23.99 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Animals; Growing Up; Humor • US/Can. Only

Lynn Downey

Matilda's Humdinger

Matilda is the worst waitress Burt's Diner has ever seen. Her mind is never on the job because she's always entertaining customers with her stories. One day, Ralph Q. Yuckley strolls in with a list of health code violations and Matilda has no choice but to become the perfect waitress, which means giving up storytelling. But one of Matilda's humdingers might just save the day. . . .

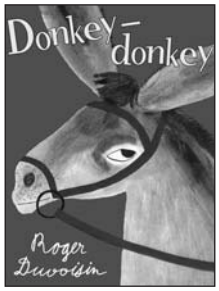
Ages 5–9 • Grades K–4

Knopf • JHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82403-6
$15.95/$21.00 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-92403-3
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K, SLJ
Animals; Humor; Self-Discovery, Writing
No Restrictions

Roger Duvoisin



Donkey-donkey

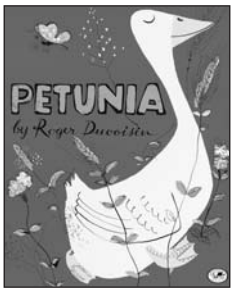
Donkey-donkey thinks he looks ridiculous with his long, straight ears, so he consults his friends on the farm. Each animal has its own idea of beautiful ears, all remarkably like their own. As Donkey-donkey tries to follow their advice, he becomes even sadder until a girl visiting the farm admires his ears. Originally published in 1933, this is a classic picture book about self-esteem.

Ages 2–6 • Up to grade 1

Knopf • JHC • 6-3/4 x 9
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-84065-4
$15.99/$21.00 Can. • 56 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 6-3/4 x 9
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-94065-1
$18.99/$24.99 Can. • 56 pp • 24 ctn

Animals; Self-Esteem • US/Can. Only



Petunia

A picture book favorite for more than 50 years, "In a charming tale set in a farmyard, Petunia the silly goose believes she has become wise just because she finds a book."—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 9 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-394-80865-9
$15.95/$23.95 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Dragonfly • TR • 9 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41754-5
$6.99/$9.99 Can. • 32 pp • 48 ctn

H, HW, IRA, NCTE, PW, SLJ
Classics; Animals; Humor • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Petunia's Christmas

Petunia meets Charles, a most charming and handsome gander. Handsome, yes—and hefty, because poor Charles is being fattened for Christmas dinner by the farmer next door. Petunia's determination to save Charles results in "one of the simplest, funniest, and most original of Christmas stories."—*The Chicago Tribune*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 9 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-394-80868-0
$15.95/$23.95 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 9 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-394-90868-7
$17.99/$25.99 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

B, H, PW, SLJ
Animals; Humor; Christmas • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Veronica

Veronica, a hippopotamus who wants to stand out from the herd and be famous, travels to the big city where she indeed does stand out. Causing traffic jams, blocking sidewalks, devouring a pushcart vendor's vegetables in one gulp, and getting arrested. How she discovers that there is no place like home is told with warm humor and sublimely mirthful illustrations.

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83566-7
$15.95/$22.95 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-93566-4
$17.99/$25.99 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Animals; Humor; Adventure • No Restrictions

Maxwell Eaton III

THE ADVENTURES OF MAX AND PINKY

The Adventures of Max and Pinky: Best Buds

For Max and Pinky every Saturday is Adventure Day. Today is Saturday, but where's Pinky? Has he gotten lost or carried away by bunnies—or is he just off stuffing himself with marshmallows? Nothing will stop Max from finding Pinky, even diving into mud, questioning a bear, and being dissed by a horse named Chuck—because a guy will do anything for his best bud!

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 9-1/2 x 8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83803-3
$12.99/$16.99 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 9-1/2 x 8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-93803-0
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BCCB★, K, PW
Children's Book of the Month Club; The Bulletin for the Center of Children's Books Review
Friendship; Humor • No Restrictions

Walter Farley

Big Black Horse

ILLUSTRATED BY James Schucker

Available again after almost 50 years is this picture book of *The Black Stallion.* As the sole human survivor of a devastating shipwreck, Alec finds himself alone on a small island with a magnificent stallion, black as night and dangerous as fire. Together they each realize that the other is the key to survival. Thus begins the most famous relationship in horse fiction.

Ages 3–9 • Preschool–4

Random House • JHC • 8 x 10-5/8
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Random House • GLB • 8 x 10-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-94054-5
$17.99/$23.99 Can. • 64 pp • 24 ctn

Animals; Adventure • US/Can. Only

Louise Fatio

The Happy Lion

ILLUSTRATED BY Roger Duvoisin

In this delightful 50th anniversary edition, a lion is loved by visitors at his zoo who stop by every day to say "Bonjour, Happy Lion!" When his cage door is accidentally left open, the lion wanders out to visit his friends in town, but finds that people are far less friendly to a lion outside of his cage.

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82759-4
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Knopf • GLB • 8 x 10
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H, SLJ
Animals; Classics; Courage & Honor
No Restrictions

The Happy Lion Roars

ILLUSTRATED BY Roger Duvoisin

This story follows the tale of the Happy Lion that left the zoo to greet his visitors. Originally published in 1957, *The Happy Lion Roars* offers the same "superb melding of text and illustrations", according to *The Horn Book Magazine*, that made its predecessor so beloved—this time telling of how our hero's loneliness is cured when he spots a beautiful lioness at the local circus.

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83887-3
$15.95/$21.00 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 8 x 10
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Animals • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Valorie Fisher

How High Can a Dinosaur Count? *. . . And Other Math Mysteries*

This playful book presents 15 simple "math mysteries" with lots of alliteration and charming characters. Readers can help Heloise count her change to see which hat in Madame Millie's Hat Shop she can buy, or tell time with Lulu at the Tutti-Frutti Zoo, where Lollipop Licking begins at 9:00 sharp. "Math made fun? Problem solved."
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

Ages 5–9 • Grades K–4

S&W • JHC • 10 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83608-4
$16.95/$23.95 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

S&W • GLB • 10 x 10
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BL, K, PW★, SLJ★
School Library Journal Best Book
Concepts/Counting; Math • No Restrictions

Deborah Freedman

Scribble

Emma likes to draw princesses. Her little sister Lucie prefers kitties. Emma and Lucie might not always get along, but can their drawings? Deborah Freedman proves once and for all whether kitties and princesses can live happily ever after in her charmingly original picture book debut.

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

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Family; Friendship; Love; Forgiveness; Art
No Restrictions

Cambell Geeslin

Clara and Séñor Frog

ILLUSTRATED BY Ryan Sanchez

A little girl discovers that she has the power to create magic . . . with her paintbrush! On a visit to a rich *gringo*'s house, she spots a picture of a watermelon, done by a famous artist, and she swears she saw the painted fly on it move. This beautiful, original story is peppered Spanish words and features vibrant illustrations that evoke the senses of Mexican art.

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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Animals; Character Education; Caring
No Restrictions

Emma Gelders-Sterne AND Barbara Lindsay



King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table

ILLUSTRATED BY Gustaf Tenggren

When Arthur pulled a magical sword from a stone, he became the King of England and, together with his knights, ushered in a golden age of chivalry. The legendary tales of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table are timeless and their magic is gloriously realized in this illustrated collection.

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Myths, Legends & Folklore; Heroes & Heroism
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Caroline Glicksman

Eric the Math Bear

Eric loves math. Eric loves counting. Eric loves numbers! He dreams about them all night and thinks about them all day. He even has a special job thinking up numbers to lock the safe at the Big Bear Bank. But one day, two robbers storm into the bank, and suddenly he can't remember any numbers at all. Can Eric the Math Bear save the day?

Ages 4–7 • Preschool–2

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Math; Animals; Concepts/Counting • US/Can. Only

Maya Gottfried



Good Dog

ILLUSTRATED BY Robert Rahway Zakanitch

"Spectacular paintings on black backgrounds, a sleek design, and charmingly understated poems add up to blue-ribbon merit in this handsome poetic tribute to man's best friend. Sixteen unrhymed poems are perfectly paired with paintings of specific breeds (and one happy-go-lucky mutt), capturing each dog's attitude or special characteristics in a way that shows great empathy and understanding of the canine world."—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • JHC • 8-1/2 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83049-5
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IRACC, K★, PW, SLJ★
Children's Book Sense 76 Pick; New York Book Show Award; Society of Illustrators Citation of Merit; Texas Blue-bonnet Master List; IRA–CBC Children's Choice
Animals; Poetry • No Restrictions

Last Night I Dreamed a Circus

ILLUSTRATED BY
Robert Rahway Zakanitch

A young girl dreams that she has joined the circus. Luminous illustrations capture each of the scenes as though it were the focus of a spotlight. "Circus performers and animal acts alike are garbed in stunning costumes, and the rhythm of the text both lulls and excites."—*Booklist*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Knopf • JHC • 8-1/2 x 11
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No Restrictions

Mini Grey



The Adventures of the Dish and the Spoon

Mini Grey spins "Hey diddle, diddle, the cat and the fiddle" into a love story that starts when "the dish ran away with the spoon." In the midst of the Great Depression, Dish and Spoon become rich and famous vaudeville stars—until their taste for the high life puts them in debt to a gang of sharp and shady characters (depicted as evil knives). "This inventive tale of true love will sustain many rereadings by readers of all ages."

—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

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Ginger Bear

Any child who loves cookies will enjoy the inventive adventures of Ginger Bear, a cookie in the shape of a bear, who sets out to avoid being eaten! "In this charming tale, Mini Grey creates a highly satisfying night world where fear can be seen off and a biscuit can change its chances in life."

—*The Guardian*

Ages 5–8 • Grade K–3

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Adventure; Animals; Fairy Tales & Fables
US, Can., Opn Mkt



Traction Man Is Here!

"Traction Man is most definitely an action figure, NOT a doll: his accessories include a sub-aqua suit, a space suit, a warfare shirt and a deep-sea diving suit. As narrated by the little boy who receives him for Christmas, his life is one adventure after another. . . . The intentionally overwrought voice-over is just exactly right. . . . An absolutely, hilariously, dead-on perfect celebration of the relationship between child and toy."

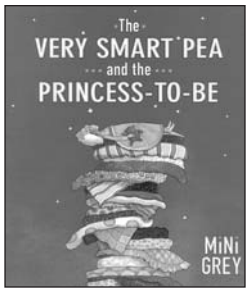
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BL, C★, H★, K★, PW★, NYT, SLJ★
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Boy Interest; Adventure; Humor • US, Can., Opn Mkt



The Very Smart Pea and the Princess-to-Be

"This skewed fairy tale delivers an entertaining spin and a great deal of visual wit. As you would expect, there's a prince, his mother the queen, a whole lot of mattresses, and a pea . . . who narrates the story. . . . Grey's paintings are filled with rich color and little jokes, with vegetable and fruit motifs throughout."

—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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Bill Grossman



My Little Sister Ate One Hare

ILLUSTRATED BY Kevin Hawkes

In this cumulative counting book, a ravenous little sister eats everything from one hare to ten peas. "A visual and numerical feast. Bravo! Encore!"
—*School Library Journal*, Starred

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My Little Sister Hugged an Ape

ILLUSTRATED BY Kevin Hawkes

A little girl goes on a spree, hugging a different animal for every letter of the alphabet. "Grossman's playful rhymes . . . have a gleefully naughty penchant for gross-out details. . . . Hawkes's color-soaked caricatures and Grossman's good-natured text offer a lively view of a girl's creative attempt to show the animal kingdom some love."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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K, PW
Concepts/Alphabet; Animals; Rhyme & Alliteration; Humor • No Restrictions

Anne Gutman

GASPARD AND LISA



Gaspard and Lisa at the Museum

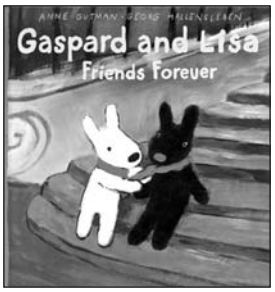
ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

Lovable dog friends Gaspard and Lisa decide to play a trick on their classmates during a trip to the Natural History Museum and hide in the exhibits. But the plan works so well that the two are locked in the museum when it closes for the night. "Hallensleben's wonderfully expressive double-page pictures . . . show the daily drama of the small, determined creatures dwarfed but never cowed by the scary giants around them."—*Booklist*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-81117-3
$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

BL, PW
Friendship; School; Humor • US/Can. Only



Gaspard and Lisa Friends Forever

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

When Lisa first arrives to school, Gaspard does not like that everyone says they look like brother and sister simply because they are the only two dogs in class. But, when Lisa helps win a relay race they become friends in this French import. "The episodic text and bold, painterly illustrations have a quirky charm."—*The Horn Book Guide*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82253-7
$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

H
Friendship; Growing Up; School; Humor
US/Can. Only

Gaspard and Lisa's Rainy Day

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

"In this addition to the series, the animal friends spend a rainy vacation day at Lisa's grandmother's house. . . . Glorious, textured paintings depict a cheery, cozy environment full of adventure and fun, and the bright illustrations perfectly capture the characters' enthusiasm and inquisitiveness. Children will giggle."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82252-0
$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

BL, PW, SLJ
Friendship; Humor • US/Can. Only

Gaspard at the Seashore

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

"Gaspard goes to windsurfing camp and admits he can't swim. The painterly illustrations have a winning depth and texture, while the tone of the text is pitched just right."—*The Horn Book Guide*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

BL, H, PW, SLJ
Adventure; Character Education/Honesty
US/Can. Only

Gaspard in the Hospital

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

When Gaspard swallows his shiny new key chain in order to keep the bigger kids in his class from taking it, he is taken by ambulance to the hospital. There the kind doctors and nurses take good care of him and when he wakes up his parents are waiting by his side. "An exciting story close to the hopes and fears of young children."
—*Booklist*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-81116-6
$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

BL
Adventure; Character Education/Honesty
US/Can. Only

Gaspard on Vacation

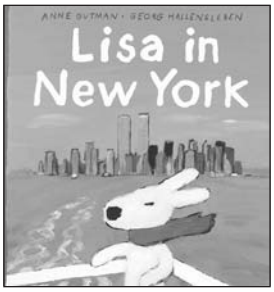
ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

In this fresh and funny tale, Gaspard goes on vacation to Venice with his dog family, but all they do is visit museums. So, Gaspard takes off to find more exciting adventures. "Hallensleben's dramatic paintings of the Venice setting add splendor and beauty to the escapade that expresses every kid's fantasy when dragging along with adults."
—*Booklist*, Starred

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-81115-9
$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

BL★, H, K, PW, SLJ
Friendship; Adventure; Family & Relationships
US/Can. Only



Lisa in New York

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

"Lisa . . . visits her uncle who lives in a skyscraper. He takes her to see the tourist sights, and they have fun—until she gets lost. Lisa's story makes a great post 9–11 celebration of the city, with packed streets and soaring skyscrapers on just about every page."—*Booklist*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-81119-7
$9.95/$14.95 Can. • 32 pp • 50 ctn

BL, NYT, SLJ
Friendship; Adventure • US/Can. Only

Lisa in the Jungle

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

Lisa is jealous that Gaspard spent his summer vacation sailing so she makes up a story about a trip to the jungle. "The irresistible dog pals of the Misadventures of Gaspard and Lisa series return."
—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82254-4
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Adventure; Animals; Friendship • US/Can. Only



Lisa's Airplane Trip

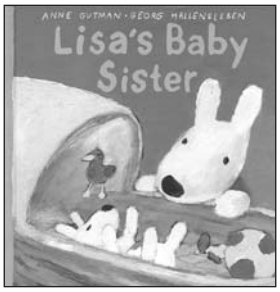
ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

Lisa encounters a few problems on her first plane trip—she's too short to see the movie and she overturns her orange juice and makes a mess—but receives a wonderfully unexpected surprise tour of the cockpit from a flight attendant. Lisa's experiences will strike a chord with youngsters. The book is "a delight and celebrates the brave young voyager who discovers a huge world."—*Booklist*, Starred

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
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BL★, H, K, PW, SLJ
Adventure; Transportation • US/Can. Only



Lisa's Baby Sister

ILLUSTRATED BY Georg Hallensleben

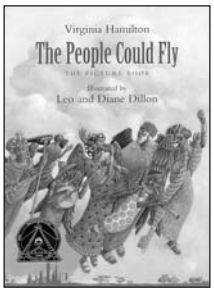
"A classic sibling displacement story, and the simple scenarios do a great job of expressing Lisa's seething jealousy, with humor, and then sudden tenderness (She was so little!). Gutman and Hallensleben get the child's viewpoint exactly right."
—*Booklist*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Knopf • UHC • 7-1/2 x 7-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82251-3
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BL, C, K, PW, SLJ
Family & Relationships; Emotions & Feelings
US/Can. Only

Virginia Hamilton



The People Could Fly
The Picture Book

ILLUSTRATED BY Leo and Diane Dillon

Leo and Diane Dillon have created powerful new illustrations in full color for every page of this picture book presentation of Virginia Hamilton's most beloved tale. The author's original historical note as well as her previously unpublished notes are included.

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

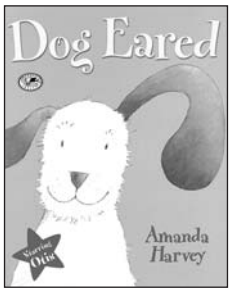
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$18.99/$26.99 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • TR • 9 x 12
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$16.95/$24.95 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

ACEI, B★, BKL, BL★, BST, CH, E, H★, HWW, IN, IRA, K★, LC, NCSS, NCTE, NYTBR★, PW★, SLJ★
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African/African American Int; Myths; Legends & Folklore; Fantasy; Freedom; Black History Month
No Restrictions

For *The People Could Fly* (Anthology with CD) see page 115.

Amanda Harvey



Dog Eared
Starring Otis

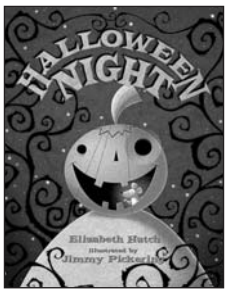
"Poor Otis! There he was, a large cheerful dog with big floppy ears, happily strolling down the street when a mean dog comes along and calls him 'Big Ears.' This leads to a crisis of confidence. . . . Delightful . . . a great choice for story time."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Dragonfly • TR • 8 x 9-7/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41763-7
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BL, C, K, PW, SLJ,
Animals; Friendship; Self-Esteem; Emotions & Feelings • No Restrictions

Elizabeth Hatch



Halloween Night

ILLUSTRATED BY Jimmy Pickering

A mouse, a diving bat, a hooting owl, a costumed child, and finally a dog, all contribute to this ghostly chain of events. "Hatch's lively text is matched by the quirky full-color art. Using changes in perspective, an elastic line, an appropriately spooky font style, and a sure hand for depicting action, Pickering drenches the spreads in dark blues, purples, greens, and reds."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Doubleday • JHC • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-74622-9
$15.95/$22.95 Can. • 32 pp • 32 ctn

Doubleday • GLB • 8 x 10
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SLJ
Humor; Rhyme & Alliteration; Halloween
No Restrictions

Kevin Hawkes



The Wicked Big Toddlah

Absolutely nothing exciting happens in Maine . . . nothing, that is, except for the birth of one giant baby! Toddie's a baby just like any other, only much bigger. That means really big diapers, really big teeth, really big everything. Kids will laugh out loud as they see Toddie get into more and more trouble with giant laughs all around.

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Knopf • JHC • 9 x 12
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82427-2
$16.99/$21.99 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 9 x 12
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-92427-9
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Humor • No Restrictions

Anna Jane Hays



Kindergarten Countdown

ILLUSTRATED BY Linda Davick

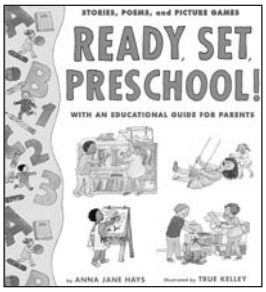
In this delightful book, a little girl counts off the days by naming what she'll do in kindergarten. Deciding what to wear and what to take are also part of her preparation for that exciting first day. With bouncy read-aloud rhyme, bright, fun illustrations, and hidden objects to find on each page, *Kindergarten Countdown* gets children off on the right foot.

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Knopf • JHC • 8-1/4 x 7
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-84252-8
$8.99/$10.99 Can. • 24 pp • 24 ctn

Knopf • GLB • 8-1/4 x 7
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-94252-5
$11.99/$14.99 Can. • 24 pp • 24 ctn

Counting; Alphabet • No Restrictions



Ready, Set, Preschool!
Stories, Poems and Picture Games with an Educational Guide for Parents

ILLUSTRATED BY True Kelley

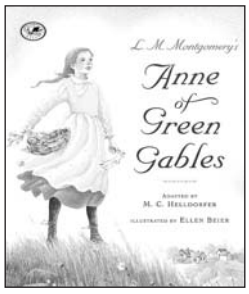
This engaging book is packed with stories, poems, and activities to help parents and their children get ready for the first day of preschool. Basic early learning concepts like letters, numbers, and shapes are accompanied by stories that illustrate the importance of sharing, saying goodbye to mom and dad, and much more. "This big picture book is an excellent title to prepare kids for preschool."—*Booklist*

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

Knopf • JHC • 10-1/4 x 11-1/4
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82519-4
$16.95/$23.95 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

BL, K, PW, SLJ
Growing Up; Concepts/General; Concepts/Colors; Concepts/Counting; Concepts/Alphabet
No Restrictions

M. C. Helldorfer



Anne of Green Gables

ILLUSTRATED BY Ellen Beier

In this picture book adaptation of the beloved tale, Anne Shirley arrives to Green Gables hoping it will be the place she can call home. But Anne is not at all what her adoptive parents were expecting. It doesn't take long, however, before the spunky young girl with flaming red hair and a penchant for getting into mischief makes an indelible impression on everyone around her.

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Dragonfly • TR • 7-7/8 x 9
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41614-2
$6.99/$10.99 Can. • 40 pp • 48 ctn

Classics; Adopted & Orphaned Children; Coming-of-Age • No Restrictions

Carolivia Herron

Nappy Hair

Told in the African American "call and response" tradition, this is a lively, empowering story about Brenda's knotted-up, twisted, nappy hair and how it got to be that way. "The spontaneous, true-to-life quality of Herron's writing will resonate with children and families who share Brenda's experiences."—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Dragonfly • TR • 8 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-679-89445-2
$6.99/$9.50 Can. • 32 pp • 72 ctn

BL, C★, H, K★, NYTBR, PW
Parenting Reading Magic Award; Marion Vannett Ridgway Honor Book
African/African American Int; Family & Relationships; Humor; Pride; Black History Month
No Restrictions

Barbara Jean Hicks

The Secret Life of Walter Kitty

ILLUSTRATED BY Dan Santat

Walter Kitty is no ordinary housecat. He's really Fang—a swashbuckling protector of the high seas, a tiger waiting to pounce on unsuspecting prey, and a caped superhero ready to save the day. But do his "people," Mr. and Mrs. Biddle, acknowledge his greatness? Not even! With a hilarious text and fabulously fun illustrations, Walter Kitty is one cat readers will not soon forget!

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Knopf • JHC • 8-1/2 x 11
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83196-6
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Animals; Humor; Adventure; Family • No Restrictions

Tad Hills

Duck & Goose

Duck and Goose simultaneously discover a ball they believe to be an egg, argue over ownership, but slowly begin to work together to care for their "hatchling." In this *New York Times* bestseller "Duck and Goose's gradual shift from adversaries to partners to playmates is indicated artfully by effective but subtle changes in book design and text. Readers will likely hope to see more of this adorable odd couple."

—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

S&W • JHC • 9 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-83611-4
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S&W • GLB • 9 x 10
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BL, H, K★, PW★, SLJ
Tennessee Volunteer State Book Award Master List; Kirkus Reviews Editor's Choice; Nick Jr. Magazine Best Book; ALA Notable Children's Books; Virginia Readers' Choice Primary
Animals; Character Education/Sharing; Friendship
No Restrictions

Duck, Duck, Goose

"Hooray! Duck and Goose are back. But when Duck brings a newcomer named Thistle into the mix, everything changes. Thistle is one competitive duck . . . While they admire Thistle's prowess, they would rather just play for fun. The charming illustrations portray this tale of friendship perfectly, and the text . . . is energetic, appealing and filled with warmth."

—*Kirkus Reviews*

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

S&W • JHC • 9 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-84068-5
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S&W • GLB • 9 x 10
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K, PW, SLJ
Friendship; Cooperation & Teamwork
No Restrictions

Mary Ann Hoberman



And to Think that We Thought that We'd Never Be Friends

ILLUSTRATED BY Kevin Hawkes

In this optimistic picture book, Mary Ann Hoberman shows how turning fighters into friends leads to greater peace. It begins with fighting siblings, who make up with the help of another sibling. Then the family begins fighting with neighbors and music brings them together. Soon the whole country is marching in a parade! And in the end, the whole world is united in friendship.

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Dragonfly • TR • 11 x 8-1/2
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41776-7
$6.99/$10.99 Can. • 32 pp • 48 ctn

BL, CT, IN, PI, PW, SLJ
Family & Relationships; Friendship; Rhyme & Alliteration; Peace • No Restrictions

It's Simple, Said Simon

ILLUSTRATED BY Meilo So

In this simply delightful fable, a little boy named Simon meets various animals that each present him with a challenge. He handily tackles each task saying "It's simple." But when Simon meets a cunning and hungry tiger, he is almost outmatched. "Great for reading aloud and acting out."—*School Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

Dragonfly • TR • 10 x 8
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$6.99/$10.99 Can. • 40 pp • 48 ctn

BL, C, H, K, NYT, PW, SLJ★
Animals; Adventure; Rhyme & Alliteration; Fairy Tales and Fables • No Restrictions

Deborah Hopkinson

Sweet Clara and the Freedom Quilt

ILLUSTRATED BY James E. Ransome

When Clara, a seamstress in the Big House, learns of the Underground Railroad, she uses the cloth in her scrap bag to make a map of the land—a freedom quilt. "This first-rated book is a triumph of the heart."

—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

Ages 5–10 • Grades K–5

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African/African American Int; Hist Fiction/Civil War; Human & Civil Rights; Black History Month
US, Can., Opn Mkt

Sandra Horning



The Giant Hug

ILLUSTRATED BY Valeri Gorbachev

How do you give your granny a hug when she lives far away? Send it through the mail, of course! "The clever concept, as well as the behind-the-scenes look at how the mail gets from sender to receiver, is . . . irresistible."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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BL, C, H, K, LMC, PW, SLJ
North Carolina Children's Book Award Nominee; IRA–CBC Children's Choice
Animals; Family & Relationships; Humor; Transportation; Intergenerational • No Restrictions

John Irving

A Sound Like Someone Trying Not to Make a Sound

When a young boy wakes up in the middle of the night, and unfamiliar sound conjures frightening images in his mind.

Ages 4 up • Preschool and up

Doubleday • JHC • 10-3/4 x 10
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-74680-9
$15.95/$24.95 Can. • 40 pp • 24 ctn

Horror & Ghost Stories; Family & Relationships
US, Can, Opn Mkt

Crockett Johnson

Ellen's Lion

Originally published in 1959 and out of print for two decades, this collection of very short stories chronicles Ellen's relationship—complete with two-way conversations—with her floppy stuffed lion. Ellen's temperament is a bit like Christopher Robin's (though her appearance is a clone of Harold, from *Harold and the Purple Crayon* fame), but her lion is a no-nonsense, tougher-minded Pooh, with the voice of reason and reality to counter Ellen's high-flying imagination. The stories range from fear of the dark and being sad to playing doctor, being a fairy princess, and dealing with a new toy that almost replaces lion. Parents will find the subtly droll stories as entertaining as children, and a child who reads chapter books will find especially rewarding.

Ages 6–10 • Grades 1–5

Knopf • JHC • 5-7/8 x 8-3/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-375-82288-9
$12.95/NCR • 64 pp • 24 ctn

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Humor; Animals; Courage & Honor • No Restrictions

Ezra Jack Keats

John Henry
An American Legend

This is the story of the legendary John Henry, a steel-driving man, who was born with a hammer in his hand and won a contest against a steam drill. "Dramatic pictures with large bold figures express the feeling of this tall tale."

—*School Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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African/African American Int; Myths, Legends & Folklore; Black History Month • No Restrictions

Sarah Kilborne

Peach and Blue

ILLUSTRATED BY Steve Johnson AND Lou Fancher

He's a big blue-bellied toad, hopping aimlessly through life. She's a peach yearning for escape and adventure. And after they meet one summer afternoon, neither will ever be the same. "In every respect, this is a standout title."—*Booklist*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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BL, PW, SLJ
Animals; Friendship; Valentine's Day; Love & Romance • No Restrictions

Eric A. Kimmel



Zigazak!
A Magical Hanukkah Night

ILLUSTRATED BY Jon Goodell

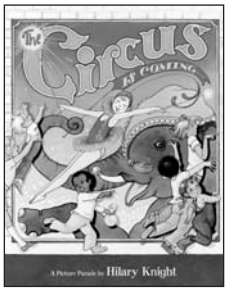
Two tricky devils arrive in town and cause panic until the rabbi triumphs over the them in a contest of wits. But the rabbi's real triumph is his ability to see good in all things, even devils' tricks, thus helping the townsfolk to enjoy their magical holiday. "The breezy text and expressive humor of the illustrations make this a fine choice for Hanukkah story times."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

Doubleday • JHC • 8-3/8 x 10-7/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-385-32652-0
$15.95/$23.95 Can. • 32 pp • 24 ctn

SLJ
Customs & Traditions; Jewish Interest; Good vs. Evil; Hanukkah • No Restrictions

Hilary Knight



The Circus Is Coming

Step right up and see the dazzling displays and sensational sights of the brightest circus parade ever! Enjoy everything that's marvelous and magical about the legendary big top in unforgettable illustrations. First published in 1978 and unavailable for decades, Hilary Knight's stunning picture book has been reprinted from the original art.

Ages 3–9 • Preschool–4

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The Squishiness of Things

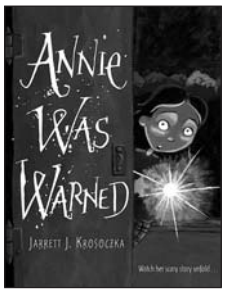
Hieronymus has measured everything from the bounciness of a sausage to the squishiness of bugs. The discovery of a previously uncharted hair sends the wise, yet also foolish, genius off on a quest. "This picture book for older readers is at once silly and philosophical . . . many will enjoy Hieronymus' almost Oz-like journey through strange lands."—*Booklist*

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Jarrett J. Krosoczka



Annie Was Warned

Annie's parents have warned her to stay away from the abandoned Montgomery Mansion, but Annie was born on Halloween night so she isn't afraid. Delightfully spooky illustrations show Annie's trek to the forbidden mansion and the wonderful birthday surprise that awaits her. "Krosoczka advances his story with sly agility, adding a subtle visual clue, too. A delicious mix of suspense and wit."
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

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IRA–CBC Children's Choice
Birthdays; Horror & Ghost Stories; Humor; Halloween • No Restrictions

Baghead

Josh insists on wearing a paper bag over his head all day despite his parents' insistence that he will not be able to function. After he eats breakfast, gives a book report, and plays in his soccer game, readers find out that he's been hiding a self-inflicted bad haircut all day. "The hero's successful acts of insubordination attest to Krosoczka's sympathy for his audience, who will readily identify."—*Publishers Weekly*

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Good Night, Monkey Boy

A mischievous young boy, decked out in monkey suit pajamas, tries to delay his bedtime with lots of primate antics that will inspire giggles from young readers. While the energetic young boy sneaks a banana, attempts to put toothpaste in his hair, and swings from the shower rod, his omnipresent mother firmly keeps him on track. Krosoczka's redheaded protagonist is "especially winning."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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Max and Kelly both want to win the election for class president and both run campaigns, but when one of them loses, the winner finds a way to make the loser feel better. "In this timely tale, Krosoczka gives a simple overview of how campaigns and elections work. . . . This story is sure to be a hit."—*School Library Journal*

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My Buddy, Slug

Alex and Slug are best friends who do everything together, but does being best friends mean you have to be together every second? Alex tries to get some alone time, but Slug is always there. Before long, Alex explodes and Slug's feelings are bruised. It's time for them to figure out the meaning of "sorry" and to learn that some folks are friends forever. This all-too-familiar theme is given fresh treatment with quirky, cartoonlike illustrations of the giant slug."—*School Library Journal*

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Punk Farm

Every evening when Farmer Joe goes to bed the animals in the barn enjoy some riotous rocking. The band plays their jazzed up version of "Old MacDonald Had a Farm" to crowds of animal fans while an unsuspecting Farmer Joe sleeps. "The fun is carried onto the endpapers, which feature a montage of posters, torn tickets, publicity 'photos' of the band, and scrawled notebook pages. Quite a romp."
—*School Library Journal*

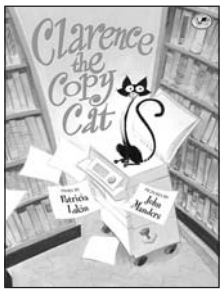
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Clarence the Copy Cat

ILLUSTRATED BY John Manders

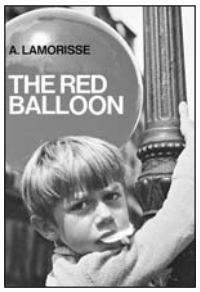
Clarence the cat refuses to catch mice so he is banished from his sandwich shop. He finds refuge at the library until a mouse appears and he is forced to find a non-violent solution to getting rid of the rodent. "Young customers—those in branches with or without mice—will find much to smile about here, and Manders's goofy, cartoony illustrations are filled with energy and child appeal."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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Animals; Friendship; Humor; Acceptance & Belonging • No Restrictions

A. Lamorisse



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Kathryn Lasky



Starring Lucille

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Cowboy Small takes good care of his horse, Cactus, and Cactus helps Cowboy Small get work done on the range. Together they round up cattle and live the good life. And at night, Cowboy Small eats at the chuck wagon, sings with his friends, and sleeps under the stars. This new edition has been "brightened with full-color treatments . . . [and] will continue to charm small readers."

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The farmyard animals are planning a surprise for Ann Eliza, the little girl who takes care of them. Everyone contributes—Little Brown Hen lays the eggs, the chicks and goslings gather flowers, and White Rabbit and his family paint the eggs. Easter morning, the animals have a parade and give Ann Eliza her very own Easter basket.

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Mr. Small is a sailor! Captain Small and his dog Tinker sail and fish together. When a storm comes, Captain Small heads for the safety of the shore. A comforting, nostalgic story full of information about sailing.

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The Little Train

Engineer Small drives his little train from Tinytown to the city—and back. Along the way, the little train passes farms, goes through tunnels, and stops at stations to pick up cargo and passengers. First published in 1940, this newly reissued edition will be sure to delight a whole new generation of young readers.

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Classics; Transportation • No Restrictions

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School bells and apples and big ripe pumpkins—all the pleasures of fall come alive in Lois Lenski's simple, rhyming text.

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Concepts/Seasons; Classics; Rhyme & Alliteration
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On a Summer Day

Newbery Award–winning author and illustrator Lois Lenski's delightful rhyming story from 1953 is available once again. The original illustrations have been fully colorized, bringing new life to the summertime fun shared by a young girl and her brother.

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Papa Small

This delightful colorized reissue of the Lois Lenski classic gives readers an inside view to her beloved and multitalented character the home life Papa Small's. The depiction of a typical week in this traditional two-parent family is both nostalgic and contemporary at the same time. This will be a favorite of children of all family backgrounds.

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Family & Relationships; Classics • No Restrictions

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Policeman Small is on the job at the crack of dawn, directing traffic, guiding schoolchildren across the street, reprimanding a speeding driver, leading a parade, and clearing the road for an ambulance. Despite the busy day, he always has time to share a friendly smile with passers-by. Lois Lenski's beloved Mr. Small characters have delighted generations of readers.

Ages 3–6 • Preschool–1

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Classics; Community • No Restrictions

Spring Is Here

This rhyming, pocket-sized celebration of spring by Newbery Award–winning author-illustrator Lois Lenski is back after being out of print for decades. Lenski's original illustrations have been gloriously colorized and her story is as charming and accessible as it was when first published in 1945.

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Concepts/Seasons; Rhyme & Alliteration
No Restrictions

Dee Lillegard

Go!

Poetry in Motion

ILLUSTRATED BY Valeri Gorbachev

"Both cozy and exciting, the simple rhymes and the uproarious animal characters in the line-and-watercolor pictures will have preschoolers pointing at the double-page spreads and acting out the fun that the pages show and tell . . . This title establishes books as a part of children's everyday play. Kids will want to re-create the scenarios with their toys on the floor at home."

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BL, K, SLJ
Poetry; Transportation; Rhyme & Alliteration; Concepts/Words • No Restrictions

Grace Lin

Dim Sum for Everyone!

Young readers will enjoy this delightful celebration of the cultural tradition of dim sum, which in English means "touches the heart" or "little hearts." Bright, engaging illustrations show a family choosing and sharing dumplings, cakes, buns, and tarts until they are all stuffed. "Like the pleasures of dim sum, this is a compact treat."
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Asian/Asian American Int; Family & Relationships; Customs & Traditions • No Restrictions

Fortune Cookie Fortunes

A young girl opens fortune cookies with her family and narrates as the fortunes all seem to come true. "Bright, lively colors and scenes presented from unusual perspectives are hallmarks of Lin's art, and the illustrations here are no exception. An afterword tells the real, rather surprising story of fortune cookies."—*Booklist*

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A young girl describes how each member of her family participates in making a dragon kite that they fly on a windy day. A brief history of kite making and flying is included at the end of the book. "The overall simplicity is effective and appealing, and the spare text is accentuated by bright gouache illustrations. . . . The close-up perspective will draw little ones right into the project."—*Booklist*

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Leo Lionni



Alexander and the Wind-Up Mouse

Alexander, a real mouse, thinks he wants to be more like his friend Willy, a toy mouse. "Eyecatching, boldly colored collages illustrate this classic 'grass is always greener' story."—*Booklist*

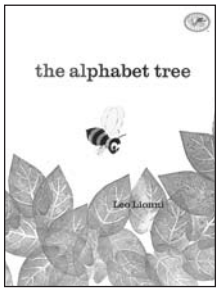
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The Alphabet Tree

The letters on an alphabet tree, torn and tossed by the wind, find strength in banding together to form words. Then a clever caterpillar teaches the letters to become even stronger by forming sentences with a message of peace.

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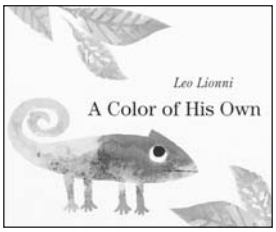
The Biggest House in the World

A young snail realizes that a big house might be a disaster for him. "The translucent color of the pictures and the simplicity of the text make a perfect combination."—*Book World*

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Animals • No Restrictions



A Color of His Own

In search of his own color, a chameleon finds something even more special—a true friend. "Satisfying."
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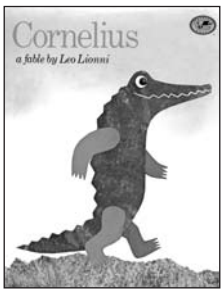
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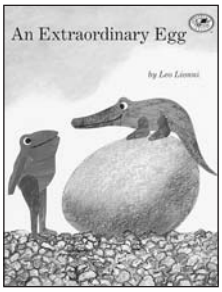
Cornelius

Unlike other crocodiles, Cornelius walks upright and sees things and does tricks no other crocodile can. "A tale children will enjoy."—*School Library Journal*, Starred

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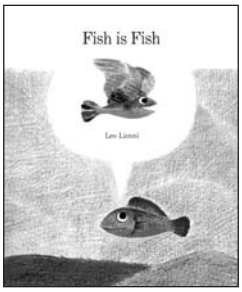
An Extraordinary Egg

Three frogs discover what they believe to be a chicken egg. When a baby alligator emerges, the frogs are thrilled to have a new friend. "An eggs-traordinary treat from a master storyteller."
—*School Library Journal*, Starred

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Animals; Humor • No Restrictions



Fish Is Fish

A modern fable of a minnow who wants to follow his tadpole friend onto land. "A superior book, simple, but eye-catching."
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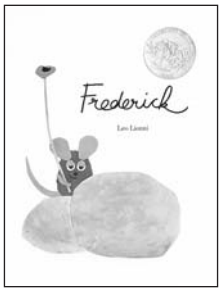
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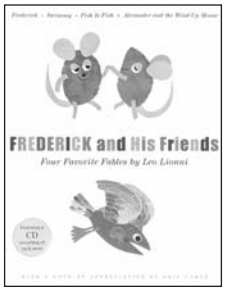
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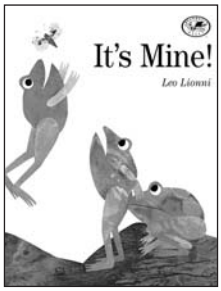
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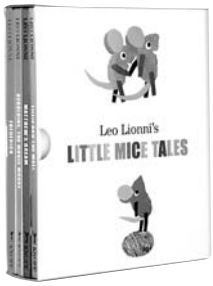
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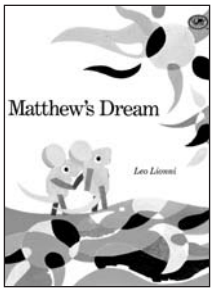
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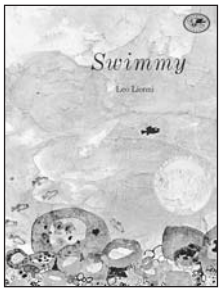
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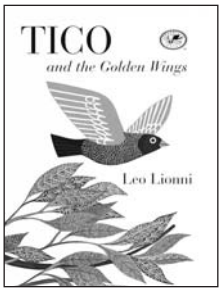
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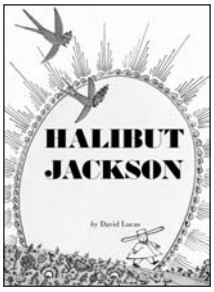
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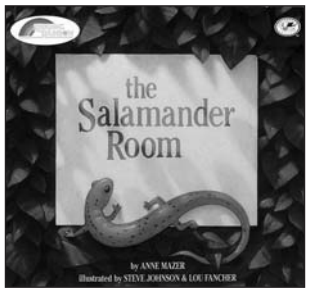
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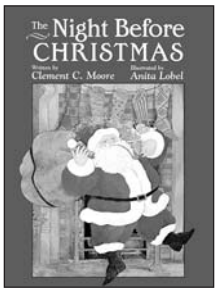
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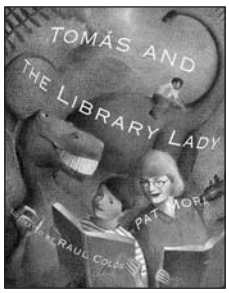
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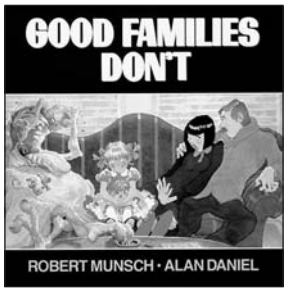
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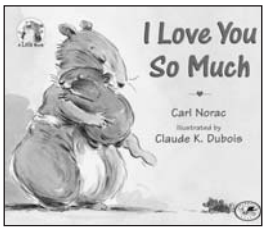
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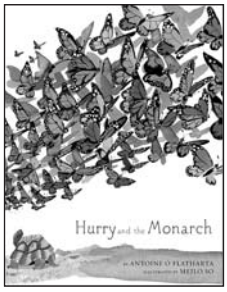
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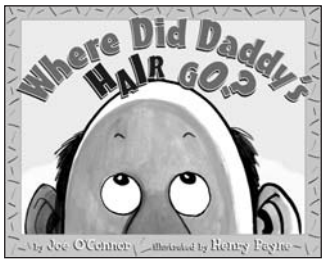
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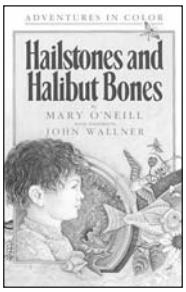
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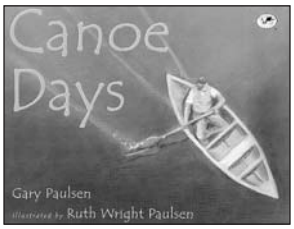
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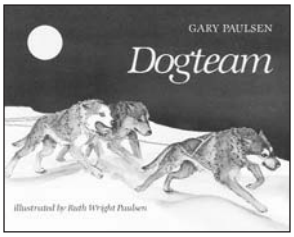
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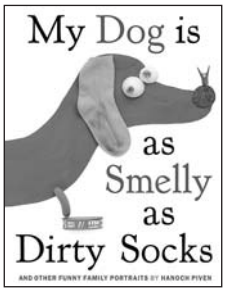
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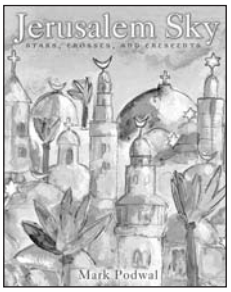
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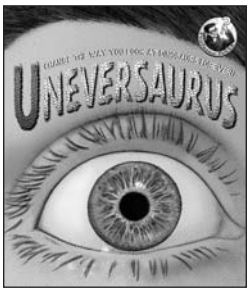
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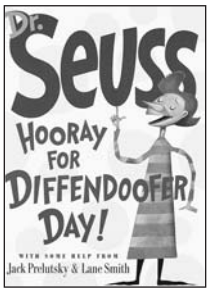
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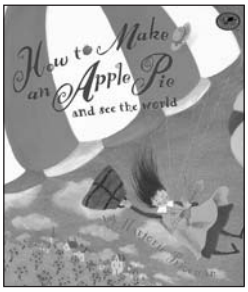
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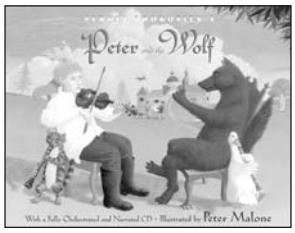
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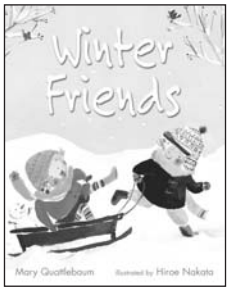
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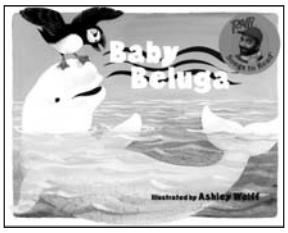
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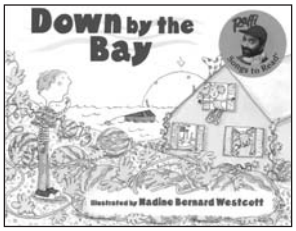
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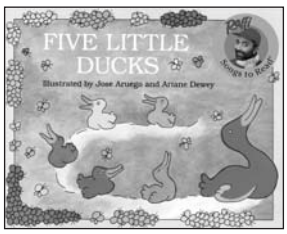
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Five Little Ducks

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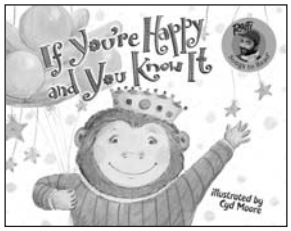
"Vivid pictures tell the tale of a mother duck who loses her ducklings, one by one. A happy ending is assured when they return with ducklings of their own. Music and chords are included. The title is well done, giving a visual dimension to a

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If You're Happy and You Know It

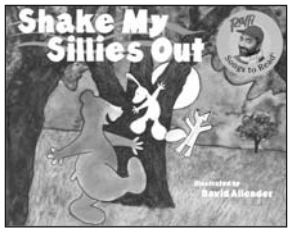
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It's Monkey's birthday and all his friends are getting together to celebrate. This adorable story is the perfect match for the traditional song that every child loves to sing and clap along to, while Cyd Moore's inviting, kid-friendly artwork will keep kids coming back for more.

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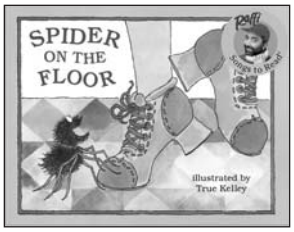
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"Rollicking pictures of a moonlit night in the woods of Camp Mariposa, where both animals and campers are struck by the urge to shake, clap, jump, waggle, and eventually yawn. Melody line and chords are provided at the end."—*Language Arts*

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Spider on the Floor

ILLUSTRATED BY True Kelley

A perfect silly song sure to delight and entertain toddlers everywhere. The repetition, rhythm, and rhyme will help build early language skills and the outrageous story will have children clamoring for it again and again. "There's a spider on the floor, on the floor."

Ages 0–4 • Up to preschool

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This Little Light of Mine

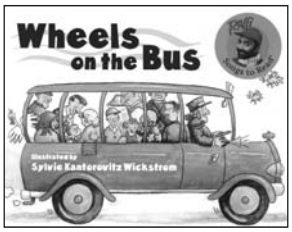
ILLUSTRATED BY Stacey Schuett

A school play is the setting for this Raffi Song to Read, and it's filled with lovable kids of all ages pulling together to put on a show, all the while encouraging the shy star to let her own light shine in the grand finale.

Ages 0–6 • Up to kindergarten

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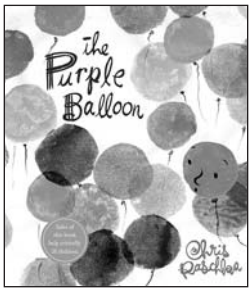
"With a jovial bus driver as host, readers have quite a ride ahead of them as the bus bounces through what appears to be a French town. In her first book the artist humorously injects the familiar song with cheerful new life."
—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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Chris Raschka



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When a child becomes aware of his or her impending death, and is given the opportunity to "draw your feelings," they will often draw a blue or purple balloon, released and unencumbered, on its way upward. Using disarmingly simple and direct language—accompanied by evocative potato print illustrations—Rashcka creates a moving, sensitive book that is also a phenomenally useful tool to talk about death.

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Dying & Grief; Emotions & Feelings • No Restrictions

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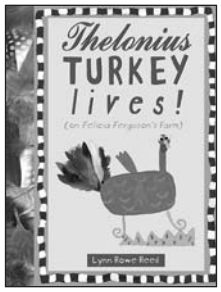
"Kids will laugh out loud at P.U.'s pungent emissions and join in with the repeated refrain. . . . Comical, stylized, and collage illustrations accompany the clever text resulting in a most malodorous treat."
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Thelonius Turkey Lives!

Thelonius begins to worry when, a week before Thanksgiving, Felicia the farmer starts to fatten him up. He enlists the help of the cow, geese, and pigs to thwart her plans in a number of silly ways. The animals realize it is all a big misunderstanding when they are invited to join Felicia at a festive vegetarian feast. "A nice holiday treat."—*School Library Journal*

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Lynn Reiser



You and Me, Baby

PHOTOGRAPHS BY Penny Gentieu

This interactive book helps new parents interact with babies as young as two months. Big close-up photographs illustrate each phrase through smiling, feeding, hugging, splashing, and peeking.

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Faith Ringgold

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Cassie, who flew above New York in *Tar Beach*, soars into the sky once more. This time, with Harriet Tubman as her guide, Cassie retraces the steps escaping slaves took on the Underground Railroad. "Groundbreaking!"
—*School Library Journal*, Starred

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No Restrictions

Cassie's Word Quilt

"This is a wordbook, but much more. It is a lesson in the history and culture of New York City, 1939. Through Cassie from *Tar Beach*, Ringgold presents a simple exploration of the child's life. . . . Sentences and vocabulary are simple enough for beginning readers to handle on their own, but the book is also a wonderful vehicle for one-on-one sharing and classroom use."
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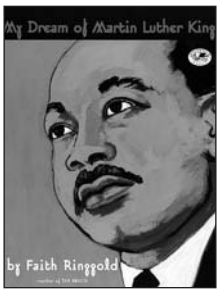
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My Dream of Martin Luther King

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Biography & Autobiography; African/African American Int; Human & Civil Rights; Black History Month • No Restrictions

Tar Beach

In this tale based on the author's story quilt, eight-year-old Cassie Louise Lightfoot dreams she is flying over tar beach—the rooftop of her 1939 Harlem apartment building—feeling free to go wherever she pleases and claiming things she sees as her own. "A practical and stunningly beautiful book."—*The Horn Book*, Starred

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African/African American Int; Fantasy; Human & Civil Rights; Black History Month • No Restrictions

Maria Polushkin Robbins

Mother, Mother, I Want Another

ILLUSTRATED BY Jon Goodell

In this reillustrated story from the 1970s, a young mouse kisses his Mom goodnight. When he asks "May I have another, Mother?" it sets off a silly, grammatically based misunderstanding that leads his mother to start interviewing her replacements. "A cumulative, satisfyingly repetitive story, this also offers young children a chance to get the joke well before the adult does. Goodell's colorful paintings are a delight."—*School Library Journal*

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Eric Rohmann

The Cinder-Eyed Cats

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IRA–CBC Children's Choice
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Otho was born with a pumpkin for a head. And despite what one might think, he was not seen as a curiosity by his family. So begins this brilliantly droll tale of a very unusual boy. "A perfect blend of art and text. . . . Rohmann captures the vulnerable emotions of a lost child, and the wide smiles when returning to a mother's embrace."—*School Library Journal*

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Sheriff John is a lawman in the wild, wild West. It's not just his badge and his gun that send robbers and rustlers galloping out of town, it's also his 10-gallon hat. Or so he thinks. "Thanks to Sheriff John and his ten-gallon hat, the town of Sunshine is a model of law and order. As long as he's wearing his hat, Sheriff John can handle any kind of trouble the old West deals him . . . [but] one night there's 'trouble aplenty' in Sunshine . . . The lighthearted illustrations . . . add to the story and capture the flavor and fun of the text. Hats off to this one!"—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

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Humor; Courage & Honor • US, Can., Opn Mkt

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The Bunnies Are Not in Their Beds

"Three bunny siblings find much better things to do than go to sleep. Each time their parents look in on them, they are playing with cars or trains or pretending to be cowboys . . . Despite numerous warnings, the noisy little creatures just cannot stay in their beds . . . The colorful, folksy gouache illustrations bring real personality to the text with expressions of exasperation, amusement, and joy."
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Richard Scarry

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Charles Santore

Aesop's Fables

This collection of 24 of Aesop's animal fables includes such familiar stories as *The Wolf in Sheep's Clothing, The Lion and the Mouse,* and *The Hare and the Tortoise.* Santore's vibrant full-color ink-and-wash illustrations bring these time-honored fables to life. "A delight for both the eye and the ear."—*School Library Journal*

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The Camel's Lament

Poor camel! While most creatures are prized, pampered, or at least tended to, the camel is our beast of burden. The classic poem by Charles Edward Carryl is here newly re-illustrated with Charles Santore's "fabulous artwork, [which] will catapult this into kids' eager hands. . . . The animals are wonderfully individualized in the illustrations, with such intelligent faces that they seem to have a spark of humanity. . . . Richly colored and intensely detailed."
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Animals; Poetry; Humor • No Restrictions

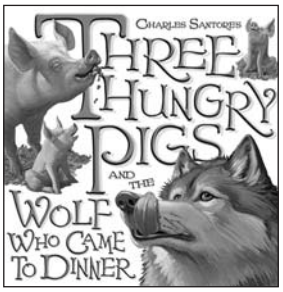
Snow White

This classic Grimm fairy tale tells of a beautiful young girl with skin as white as snow, hair black as ebony, and cheeks and lips as red as blood. This capable retelling is lavishly illustrated in a large format that lends itself to reading aloud to groups.

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Three Hungry Pigs and the Wolf Who Came to Dinner

The life of a truffle-hunting pig is not easy! Unearthing delicious truffles all day without eating any of them is too hard for Bianca. After her very first furtive bite, she and her piglets are banished to the forest—where they meet up with a wolf! "The detail of the full-page paintings and full-bleed spreads beautifully reinforces the emotions and actions of the tale. A good choice."—*School Library Journal*

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Classics; Fairy Tales & Fables; Self-Discovery
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Carole Lexa Schaefer

The Squiggle

ILLUSTRATED BY Pierr Morgan

A simple piece of string becomes magical in the hands of an imaginative little girl. "Presents one of the universal joys of childhood in an accessible and charming fashion."—*School Library Journal*, Starred

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Roni Schotter

The Boy Who Loved Words

ILLUSTRATED BY Giselle Potter

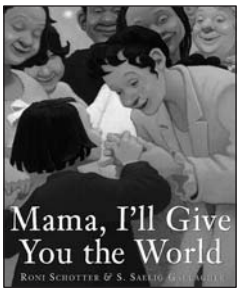
Selig loves words so much that he collects them on scraps of paper he stuffs in his pockets. His classmates call him an oddball and his parents worry about his future. But with the encouragement of a friendly genie Selig grows up to find success and true love. "An inspiring choice for young wordsmiths and anyone who cherishes the variety and vitality of language."
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Mama, I'll Give You the World

ILLUSTRATED BY S. Saelig Gallagher

For one magical night, Luisa wants to make her single mother's worries disappear. It's Mama's birthday and Luisa wants to make Mama smile . . . the way she smiles in a photograph of her dancing at a place called Roseland. So Luisa transforms Walter's World of Beauty into Roseland. And it isn't long before everyone is happily dancing, especially Mama, who is the happiest of all.

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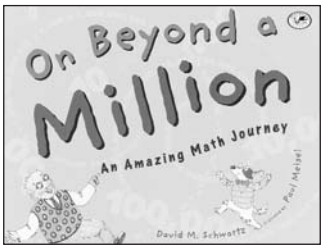
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K, PW, SLJ
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David M. Schwartz



On Beyond a Million
An Amazing Math Journey

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Ages 6–10 • Grades 1–5

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BL
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Evelyn Scott



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A sweet story of a bear family's life throughout the year. Out of print for decades, *The Fourteen Bears* has been reissued in response to requests from many booksellers and even more readers. "The meticulous illustrations (all but one cub lives in its own tree decorated to suit its taste) are winning."

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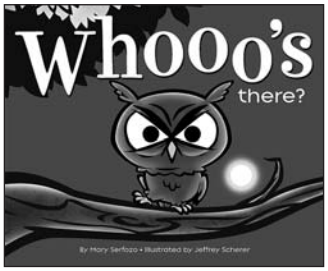
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H, PW
Concepts/Seasons; Animals • No Restrictions

Mary Serfozo



Whooo's There?

ILLUSTRATED BY Jeffrey Scherer

It's nighttime, but the forest is alive with sights, sounds, and even smells! Whooo's out there? That's what Old Owl wants to know! Mary Serfozo's delightful rhyming text and Jeffrey Scherer's graphic illustrations bring to life an inquisitive owl who loves to keep tabs on all of the animals that prowl the dark forest at night.

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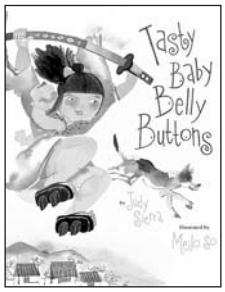
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Animals; Humorous Stories; Nature • No Restrictions

Dr. Seuss

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Judy Sierra



Tasty Baby Belly Buttons

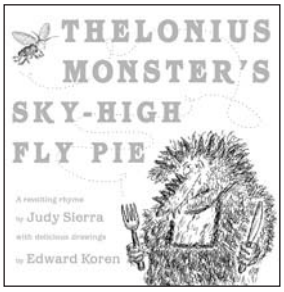
ILLUSTRATED BY Meilo So

In this Japanese folktale, a courageous little girl rescues the villagers' babies from ogres. "Sierra uses just the right combination of droll and dramatic elements. The watercolor illustrations . . . are the perfect accompaniment to this deliciously scary adventure."—*School Library Journal, Starred*

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Thelonius Monster's Sky-High Fly Pie

ILLUSTRATED BY Edward Koren

Thelonious, taken with the taste of flies, sets out to bake a gigantic fly pie as a surprise dessert for his monster friends. But the flies have a surprise of their own! "An incomparable rhymester has teamed up with a master cartoonist to conjure up some haute cuisine. . . . A lovable and entertaining work of art."

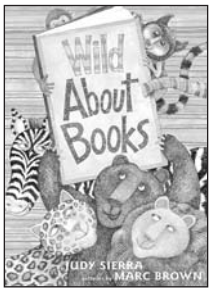
—*School Library Journal,* Starred

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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B, K★, PW, SLJ★
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Humor; Fantasy • No Restrictions



Wild About Books

ILLUSTRATED BY Marc Brown

"A rollicking, loving tribute to Dr. Seuss . . . Librarian Molly McGrew, resplendent in hot-pink trousers and a tropical-striped jacket, drives the bookmobile into the zoo, with delightful results. . . . Brown's paintings, rich in pattern and detail and wonderful color, show graceful, cheery animals. A story-time spectacular."

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Jane Simmons



Together

Mousse and Nut love walking together, playing together, and laughing together. Everything is wonderful—until they start to notice there are some things they just can't do together. Can Mousse and Nut really be friends when they are so different? These endearing, floppy dogs will wag their way into the hearts of children as they teach a gentle lesson about friendship.

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Animals; Friendship • US, Can.

Michele B. Slawson



Apple Picking Time

ILLUSTRATED BY Debra Kogan Ray

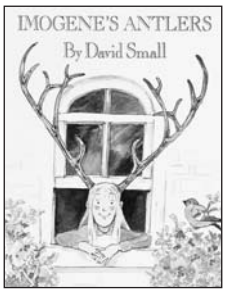
When the leaves begin to change, it's apple-picking time. Everyone in town heads for the orchards, including Anna and her family. "A celebration of family and community."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

Dragonfly • TR • 9 x 9
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Family & Relationships; Concepts/Seasons
No Restrictions

David Small



Imogene's Antlers

Young Imogene awakens one morning to find she has grown antlers! "Small maximizes the inherent humor of the absurd situation. Hilarious, with a subtle lesson in acceptance."

—*School Library Journal,* Starred

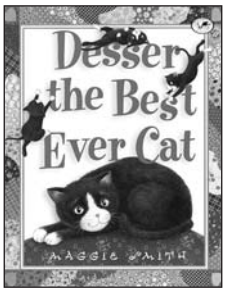
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Maggie Smith



Desser the Best Cat Ever

From his first plaintive mew to his last loving purr, Desser was an essential member of the family. And for the little girl, especially, he was a constant companion. But as the girl grows bigger, Desser grows older. And eventually it is time to say good-bye. Still, by telling his story and remembering him well, the girl finds a way to keep him alive in her heart. With the simplest words and truly adorable illustrations, Maggie Smith captures the special bond we have with our pets and offers a helpful method for coping with their loss.

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Animals; Family & Relationships; Death, Dying & Grief • No Restrictions



One Naked Baby

"[A] delightful counting adventure. The counting begins with one naked baby, fresh from a bath, and continues as he gets dressed and has snack. Then it's out the door to explore . . . Gentle rhymes and familiar scenes make this good for sharing anytime. Smith's illustrations are a feast for the eye and the brain . . . A great addition to any collection."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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Anna Egan Smucker

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"The story of a young girl growing up within the shadows of a great steel mill is eloquently depicted in this insightful, autobiographical picture book. Studded with vibrant imagery, the story subtly emphasizes the loving, caring, respectful relationships within a steelworker's family. Cleanly executed pages, evocative illustrations, and manageable vocabulary make this a unique purchase for a broad age range."—*School Library Journal*

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A very greedy cat eats his way through 500 cakes, a parrot, an elephant, two crabs, and more in this retelling of an Indian folk tale. The cat continues to get bigger and more uncomfortable until the crabs cut a hole in his stomach and let the others out. "So illustrates it all with . . . splendidly vivid and evocative images. . . . Much giggling will ensue."—*Booklist*

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Jean Conder Soule

Never Tease a Weasel

ILLUSTRATED BY George Booth

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The Fox Went Out on a Chilly Night

In a timeless folk song, a fox forages for food in the village to bring to his family back in the den. The music is also included so everyone can sing along. "A handsomely designed and executed picture book which will be endlessly delightful to children."—*School Library Journal*

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Peter Spier's Circus

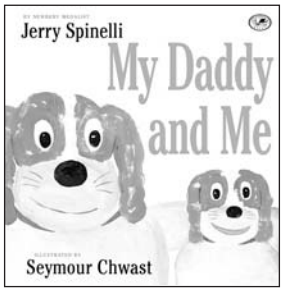
There are a lot of details involved in running the circus—setting up the big top, putting on a great show, and finally packing up to travel to the next town. "Caldecott-winner Spier not only spotlights a sensational circus extravaganza, but also examines its many elaborate components."
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Jerry Spinelli



My Daddy and Me

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In a loving tribute to fathers and sons, Newbery Medalist Jerry Spinelli and renowned *New Yorker* artist and graphic designer Seymour Chwast join talents to celebrate the very best moment of the day: when Daddy comes home.

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Bob Staake

The Red Lemon

Farmer McPhee finds a red lemon in his orchard. As he tosses the red lemon across the water, he can't imagine that it will land on a small island, sprout a seed, and someday bring forth an orchard of lemon trees. People will travel to from all over to try the red lemons that are "six times as sweet!" "Staake creates a fun, dynamic world reminiscent of Dr. Seuss in its sweeping arcs, bright colors, multicolored cartoon people, and effortlessly rhyming text."—*School Library Journal*

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My Big Dog

ILLUSTRATED BY Janet Stevens

Up until a new puppy arrives, Merl the cat was the king of the castle. Only when he leaves to find a new puppy-free space does he realize that, puppy and all, there is no place like home. Caldecott Honor–winning artist Stevens's humorous illustrations will be a hit with storytime readers and "[c]lose-up portraits empha-size the pooch's affectionate invasiveness."
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Manya Stojic



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When a rainstorm soaks the African savanna, each of the animals uses their senses to track the storm and then they all revel in the delights brought by the water. "The brilliant double-page spreads, the play on the five senses, and a text that invites participation make this one trip to Africa you can't afford to miss!"
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Natasha Anastasia Tarpley



Joe-Joe's First Flight

ILLUSTRATED BY E. B. Lewis

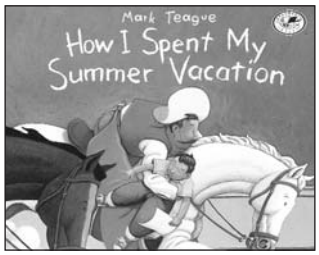
African Americans like little Joe-Joe, his father, and the other men who work at the local airport are not allowed to fly. In sympathy, even the moon has lost its shine—until Joe-Joe's dream of reaching the moon restores hope to the town of Blind Eye. "A celebration of the human spirit and the courage and determination of a people to soar."—*School Library Journal*

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Mark Teague



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Anatole

ILLUSTRATED BY Paul Galdone

Anatole is determined to find a way to earn his supper. He heads for the tasting room at the Duvall Cheese Factory. On each cheese, he leaves a small note and signs his name. Soon Duvall is making the best cheese in all of Paris! They would like to give Anatole a reward—if only they could find him. . . .

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Anatole and the Cat

ILLUSTRATED BY Paul Galdone

Anatole is the happiest mouse in all of Paris. He is Vice-President in Charge of Cheese Tasting at the Duvall Cheese Factory. He works in secret at night—the people at Duvall have no idea their mysterious taster is really a mouse! So M'sieu Duvall thinks nothing of bringing his pet cat to the factory. . . .

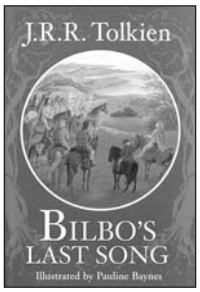
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Bilbo's Last Song

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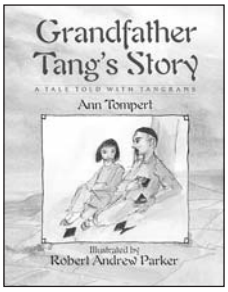
In this poignant, lyrical poem Bilbo Baggins, the beloved hero of *The Hobbit*, says goodbye to Middle Earth and remembers his adventures before he sets off for the undying lands. The poem is accompanied by lush, jewel-like illustrations that capture the magic of Tolkein's Middle Earth. "A must for all fans of Tolkien's vast, epic fantasy."—*Publishers Weekly*

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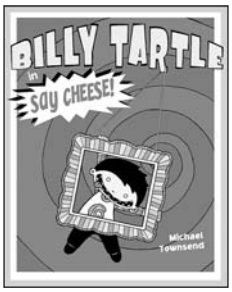
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How can Billy Tartle make his class picture super-cool? How about a cool haircut—a Mohawk with big spikes and a crazy color? A familiar childhood ritual is given a fresh, nutty spin in this tale of how kids want things to be fun and parents want things to be normal. But everybody will smile when Billy Tartle gets into the picture!

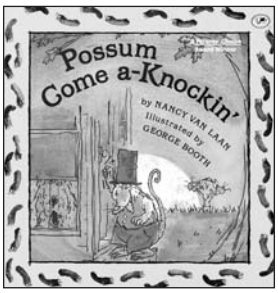
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ILLUSTRATED BY George Booth

Nobody in his family believes a young boy when he says that a possum has come a-knockin' at the door. "Should be popular with storyhour groups."—*Booklist*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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Animals; Humor • No Restrictions

Rainbow Crow

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This Native American legend tells the story of how the Rainbow Crow lost his sweet voice and brilliant colors by bringing the gift of fire to the other woodland animals. "A fine read-aloud."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 4–8 • Preschool–3

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Beatriz Vidal

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"On the night of January fifth, Federico and his sisters go to sleep hoping for gifts from the Magi. . . . The story is based on Vidal's childhood experiences in Argentina, and the artwork [has] the look of a lovingly re-created time and place. With its quiet narrative and beautiful illustrations, this celebrates the end of the Christmas season in a distinctly Latin American way, yet its story is accessible to every child."—*Booklist*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Nick Ward

Don't Eat the Babysitter!

"An enthusiastic [baby shark] Sammy accidentally bites everything in his house. Anna, a prim and proper little fish, patiently guides and protects him and his little sister, Sophie, as he chomps down on a deck of cards, the television, and the bathtub. Luckily, the amiable babysitter is able to escape his open maw. Visual gags abound."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Squash the Spider!

Squash the Spider loves to hide all over the place—in a bag of chips, on the ceiling, in the teacher's book—and jump out to scare people. When he stows away in Billy's backpack and jumps out at an unsuspecting classmate, will Squash get squished? Watch out when you're turning the pages of this hilarious book—Squash could be hiding anywhere.

Ages 5–8 • Grades K–3

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Humor; Friendship; Animals • US/Can. Only

Ian Whybrow

HARRY AND THE DINOSAURS

Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs

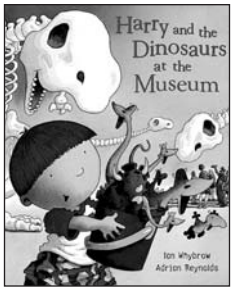
ILLUSTRATED BY Adrian Reynolds

"Harry finds a dusty box of toy dinosaurs in Gran's attic. He cleans them, fixes them up and calls each by name: Scelidosaurus, Stegosaurus, Triceratops and more. Humorous illustrations show the dinosaurs coming to life for Harry in this charming story."—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

Random House • JHC • 8-1/2 x 10-1/4
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Harry and the Dinosaurs at the Museum

ILLUSTRATED BY Adrian Reynolds

Harry and his bucket of toy dinosaurs get lost on a family trip to the Natural History Museum but find fun and the rest of the family—in the Hall of Dinosaurs, of course! "Bright and colorful illustrations depicting the energetic dinosaurs and their precocious owner are a perfect accompaniment to another of Harry's trips. A bucketful of fun."—*Kirkus Reviews*

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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H, K, SLJ
Dinosaurs; Boy Interest; Family & Relationships
US Only

Harry and the Dinosaurs Go to School

ILLUSTRATED BY Adrian Reynolds

It's the first day of school! Harry is nervous because he isn't sure what to expect. Triceratops is even more nervous, especially when Harry must leave the dinosaurs in the coatroom. But soon Harry sees another boy who is most nervous of all. He clings to his toy bulldozer and won't talk to anyone in the class. Harry wonders what he can do. Perhaps the new boy will talk to dinosaurs. . . .

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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School; Dinosaurs • US Only

Harry and the Dinosaurs Make a Christmas Wish

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On a visit to Mr. Oakley's farm, Harry and the Dinosaurs decide that a pet duckling would be the perfect thing to get for Christmas. And sure enough, there is a new pet on Christmas morning . . . but it isn't a duckling! "The humorous text and sweetly happy illustrations mask a few extra layers."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 3–7 • Preschool–2

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H, PW, SLJ
Dinosaurs; Fantasy; Growing Up; Humor; Christmas
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Harry and the Dinosaurs Say "Raahh!"

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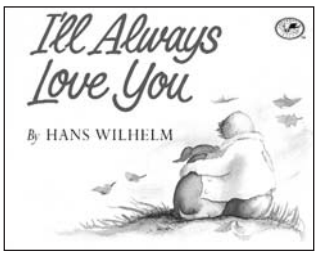
Harry takes his bucketful of toy dinosaurs with him to the dentist. Is it only in Harry's imagination that the Tyrannosaurus roars so loudly that Dr. Drake has to leave the room before completing the otherwise successful check up? "Whybrow's short, easy-to-read text blends child-specific detail with fantasy, while Reynolds's vibrant watercolors accentuate the situational humor."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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Animals; Death, Dying & Grief; Valentine's Day
No Restrictions

Margery Williams



The Velveteen Rabbit

ILLUSTRATED BY William Nicholson

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Animals; Classics; Friendship; Fairy Tales & Fables; Easter • US, Opn Mkt

Elizabeth Winthrop



The First Christmas Stocking

ILLUSTRATED BY Bagram Ibatoulline

"Two days before Christmas, a wealthy woman orders three pairs of stockings. With little light for warmth or seeing, Claire is unsure she can finish, but she does—only to give five of the stockings to a raggedy boy, who, like Claire, understands what it is like never to be warm. Her furious customer refuses the sixth stocking, which Claire hangs up; the next morning it is filled with gifts. . . . This sentimental story is wrapped in a handsome package—a tall, slim format that provides plenty of space for the dreamy, full-page colored-pencil pictures."—*Booklist*, Starred

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Susan Wojciechowski

A Fine St. Patrick's Day

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Jessica Wollman

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Andrew wants to play soccer just like his older brother Ernie and wears Ernie's hand-me-down blue t-shirt with a soccer ball on it every day while practicing his kicks and dribbles—even when the shirt begins to get too small. His practice pays off and he realizes that it is finally time to retire the blue t-shirt. "A warmly recognizable story with a satisfying resolution."—*Booklist*

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Growing Up; Family & Relationships; Sports
No Restrictions

Elvira Woodruff

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The Journey of Darcy Heart O'Hara

ILLUSTRATED BY Adam Rex

Darcy is a noticer, delighting in the small beauties all around her. Life is simple but sweet in Pobble O'Keefe. But in 1845, a blight strikes, and Darcy's family must leave Ireland. How will Darcy find a way to bring the small beauties of home to America? Elvira Woodruff's story of emigration, heartbreak, and hope is illustrated with the evocative oil paintings of Adam Rex. "Together, text and illustrations create a small beauty that gives a human face to immigration."
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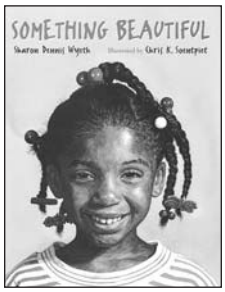
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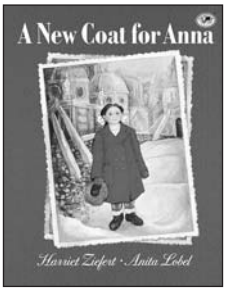
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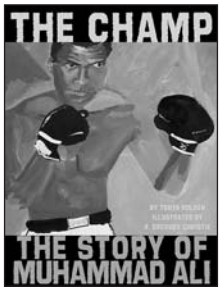
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Bonnie Christensen

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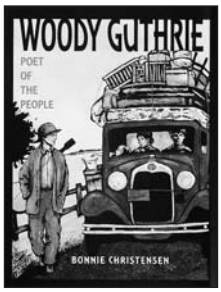
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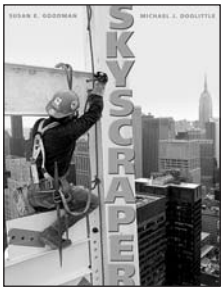
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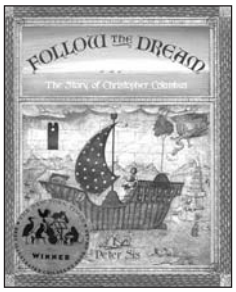
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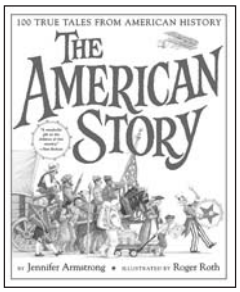
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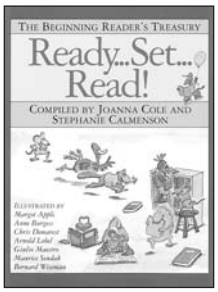
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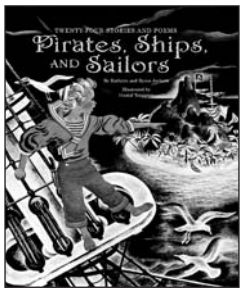
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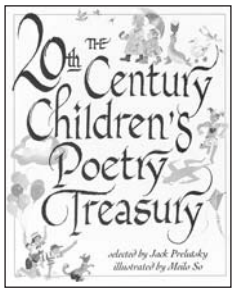
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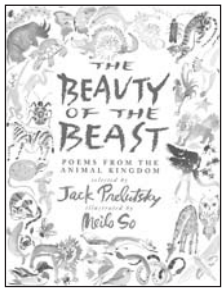
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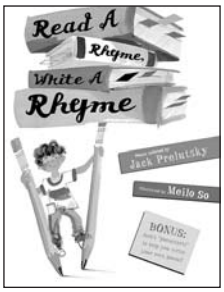
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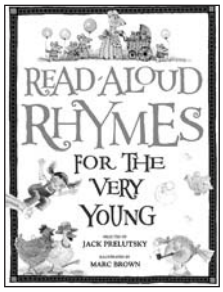
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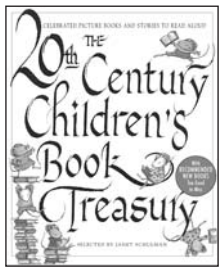
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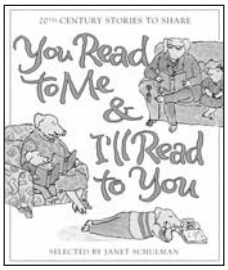
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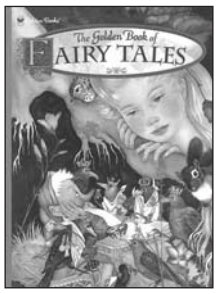
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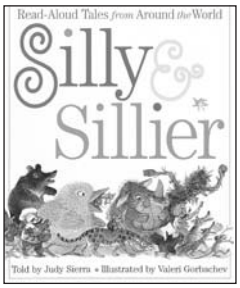
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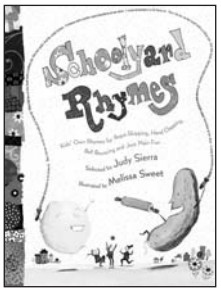
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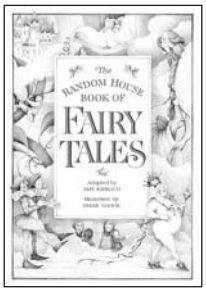
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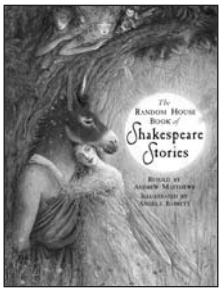
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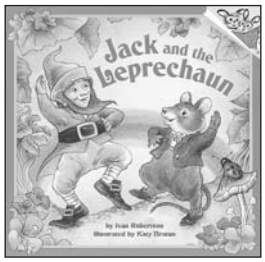
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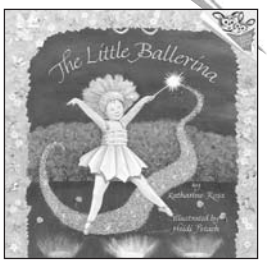
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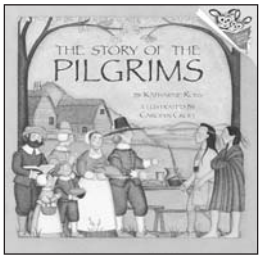
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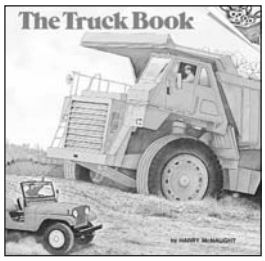
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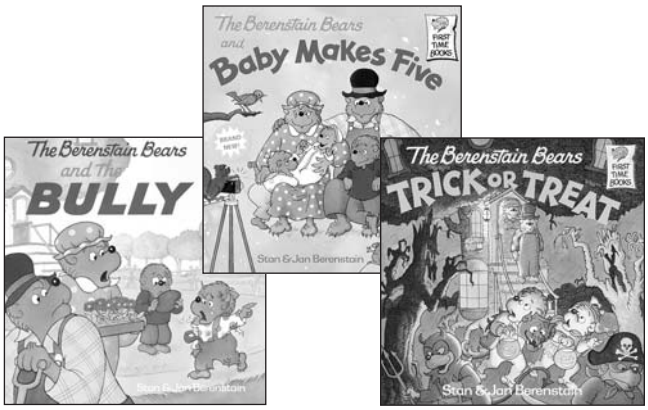
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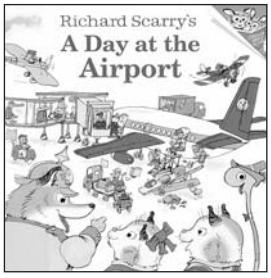
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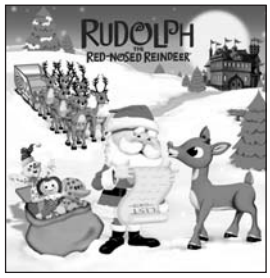
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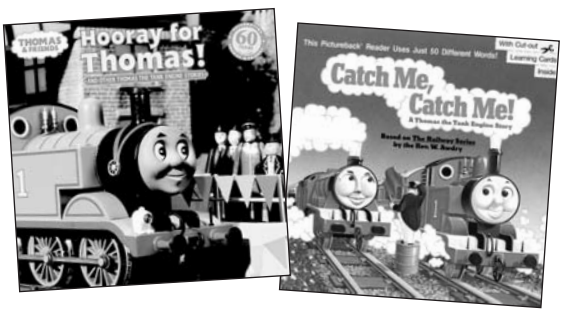
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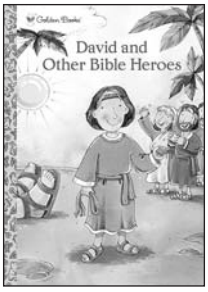


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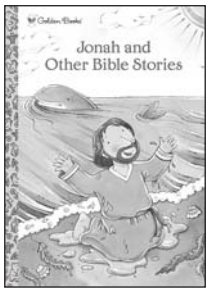
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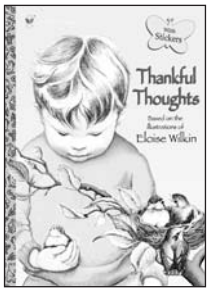


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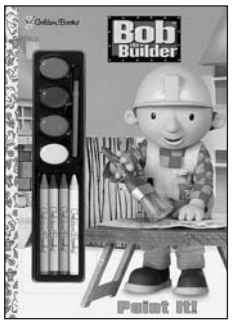
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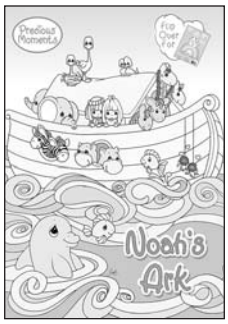
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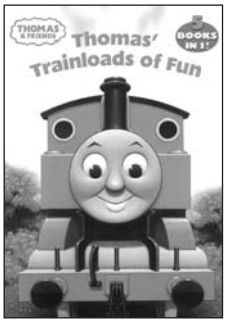
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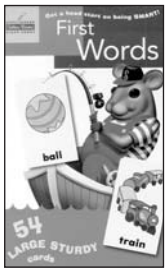
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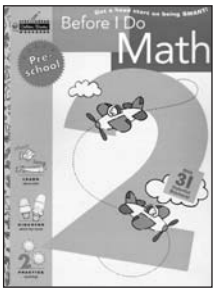


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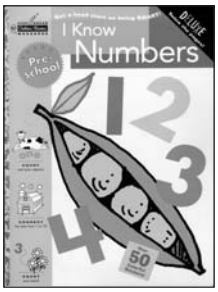
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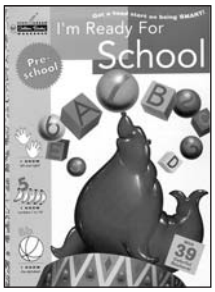
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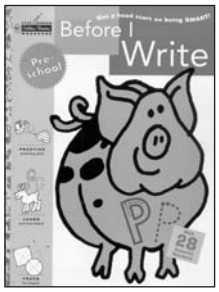
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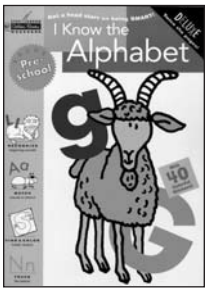
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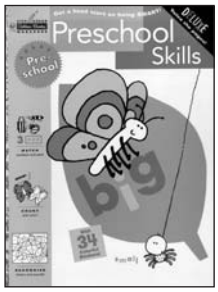
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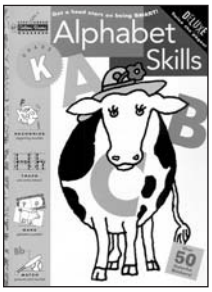


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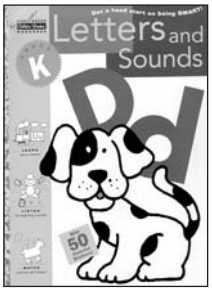


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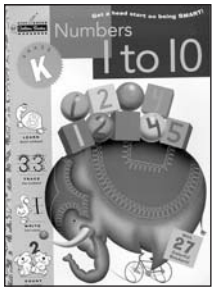
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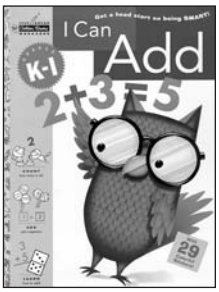
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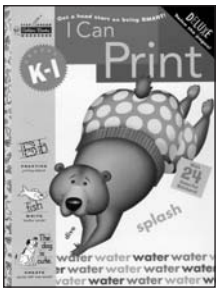
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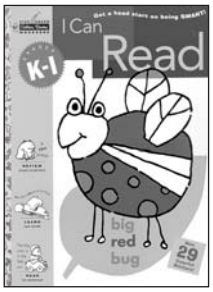


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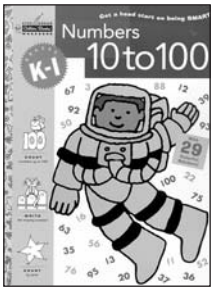


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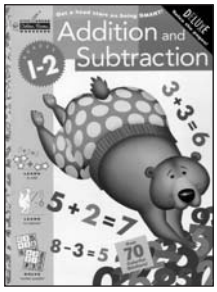
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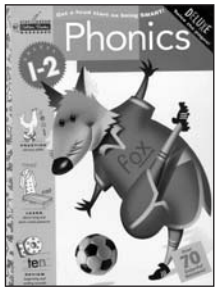


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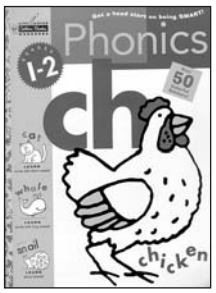


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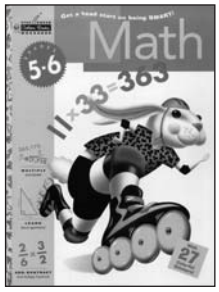
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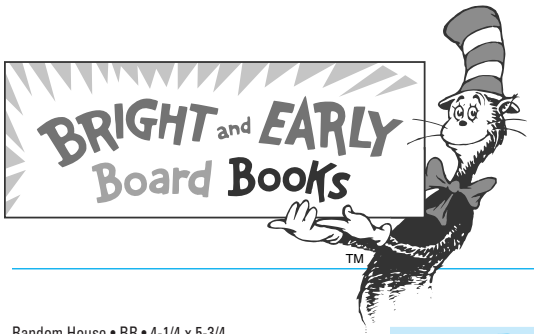
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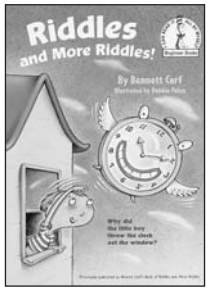
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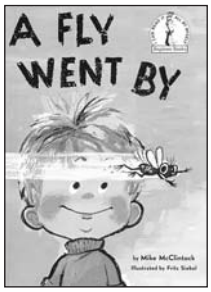
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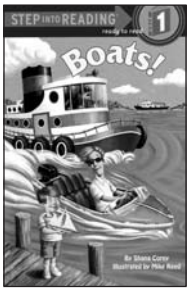
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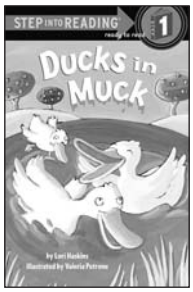
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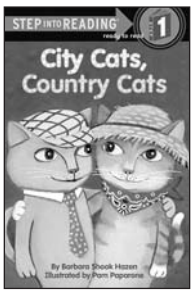
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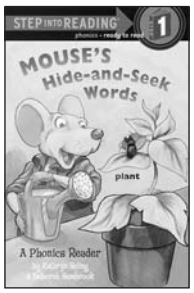
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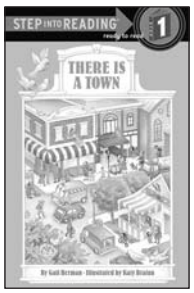


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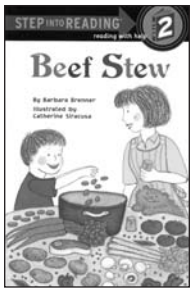
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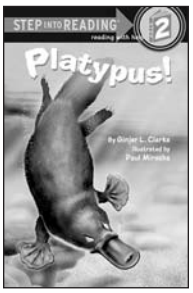
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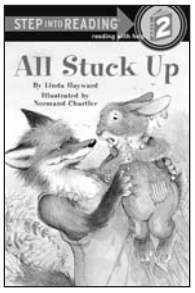
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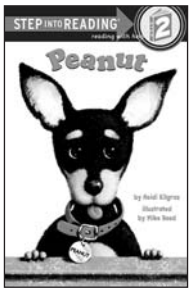
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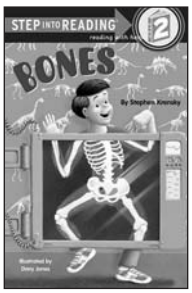
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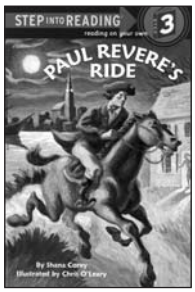
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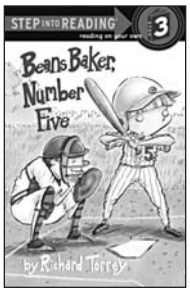
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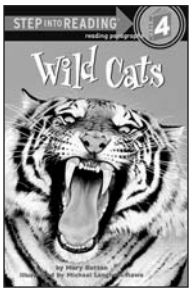
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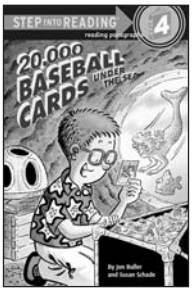
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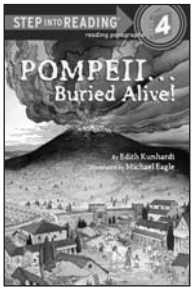


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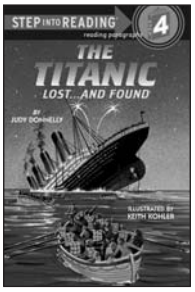
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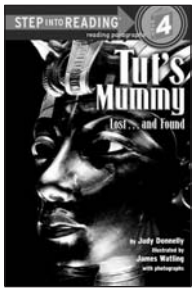


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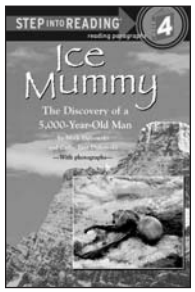


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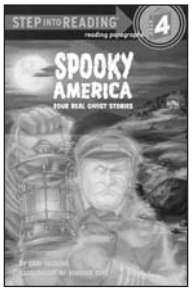
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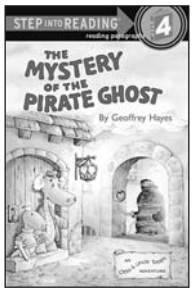
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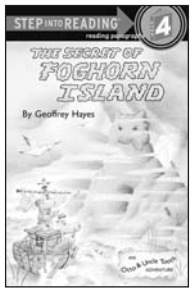
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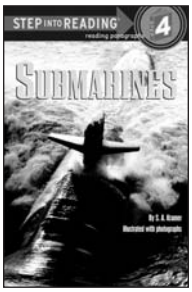
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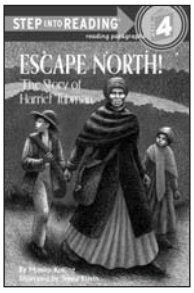
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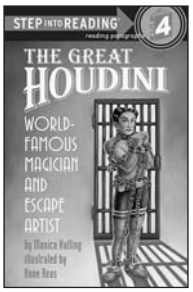
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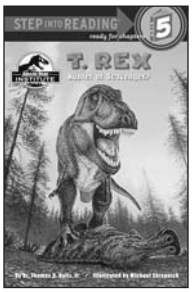
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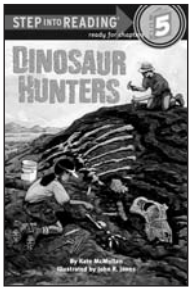
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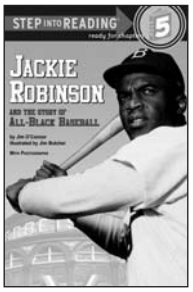
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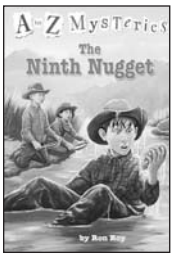
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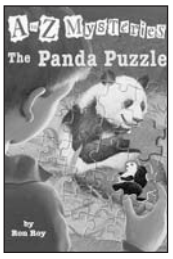
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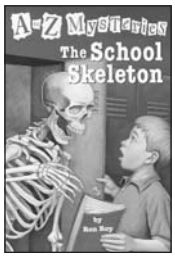


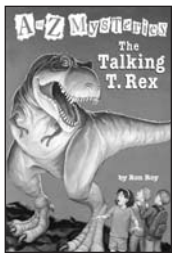


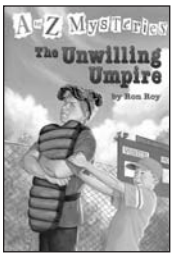




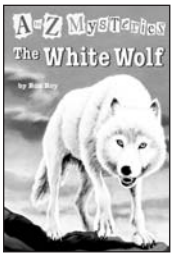




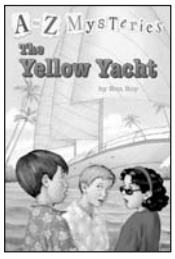


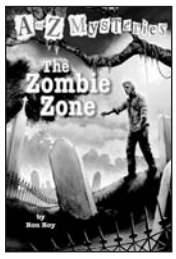














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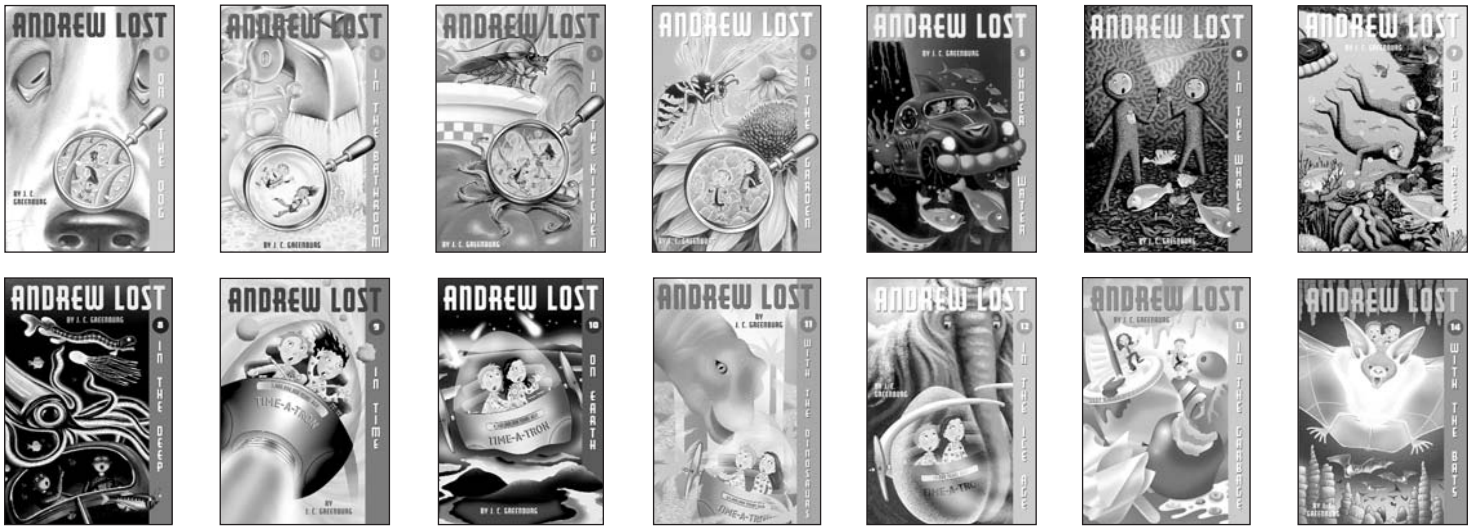
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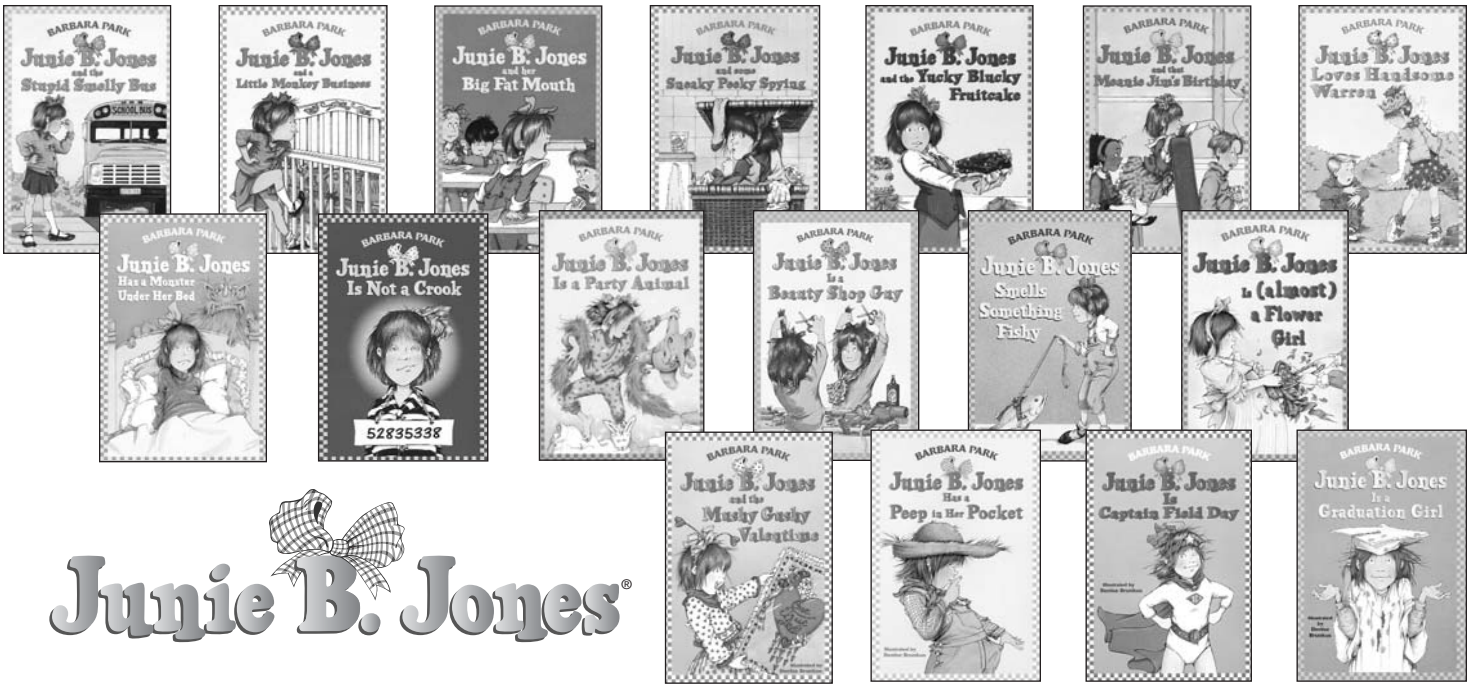
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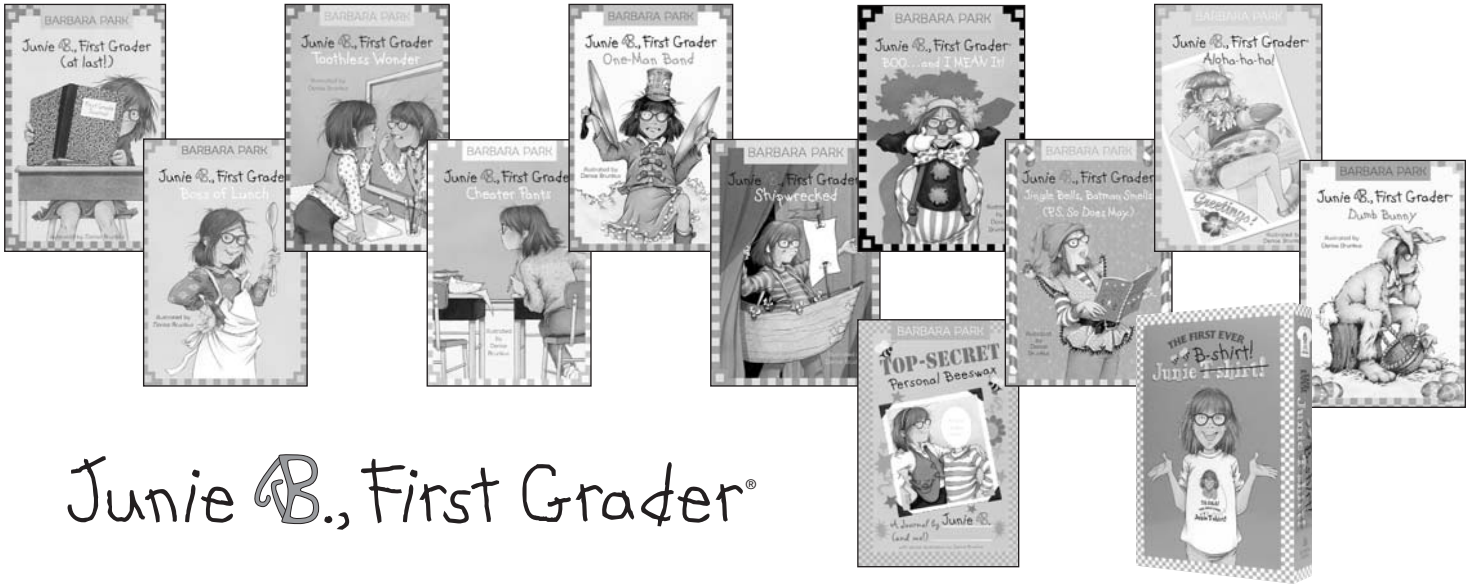
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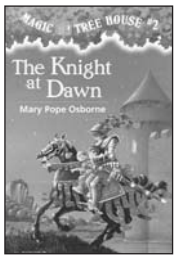
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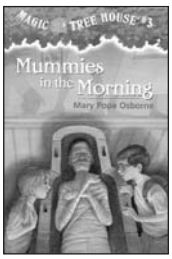
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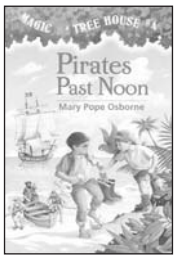
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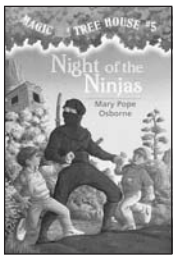
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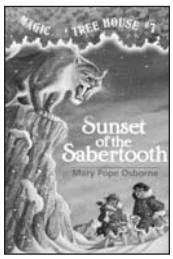


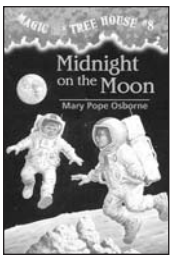


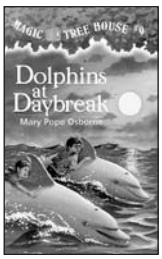


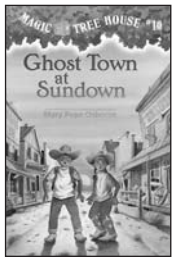


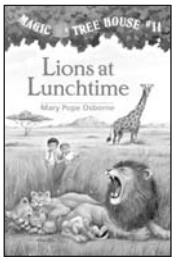


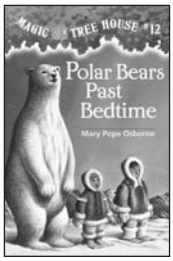




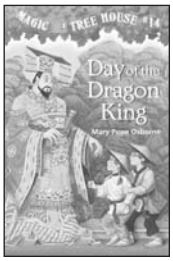












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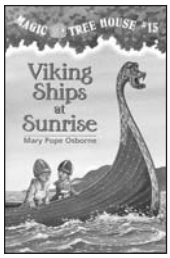
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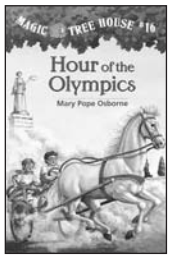
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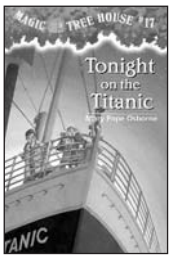
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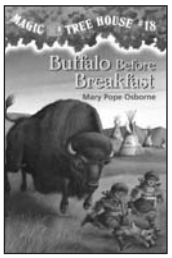


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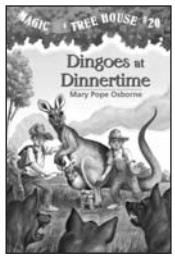




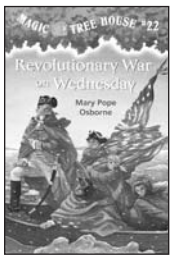




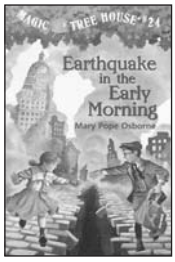


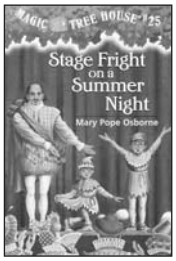


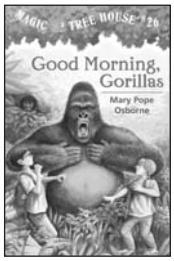


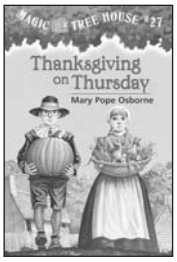


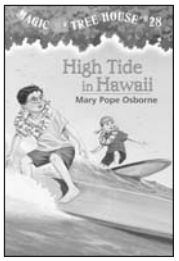












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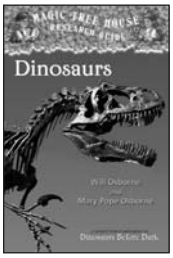
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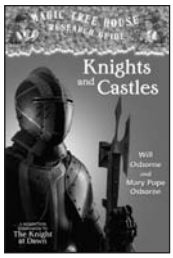
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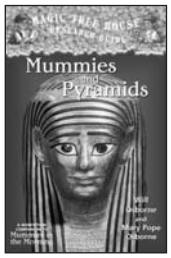
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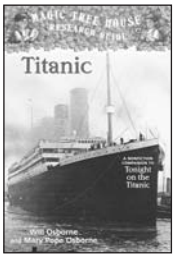


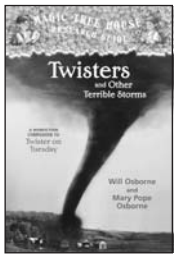












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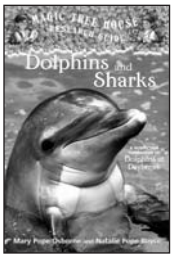
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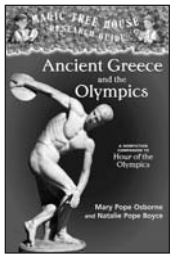
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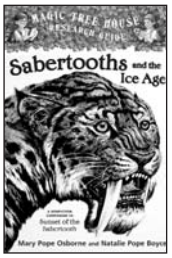


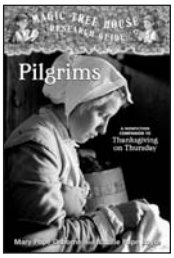
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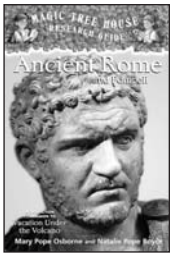


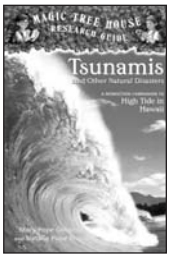












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Growing Up; Friendship; Humor; School; Courage & Honor • No Restrictions

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ILLUSTRATED BY Amy Wummer

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Growing Up; Friendship; Humor; School; Fantasy
No Restrictions

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Judy Delton

PEE WEE SCOUTS



Blue Skies, French Fries

ILLUSTRATED BY Alan Tiegreen

Molly Duff and the rest of Troop 23 are training for a soccer match. And ever since she lost a potato-sack race, Molly has realized something . . . she really doesn't like to lose! Can Molly lead her team to victory?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-40064-6
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Friendship; Humor; Cooperation & Teamwork; Sports
No Restrictions



Camp Ghost-Away

ILLUSTRATED BY Alan Tiegreen

When the Pee Wees go camping, there are many ways to earn a badge. But soon badges are the last thing on Molly's mind. She's never been away from home overnight. And there's something out there in the dark woods. . . .

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-40062-2
$4.99/$5.99 Can. • 80 pp • 48 ctn

Friendship; Humor; Growing Up; Horror & Ghost Stories; Halloween • No Restrictions



Cookies and Crutches

ILLUSTRATED BY Alan Tiegreen

Molly can't wait for the after school meetings of Pee Wee Scout Troop 23, even if it is a bit difficult to get a badge. First she tries her hand at baking. But after her cookies leave people wondering, she hopes she can earn a badge for ice-skating. But that showoff Rachel can skate circles around the rest of the Pee Wees. Will Molly get any badge at all?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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Friendship; Humor; Cooperation & Teamwork; Sports
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Grumpy Pumpkins

ILLUSTRATED BY Alan Tiegreen

Molly Duff loves Halloween. Usually. But this year, the Pee Wee Scouts will have their costume party at a nursing home. The same nursing home where Molly's grumpy grandpa lives! Will Halloween be any fun at all?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Friendship; Humor; Intergenerational; Halloween
No Restrictions

Lucky Dog Days

ILLUSTRATED BY Alan Tiegreen

August is Help-a-Pet Month, so the Pee Wees head for the local pound. In the end, they might just be lucky enough to get a pet of their own.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Friendship; Humor; Animals; Concepts/Seasons
No Restrictions

Peanut-Butter Pilgrims

ILLUSTRATED BY Alan Tiegreen

Thanksgiving is nothing but trouble! Sonny adopts a turkey while the rest of the Pee Wees get ready to be pilgrims and indians in their play.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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Friendship; Humor; Thanksgiving • No Restrictions

Dan Greenburg

WEIRD PLANET

#1: Dude, Where's My Spaceship?

ILLUSTRATED BY Macky Pamintuan

"Klatu crashes the family spaceship on a strange planet (we call it 'Earth'), sees his little sister, Ploo, captured by bumbling soldiers . . . and, 'disguised' in severely dorky human clothes, he careens off to the rescue in a stolen pizza delivery truck. . . . This nonstop knee-slapper features chapter heads like 'Close Encounters of the Worst Kind,' frantic action and cartoon scenes of child-sized aliens."—*Kirkus Reviews*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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K, PW, SLJ
Boy Interest; Humor; Science Fiction; Adventure; Halloween • US, Can., Opn Mkt

#2: Lost in Las Vegas

ILLUSTRATED BY Macky Pamintuan

Ploo, Lek, and Klatu have escaped from Area 51 and hit the road in a stolen station wagon headed for Las Vegas! After all, if Vegas has slot machines, drive-through wedding chapels, and Elvis impersonators, it's sure to have someone who can fix their only slightly beat-up spaceship!

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Boy Interest; Science Fiction; Humor; Adventure; Halloween • US, Can., Opn Mkt

#3: Chilling with the Great Ones

ILLUSTRATED BY Macky Pamintuan

Klatu, Lek, and Ploo head back to Groom Lake to fix their busted spaceship. But the spaceship is gone—it's been taken to Area 51. There's nothing for the aliens to do other than sneak in and search for it. Instead they find something they weren't looking for—the Great Ones! Can our three wacky alien kids rescue them?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • GLB • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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Boy Interest; Science Fiction; Humor; Adventure; Halloween • US, Can., Opn Mkt

#4: Attack of the Evil Elvises

ILLUSTRATED BY Macky Pamintuan

Ploo, Klatu, and Lek return to Las Vegas. There they discover an infestation of Elvis impersonators, in town for a convention. Klatu, Lek, and Ploo are sure the odd-looking humans are up to no good, and it turns out that they're right . . . for once. These are no ordinary Elvises—they're evil aliens from outer space in disguise with nefarious plans to take over Earth!

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Boy Interest; Science Fiction; Humor; Adventure; Halloween • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Dick King-Smith

Smasher

ILLUSTRATED BY Richard Bernal

Smasher the puppy is always getting into trouble and Mrs. Buzzard wants to get rid of him. Can Farmer Buzzard find a way to save him?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Animals; Humor • US & Opn Mkt

Patricia C. AND Fredrick McKissack

MIAMI

Miami Gets It Straight

ILLUSTRATED BY Michael Chesworth

With only five more days of school remaining before summer vacation, nine-year-old Miami still faces several hurdles, such as how to get along with his nemesis Destinee Tate.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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School; Humor; African/African American Int; Black History Month • No Restrictions

Miami Makes the Play

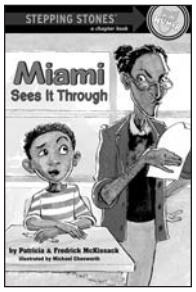
ILLUSTRATED BY Michael Chesworth

"In this follow-up to *Miami Gets It Straight*, school has finally let out, and Miami is off to baseball camp. . . . Humor and authentic dialogue . . . well-paced."—*Booklist*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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BL
Sports; Humor; African/African American Int; Black History Month; Responsibility • No Restrictions



Miami Sees It Through

ILLUSTRATED BY Michael Chesworth

Nobody calls Miami by his full name, Michael Andrew. Nobody except his brand-new teacher, Ms. Amerita Spraggins. Miami can't stand her. Can he stick it out, or is it time for him to be moving on to a brand-new class? "Plenty of kid appeal."
—*The Horn Book Guide*

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H
School; Humor; African/African American Int; Black History Month; Back to School • No Restrictions

Jerry Spinelli

Tooter Pepperday

ILLUSTRATED BY Donna Nelson

Tooter was your average suburban kid, until she moved to Aunt Sally's farm. The pizzeria won't deliver, the vegetables are grown in a pile of compost, and everything smells like goat poop! "A good, sound story for emerging readers."
—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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BL, C, H, SLJ
Humor; Family & Relationships; Self-Discovery; Animals • No Restrictions

Blue Ribbon Blues

ILLUSTRATED BY Donna Nelson

Although farm life is not for her, Tooter decides to show everyone what she's made of by winning the blue ribbon at the County Fair's goat show.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Friendship; Animals; Humor; Family & Relationships; School • No Restrictions

Stephanie Spinner AND Jonathan Etra

Aliens for Breakfast

ILLUSTRATED BY Steve Bjorkman

A little pink alien appears in Richard Bickerstaff's cereal bowl one morning. "Clever plotting, right-on characterization, and a jet-propelled pace give this book . . . high appeal."—*Booklist*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL, C★, IRA, SLJ
Texas Bluebonnet Award Winner
Humor; Science Fiction; Friendship • No Restrictions

Aliens for Lunch

ILLUSTRATED BY Steve Bjorkman

Richard reunites with his alien friend, Aric. "Non-stop action and bumptious repartee."—*The Bulletin*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • GLB • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL, C, K
Humor; Science Fiction; Friendship • No Restrictions

Aliens for Dinner

ILLUSTRATED BY Steve Bjorkman

Richard Bickerstaff and his friend Henry are prisoners on Grax, a hostile planet. Aric, their tiny alien friend, has been taken from them—perhaps forever. And now they're eating lunch in a Graxian jail, face-to-face with a Turinga Death Machine! Can life get any more dangerous?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Humor; Science Fiction; Friendship
US, Can., Opn Mkt

George Edward Stanley

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ILLUSTRATED BY Guy Francis

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Adventure; Mystery & Suspense; Humor
No Restrictions



Swimming with Sharks

ILLUSTRATED BY Guy Francis

Something is sinking the world's ships! Eight-year-old super spy Adam Sharp dives right in to figure out what's going on. But he never expected to see huge robot sharks biting holes in the bottom of the ships. And he certainly never expected to see the words "Made In Bermuda" on the sharks' metal bellies!

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Adventure; Mystery & Suspense; Humor; Boy Interest; Reluctant Readers • No Restrictions

Moose Master

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Adam Sharp goes undercover as a Mountie in Canada's north woods. Ecanem, a mysterious logging company, is hogging Canada's lumber business, so the Mounties call on super-spy Adam Sharp to get to the bottom of things. Will this Mountie get his man—or only get a moose?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Fifty-seven channels, and there's nothing on—literally! When the world's television satellites are blocked by just one station, the Happy Channel, superspy Adam Sharp, travels to the Australian Outback to investigate.

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Mystery & Suspense; Adventure; Humor; Boy Interest; Reluctant Readers • No Restrictions

Snake Camp

ILLUSTRATED BY Jared Lee

Stevie goes to "a snake camp, where kids get to handle snakes and learn all about them. And Stevie is terrified of snakes. . . . The hissing, slimy, scaly stuff is fun. . . . [Kids will] enjoy seeing a boy overcome his worst fear and find a pet."—*Booklist*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL
Humor; Animals • No Restrictions

Kathleen Weidner Zoehfeld



Amazon Fever

ILLUSTRATED BY Paulette Bogan

Jeff's Uncle Roy runs a museum and is always zooming off to strange places. Now Uncle Roy is taking Jeff with him to the steamy Amazon jungle. Maybe they'll track down crocodiles or poisonous snakes or jaguars for Uncle Roy's museum. Wrong! On this trip, Uncle Roy is looking for . . . butterflies. Butterflies?

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • GLB • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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Science & Nature; Animals; Adventure
No Restrictions



Fossil Fever

ILLUSTRATED BY Paulette Bogan

"Six brief chapters relate the adventures of Jeff and his uncle as they travel to the Sahara on a quest for dinosaur fossils. . . . Offers digestible facts and manageable vocabulary. . . . Pages from Jeff's field journal and bright cartoon drawings add to the book's appeal."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

Random House • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL, SLJ
Dinosaurs; Adventure • No Restrictions

STEPPING STONES



Clyde Robert Bulla

White Bird

ILLUSTRATED BY Donald Cook

In 19th-century rural Virginia, a backwoods boy runs away from home and his harsh guardian in search of a precious pet: a white crow. After many adventures, he returns home to take his first steps into adulthood. Originally published in 1967, this story has been revised by the author.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Adventure; Animals; Coming-of-Age
No Restrictions

William H. Hooks

Pioneer Cat

ILLUSTRATED BY Charles Robinson

Nine-year-old Kate Purdy and her family suffer many hardships as they travel west along the Oregon Trail. "The fast-moving plot helps readers along."

—School Library Journal

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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SLJ
Animals; Courage & Honor; Friendship; Hist Fiction/19th Century • No Restrictions

Eric A. Kimmel

A Horn for Louis

ILLUSTRATED BY James Bernardin

This book relates for young readers one of the many versions told by Louis Armstrong about how he got his first horn. "Bernardin's dynamic black-and-white artwork captures the vivacious subject well and includes many period and cultural details. This biographical slice-of-life reveals much about the background of this famed musician."*—School Library Journal*

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BL, K, SLJ
African/African American Int; Jewish Interest; History & Social Studies; Art; Music & Theater; Black History Month • No Restrictions

Claire Rudolf Murphy



Gold Rush Winter

ILLUSTRATED BY Richard Waldrep

"Klondy (named for the Klondike Gold Rush of 1897) and her mother move from South Dakota to Alaska, where Klondy's miner father works at a gold mining camp. While Klondy is modeled on a real girl, the character's loneliness—for playmates, for her workaholic father's attention—feels universal. The book is illustrated with emotion-infused art."

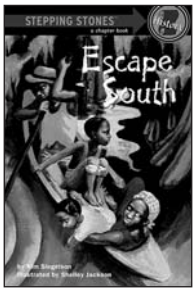
—The Horn Book Guide

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HG, LMC
Family & Relationships; Adventure; Historical Fiction
No Restrictions

Kim Siegelson



Escape South

ILLUSTRATED BY Shelley Jackson

Ben and his family are slaves to Mister Tom until they plan a daring escape in the middle of the night and go south to Florida, to Indian territory. They have a long and dangerous journey ahead. But maybe among the Seminoles, they will find a place of their own—and freedom. "History and drama blend seamlessly in this advanced chapter book."

—The Horn Book Magazine

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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BL, H
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Gloria Skurzynski



The Minstrel in the Tower

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In this gripping medieval page-turner, Roger and his sister Alice are kidnapped and held for ransom in an ancient tower. "Has the virtues of an attractive format and illustrations, [and] a fast plot."

—The Bulletin

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BL, BST, C, K, SLJ
Hist Fiction/Pre 19th Century; Adventure
No Restrictions

Gloria Whelan



Hannah

ILLUSTRATED BY Leslie Bowman

It's 1887, and nine-year-old Hannah is blind and limited to her Michigan farm. When a new teacher comes to town, she convinces Hannah's family to allow her to attend school. "A touching, believable story with strong characterizations and sense of place."*—The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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ILLUSTRATED BY Leslie Bowman

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ILLUSTRATED BY Tony Meers

In this companion to *Next Spring an Oriole* and *Night of the Full Moon*, Libby Mitchell and her family move further north in Michigan next to the Indian camp where Libby's friend Fawn lives. But they soon find out that greedy men are trying to cheat the Indians out of their land. "Lively and entertaining."

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Dragons

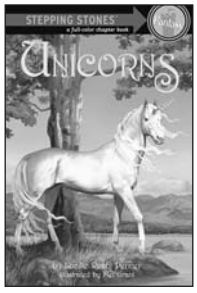
ILLUSTRATED BY Peter Scott

"An informational chapter book about a fantastical topic is a great way to interest fantasy fans in nonfiction. . . . Penner explores various myths surrounding dragons. Beliefs from several cultures and time periods are represented."—*Booklist*

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"Penner explores the mysterious legends of the unicorn from around the world in this beginning chapter book. . . . Will appeal to young horse lovers and unicorn devotees."—*Kirkus Reviews*

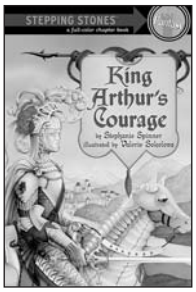
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King Arthur's Courage

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The Magic of Merlin

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Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

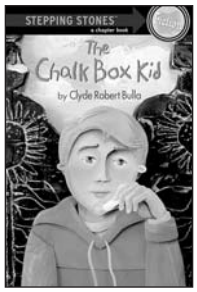
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Fantasy; Myths, Legends & Folklore; Adventure
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Fiction

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The Chalk Box Kid

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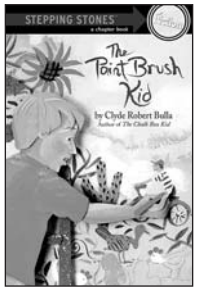
To help him deal with turmoil in his life, Gregory draws a magnificent garden with chalk on the walls of an abandoned building. "A particularly strong selection. Superb."—*School Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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The Paint Brush Kid

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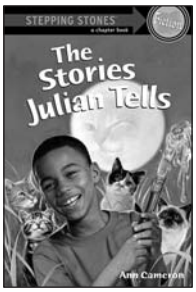
In this companion to *The Chalk Box Kid*, Gregory and his friends help their neighbor, Uncle Pancho, save his house by painting a wonderful mural on its walls. "The conclusion is realistic—satisfying, yet containing some unresolved conflict."
—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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Ann Cameron



The Stories Julian Tells

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Julian is a quick fibber and a wishful thinker. And he is great at telling stories. He can make people—especially his younger brother, Huey—believe just about anything. But some stories can lead to a heap of trouble, and that's exactly where Julian and Huey end up!

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More Stories Julian Tells

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Julian's Glorious Summer

ILLUSTRATED BY Dora Leder

Bicycles—shiny, whizzing, wobbly bicycles—scare Julian more than lions or tigers. But how can he tell that to his best friend, Gloria? She can already ride with no hands. So instead of telling the truth, Julian makes up a little fib. And he almost gets away with it—until his fib backfires and Julian finds himself in the biggest, most confounding fix ever.

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Julian, Secret Agent

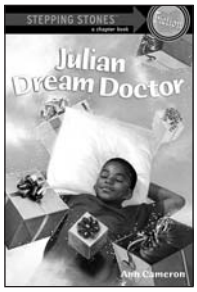
ILLUSTRATED BY Diane W. Allison

Secret agents Julian, Huey, and Gloria are already heroes. They have rescued a dog and saved a toddler from drowning. But what they really want is to nab a real-live bank robber. Just when it looks like they might catch the crook, the police chief steps in. The supersleuths find that they're the ones who are in trouble—with a capital T!

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Julian, Dream Doctor

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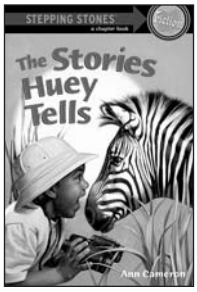
It's Dad's birthday, and Julian wants to get a special present. Something Dad has always dreamed about. But Dad's dream is pretty unusual, not to mention scary. Now that Julian has figured out what his dad wants, will he, Huey, and Gloria be brave enough to get it?

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The Stories Huey Tells

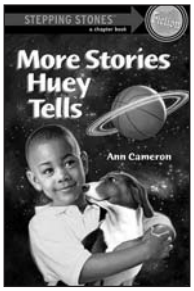
ILLUSTRATED BY Roberta Smith

It isn't easy being Julian's younger brother. When Huey has bad dreams, Julian says his are scarier. When Huey wants to study animal tracks, Julian says he's too young. But Huey isn't a baby. He's an adventurer, a chef, a tracker, and a scout. And he's about to show Julian—and the world—all that he can do.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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More Stories Huey Tells

ILLUSTRATED BY Lis Toft

Huey is good at solving problems. When Huey gets scared about their father's smoking, he and Julian work together to help him quit. But some problems are bigger than Huey or Julian. After a hunt for gold leaves Huey trapped at the bottom of a crumbling mine, he'll need more than cleverness and bravery—and more than Julian—to save him.

Ages 6–9 • Grades 1–4

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Gloria Rising

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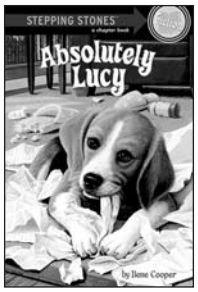
Gloria meets Dr. Grace Street, an astronaut. Dr. Street tells Gloria to have confidence in herself and that the big things aren't always as big as they seem. But right now her problem seems gigantic. Gloria can't do anything to please her teacher, Mrs. Yardley. When Gloria writes a report about meeting Dr. Street, Mrs. Yardley doesn't believe her. How can she prove it?

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African/African American Int; Girl Interest
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Absolutely Lucy

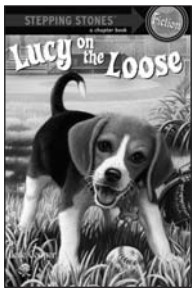
ILLUSTRATED BY Amanda Harvey

For his birthday, Bobby receives a puppy named Lucy who helps him makes friends as well as becomes his best friend. "Bobby's fears of new people and situations are skillfully captured, and the story is entertaining and well plotted. . . . [A] welcome addition."—*School Library Journal*

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Lucy on the Loose

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When Bobby Quinn got a beagle puppy for his eighth birthday, his whole life changed. But now Lucy's taken off after a fat orange cat, and no one in the neighborhood has seen her anywhere. What will Bobby do if his best friend is gone for good?

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The Annoying Team

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Gloria Whelan

STARVATION LAKE



A Haunted House in Starvation Lake

ILLUSTRATED BY
Lynne Woodcock Cravath

Fourth-grader Dawn repairs an old house, hoping that her family will find the money to be able to move in. "Whelan's sympathetic characters have distinct personalities, and Cravath's expressive full-page black-and-white illustrations add an occasional light touch."

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Silver

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Nine-year-old Rachel dreams of owning and racing a sled dog one day. When her father gives her Silver, the runt of the litter, Rachel sets out to prove he's a champion. "Effectively planned appeal for transitional readers."—*The Bulletin*

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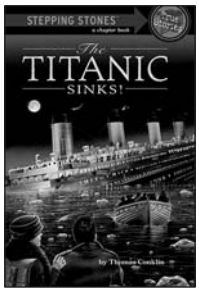
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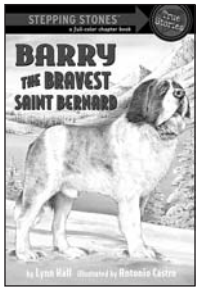
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Barry: The Bravest Saint Bernard

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Ice Wreck

ILLUSTRATED BY David LaFleur

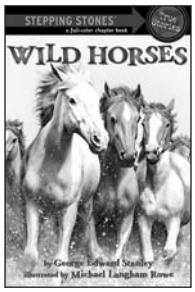
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George Edward Stanley



Wild Horses

ILLUSTRATED BY Michael Langham Rowe

Long ago, all horses were wild. In time, people taught them to wear a saddle and a bit. But some horses were not tamed. And today, all over the world, wild horses still run free.

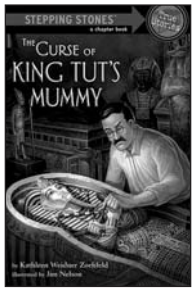
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Kathleen Weidner Zoehfeld



The Curse of King Tut's Mummy

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When the pharaohs of Egypt died, they were mummified and buried in pyramids and tombs with all their riches. But as centuries passed, the tombs were looted and the pharaohs' gold stolen. Then Howard Carter found the greatest Egyptian treasure trove of all—the tomb of King Tut's mummy! But did the amazing treasure come with a deadly curse?

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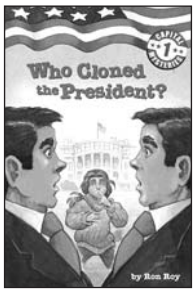
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The president is planning a celebration in honor of the man who sculpted the famous statue of Lincoln. But KC and Marshall notice one small problem—the left thumb has broken off the statue! Has someone stolen Lincoln's thumb and can KC and Marshall find it in time?

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KC and her friend Marshall are watching the Fourth of July fireworks with the President of the United States when they see smoke and sparks in the distance. It's more fireworks, but they are not part of the holiday plan. They're coming from the FBI Building! Is it just a prank? Or are these fireworks masking a bigger mystery . . . and a capital crime?

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The Secret Garden

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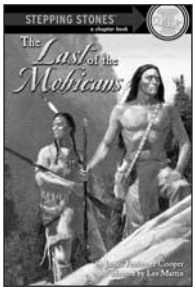
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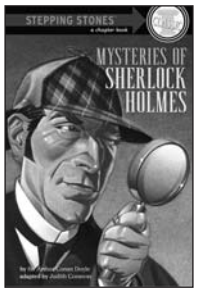
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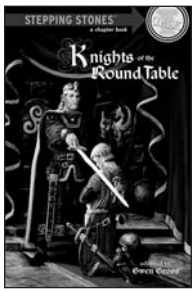
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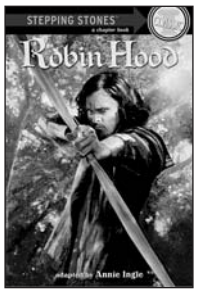
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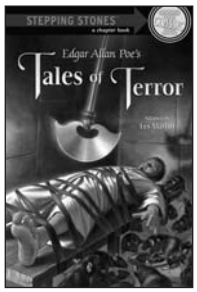
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Anna Sewell



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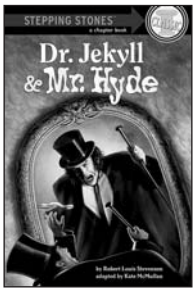
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Mary Shelley



Frankenstein

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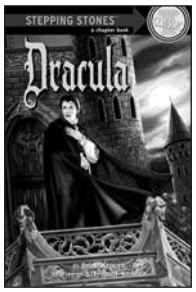
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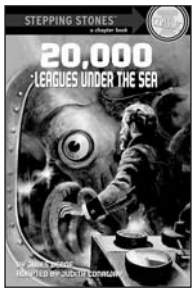
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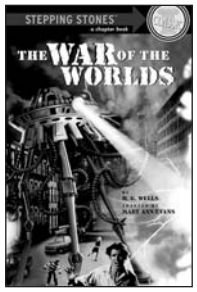
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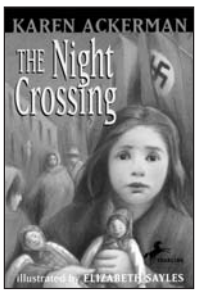
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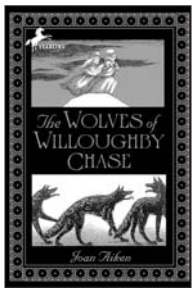
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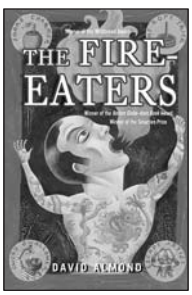
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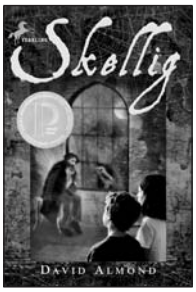
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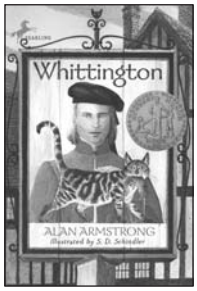
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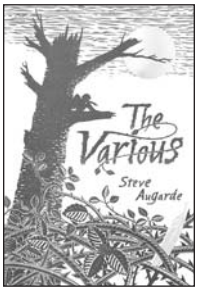
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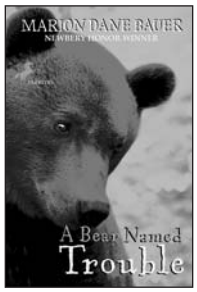
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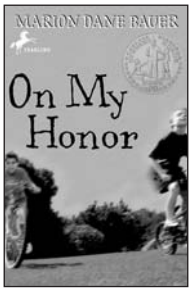
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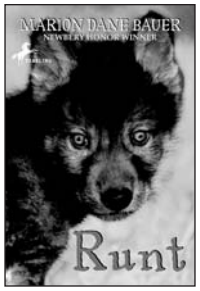
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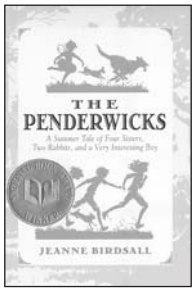
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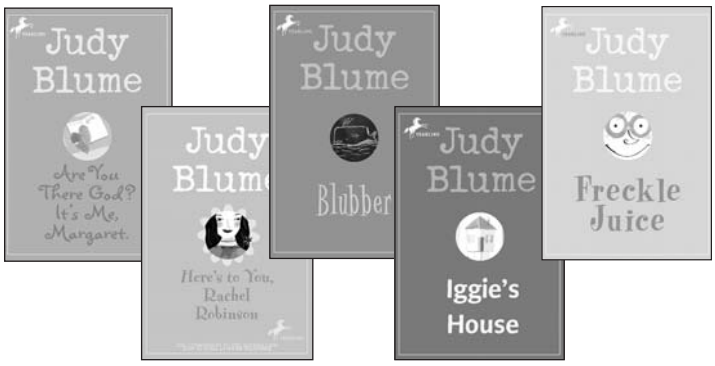
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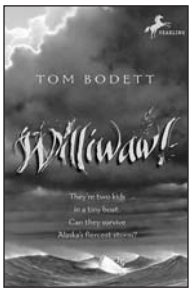
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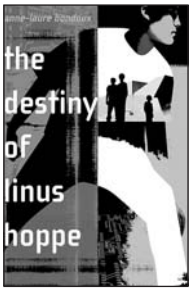
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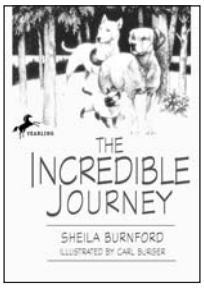
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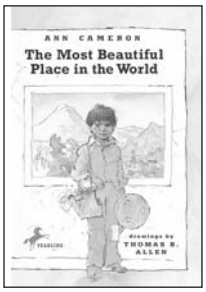
The Blossom family has an especially eventful weekend during which Junior Blossom loses the school hamster and Pap's dog Mud is put on trial for the hamster's murder! "Byars captures the conflict and tension of courtroom drama, the ups and downs of personal relationships, and the rewards of lasting friendships."
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TRIXIE BELDEN

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When Trixie and Honey explore an abandoned gatehouse, they discover more than dust and spider webs. Stuck in the dirt floor is a huge diamond! Could a ring of jewel thieves be hiding out in Sleepyside?

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Diana Lynch needs the help of America's favorite girl detective. The Lynch family has become very wealthy and a long-lost relative has surfaced who is ruining Diana's social life. Will Trixie be able to prove that Uncle Monty is an imposter and help her friend?

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The Mystery off Glen Road

Julie Campbell

When their clubhouse is crushed by a fallen tree after a storm, Trixie and the Bob-Whites begin working at the game preserve to raise money for repairs. America's favorite girl detective and her best friend Honey stumble across a dangerous poacher while patrolling.

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Mystery in Arizona

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Trixie, Honey, and the rest of the Bob-Whites have been invited to spend their vacation at an Arizona dude ranch. In addition to horseback riding, festivals, and swimming, the intrepid sleuths will try to solve the mysteries of disappearing staff members, phony cowboys, and puzzling nighttime cries.

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The Mysterious Code

Kathryn Kenny

When Principal Stratton decides to get rid of all clubs at Sleepyside High School—even the Bob-Whites!—Trixie Belden comes up with the idea to host a benefit antiques show to prove their worth. Will Trixie be able to protect the antiques from thieves by using secret code in the pages of an old magazine?

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The Black Jacket Mystery

Kathryn Kenny

There's a new kid in town—a tough boy from New York City who wears a black leather jacket and pointy cowboy boots. Trixie doesn't trust him for a second. She's sure about one thing: Dan Mangan is trouble!

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The Happy Valley Mystery

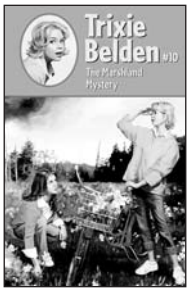
Kathryn Kenny

Uncle Andrew needs Trixie's help. Trixie and the Bob-Whites are spending spring break at his farm in Iowa, and his sheep keep disappearing. He thinks they're being stolen! Trixie may not know sheep, but she does know thieves. And she has an idea where to start looking for them—near the mysterious flickering lights in dark, dangerous Walnut Woods!

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The Marshland Mystery

Kathryn Kenny

Trixie Belden, and her best friend Honey want to go to Martin's Marsh to look for herbs for botany class and hunt for the lost treasure of Captain Kidd, but they have to entertain a child visiting Honey's family. Will they be able to find the treasure with a kid tagging along? "Parents, be warned: Nostalgic feelings may draw you in, causing a tussle over who's going to read first."—*The Dallas Morning News*

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The Mystery at Bob-White Cave

Kathryn Kenny

Trixie and her intrepid gang of friends are vacationing in the Ozark Mountains and a national magazine is offering an award for a rare species of fish suspected to live in the local caves. Will Trixie and the Bob-Whites survive bats, wild cats, and even a ghost in order to find the sought-after fish?

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A Mexican fortune-teller predicts thieves and danger ahead for Trixie Belden and the Bob-Whites, and slips a strange Spanish poem into Trixie's pocket. Can Trixie solve this mystery in time?

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The Mystery on Cobbett's Island

Kathryn Kenny

America's favorite girl detective finds a mysterious letter when she and the Bob-Whites arrive to Cobbett's Island for vacation. Can Trixie unravel the clues hidden in the letter? Will it lead her to the treasure that was hidden on the island years ago?

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The Mystery of the Emeralds

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Trixie follows the clues of a century-old mystery. She's headed to Williamsburg, Virginia, to the ruins of an old plantation house, where she hopes to find a cursed emerald necklace rumored to be buried in a secret passageway.

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The Mystery on the Mississippi

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It's anchors away for Trixie as she travels down the Mississippi River. Someone is shadowing her every move, trying to steal the mysterious graph papers Trixie found in a trash can in her hotel room in Memphis. Why are the papers so important? Could there be more to the childish drawings than meets the eye?

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A. E. Cannon

Charlotte's Rose

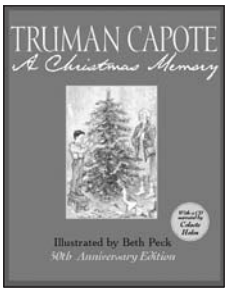
Twelve-year-old Charlotte cares for a motherless baby on the journey from Wales to the Mormon promise land in Utah. Although Charlotte's story is unique, it reflects the struggles faced by all pioneers in the 1800s. "Pinpoint historical details never overwhelm the force of the story, emotions ring true throughout, and the large cast of characters comes vividly to life, none more than Charlotte, strong and lovely."—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

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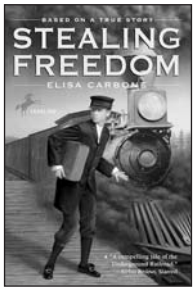
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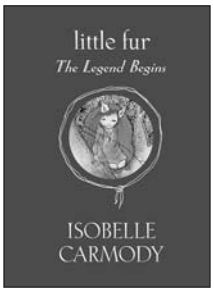
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Winter Door

Rage's mother still hasn't fully recovered from her car accident despite Rage's successful quest for healing magic. Her uncle is having second thoughts about looking after her. The school bully, Logan, is increasingly malicious. Her only friend, Billy Thunder, is just a dog again. And there's something wild lurking in the woods around the farm. Do Rage's dreams hint at a sinister threat to two worlds? "The author's skillfully designed worlds, expressive prose, and theme of hope in the face of danger will appeal to fantasy fans."—*School Library Journal*

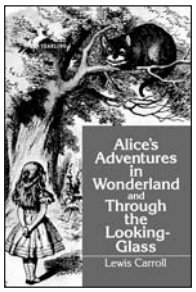
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Betrayal

Lady Grace Cavendish, Queen Elizabeth I's favorite maid of honor, goes undercover as a male stowaway in order to save one of her fellow maids. Was the maid kidnapped, or did she elope with the ship's captain? This Lady Grace mystery is "great fun and . . . does a magnificent job of weaving in details of life in Elizabethan England."
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Conspiracy

Lady Grace Cavendish continues to document the treachery that swirls about her as the royal court of Queen Elizabeth I takes a summer trip. The 13-year-old favorite maid of honor to the Queen suspects a conspiracy when the Queen narrowly escapes a number of accidents. Will Lady Grace be able to find out who is plotting against the Queen in time?

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Feud

A famous painter arrives to paint the Queen's portrait. The Maids of Honor help entertain the Queen during the sittings and pose for the painter while the Queen is busy. They have to beware, as deadly poisons are used in some of the paints! One of Lady Grace's fellow Maids of Honor, Carmina, begins to act strangely. Her family was involved in a feud with another after her father was killed in a jousting tournament—is Carmina being poisoned?

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Prizefighter en Mi Casa

Twelve-year-old Chula Sanchez isn't thin, beautiful, and because she's Mexican, isn't popular in her south Texas town. And now that an accident has left her father paralyzed and her plagued with seizures, she is poor. Chula's father sends for El Jefe, the most revered prizefighter in Mexico. He hopes that El Jefe will win the local illegal boxing matches and bring in money. But El Jefe only brings confusion. "Searching for strength and courage in others, Chula finds them in herself."
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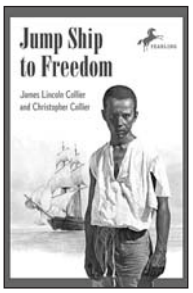
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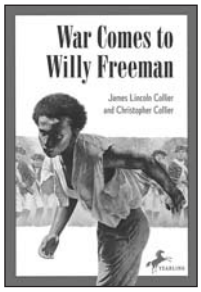
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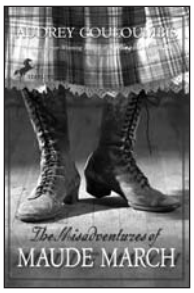
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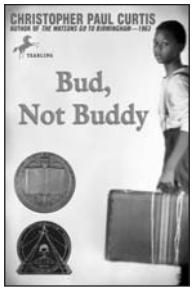
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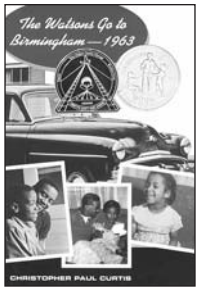
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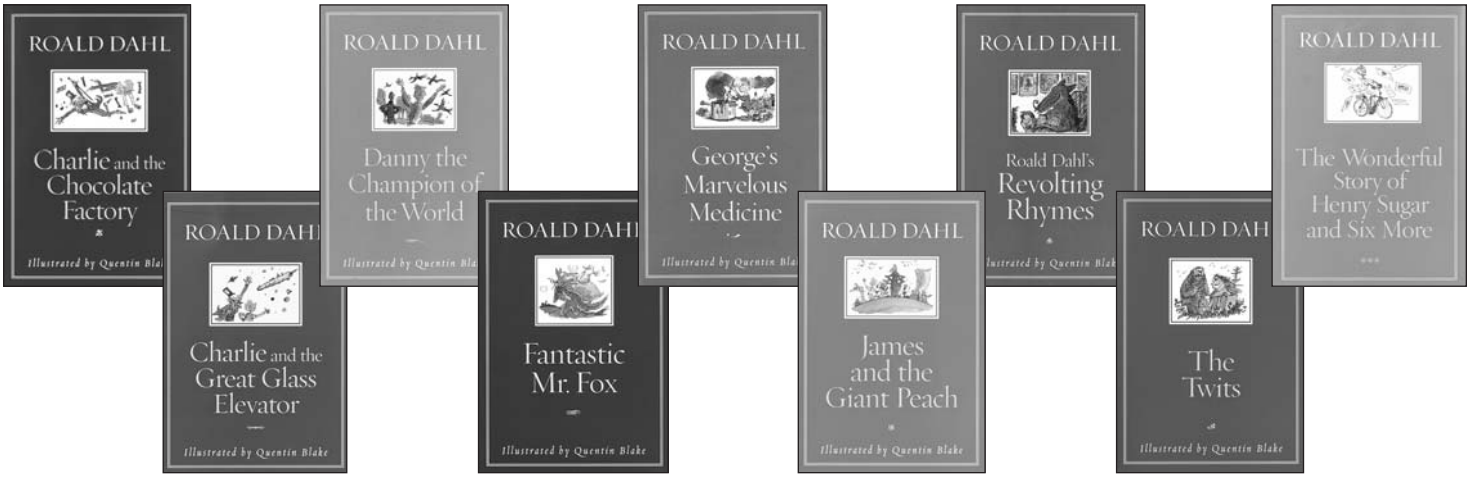
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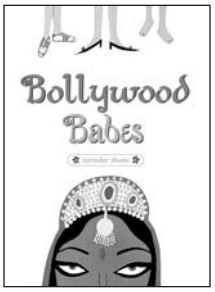
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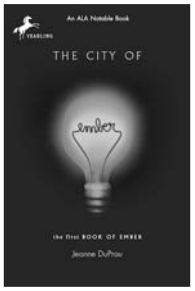
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The Prophet of Yonwood

In this prequel to *The City of Ember*, 11-year-old Nickie travels to Yonwood, North Carolina, with her aunt and witnesses the townspeople's reactions to an apocalyptic vision from a prophet. "DuPrau sets [the story] against an escalating world crisis that she expertly uses to explore issues such as the use of fear to control a population and how fear can make simple eccentricities seem sinister."—*VOYA*

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William Durbin



Blackwater Ben

Thirteen-year-old Ben works at Blackwater Logging camp, as cook's helper to his pa. Long days of flipping pancakes and peeling potatoes with his ornery pa make Ben long to be out in the woods with the lumberjacks. Felling logs, sawing trees, driving a team through the snowy woods, that's what Ben wants to be doing. But the long cold winter in a camp filled with outlandish characters teaches Ben a lot about himself. Especially when an orphan boy called Nevers arrives in camp. When Nevers signs on to work with Pa, Ben makes a friend but a rival, too.

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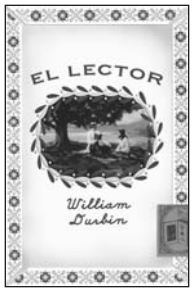
The Broken Blade

In 1800, 13-year-old Pierre La Page never imagined he'd be leaving Montreal to paddle 2,400 miles—but his father's accident has forced him to work for a living. "Action-packed river scenes dominate the novel. This look at the early 19th-century Canadian fur trade should appeal to reluctant readers as well as adventure buffs."—*The Bulletin*

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Hist Fiction/19th Century; Adventure; Family & Relationships; Survival • No Restrictions



El Lector

"Bella Lorente, 13, dreams of becoming el lector like her grandfather, reading literature and poetry to the Spanish-speaking cigar-factory workers of Ybor City, Florida. However, the Depression, the conflict between workers and owners, and racial tensions alter her plans when her Aunt Lola is arrested for participating in a union meeting . . . Durbin succeeds admirably in creating an accessible world rich in detail."—*School Library Journal*

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Song of Sampo Lake

Fifteen-year-old Matti and his family overcome numerous obstacles as they develop their homestead in rural Minnesota in 1900. The story is crafted with "depth and color as Durbin . . . entwines coming-of-age themes with immigrant/settler experiences. The author illuminates the intersection of Finnish and Midwest frontier cultures . . . weaving in historical detail and a memorable supporting cast."

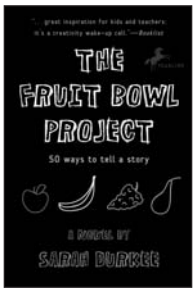
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

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Hist Fiction/20th Century; Family & Relationships; Making Choices; Responsibility; Immigrant Experience • No Restrictions

Sarah Durkee



The Fruit Bowl Project

A famous rock star visits an eighth-grade classroom, sets them up with parameters for a writing project, and then lets them write in the style of their choosing. The results range from a limerick and a haiku to a police report, a horror story, and a screenplay. "Durkee's first novel wonderfully captures the voices and the attitudes of eighth graders."—*VOYA*

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

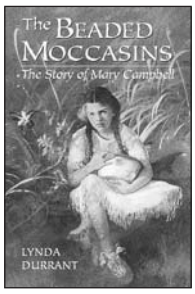
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School; Writing; Emotions & Feelings; Making Choices; Communication • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Lynda Durrant



Beaded Moccasins

This is the true story of Mary Campbell, who must forget her old life and family and adapt to a new one when she is kidnapped by the Delaware Indians in 1759 at age 12. Includes a bibliography, glossary, and afterword. "Entertaining, insightful, and compassionate."

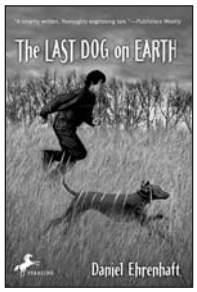
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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Hist Fiction/Pre-19th Century; Native American Interest; Family & Relationships • No Restrictions

Daniel Ehrenhaft



The Last Dog on Earth

Logan hates everyone: the father who abandoned him, the stepfather who wants to control him, the kids at school. Everyone except Jack, a mangy mutt that nobody wants. But a mysterious disease is sweeping the country, turning dogs into vicious, raging predators. And now Logan and Jack are on the run. "A smartly written, thoroughly engrossing tale."

—*Publishers Weekly*

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KYA, LMC★, PW, SLJ, V
Texas Lone Star Reading List
Survival; Adventure • No Restrictions

Elizabeth Enright



Thimble Summer

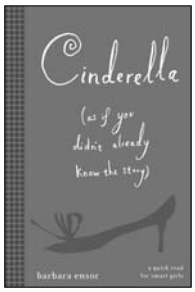
When nine-year-old Garnet Linden finds a silver thimble near her Wisconsin home, she is sure that it is magic because wonderful things happen to her all summer long. "This story of a Wisconsin farm sings with the happiness and contentment of a small girl whose roots are sinking deep into the soil of a loved place."—*Library Journal*, Starred

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Barbara Ensor



Cinderella (As If You Didn't Already Know the Story)

"A fun modern spin on Cinderella, told by a sassy narrator, that delivers an insider's scoop on this familiar tale. The witty text pairs effectively with numerous black-and-white paper-over-board illustrations, which are laid out in a way that divides into manageable chunks, making this tale suitable for reluctant readers ready for a more mature, spunky and updated Cinderella."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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K, NYT, PW, SLJ
Fairy Tales & Fables; Girl Interest • No Restrictions

Douglas Evans



The Elevator Family

When their hotel has no vacancies, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and their 10-year-old twins check in to the hotel elevator instead! "Just the sort of realistic fantasy that will appeal to beginning readers."
—*Booklist*

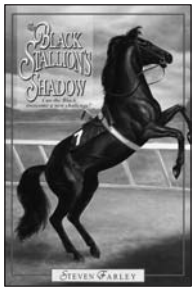
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Family & Relationships; Humor; Fantasy
No Restrictions

Steven Farley

BLACK STALLION



The Black Stallion's Shadow

The Black has just won the America's Cup! But the fruits of victory quickly sour when the Black's challenger, suffers a fatal fall. Now the Black himself is hobbled by a fear of shadows, a problem that could end his brilliant racing career. Will the Black become the next victim if he is not cured of his fright?

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

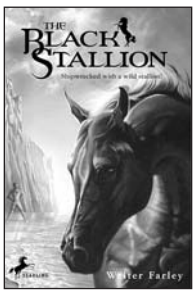
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Animals; Adopted & Orphaned Children; Self-Discovery; Survival • No Restrictions

Walter Farley

BLACK STALLION

Walter Farley's classic series tells the tale of a boy named Alec Ramsay and a wild horse named the Black. Readers can follow the pair from their first meeting on a ship, to their separation, to when they find each other once again. This beloved series is sure to hold the rapt attention of readers new and old.



The Black Stallion

First written in 1941, this bestselling novel tells of the initial meeting of young Alec Ramsay and a wild black stallion, their adventures on a desert island, and their eventual rescue. "*The Black Stallion* is about the most famous fictional horse of the century."—*The New York Times*

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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Pacific Northwest Young Readers Choice Award
Animals; Classics; Self-Discovery; Survival; Adventure • US, Can., Opn Mkt

The Black Stallion Returns

In this heart-stopping adventure, the Black Stallion's rightful owner reclaims him and takes him away. Eighteen-year-old Alec is determined to find his horse again and travels across the deserts of Arabia, encountering danger and intrigue.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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Son of the Black Stallion

When Alec receives the Black Stallion's first son as a gift, he believes his dreams have come true, but Satan has the savage instincts of a wild desert horse and is afraid of neither man nor beast. Still, Alec is resolved to gain the fiery colt's trust, even if he must risk his life to do it.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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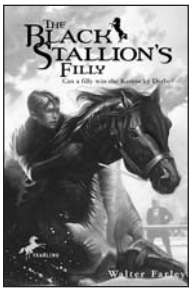
The Black Stallion and Satan

Satan has won the Triple Crown, yet Alec still misses the Black, who's living in Arabia with Sheikh Abu Ishak. Unexpectedly, Alec receives word that the sheikh has died and has left the Black to Alec. A race between the Black and Satan is inevitable, but unexpected events put the horses in the path of a raging forest fire. Suddenly, they are racing for their lives.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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The Black Stallion's Filly

Although most people do not believe that she'll ever be a racehorse, Alec Ramsay has confidence in Black Minx, the Black Stallion's first filly. Alec buys the horse and begins to train her for the Kentucky Derby. This exciting racing story shows the horse's journey from training all the way to Churchill Downs.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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The Black Stallion Revolts

When the Black Stallion revolts and attacks another horse, young Alec realizes that the once-wild equine needs more space. As the two head out west, a plane crash leaves Alec with amnesia and the horse struggling to survive on his own.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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The Island Stallion

Steve Duncan travels to a desolate Caribbean island to join a friend on an archaeological search. On the island they discover a hidden valley and a wild and unapproachable flame-colored stallion. When the horse becomes stuck in quicksand, will Steve be able to get close enough to save him?

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The Island Stallion's Fury

Steve Duncan and his friend Pitch are the only ones who know about the beautiful purebred horses that live in the hidden valley on remote Azul Island. When Pitch's brother finds out about the secret, he will stop at nothing to find the lost paradise, even if he destroys it in the process.

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The Black Stallion's Courage

Alec Ramsay can only watch as Hopeful Farm goes up in flames. With no insurance money to rebuild and two new horses threatening to replace the Black in the hearts of fans, Alec must saddle up to prove that the Black is still the greatest racehorse. "Everyone loves a champion. . . . When his story is told by a champion writer of horse stories, every reader is a winner."—*The New York Times*

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The Island Stallion Races

Jockey Steve Duncan would like nothing better than to race his wild, untrained stallion Flame. Two strangers show up to give him the opportunity of his dreams, but he soon realizes that a professional racetrack is no place for an unbroken stallion.

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The Black Stallion Mystery

Someone has set a dangerous trap for young Alec Ramsay and his wild black stallion. . . .

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The Horse-Tamer

While waiting for a delayed airplane, Henry Dailey, the Black's trainer, tells young Alec Ramsay a story of his own youth, traveling with his brother, Bill. Bill's talent as a horse-whisperer was unmatched and young Henry tells of a con-man who mistreats horses into behaving. Bill is determined to show that the man is a fraud, but can he unmask the con without getting hurt?

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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The Black Stallion and Flame

On the way to a race, Alec Ramsay and the Black's plane crashes on a hidden Caribbean island—the home of the giant red stallion Flame. The two wild horses cannot exist on the same island, but before they have a chance to battle one another, the entire herd is threatened by a new danger and the stallions must work together to defeat their mutual foe.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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Animals; Classics; Survival; Adventure
No Restrictions

The Black Stallion Challenged!

Alec Ramsay and the Black Stallion are training in Florida when a new challenger emerges—Flame, the island stallion that can run like the wind. What neither of the stallions' jockeys know is that the horses have met before.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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The Black Stallion's Ghost

While riding through the fog-shrouded Everglades, Alec and the Black come upon a mysterious man on a striking gray mare. Invited to the stranger's home, Alec is uneasy . . . a feeling that grows as he realizes that his host is on the brink of insanity. Suddenly, Alec and the Black are being pursued by a deadly demon through dangerous swamps!

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The Black Stallion and the Girl

Hopeful Farm's success leads Alec Ramsay to hire help. But he has a hard time persuading his partners to retain Pam Athena and an even harder time convincing them to let her race the Black Stallion when Alec is suspended as a jockey.

Ages 10–13 • Grades 5–8

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The Black Stallion Legend

Alec Ramsey leaves Hopeful Farm grief-stricken over Pam's sudden death. He and the Black wander through the desert and hear an ancient Native American prophecy about the local tribe being saved from disaster by a rider on a black horse. When disaster does strike, Alec has the fate of the entire tribe in his hands.

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The Young Black Stallion

"Almost 50 years after the publication of *The Black Stallion*, Farley and his son explain the events leading up to 'Shetan's' boarding the ill-fated steamer. . . . Cinematic . . . readers will enjoy the story's twists and exciting scenes."
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The Black Stallion's Blood Bay Colt

The blood bay colt has his mother's champion bloodlines and his father's fiery spirit. Now a young boy is entrusted to train and drive the horse that is the great hope of an aging reinsman.

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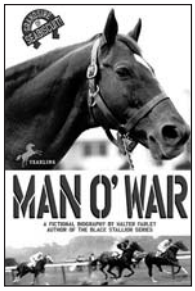
The Black Stallion's Sulky Colt

An accident during a routine practice race leaves the Black Stallion's colt Bonfire unharmed but spooked and refusing to race. Young Alec Ramsay refuses to give up hope; he is confident that Bonfire will eventually follow in his sire's footsteps.

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Man O' War

"An exciting, moving piece of fiction based on the facts about one of the greatest horses of all time. The feeling for horses, horse breeding and training, and horse racing is masterfully handled. Thrilling, highly recommended."
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Natalie Fast



The Secret Apartment

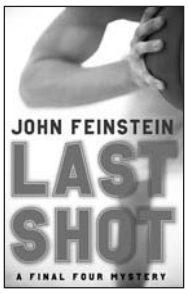
After her mother remarries, Jillian finds herself transplanted to New York City and apartment living, all of which she hates. But she gets a break when she is asked to cat-sit in an upstairs apartment that offers a great view of the neighbors. A little spying is fun—until Jillian sees something that strangely, mysteriously, just doesn't look right. "Humorous . . . the book has a great premise."—*School Library Journal*

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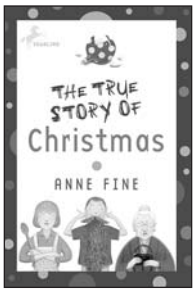
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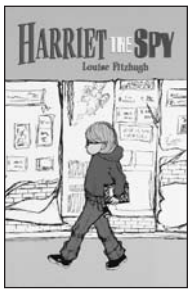
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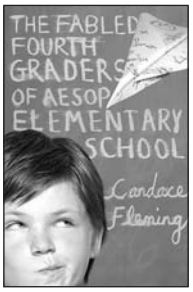
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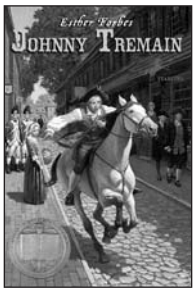
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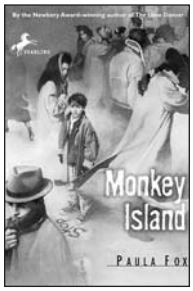
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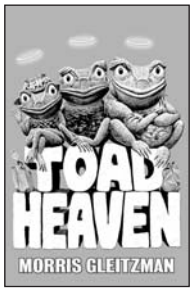
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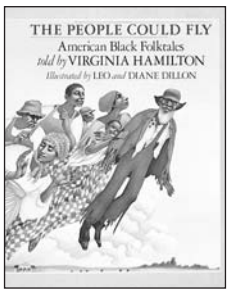
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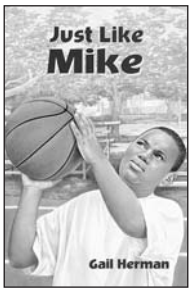
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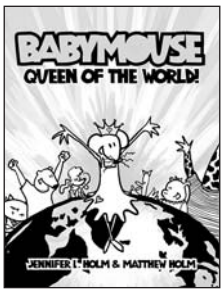
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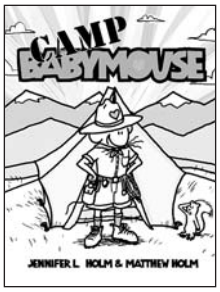
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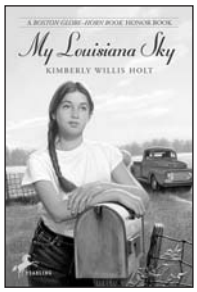
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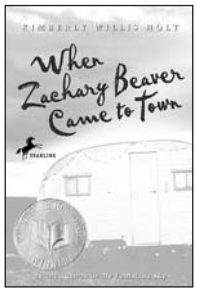
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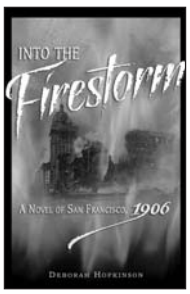
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"Ten-year-old Joe Brooks sometimes wishes his annoying little sister, Hannah, would disappear. But waking up after a terrible headache, he discovers her bed is empty and an ambulance is outside. Then, to his surprise, he finds himself mysteriously transported to a shadowy, war-torn world, where ill children are held captive—including, perhaps, Hannah. Aided by a fetcher called Katherine, and a cantankerous blind man, he navigates dangerous landscapes and encounters people who aren't what they seem in an effort to locate Hannah."—*Booklist*

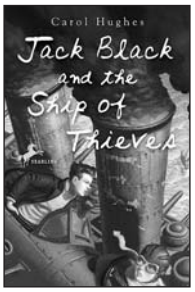
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Jack Black and the Ship of Thieves

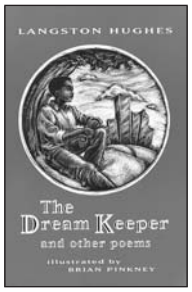
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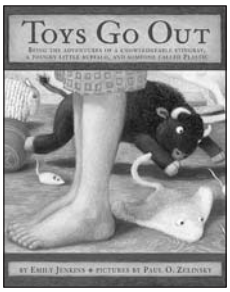
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Double Trouble

Ali doesn't feel like going to school today, so she wants to trade places with Little Genie so that she can stay home. But, Little Genie's spells tend to go awry—is it a good idea to let her go to school in Ali's place? As the pink sand in Genie's watch starts to move, Ali makes her wish. . . .

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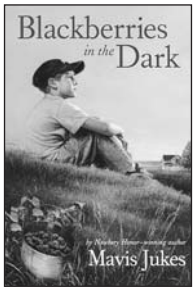
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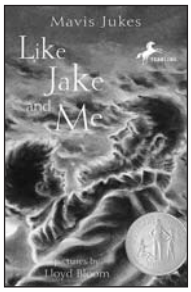
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Bambert's Book of Missing Stories

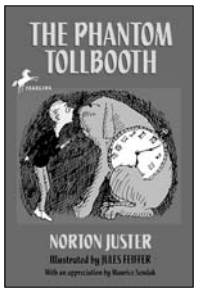
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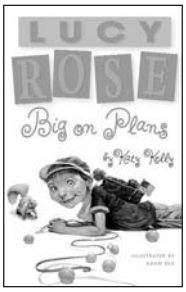
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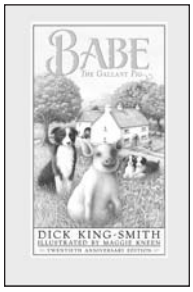
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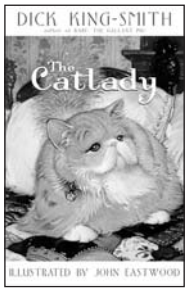
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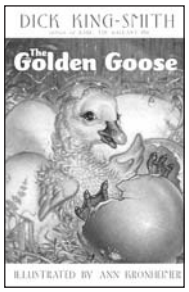
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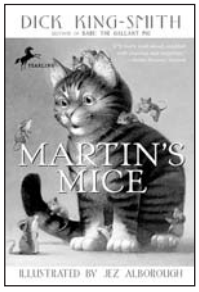


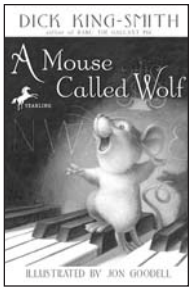












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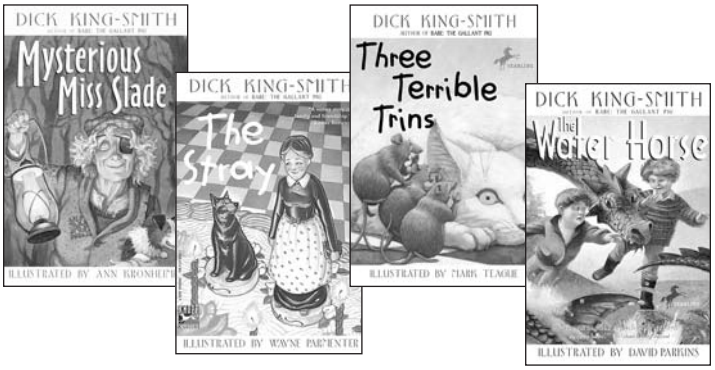
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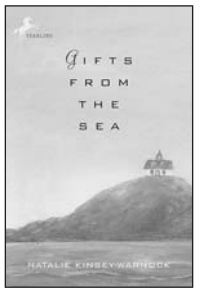
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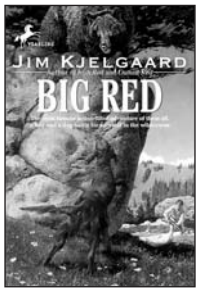
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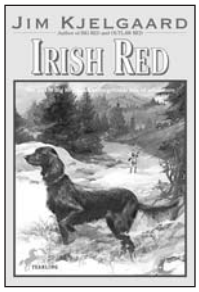
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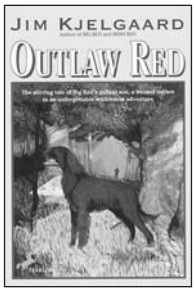
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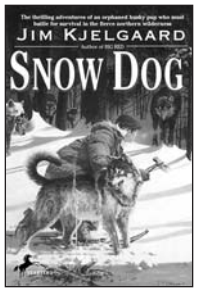
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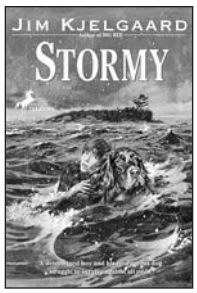
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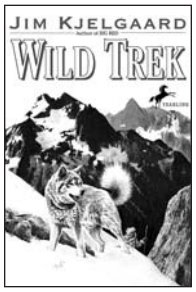
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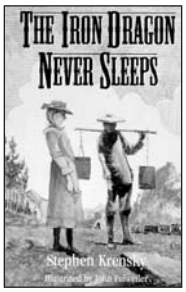
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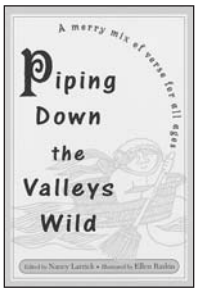
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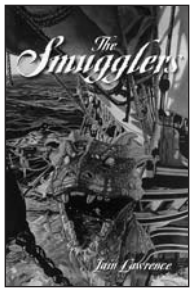
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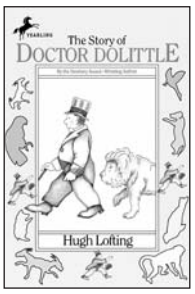
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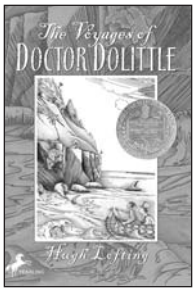
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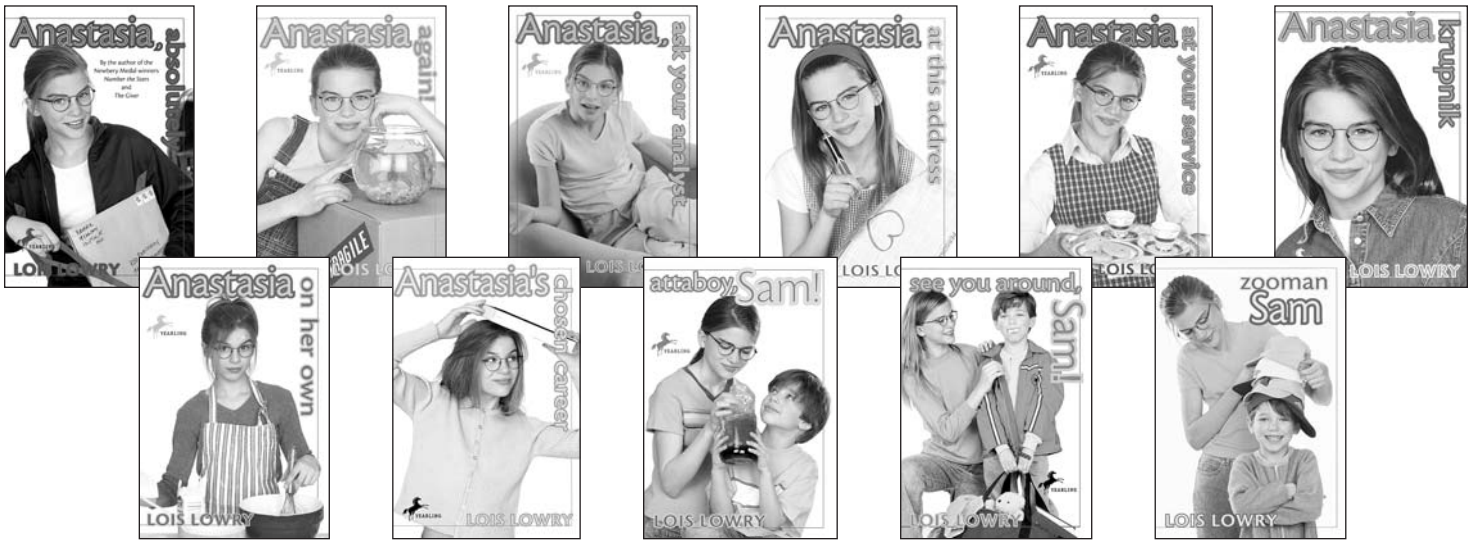
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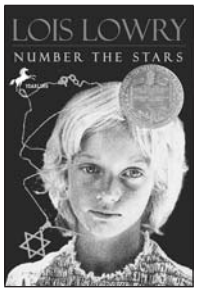
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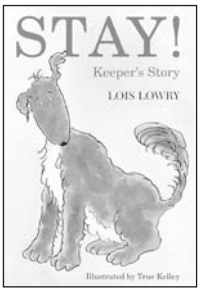
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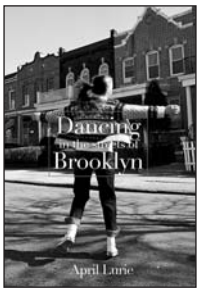
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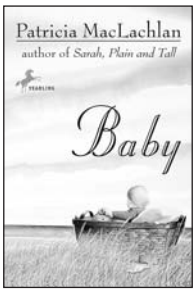
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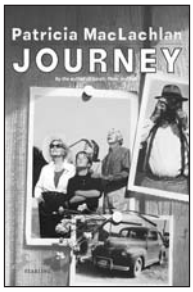
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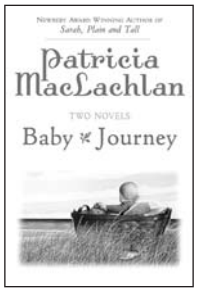
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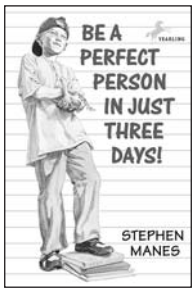
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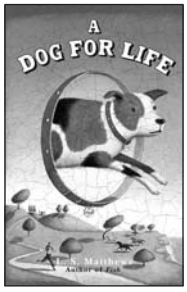
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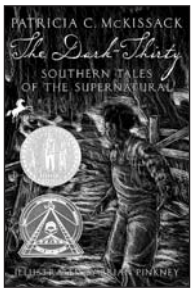
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Alice Mead

JUNEBUG



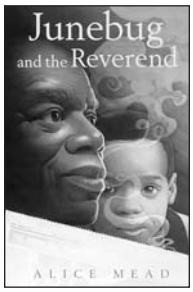
Junebug

This is the gripping and inspiring story of an inner-city African American boy who dreams of sailing away with his family to a better life. "A warm and indomitable boy who refuses to let the harshness of his situation destroy all hope for a better future."— *Kirkus Reviews*, Pointer

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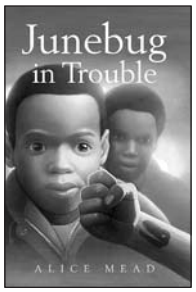
Junebug and the Reverend

In this companion to *Junebug*, 10-year-old Junebug's enthusiasm for his new neighborhood quickly fades when he has to face school bullies and is made to take daily walks with cranky old Reverend Ashford. "Mead offers a portrait of a resilient, thoughtful boy, surrounding him with a number of memorable, tenderly drawn characters."—*Booklist*

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BL, H, K, SLJ
African/African American Int; Bullies; Divorce & Single Parent Families; Self-Discovery; Black History Month • No Restrictions



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Refugees of the Sudanese civil war, Stephen and his family flee, enduring hunger, death, and terror. "Mead puts civil war in human terms through the eyes of one young boy . . . artfully told. . . . The history, the land, and the determination of a band of refugees to care for each other are vividly evoked in this important work."
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BL, C, K, SLJ
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Courage & Honor; Family & Relationships; Friendship; Self-Discovery; Adventure
US, Can., Opn Mkt

Jan Merrill



The Pushcart War

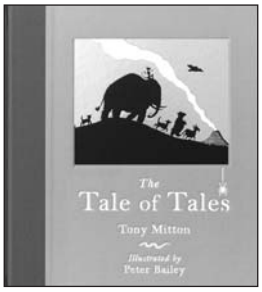
"The definitive history of New York's war between the pushcarts and trucks is one of those rarities—a book that is both humorous and downright funny. Such a lively book will need little introducing; once a boy or girl discovers it, the news will spread."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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"When a freak storm forces children on a field trip off the school bus, contemporary middle-schooler Zoey Smith-Jones is plunged back in time to 1811 and the beginning of a geophysical assault known as the New Madrid earthquakes. Zoey's experiences, told in entries in her diary, which she carries throughout her time-travel adventures, are interspersed among those of her nineteenth-century counterpart, Prudence, the daughter of white settlers."—*Booklist*

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BL, C, SLJ
Hist Fiction/19th Century; Adventure; Native American Interest • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Martha Moore



Matchit

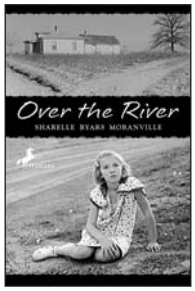
Eleven-year-old Matchit was abandoned by his mother and neglected by his father. But when he is placed in the loving care of an eccentric old woman who runs a junkyard, he overcomes years of emotional abuse and is given reason to hope for a better future. "With its offbeat setting and upbeat moral, this story sends a reassuring reminder to young readers that everyone does matter."—*Publishers Weekly*

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Over the River

Ever since her mother died five years ago, Willa Mae Clarke is happy living with her grandparents, but she's curious about her father and wonders if he'll come home now that the war is over. When he finally returns, he whisks her off to Oklahoma. She wants to make him happy, but misses living with her grandparents. Why can't she be with everyone she loves?

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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Animals; Family & Relationships; Adventure; Boy Interest Hope; Dying & Grief; Intergenerational
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Owls in the Family

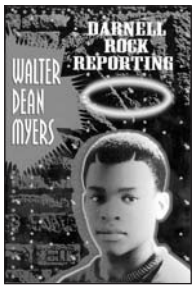
Wol and Weeps, two pet owls, turn a household upside down and terrorize a neighborhood.

Ages 10–14 • Grades 5–9

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Me, Mop, and the Moondance Kid

"Myers combines wit, sensitivity and insight to create this funny, fast-paced story about three orphaned children and the Elks, a Little League baseball tea. . . . Myers' keen sense of humor, quick, natural dialogue and irresistible protagonists make this novel a winner."—*Publishers Weekly*

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Massachusetts Children's Book Master List
Adopted & Orphaned Children; Cultural Diversity; Friendship; Humor; Sports • No Restrictions

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Half and Half

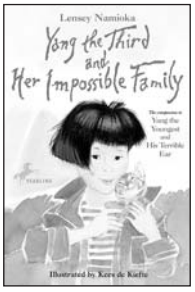
Fiona Cheng is half and half: her father is Chinese and her mother is Scottish. Fiona looks more like her father than her mother, so people always expect her to be more interested in her Chinese half than her Scottish half. Lately even Fiona's confused about who she really is. "A humorous novel with an appealing heroine."

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Yang the Third and Her Impossible Family

ILLUSTRATED BY Kees de Kiefte

Yingmei Yang has changed her name to Mary now that she's learning to "be American." But this is easier said than done since her family sticks to its Chinese customs. "Kids will enjoy the uproarious scenes of cross-cultural awkwardness and they'll get the point that we are all 'ethnic.'"

—*Booklist*

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Yang the Youngest and His Terrible Ear

Nine-year-old Yingtao has to practice the violin for an important recital to help his father get more students; but he's afraid to tell his family that he's found something he likes better than music—baseball. "Namioka explores issues of diversity, self-realization, friendship, and duty with sensitivity and a great deal of humor."

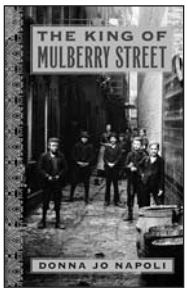
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Donna Jo Napoli



The King of Mulberry Street

"When Beniamino, a 9-year-old Jewish boy from Napoli, is smuggled aboard a cargo ship heading to America in 1892, he assumes his mother is onboard, too. Soon realizing that Mamma isn't with him, he makes the best of his plight. . . . Napoli is an expert at gripping readers' emotions, which she does with consummate skill . . . richly imagined . . . vivid."

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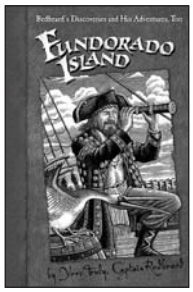
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Captain Redbeard



Fundorado Island

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Phyllis Reynolds Naylor



Just when the Hatford brothers are expecting three boys to move into the house across the river, where their best friends used to live, the Malloy girls arrive instead. The Hatford brothers decide to make the Malloy sisters so miserable that they'll want to go back to Ohio, but they haven't counted on the ingenuity of the girls. It's the boys versus the girls—who will win the war?

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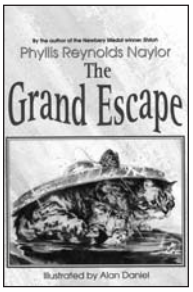
Summer vacation is almost over, and it looks like the Malloy girls will be going home to Ohio. But Jake and Eddie keep up the competing, tricking, and scheming until Eddie puts Jake up to the biggest dare of the year. The wacky war isn't over yet!

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Henry has always felt like an outsider, until he meets Dottie, a frail old lady, who has tremendous spirit. As she tells him about her wartime romance with a Royal Air Force navigator also named Henry, our Henry is drawn into that world. Only our Henry knows the true story and it shows him a way through his own self-doubts and misgivings.

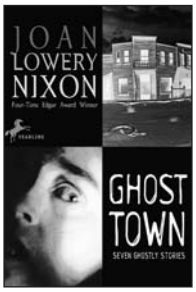
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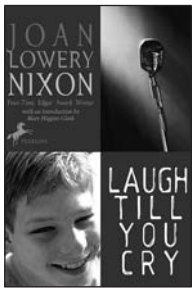
The Haunting

"Typical of Nixon's popular gothics, this title has it all."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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Mystery & Suspense; Determination



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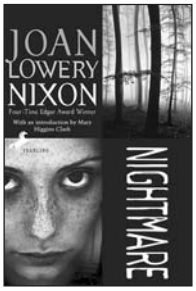
"When a bomb threat is phoned in at school, Cody is the prime suspect, and he and Officer Ramsey are determined to find the real culprit. . . . The pacing of the story, Cody's humorous side, and the book's length make this mystery ideal for reluctant readers."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Delacorte • GLB • 5-1/2 x 8-1/4
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BL, H, K, KYA, SLJ, V
Mystery & Suspense; Family & Relationships
No Restrictions



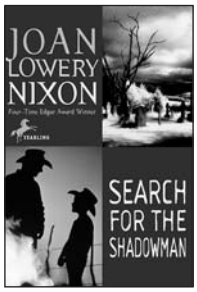
Nightmare

"Elements of suspense and mystery are cleverly integrated with the teen's problems resulting from what she witnessed as a child. Readers will once again fall under Nixon's spell as they enjoy this page-turner."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL, KYA, SLJ
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Family & Relationships; Mystery & Suspense
No Restrictions



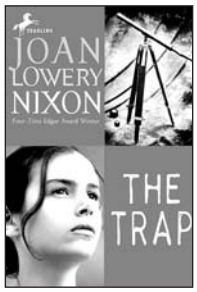
Search for the Shadowman

"A thrilling search through a family's dark past. . . . As usual, Nixon's main character is an ordinary kid with extraordinary resourcefulness."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BST, C, H, SLJ
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The Trap

"Julie Hollister, 16, had better plans for her summer vacation than to spend it on the Rancho del Oro in Texas taking care of her great-aunt and injured great-uncle. However, the experience turns out to be anything but boring. . .With its twists and turns, this page-turner is a must for mystery fans and engaging enough for reluctant readers."—*School Library Journal*

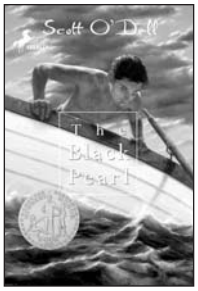
Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL, K, LMC, SLJ, V★
Intergenerational; Mystery & Suspense; Family & Relationships; Reluctant Readers • No Restrictions

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Scott O'Dell



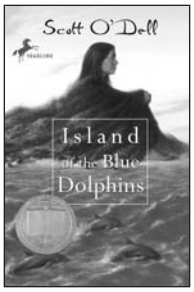
The Black Pearl

Neither 16-year-old Ramon nor his father can foresee the trouble the large gem brings. "A gripping story."
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Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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Adventure; Family & Relationships; Making Choices; Survival • No Restrictions



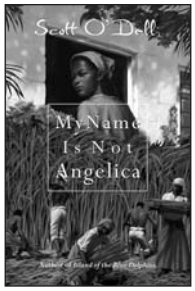
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"A haunting and unusual story based on the fact that in the early 1800s [a] girl spent 18 years alone on a rocky island far off the coast of California."
—*Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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Courage & Honor; Native American Interest; Historical Fiction; Making Choices; Survival
No Restrictions



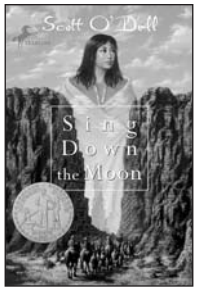
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Raisha, a 16-year-old Senagalese, girl, is sold into slavery in the Danish Virgin Islands. She and her husband join a rebellion, but when the rebels are trapped and promised even harsher treatment, they choose to take their own lives instead—all except Raisha, who chooses to save her unborn child. "A magnificent tale, superbly told by a grand master of historical fiction."—*Publishers Weekly*

Ages 10–14 • Grades 5–9

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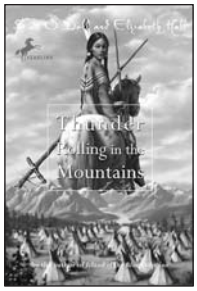
Sing Down the Moon

The forced migration of Navahos from their original homeland is described from the Indian point of view in a poignantly moving first-person story.—*Booklist*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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BL, BST, C, H, NYT
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Native American Interest; Historical Fiction; Making Choices; Racism & Prejudice; Survival
No Restrictions



Thunder Rolling in the Mountains

It is the spring of 1877 when 14-year-old Sound of Running Feet sees white people panning gold in the creek that feeds the Wallowa River—a revelation that could spell destruction for her people. "In typical O'Dell fashion, the novel serves up a generous helping of historical fact and general information about the Ne-Mee-Poo and their way of life."—*Publishers Weekly*

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BL★, CH, K, PW, SLJ
Massachusetts Children's Book Master List
Native American Interest; Hist Fiction/19th Century
No Restrictions



Zia

"An almost unbearably moving story of what happened to the Indian woman, Karana, when she had been left alone at the end of *Island of the Blue Dolphins*."
—*Publishers Weekly*

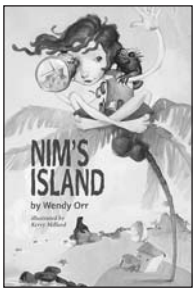
Ages 9–13 • Grades 4–8

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BL, K, LJ, PW
Native American Interest; Historical Fiction; Racism & Prejudice; Survival; Hist Fiction/19th Century
No Restrictions

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Wendy Orr



Nim's Island

Nim, a modern-day Robinson Crusoe who lives on an island with her dad, must summon all of her strength and courage when she's left alone on the island and disaster lurks nearby. "Children will love this unshakable, strong female character and the zany things that happen to her."
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Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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School Library Journal Best Book
Myths; Legends, & Folklore; Humor; Historical Fiction/19th Century

The Mysteries of Spider Kane

With two books in one—*Spider Kane and the Mystery Under the May-Apple* and *Spider Kane and the Mystery at Jumbo Nightcrawler's*—this is a great read-aloud for younger children as well as perfect for kids reading Magic Tree House books or outgrowing them.

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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Mystery & Suspense; Fantasy; Animals
No Restrictions

Peggy Parish

LIZA, BILL & JED MYSTERY



Clues in the Woods

When Liza, Bill, and Jed investigate the disappearance of table scraps left by Grandma's garbage can they stumble on a mysterious camp in the woods. "Believable characters, surroundings, and situations and an action-packed plot which thickens steadily and surely to a logical solution make a book sure to win Miss Parish even more young fans."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 7–11 • Grades 2–6

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SLJ, H
Mystery & Suspense; Classics • No Restrictions

The Ghosts of Cougar Island

Liza, Bill, and Jed investigate mysterious lights on Cougar Island in their sixth mystery. "The short chapters help keep the pace moving nicely, and the few sketchy but well-done black-and-white illustrations will help sustain the interest of reluctant readers. The vocabulary is fairly easy, and the text relies heavily on convincing dialogue. . . . A worthwhile addition."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 7–10 • Grades 2–5

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Mystery & Suspense • No Restrictions

The Haunted House

The Roberts family moves into the old Blake place and soon after their arrival strange things begin to happen. Liza, Bill, and Jed find mysterious messages nearly every morning, strange footprints appear, lights flash, and secret compartments seem to pop open. Does the ghost of John Blake haunt the Roberts's new home?

Ages 7–10 • Grades 2–5

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Each summer Liza, Bill, and Jed hear about the 100-year-old mystery of hidden treasure at their grandparents' house. Will this be the summer the treasure is found?

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Mystery & Suspense • No Restrictions

The Mystery of Hermit Dan

Although Liza, Bill, and Jed planned to stay away from Hermit Dan after a scary run in with him at the beginning of the summer, they are intrigued by stories of Dan's pirate ancestors and buried treasure. The children dig up plenty of excitement when they start investigating the mysterious hermit's past.

Ages 7–10 • Grades 2–5

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Mystery & Suspense • No Restrictions

Pirate Island Adventure

Liza, Bill, and Jed can't wait for a summer vacation on Pirate Island with their grandparents, especially when Grandpa gives them a clue to the unsolved mystery of lost family treasure. The children follow an unusual series of picture clues all over the island and unearth a hefty dose of fun and adventure.

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Mystery & Suspense; Adventure • No Restrictions

Barbara Park

THE GEEK CHRONICLES



Maxie, Rosie, and Earl—Partners in Grime

Three bumbling outlaws meet at the principal's office and start a memorable friendship. "Here's a book so funny, readers can't help but laugh out loud."
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Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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ACEI, BL★, H, HWW, K, LC, PW
Library of Congress Children's Books of the Year; Maine Student Book Award; Parents' Choice Award; Texas Bluebonnet Master List
Friendship; Humor; School • US, Can., Opn Mkt



Rosie Swanson: Fourth-Grade Geek for President

Not only is fourth-grader Rosie running for president, she's on the warpath, too. "Park, as usual, is right on target with kids' problems. . . . A very good read."—*Booklist*

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BL, C, K, LC, PW
Library of Congress Children's Books of the Year; Parents' Choice Award
Friendship; Humor; School; Back to School
US, Can., Opn Mkt



Dear God, Help!!! Love, Earl

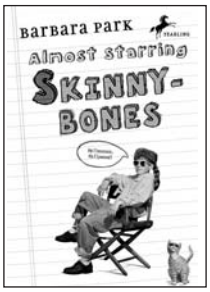
Earl is ready to do anything to avoid the meanest kid in school—even if it means playing dead. "Park's book will crack readers up with its morbidly funny plans and guffaw-inducing repartee."
—*Kirkus Reviews*

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BL, K
Friendship; Humor; School; Bullies
US, Can., Opn Mkt

SKINNYBONES



Almost Starring Skinnybones

Alex "Skinnybones" Frankovitch is about to become a huge star in his very own TV commercial! But Alex's big plans for stardom go terribly wrong. "As always, Park is laugh-out-loud funny and kids will have a wonderful time with this story."—*Booklist*

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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BL, H, HWW, K, PW, SLJ
Family & Relationships; Humor; Boy Interest
US, Can., Opn Mkt

Skinnybones

Alex "Skinnybones" Frankovitch is the smallest player on his baseball team, and famous for his big mouth. After bragging his way into a battle of skills with a star Little Leaguer, can blabbermouth Alex talk his way out of his latest mess? "Skinnybones equals tickled funny bones."
—*Booklist*

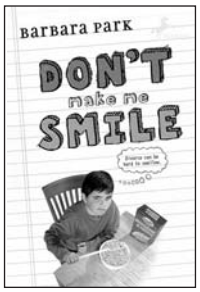
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Barbara Park

Georgia Children's Book Award; Minnesota Maud Heart Lovelace Award; Tennessee Volunteer State Book Award; Texas Bluebonnet Award; Texas Bluebonnet Master List; Utah Children's Book Award
Friendship; Humor; Sports; Boy Interest
US, Can., Opn Mkt



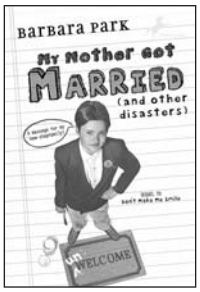
Don't Make Me Smile

When 11-year-old Charlie Hickle's parents get divorced, they expect him to understand. But Charlie has other plans in mind. "Written with warmth and insight."
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Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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BL, BST, C, E, H, NCTE, SLJ, V
Divorce & Single Parent Families; Family & Relationships; Boy Interest; Growing Up
US, Can., Opn Mkt



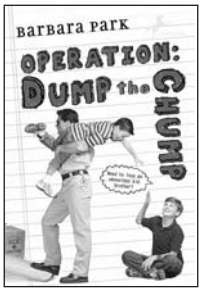
My Mother Got Married (and Other Disasters)

When Charlie Hickle's mother remarries, he acquires a new nature-loving stepfather, an annoying teenage stepsister, and a bratty little brother. "Charles' reflections on his new situation, told in perceptive contemporary language, are laced with humor and emotion. At times both funny and touching, this sequel to *Don't Make Me Smile* . . . paints a realistic picture of life in a blended family."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

Random House • DG • 5-1/8 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-394-85059-7
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BL, H, K, PW, SLJ
Maine Student Book Master List; Texas Lone Star Reading List
Family & Relationships; Humor • US, Can., Opn Mkt



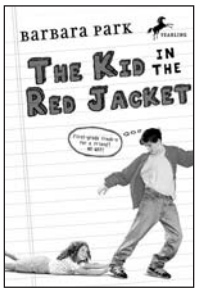
Operation: Dump the Chump

Ten-year-old Oscar Winkle attempts to rid himself of his pesky younger brother, Robert the Slobert, by hatching a wickedly brilliant plan to dump the chump. "Sure to delight kids."—*Booklist*

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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BL, SLJ
Indiana Young Hoosier Award; Tennessee Volunteer State Book Award
Humor; Family & Relationships; Boy Interest
US, Can., Opn Mk



The Kid in the Red Jacket

Ten-year-old Howard is the new kid in town, and so far his only friend is his annoying 6-year-old neighbor, who talks nonstop. "Park writes in a witty and bittersweet style about the awkward, supersensitive age of early adolescence. . . . Another first-rate addition to the middle-grade popular reading shelf."
—*School Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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Kentucky Bluegrass Master List; Library of Congress Children's Books of the Year; Parents' Choice Award; School Library Journal Best Book
Friendship; Growing Up; Boy Interest
US, Can., Opn Mkt



Mick Harte Was Here

Life will never be the same for Phoebe after her 12-year-old brother Mick dies in a bicycle accident. "The genius of this novel is Park's ability to make the events excruciatingly real. . . .The story reads not as a cautionary tale, but as a full-fledged and fully convincing drama."
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

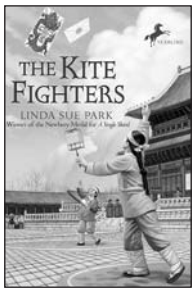
Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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$5.50/$7.99 Can. • 96 pp • 48 ctn

K★, NYPLC, PW★
Georgia Children's Book Award; Illinois Rebecca Caudill Young Readers Award; Indiana Young Hoosier Award; Iowa Children's Choice Award; Kansas William White Award; Kentucky Bluegrass Master List; Minnesota Maud Heart Lovelace Award; Rhode Island Children's Book Award; School Library Journal Best Book; South Carolina Children's Book Award; Vermont Dorothy Canfield Fischer Book Award: Alabama Emphasis on Reading, Arizona Young Readers' Award; Nutmeg Children's Book Award; Charlotte Award; North Dakota Flicker Tale Children's Book Award; South Carolina Children's, Junior, and Young Adult Book Awards; Washington Children's Choice Picture Book; Sasquatch Reading Award; Connecticut Nutmeg Children's Book Award
Family & Relationships; Death, Dying & Grief; Emotions & Feelings • US, Can., Opn Mkt

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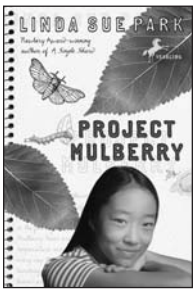
The Kite Fighters

In 15th-century Korea, Young-sup tries to overcome a rivalry with his older brother, Kee-sup, as they combine their kite-flying and kite-making skills to win the New Year kite-fighting competition. Includes an author's note. "With ease and grace, Park brings these long-ago children to life."
—*School Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41813-9
$5.50/$7.99 Can. • 144 pp • 48 ctn

BL, C, H, K, SLJ★
IRA Teachers' Choice List; Indiana Young Hoosier Award Master List; Arizona Grand Canyon Readers' Awards Nominee; Connecticut Nutmeg Children's Book Award Master List; South Carolina Children's Book Award Nominee; Tennessee Volunteer State Book Award Master List; Vermont Dorothy Canfield Fisher Children's Book Award Master List
Asian/Asian American Int; Historical Fiction; Family & Relationships; Customs & Traditions; Sports
US, Can., Opn Mkt



Project Mulberry

Julia Song and her friend Patrick want to team up to win a blue ribbon at the state fair, but they can't agree on the perfect project. Then Julia's mother suggests they raise silkworms as she did years ago in Korea. The optimistic twosome quickly realizes that raising silkworms is a lot tougher than they thought. And Julia never suspected that she'd be discussing the fate of her and Patrick's project with Ms. Park, the author of this book!

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL★, SLJ★
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Acceptance & Belonging; Activities, Crafts & Hobbies; Cultural Diversity; Asian/Asian American Int; Intergenerational • US, Can., Opn Mkt



Seesaw Girl

ILLUSTRATED BY Jean AND Mou-Sien Tseng

Impatient with the constraints put on her as an aristocratic girl living in 17th-century Korea, 12-year-old Jade Blossom determines to see beyond her small world. Includes an author's note and bibliography. "The story is full of lively action and vivid descriptions."—*School Library Journal*

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41672-2
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BL, K, SLJ
Asian/Asian American Int; Historical Fiction; Family & Relationships; Customs & Traditions
No Restrictions



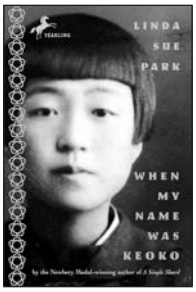
A Single Shard

Tree-ear, a 12-year-old orphan boy living in 12th-century Korea, is transformed from an apprentice to an artist in this story about courage, survival and the power of fine art. "This book not only gives readers insight into an unfamiliar time and place, but it is also a great story."
—*School Library Journal*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41851-1
$6.50/$9.99 Can. • 192 pp • 48 ctn

BL, K★, NYPLC, PW, SLJ
ALA Notable Children's Books; Massachusetts Children's Book Master List; Newbery Medalist; ALA Best Books for Young Adults
Historical Fiction; Asian/Asian American Int; Adopted & Orphaned Children; Courage & Honor; Determination • US, Can., Opn Mkt



When My Name Was Keoko

It is World War II, and Sun-hee and her brother are proud Koreans living their lives under Japanese occupation. "Memorable . . . beautifully written. . . . There have been relatively few stories for young readers that are set in Asia during WWII. This powerful and riveting tale of one close-knit, proud Korean family movingly addresses life-and-death issues of courage and collaboration, injustice, and death-defying determination in the face of totalitarian oppression."
—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

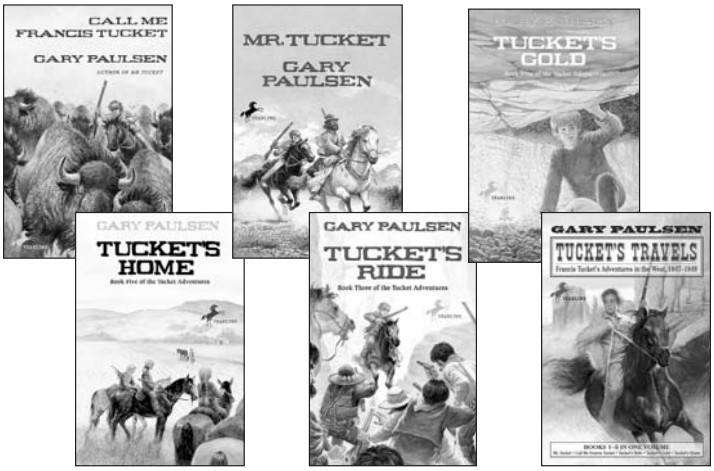
Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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BL, BR★, H, K★, PW★, SLJ★
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US, Can., Opn Mkt

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TUCKET ADVENTURES



Mr. Tucket

It's 1848 and 14-year-old Francis Tucket is heading west on the Oregon Trail, where he is captured by Pawnees. It will take wild horses, hostile tribes, and a mysterious one-armed man named Mr. Grimes to help Francis come of age and survive the gritty frontier. "This book [is] a joy to gallop through."—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

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Adventure; Coming-of-Age; Heroes & Heroism; Survival; Hist Fict/Westward Expansion
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Call Me Francis Tucket

After a year with Mr. Grimes, Francis has learned to live by the harsh code of the wilderness. But when he rescues a little girl, Lottie, and her younger brother, Billy, Francis takes on more than he bargained for. "A cool-headed survivor in the mold of *Hatchet*'s protagonist."
—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

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K, PW★
Adventure; Coming-of-Age; Heroes & Heroism; Survival; Hist Fict/Westward Expansion
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Tucket's Ride

Francis and his adopted family head west, searching for Francis's parents. But when winter comes early, Francis turns south to avoid the cold and leads them right into the middle of the Mexican-American War. "The pacing is flawless, the prose seemingly effortless, and the pages fly by."
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Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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K, SLJ
Adventure; Coming-of-Age; Heroes & Heroism; Survival; Hist Fict/Westward Expansion
No Restrictions

Tucket's Gold

Francis, Lottie, and Billy face a grim outlook, alone in a prairie wasteland. But when they stumble upon an ancient treasure, they wind up rich and continue to head west to search for Francis's parents on the Oregon Trail. "Francis and the children are likable characters, and the action never falters."—*Booklist*

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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BL, K, V
Adventure; Coming-of-Age; Heroes & Heroism; Survival; Hist Fict/Westward Expansion
No Restrictions

Tucket's Home

Francis, Lottie, and Billy find their way home to the Oregon frontier at last in this final novel of the Tucket Adventures. Includes an epilogue. "As in earlier volumes, authentic setting details, believable characters and nearly nonstop action add up to an appealing adventure."—*Booklist*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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$5.50/$7.99 Can. • 112 pp • 48 ctn

BL, SLJ
Arkansas Charlie May Simon Master List
Adventure; Coming-of-Age; Heroes & Heroism; Survival; Hist Fict/Westward Expansion
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Tucket's Travels

Francis Tucket's Adventures in the West, 1847–1849 (Books 1–5)

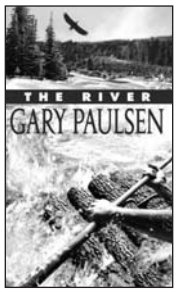
Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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Adventure; Hist Fict/Westward Expansion; Short Stories & Anthologies; Coming-of-Age; Survival
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THE BRIAN BOOKS



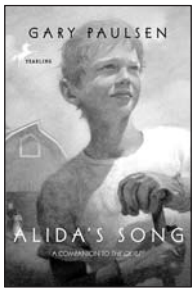
The River

Two years earlier, Brian was stranded alone in the wilderness for 54 days with nothing but a small hatchet. Yet he survived. Now the government wants him to do it again—to go back into the wilderness so that astronauts and the military can learn the survival techniques that kept Brian alive.

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-40753-9
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PW
North Dakota Flicker Tale Children's Book Award; Colorado Blue Spruce Young Adult Book Award Nominee
Adventure; Self-Discovery; Survival; Boy Interest
No Restrictions



Alida's Song

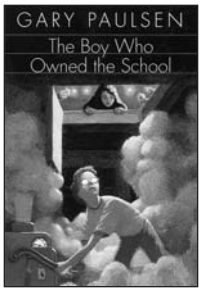
The boy is now 14, a failure at school, and painfully shy. Only his grandmother, Alida, can help him find himself and begin his journey toward becoming a man. "This beautifully written novella is a quiet tribute to a loving relative."

—*School Library Journal*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-41474-2
$5.50/$7.99 Can. • 96 pp • 48 ctn

BL, BR, C, K★, KYA, PW, SLJ
IRA Children's Choice; IRA–CBC Children's Choice List; NCSS–CBC Notable Social Studies Trade Books for Young People List; Utah Children's Book Award Nominee;
Intergenerational; Family & Relationships; Growing Up; Coming-of-Age • No Restrictions



The Boy Who Owned the School

If Jacob Freisten wants to pass English, he must work for extra credit on the stage crew of the school play, *The Wizard of Oz*. "A memorably funny yet touching farce."—*Kirkus Reviews*, Pointer

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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BL, BST, H, K◆, V, SLJ

Humor; Self-Esteem; Boy Interest • No Restrictions



A Christmas Sonata

A small boy comes to understand the true meaning of Christmas. "A holiday heart-warmer that will appeal to a wide audience."—*Kirkus Reviews*

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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K
Friendship; Growing Up; Family & Relationships; Intergenerational; Christmas • No Restrictions



Danger on Midnight River

World of Adventure Series, Book 6

When his camp van crashes into a raging river, Daniel Martin must decide whether to help the bullies who call him "dork breath," or to save himself. Either way Daniel must brave frigid water and then survive in the desolate mountain area in this exciting installment in Paulsen's World of Adventure series.

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Adventure; Reluctant Readers; Survival
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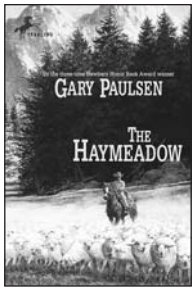
Escape from Fire Mountain

In Paulsen's action-packed adventure, Nikki tries to help two children trapped by a forest fire but finds her efforts blocked by poachers.

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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Adventure; Reluctant Readers; Survival
No Restrictions



The Haymeadow

Fourteen-year-old John Barron is taking care of sheep in the haymeadow, and must rely on his own resourcefulness and talents to survive the summer. "Another fine adventure from Paulsen, who deftly blends an action-packed plot and a likeable character into an easy-to-read novel."

—*Booklist*, Starred

Ages 10–14 • Grades 5–9

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Adventure; Coming-of-Age; Survival
No Restrictions



How Angel Peterson Got His Name

Paulsen relates five stories about crazy stunts that he and friends tried in the late 1940s and early 1950s, ranging from riding over a dam in a pickle barrel to wrestling a bear at a carnival in order to get the attention of a girl. "These episodes will not only keep young readers, of both sexes, in stitches, they're made to order for reading aloud."—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

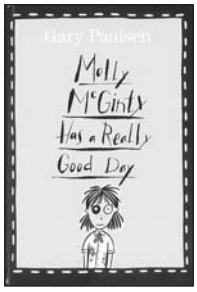
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Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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K★
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Sports; Humor; Boy Interest • US, Can., Opn Mkt

Gary Paulsen



Molly McGinty Has a Really Good Day

Molly is obsessive about organization, so it is a bit of a trauma when she loses her three-ring binder on the same day her extroverted and unpredictable grandmother is visiting school. Molly is forced to learn about the pleasures of going with the flow. "This light, breezy romp is humorous and as unpredictable as Grandma Irene."

—*School Library Journal*

Ages 9–12 • Grades 4–7

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Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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SLJ
New Mexico Land of Enchantment Award Master List; Children's Book Sense 76 Pick; Kentucky Bluegrass Award Master List
Humor; School; Intergenerational; Friendship
No Restrictions



The Monument

Mick Strum is commissioned by a small Kansas town to create a memorial to their war dead, but can she help them accept the memorial when it is finished? "This book is rich in possibilities for the literature class."—*The ALAN Review*

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
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$5.50/$7.50 Can. • 160 pp • 48 ctn

ABA, AR, BL, C, NCTE, NYPLT, PW, SLJ★, V
Texas Lone Star Reading List
Morals & Values in Conflict; Acceptance & Belonging • No Restrictions



The Quilt

During World War II, when his father is in Europe fighting and his mother is working in Chicago, a young boy learns about his heritage and extended family while staying with his grandmother in rural Minnesota. The story is based on events from the author's life. "The simple, poignant prose speaks gently about the elemental domestic dramas of birth and death."

—*Booklist*

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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Yearling • DG • 5-3/16 x 7-5/8
ISBN/EAN: 978-0-440-22936-0
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NCSS–CBC Notable Social Studies Trade Books for Young People List
Intergenerational; Family & Relationships; Customs & Traditions; Emotions & Feeling; Growing Up
US, Can., Opn Mkt



The Schernoff Discoveries

Harold Schernoff is a 14-year-old science whiz and social nerd who has theories for every problem—but when he and his buddy try to test them, everything goes awry. "A rollicking tale . . . it's all flat-out goofy and great fun, as well as an inspiring story of shared experiences."

—*Kirkus Reviews*, Pointer

Ages 10–14 • Grades 5–9

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Friendship; Humor; Boy Interest • No Restrictions



The Time Hackers

Somebody has decided to make Dorso and his buddy Frank the target of some strange techno-practical jokes. The ultimate gamesters have hacked into the time line, and things from the past are appearing in the present. Soon, the jokes aren't funny anymore—they're dangerous. Dorso and Frank have got to beat the time hackers at their own game by breaking the code, before they get lost in the past themselves.

Ages 10 up • Grade 5 up

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In three stories—*Escape from Fire Mountain; Hook 'Em, Snotty!;* and *Danger on Midnight River*—the characters meet danger at every turn in the great outdoors and learn to face their fears head on. From a forest fire to a raging river to a scary bull named Diablo, the action doesn't stop.

Ages 8–12 • Grades 3–7

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Adventure; Boy Interest • No Restrictions

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Shelley Pearsall

Crooked River

In this captivating tale set in 1812 on the Ohio frontier, Rebecca Carver must choose between duty to her family and justice for an Indian who stands accused of murdering a white settler. "Packed with believable characters wrapped in a thoroughly researched plot, *Crooked River* is a must-read for fans of historical fiction and would aptly serve as a discussion-rich tool for American studies."

—*School Library Journal*, Starred

Ages 10–14 • Grades 5–9

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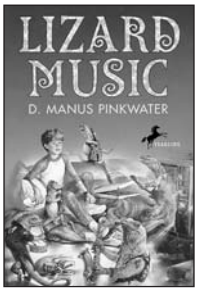
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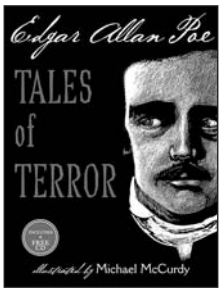
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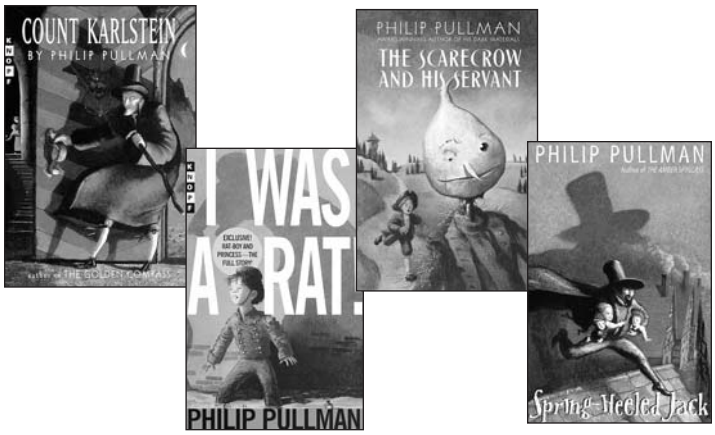
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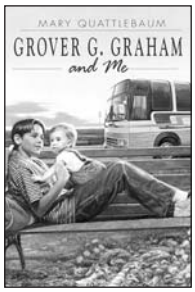
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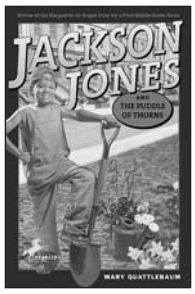
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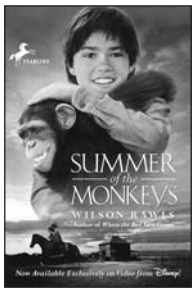
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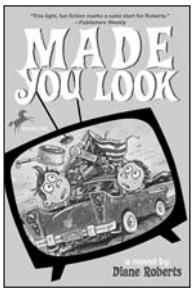
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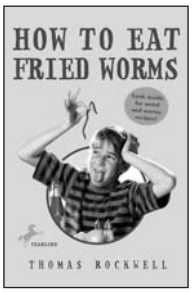
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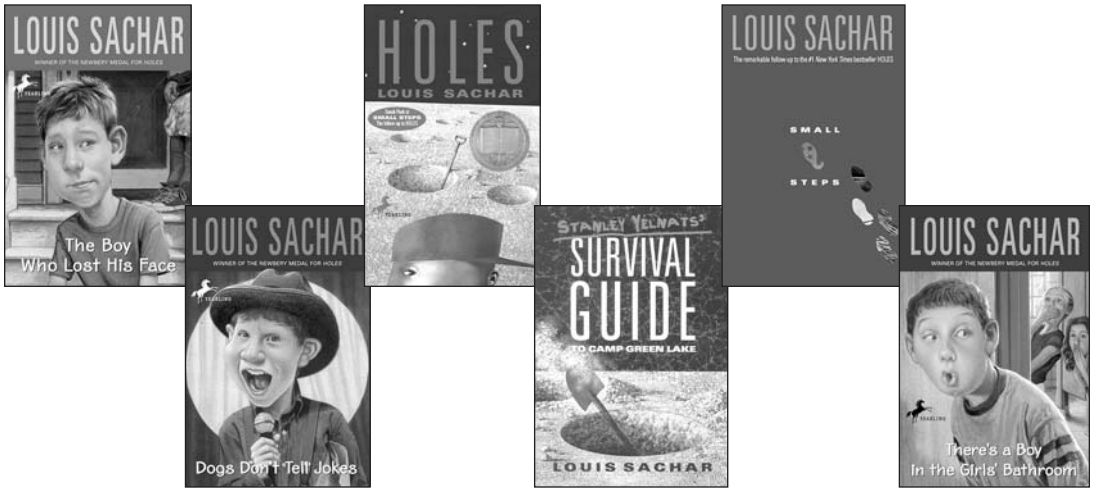
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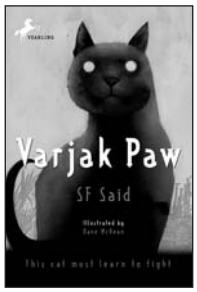
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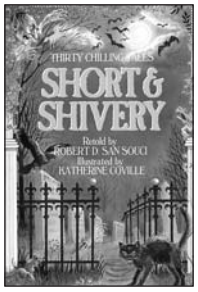
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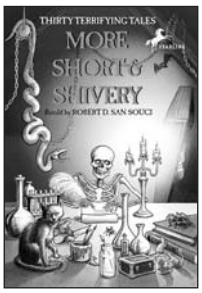
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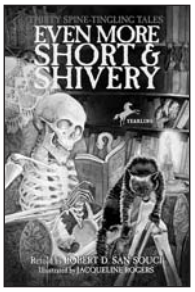
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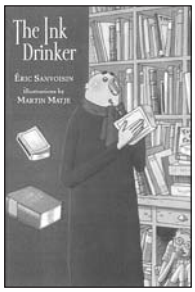
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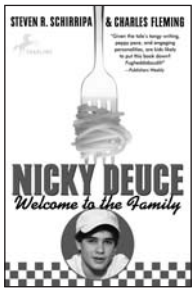
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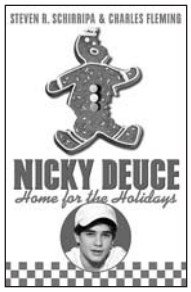
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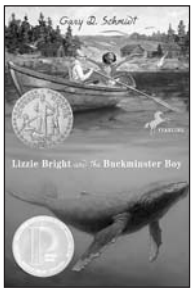
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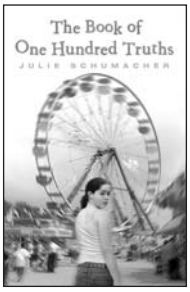
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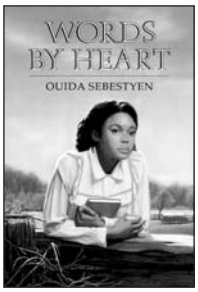
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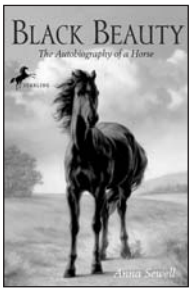
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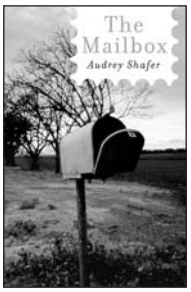
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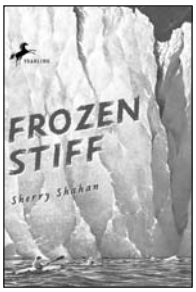
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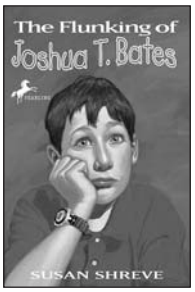
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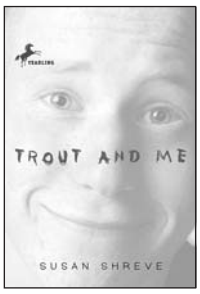
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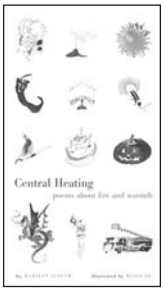
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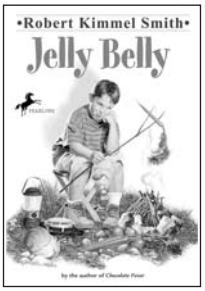
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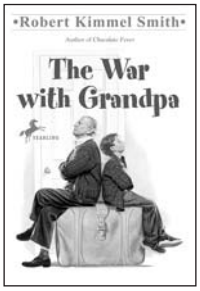
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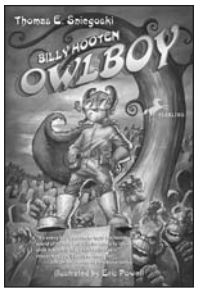
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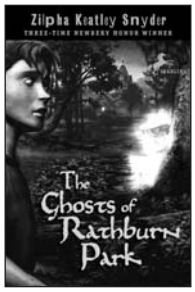
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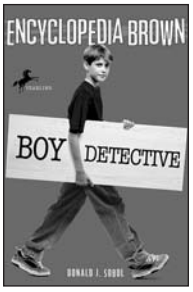
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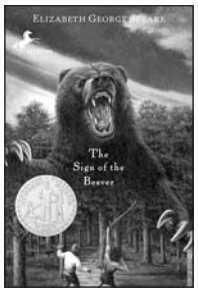
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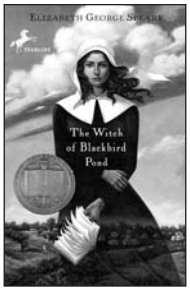
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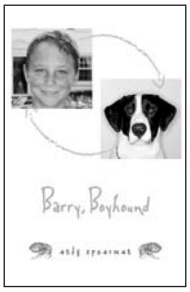
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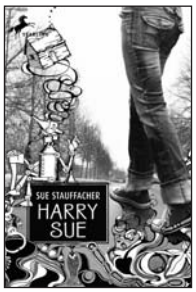
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THE EDGE CHRONICLES



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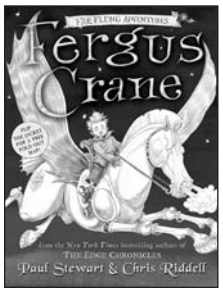
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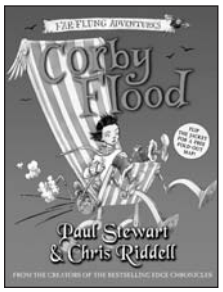
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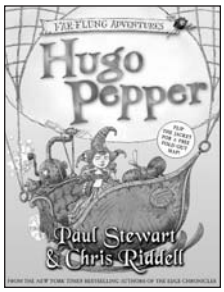
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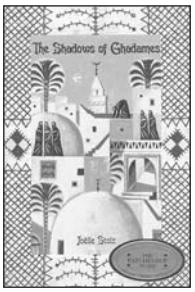
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Crane

For the past 12 years, Hok has hidden the fact that she is a girl. Now her brother, Ying, and his army have placed a huge price on her head. Fortunately, she manages to make it to the city of Jinan where she finds her mother and a "round-eye" named Charles. Together Hok and Charles start to make some sense of the magnitude of Ying's plans.

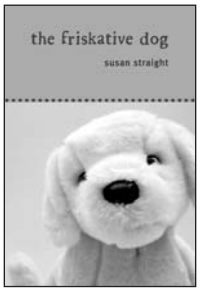
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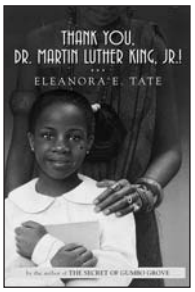
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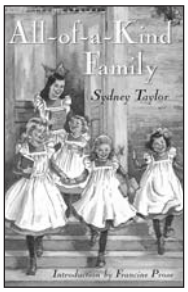
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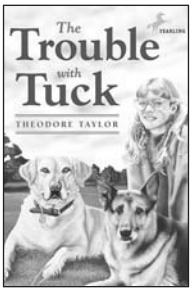
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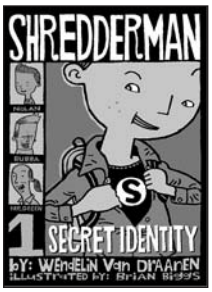
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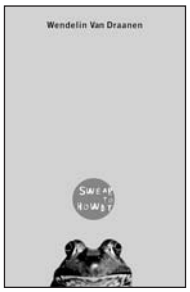
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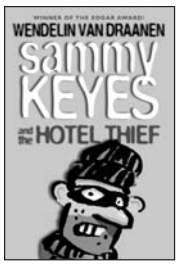
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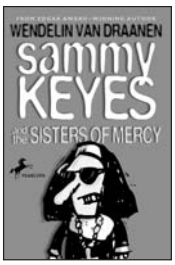
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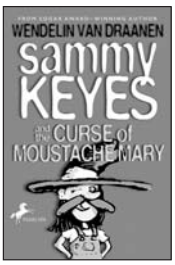
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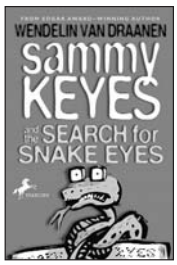
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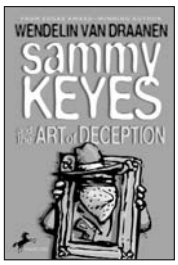
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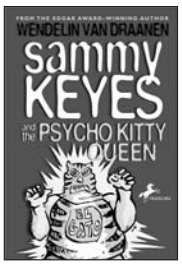


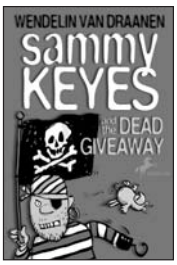












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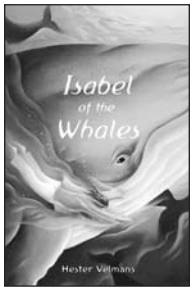
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Justin and the Best Biscuits in the World

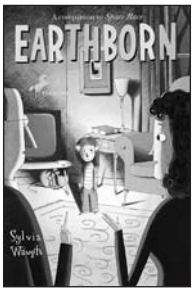
Ten-year-old Justin thinks housework is for women until he's invited to his grandfather's ranch, where he learns about his cowboy ancestors and that doing "women's work"—even baking prize-winning biscuits—is part of taking care of himself. "A warm story welcome for its positive portrayal of black family life."
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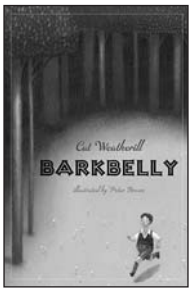
Originally from the planet Ormingat, 11-year-old Thomas and his father have lived on Earth for five years as part of a research mission. When it's time to return home to Ormingat, Thomas is torn between whether to stay or go. "Readers will enjoy the exciting plot and fast-moving action."
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Barkbelly

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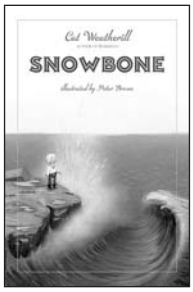
Barkbelly is a wooden boy on the run. As he tries to escape his haunted past, he faces extraordinary adventures and dangers. Every step leads Barkbelly toward the startling truth about where he comes from and where he really belongs. Cat Weatherill creates an utterly magical world—and one wooden boy who's sure to melt readers' hearts.

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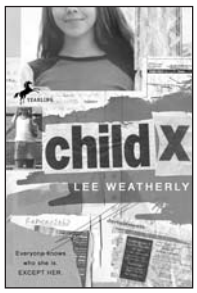
One pale wooden girl stands on the shore of Black Sand Bay, where the sea meets the sky and the wind meets the water. But Snowbone knows that she and her wooden friends can't stay here forever. Something is happening deep within the forest. Something—someone—that must be stopped. Determined to save the Ashenpeakers from a dark destiny, Snowbone leds her gang of wooden tiddlins on a perilous chase—and learns what it means to be a good leader.

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Melanie is thrilled that her family vacation will include her best friend Cecily—until Cecily and Melanie's brother Matt the Brat start becoming buddies. "The achingly real confidences in Melanie's record reveal her genuine efforts to improve, making her eventual success especially gratifying."
—*Booklist*

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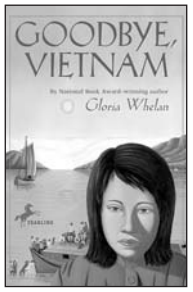
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When Belle Prater disappears, her boy Woodrow comes to live with his grandparents in Coal Station, Virginia. There he grows close to his cousin, Gypsy, with whom he shares the truth about his mother. In this vivid coming-of-age story, the two cousins develop a real friendship while discovering truths about their families and themselves. "White gives her protagonists the courage to face tragedy and transcend it—and the ability to pass along that gift to others."
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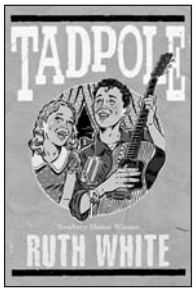
The Search for Belle Prater

"Readers who have longed for a follow-up to White's Newbery Honor Book *Belle Prater's Boy* will be delighted with this fine sequel, in which the search for Woodrow's missing mother continues. . . . Characterization, dialogue, and setting are among White's many literary strengths, and she doesn't disappoint here."—*Booklist*, Starred

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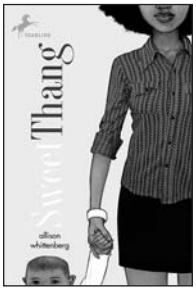
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Sweet Thang

In this poignant, often humorous, story set in 1970s Philadelphia, Charmaine Upshaw cracks when she is asked to babysit her nephew after school. She is already trying to deal with feelings of inferiority about her dark skin, sharing a room with her brother, and compromising her ethics to win the affections of handsome Demetrius. "Whittenberg has crafted a highly enjoyable tale."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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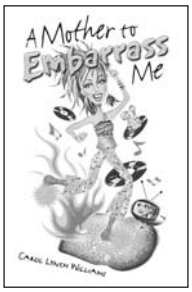
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A Mother to Embarrass Me

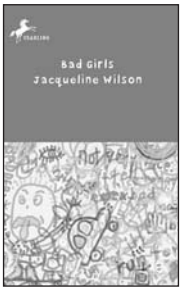
Now that Laura is 12 years old, she realizes that everything about her mother is totally embarrassing. But things get much, much worse when her mother announces that she's going to have a baby; now everyone will know her parents have been doing it. "Williams brings a gentle and humorous touch to the age-old issues of adolescence. Readers will sympathize."
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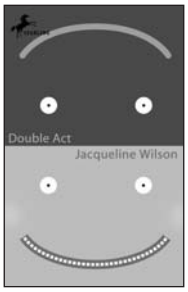
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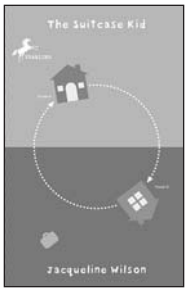
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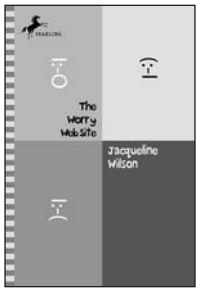
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The Worry Web Site

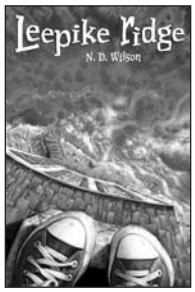
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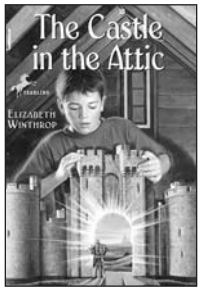
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THE CASTLE IN THE ATTIC



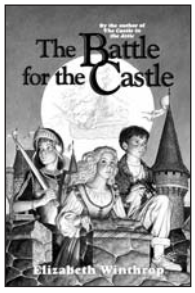
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The First Christmas Stocking

ILLUSTRATED BY Bagram Ibatoulline

Claire and her family were poor, so Claire learned how to knit stockings. She soon began to sell her stockings. One order ensured her a handsome payment that would fill her family's hut with light and food. But as she trudged through the snow to deliver the stockings on Christmas Eve, Claire was stirred to share her knitted dreams with someone truly in need.

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Dear Austin
Letters from the Underground Railroad

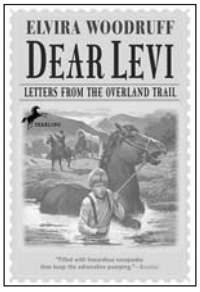
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As 11-year-old Levi prepares to join Austin in Oregon, his plans are delayed when he must help a girl kidnapped by slave owners. "This carefully researched and vividly imagined novel presents the emotional and gripping tale of one boy's confrontation with the issue of slavery and its significance in American history."
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Dear Levi
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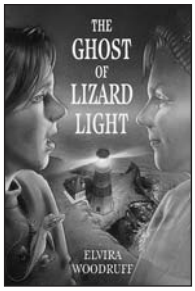
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Liz Wu



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Gallileon has to crow to the sun on Sunday morning while his father is competing at the county fair. After a few starts and stops, Gallileon wakes up the sun and the rest of the farm, but the geese decide to play a trick on him and the sun disappears at high noon. Can Gallileon's irrepressible little sister Pepina save her brother from the ultimate humiliation?

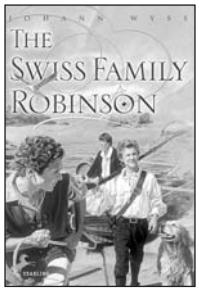
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The Swiss Family Robinson

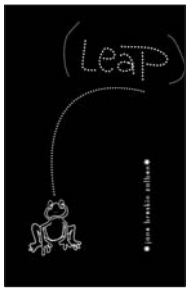
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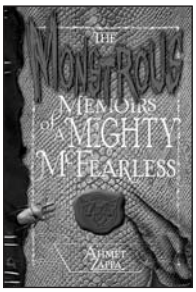
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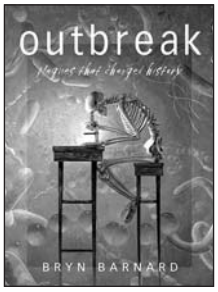
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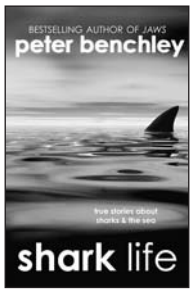
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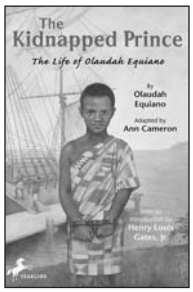
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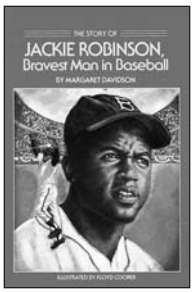
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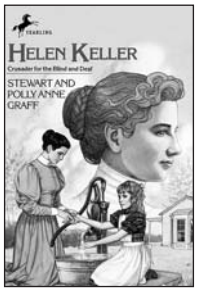
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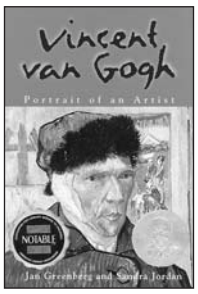
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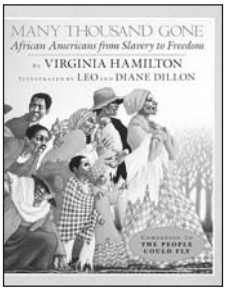
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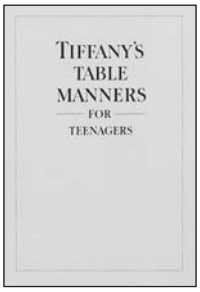
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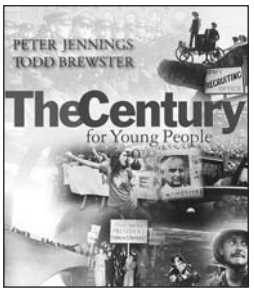
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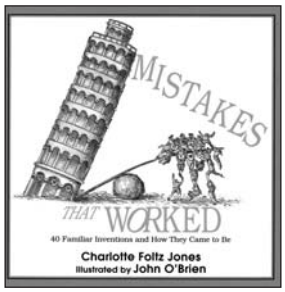
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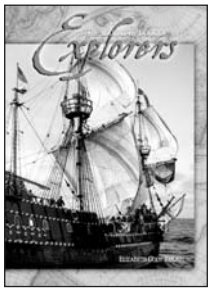
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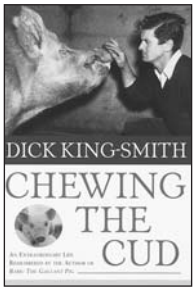
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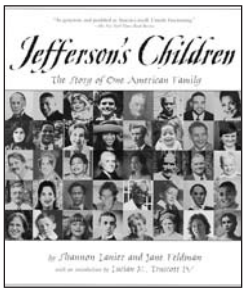
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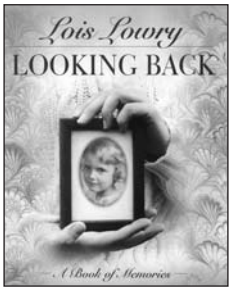
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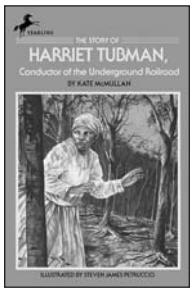
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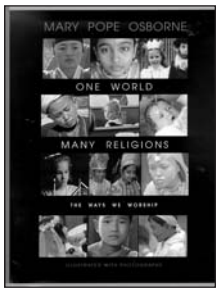
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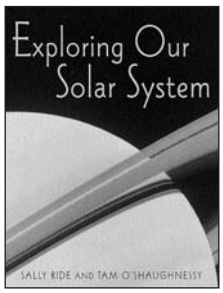
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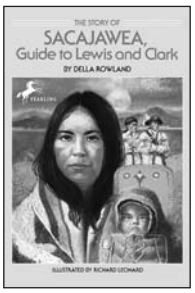
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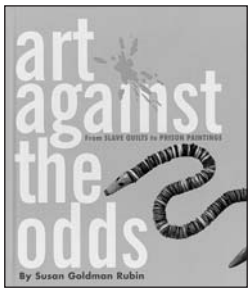
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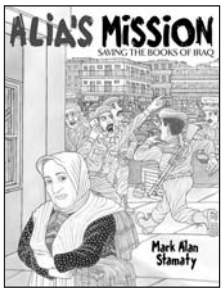
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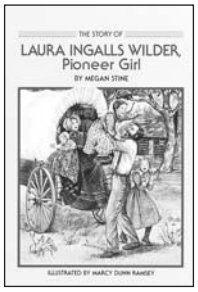
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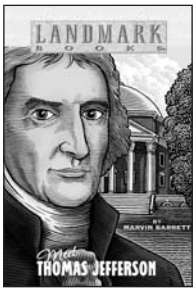
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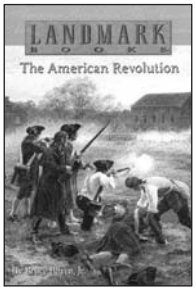
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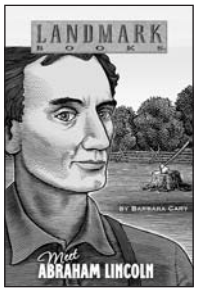
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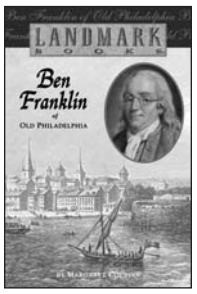
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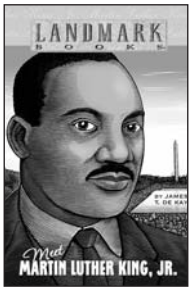
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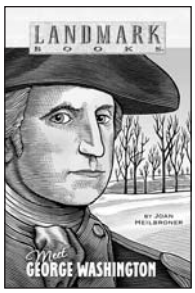
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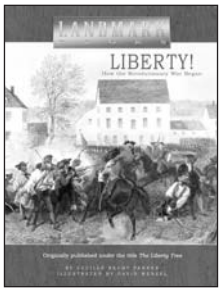
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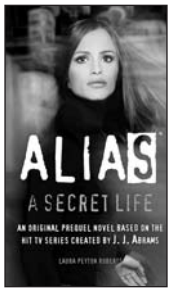
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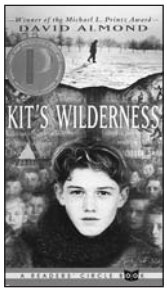
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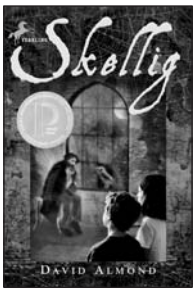
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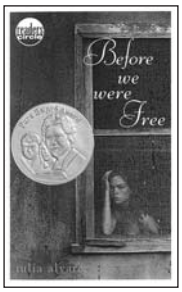
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Amelia Atwater-Rhodes

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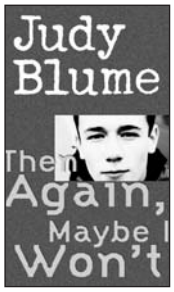
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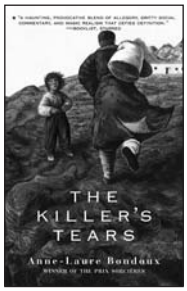
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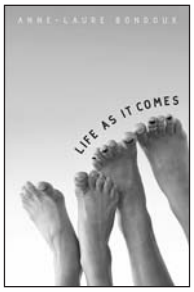
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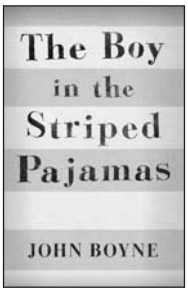
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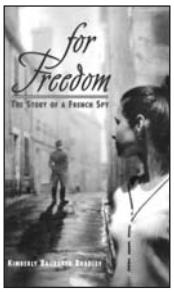
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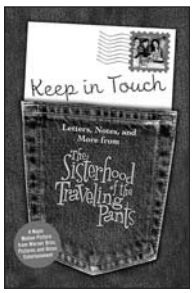
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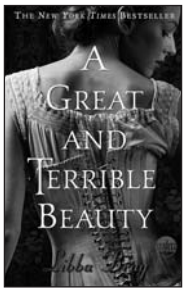
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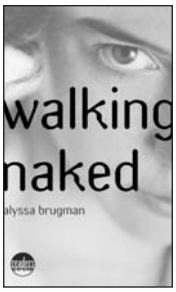
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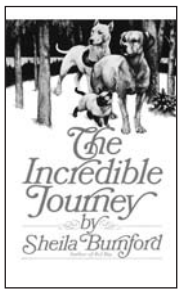
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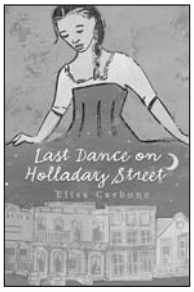
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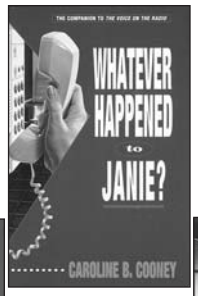
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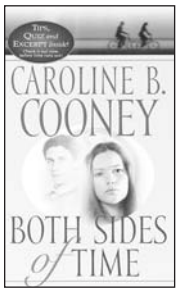
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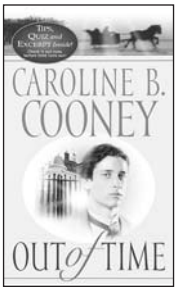
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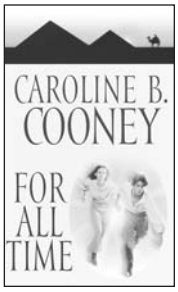
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TIME QUARTET









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When 15-year-old Annie Lockwood travels back a hundred years and lands in 1895, she at last finds romance. "Cooney has written not only a love story, a time-travel fantasy, and a murder mystery, but also a provocative and powerful examination of women, marriage, and relationships in two centuries."—*School Library Journal*

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Annie must go back to the past again—this time to save Strat, who has been locked in an insane asylum. "A harrowing adventure. . . . Sure to be enjoyed by readers."—*Booklist*

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For All Time

Time-traveling high-schooler Annie asks Time to take her to 1899 where her 19th century love, Strat, is photographing the excavation of a pyramid in Egypt. But the time-travel is a little too successful and Annie is transported back to ancient Egypt. Will Annie and Strat be able to find one another? "This is a fast-paced stand-alone conclusion to the series that began with *Both Sides of Time*."
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Fifteen-year-old Annie Lockwood travels back 100 years in time to 1895 where she finds Strat, the love of her life. She must choose whether to stay in the past or return to her own time. "This volume contains Cooney's first two Time Travel Companion novels"—*Kirkus Reviews*

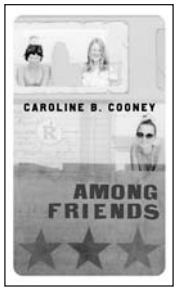
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Caroline B. Cooney



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Written in diary format from the separate points of view of six friends, this is according to Richard Peck, "[a] "timely tale about how the high-school peer group punishes the pursuit of excellence." "Readers will respond to the author's candid view of friendship with its intense bonding, rivalry and sudden, surprising meanness."—*Booklist*

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BL
Coming-of-Age; Family & Relationships; Friendship; Peer Pressure • No Restrictions



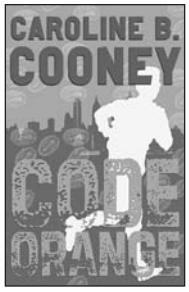
Burning Up

While investigating a suspicious fire that took place nearly 40 years earlier, 15-year-old Macey uncovers the racist past of her family and hometown, and finds her own true colors. "Convincingly depicted and . . . compellingly chronicled."—*The Bulletin*

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K
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US, Can., Opn Mkt

A Friend at Midnight

Lily has come to terms with her parent's divorce, but it's been harder on her brother Michael. After their mother remarries, her brother goes to live with his father—until he calls home from the airport where his father has abandoned him. Lily has no choice but to rescue Michael, but will she be able to rescue herself from the bitterness and anger she feels? "Starts with a jolt of adrenaline."—*Publishers Weekly*, Starred

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The Girl Who Invented Romance

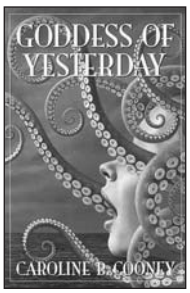
While waiting for her first big romance and observing the sometimes rocky love affairs of her parents and brother, 16-year-old Kelly develops a board game called Romance. "The game is a success and so is Kelly's love life. She gets Will, who was targeted early in the book as the boy to watch. . . . Cooney writes with such clarity of her characters' entanglements that she brings fresh perspective to the game."

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Caroline B. Cooney



Hit the Road

Sixteen-year-old Brittany reluctantly agrees to chauffeur her grandmother and her friends on a three-state road trip to bring them to their 65 college reunion. The young girl, inspired by the friends' stories and their lifelong loyalty to one another, is willing to do whatever it takes to get them to their reunion safely. "Cooney masterfully combines nonstop, cleverly plotted action with heartfelt emotion."

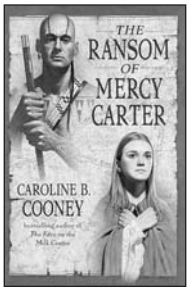
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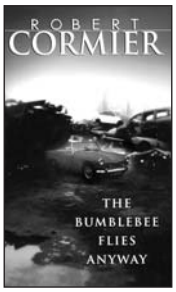
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The school year is almost at an end, and the chocolate sale is past history. But no one at Trinity can forget.

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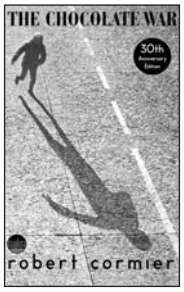
Sixteen-year-old Barney has only known life as the control subject in a clinical trial. He eventually uncovers a terrible secret about himself, a secret that drives him to fulfill his and his fellow subjects' ultimate dream. "Eloquently written and affecting."

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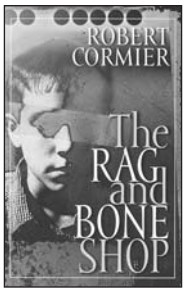
In the Middle of the Night

Sixteen-year-old Denny Colbert's father was involved in a tragic accident that killed 22 children before Denny was even born—and now he finds himself drawn into a plot for revenge that may prove deadly. "One of the eeriest of Cormier's thrillers, this account of vengeance and obsession provides the brand of suspense that has earned him so many fans."
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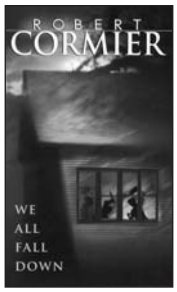
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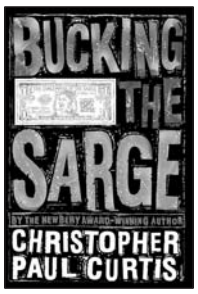
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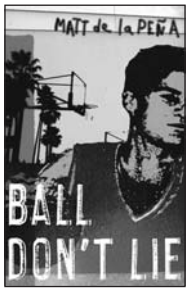
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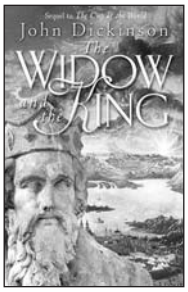
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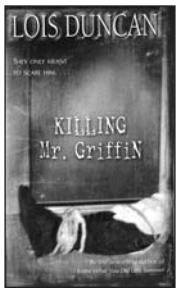
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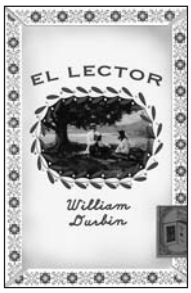
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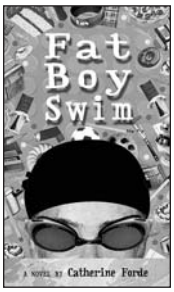
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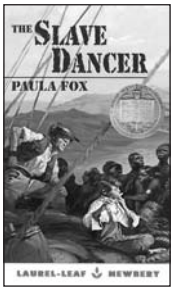
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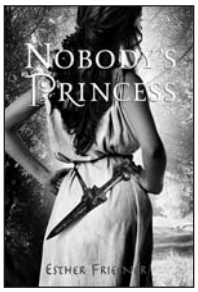
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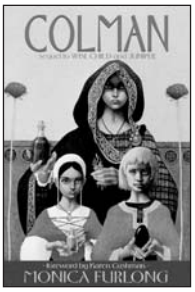
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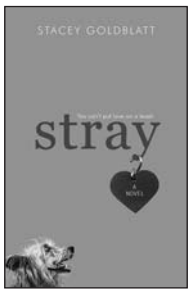
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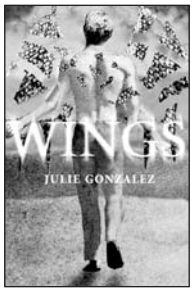
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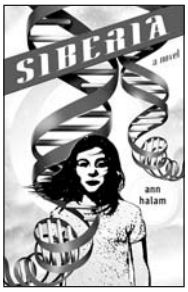
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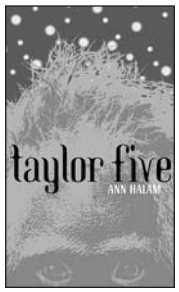
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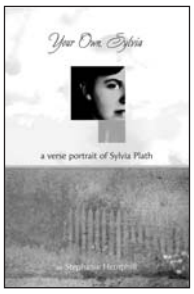
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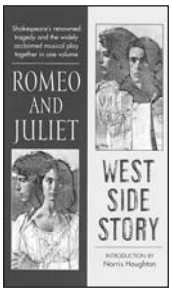
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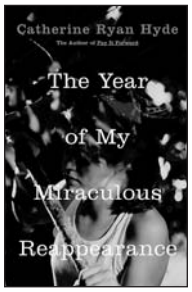
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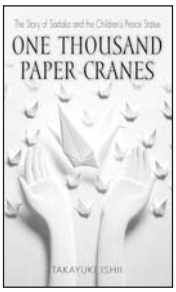
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One Thousand Paper Cranes
The Story of Sadako and the Children's Peace Statue

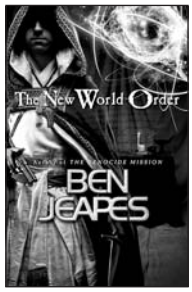
This is the inspirational story of the Japanese national campaign to build the Children's Peace Statue honoring Sadako and hundreds of other children who died as a result of the bombing of Hiroshima. Includes photographs and drawings.

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The New World Order
Two Worlds, One Order

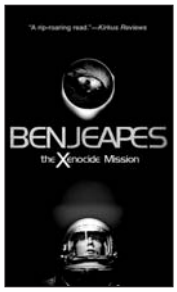
In this historical science fiction novel, an overlord from an alternative realm plots to take over Great Britain during the 1600s. "Politics, religion, and conflicting loyalties drive this complex, ingeniously imagined alternate history. The 17th-century English Civil War takes a decidedly different course after a portal to another Earth opens, and invading troops armed with late 19th-century weapons march out."
—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

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BL, C, K★, SLJ, V
Science Fiction; Historical Fiction; Britist Interest
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The Xenocide Mission

Lieutenant Joel Gilmore is part of a space observation team that finds itself attacked by the very aliens they are watching. Fellow soldiers attempt to rescue the team in a race against time, and in doing so, unlock the shocking secrets of the solar system. "A rip-roaring read."—*Kirkus Reviews*, Starred

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Annie and her mama travel from place to place as a spiritual advisor and her idiotic daughter. Mama puts people in contact with the dead and Annie gathers information about clients by pretending to be an idiot. But Annie longs to break into a real life with friends and school. Annie may be under Mama's spell—but not for long.

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Family & Relationships; Growing Up
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The Parallel Universe of Liars

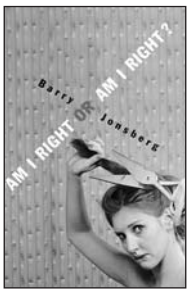
Overweight and self-conscious 15-year-old Robin becomes entangled in a web of deception involving the dreadful adult role models in her life. "Johnson not only creates a refreshingly ordinary narrator living among realistically flawed family and friends, she also frankly and even humorously deals with the sensitive topics of sex and race."
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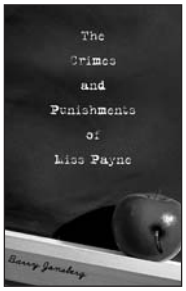
Mysteries abound in Calma Harrison's life. Clearly her mother, father, best friend, and new boyfriend are all keeping secrets. But Calma sees all—and she believes it is up to her to act and fix it all . . . *Am I Right or Am I Right?* is a whip-smart, wise-cracking novel about a girl who's learning that things aren't always what they seem, and how to start again when you've gotten it all so very wrong.

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Cheryl Klam

Learning to Swim

Steffie Rogers's mother has been suffering from love lunacy since before Steffie was born. What is love lunacy? It's what happens to her mom when she has affairs with married men. Unfortunately, Steffie's in love with Keith McKnight—who has a girlfriend. When Keith offers to teach Steffie how to swim, she finds herself in his arms and fighting the symptoms of love lunacy herself.

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Coming-of-Age; Fantasy; Mystery & Suspense; Love & Romance • No Restrictions

Leah Komaiko



Malibu Carmie

Carmie discovers that her chronically fatigued and hardworking single mom used to be a well-known surfer in Malibu. She decides that returning to the Malibu lifestyle would be the best thing for both of them. But Carmie learns that both life and moms are often more complicated than they seem on the surface. "The dialogue is realistic, and teens will follow this fast plot to the end. A light read with some fun surfing action."—*School Library Journal*

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Hist Fiction/World War I; Character Education/Respect; Patriotism; Courage & Honor; Perseverance • No Restrictions

Colton Lawrence

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After seeing his father hauled off to debtor's prison, Tom Tin is left alone on the sinister London streets. Soon wrongly accused of murder, he is sent to prison with other juvenile convicts, from where he decides to escape. "Brilliant writing, adventure and a likable character mired in the claustrophobic dark of a 19th-century convict ship will entrance all readers who love an old-fashioned tale well told."
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In an effort to reunite their sons, Elijah and Danny's parents trick them into vacationing together. However, a chance romantic encounter and an ensuing love triangle may actually push the brothers further apart. "Levithan works his magic creating two real and round narrators in a series of poetic vignettes. . . . This beautiful glimpse of fraternal love will be at home in any public library's YA section."
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Ruby Oliver is not speaking to half of her friends. But, by winter break, a new job, an unlikely but satisfying friend combo, additional entries to The Boy Book and many difficult decisions help Ruby to see that there is, indeed, life outside the Tate Universe. "Ruby's overanalytical, fast-paced and authentic narration will win over new devotees, while her loyal fans will no doubt hope for more."
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Gathering Blue

In this companion to *The Giver*, Kira is an orphan with a twisted leg who lives in a mysterious society where the weak are cast aside. While her talent as a weaver keeps her alive, no one must know of her plans to uncover the truth about her world. "Lowry has once again created a fully realized world full of drama, suspense, and even humor."
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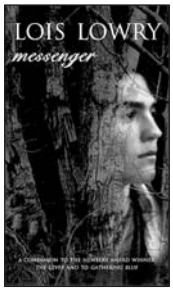
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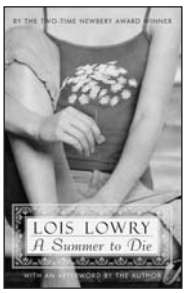
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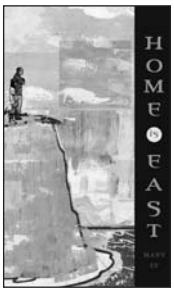
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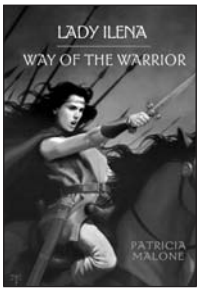
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"This quick-moving feminist adventure from first-time novelist Malone will captivate fans of Arthurian lore. Set in A.D. 500, in what is now Scotland, the story follows 15-year-old Ilena as she searches for the truth about her family after the death of her father. . . . The suspenseful first-person narration keeps the pages turning. Malone creates an ominous mood and vigorous fight scenes; the heroine's conduct proves continually resourceful . . . magnetic."—*Publishers Weekly*

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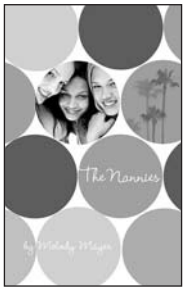
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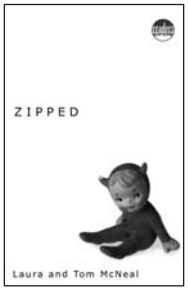
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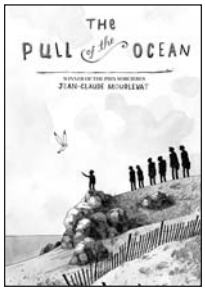
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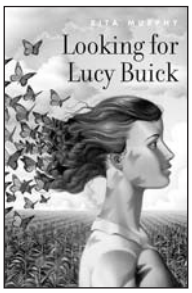
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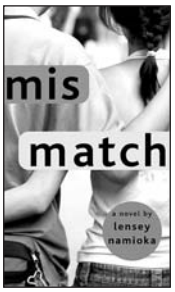
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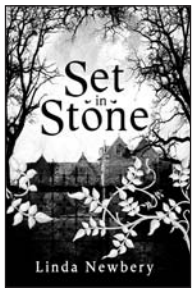
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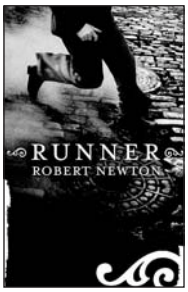
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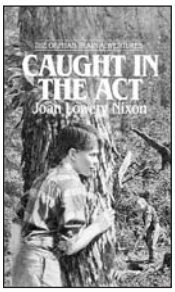
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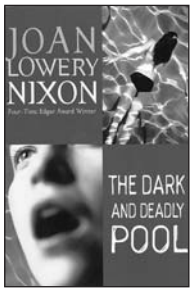
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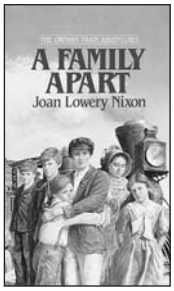
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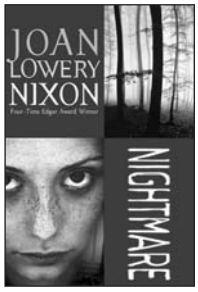
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Eleven-year-old Michael Patrick Kelly from New York City is sent to a foster home, a Missouri farm with a sadistic owner, a bullying son, and a number of secrets, one of which may be murder. "It is a thoroughly engaging story that leaves you wanting to know more about the Orphan Train and the children."—*Children's Literature*

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In 1861, while living with his foster parents at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, 12-year-old Mike Kelly and his best friend Todd Blakely join the Union army as drummer boys, but their dreams of glory end when they experience the full horrors of war at the Battle of Wilson's Creek in Missouri. "Nixon's story is an action-packed, realistic adventure."—*Booklist*

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Strange things begin happening during 16-year-old Mary Elizabeth's summer spent working at the Ridley Hotel. It all starts when she sees a ghostly image surge to the surface of the hotel pool, then disappear. In this chilling tale, whoever is behind the odd occurrences will stop at nothing—even murder—to get what he wants.

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Don't Scream

Jess is thrilled when two cute boys move to town, but she is suspicious of their erratic behavior and secretive ways. When neighborhood cats start disappearing, Jess and a computer-savvy friend start investigating, never dreaming that the Federal Witness Protection Program may have unleashed dangerous criminals in their small town. "An exciting thriller that will keep teens on the edge of their seats."
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A Family Apart

Frances Mary, the eldest of the Kelly children, shepherds her siblings through the Orphan Train trip and struggles to find them good homes. "As close to perfect a book. . . . The plot is rational and well-paced; the characters are real and believable; the time setting is important in U.S. history; and the values are all that anyone can ask for."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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The Ghosts of Now

Angie Dupree is alone in the house when the phone rings. "Your brother is dead," whispers a voice. At the hospital, Angie finds Jeremy in a coma. And Angie is on her own, trying to piece together what happened before someone will do anything to stop her. . . .

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Fifteen-year-old Lia must find the courage to confront the evil spirit lurking in Graymoss, her family's Louisiana plantation house that dates back to the Civil War. "A page-turner that will satisfy mystery and ghost story fans."—*Booklist*

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Mystery & Suspense; Determination

In the Face of Danger

"This book realistically portrays the experiences of a group of children who began this journey frightened and alone, but who over time, came to love and be cherished by their new families."
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Augustus Trevor has written a manuscript that reveals the darkest secrets of his guests. Whoever can solve Trevor's clues can have his story removed from the book. When Trevor is bludgeoned to death, his niece, Sam, is determined to find both the manuscript and the murderer. "An entertaining read. . . . The clues—and the way Sam, with lots of serendipity, puzzles through them—are clever indeed."
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Mystery & Suspense

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Emily Wood has always been haunted by chilling nightmares. When she is sent to a summer camp for underachievers the nightmares begin to blend with reality. Nixon's posthumously published tale offers an "inimitable blend of horror and whodunit, this time with a touch of shivery mysticism and a lively contemporary cast. . . . The climactic confrontation in a creepy cave in the Texan Hills is unforgettable."
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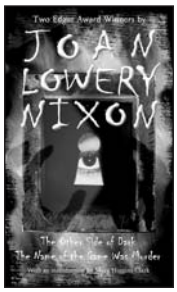












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Stacy wakes up in a hopital bed after being in a coma for four years. She learns that the stranger who shot her also killed her mother, and that she was the only witness. As she struggles to recall the stranger's identity, she fears that he may still be stalking her. "A top-rate thriller. . . . Nixon has written another compelling page-turner."—*Booklist*

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Marti is sure that her friend Barry's death is not the latest in a string of suicides at Farrington Park High School and she is determined to prove that he was murdered. "The gradual revelation of the details behind Barry's staged suicide creates an atmosphere of enthralling suspense . . . and the moral that accompanies Marti's difficult but courageous stand is just as satisfying as the intricate plot."—*Publishers Weekly*

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Holly Campbell uses the help of a mysterious psychic to help prove her friend Cody's innocence in the grisly murder of his parents. "Holly is engaging, her investigative techniques are realistically within the capabilities of a teenager, and her crisis of confidence over Cody's innocence is endearing."—*Booklist*

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When Jennifer Lee Wilcox returns home from the beach, she finds that Stella Trax, her best friend's mother, has just been murdered. The police think Stella's daughter Bobbie did it. Jennifer sets out to prove Bobbie's innocence, but as she uncovers clues, she realizes she's only leading herself to danger! "An exciting, fast-moving thriller."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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Liz can't wait for the murder mystery weekend to begin at the Ridley Hotel. Her role is to discover "the body" in Room 1927, but nothing prepares her for the real body she finds there. "Ingeniously plotted, fast-paced and lighthearted, this mystery manages to blend an engrossing double murder brainteaser with the blossoming of a self-conscious teen into a self-assured young woman."—*Publishers Weekly*

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After a near-death experience Sarah feels haunted by a shadowy presence. She hopes that her family's move to Houston will help her put the experience behind her, but when she walks into their new home, she begins to receive otherworldly messages about a murder committed in the house. "A master at creating compelling suspense novels, Nixon . . . has written yet another carefully plotted, subtly terrifying thriller."—*Publishers Weekly*

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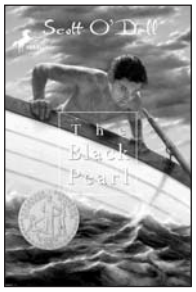
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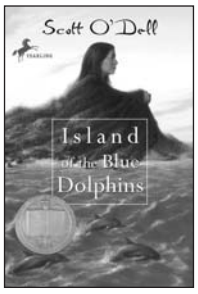
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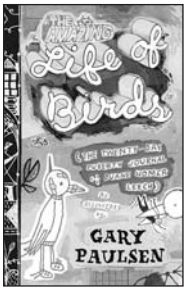
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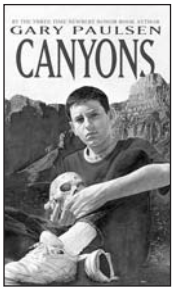
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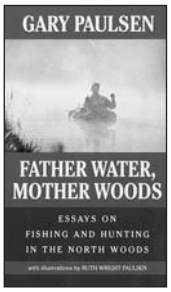
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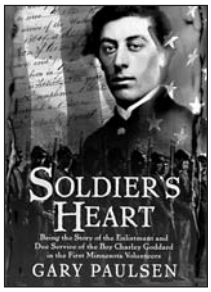












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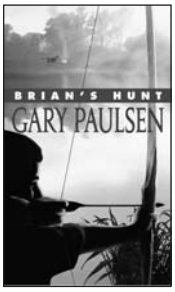
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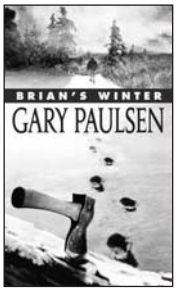
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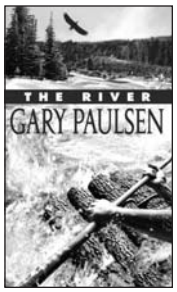
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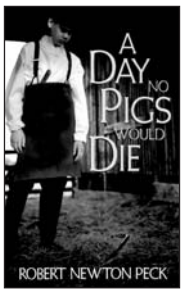
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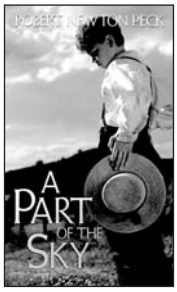
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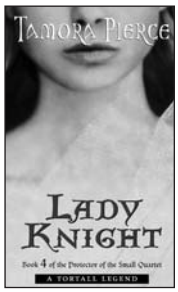
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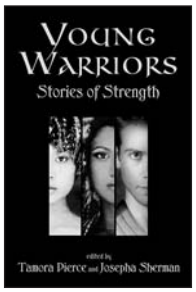
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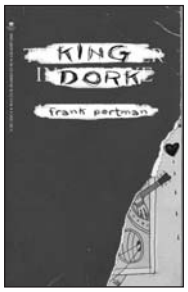
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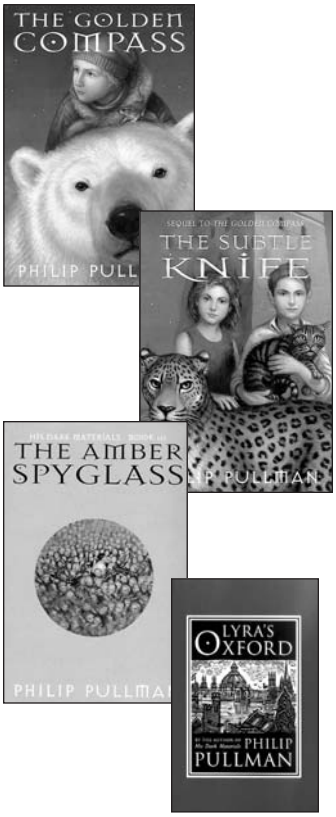
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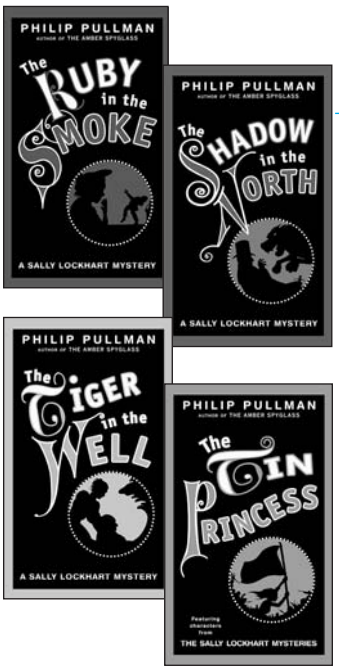
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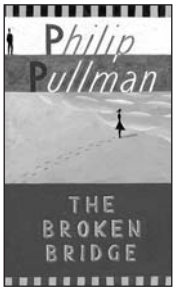
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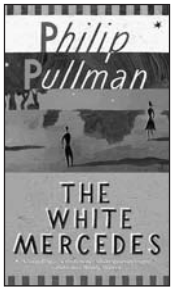
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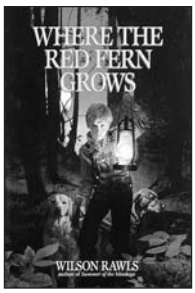
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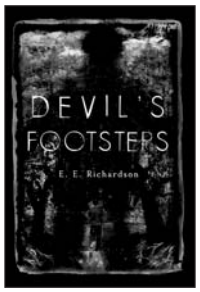
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The Intruders

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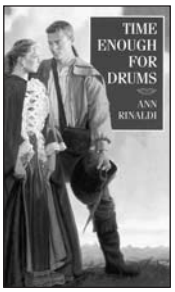
The Last Silk Dress

Fourteen-year-old Susan Chilmarks wants to do something to support the Confederacy during the Civil War—but she begins to question the corruption and hypocrisy in her family and her world. "Susan's transition from girl to thinking young woman is well developed. . . . The Civil War background is exceptionally well portrayed."—*Kirkus Reviews*

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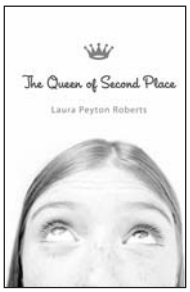
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Cassie has been second best all her life. This semester the time has come to move from Queen B to Queen Bee. But how is she supposed to fly when life keeps pinching her wings? Her busy life and lovesick brother won't allow poor Cassie to concentrate on the school talent contest or her new boyfriend. Can a girl become queen without losing her honey? "A fun read that should appeal to teens going through the first joys and trials of young love."

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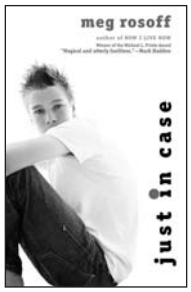
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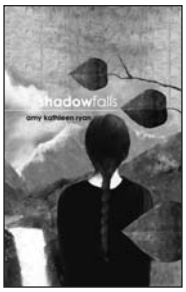
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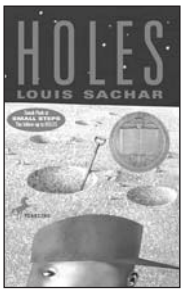
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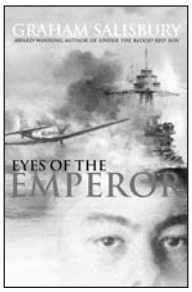
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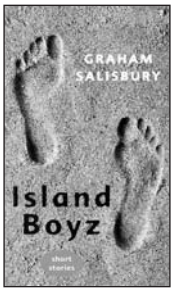
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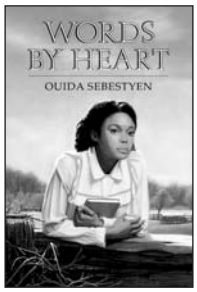
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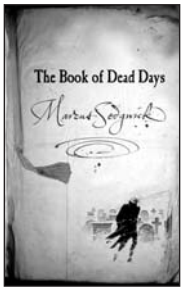
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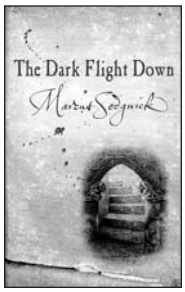
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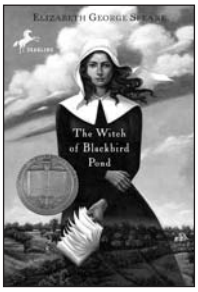
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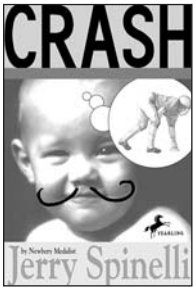
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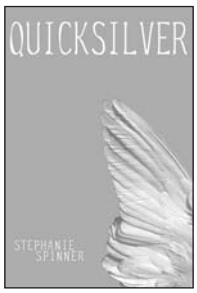
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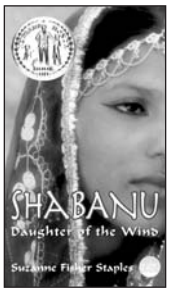
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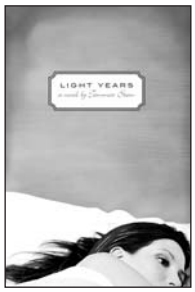
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Andreas Steinhöfel

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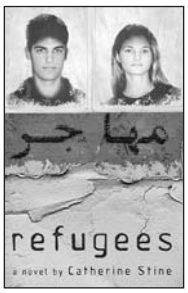
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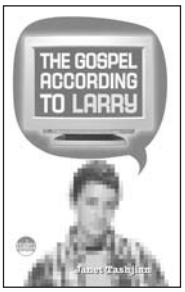
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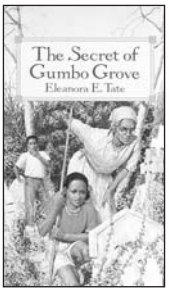
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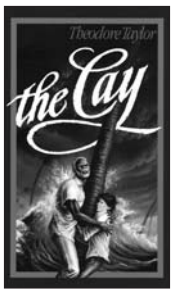
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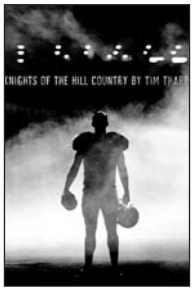
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Arthur M. Flood cannot wait to leave his hick Kansas town in the dust. Sitting on the dock of a lake, he counts the days until high school graduation. Then, up from the depths swims . . . a girl. A girl who makes him mad and mad for her, and helps him find a pathway to his past, his future, and where his heart truly lies.

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Ned Vizzini

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A Quasi-autobiography

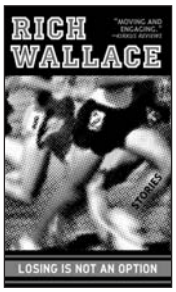
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Basketball-obsessed high school senior Jay feels rejected—by the varsity basketball coach, by girls he likes, and by his parents. Can Jay overcome these and other obstacles to form the type of life he wants for himself? "Wallace scores with this one."—*Booklist*

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April Halprin Wayland

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Sadie's mother thinks she doesn't try hard enough at anything she does, and her teachers think she's lazy. Sadie doesn't even believe in herself. But she's put to the test when her mother becomes ill and Sadie must run the business. Hilarious, moving, and poignant, this is a wonderful story about a girl who overcomes all odds and achieves success in more ways than one. "Sadie is an endearing character who learns how strong she really is and how to stand up for herself."
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Recently acquitted of murder, 17-year-old David moves away from home to live with his aunt and uncle, only to find that his 11-year-old cousin, Lily, has an ugly past as well. "Teens will find this tautly plotted thriller, rich in complex, finely drawn characters, an absolute page-turner."
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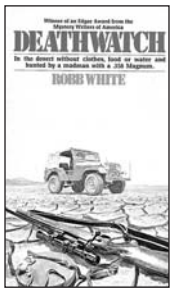
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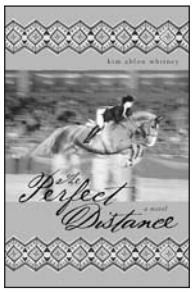
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THE HOLLYWOOD SISTERS



The Hollywood Sisters: Backstage Pass

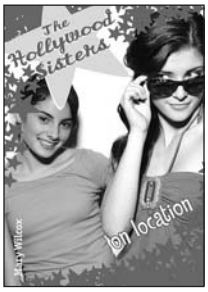
One sister's a sitcom star—the other solves mysteries in the set's shadows. Starlet suspects, scoop-filled text messages, and healthy doses of jealousy, romance, and growing pains? That's *The Hollywood Sisters*, baby. "[A] highly enjoyable tale of the small screen."
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The Hollywood Sisters: On Location

Real life isn't *reel* life, right? At least that's what Jeremy Jones tried to tell me after his red carpet smoochfest with Paige. Not. Buying. It. Besides, I'm too busy drinking in all the local color (from Mayan ruins to Cheeseheads!) as part of my sister E's entourage . . . and digging deep to find out who's behind the mysterious mishaps on the *Two Sisters* set. Because all roads seem to leading back to (big gulp) . . . yours truly.

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This free-verse novel tells the stories of Gabe and Helen, teenagers who become parents after a one-night stand. "The book takes a sensitive and thoughtful look at a number of other characters as well, each of whom has been betrayed in some way and is dealing, or refusing to deal, with the grief of the situation. Teen readers will love this story and will appreciate its hopeful ending."—*School Library Journal*

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Martina Wildner

Shooting Stars Everywhere

Thirteen-year-old Victor keeps a journal about the mysterious letters that began arriving on his birthday, his fear of the high diving board, confusion over his divorced parents' relationship, and an assertive girl he calls D. "Wildner weaves an excellent portrait of a confused, lonely boy trying to make sense of his family, his world, and himself."—*The Horn Book Magazine*

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Jacqueline Wilson

Girls in Love

"In Wilson's fast-paced first book in the Girlfriends Trilogy, ninth-grader Ellie describes why she's 'feeling so fed up' and the sticky situations in which she finds herself. Ellie's first-person narration possesses a Bridget Jones-like energy and compulsiveness. . . . The funny narrative, filled with British colloquialisms, . . . make this a breezy read."—*Publishers Weekly*

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Girls Under Pressure

Ellie is self-conscious about her appearance and flirts with bulimia and anorexia. Her two friends Magda and Nadine also battle with image issues, but the three girls support one another in this second book in Wilson's trilogy. Readers will "appreciate the sensitivity and humor Wilson uses to show how common adolescent dilemmas become extraordinary events for each girl."—*Booklist*

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Girls Out Late

In the third book in Wilson's series, Ellie tests her parents' rules when she falls for a new boyfriend. She and her best friends Magda and Nadine also have to rely on each other to get out of a dangerous situation with shady boys they meet one night in London. "The author does a good job portraying the angst of teen love and the importance of best friends."
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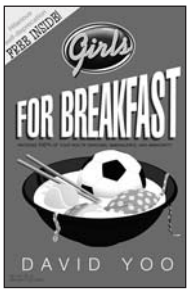
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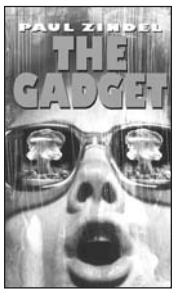
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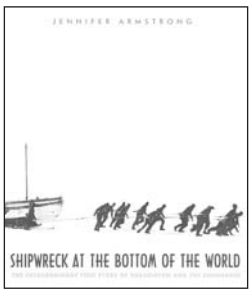
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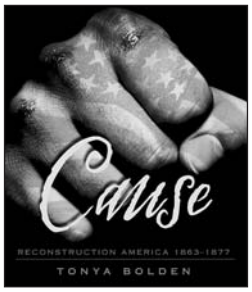
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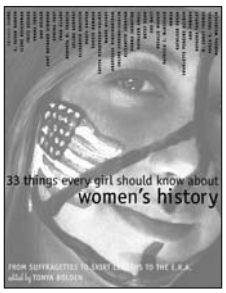
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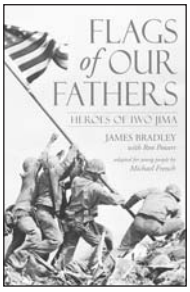
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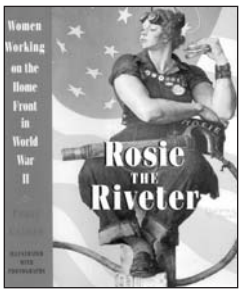
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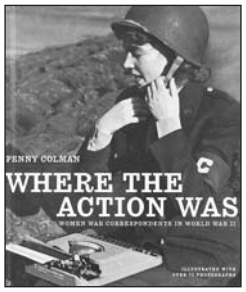
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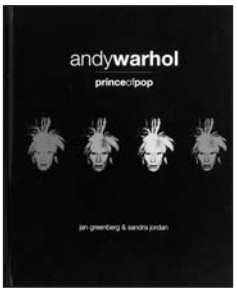
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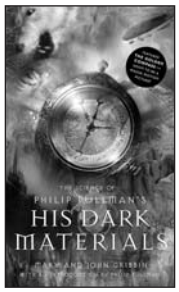
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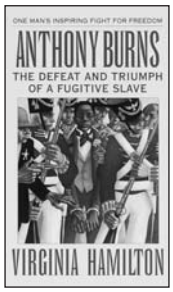
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The Acorn People

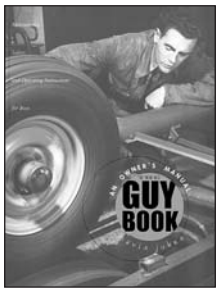
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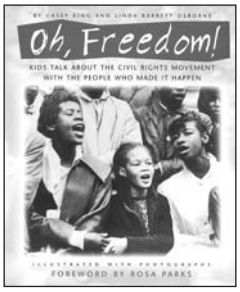
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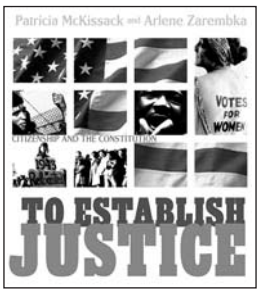
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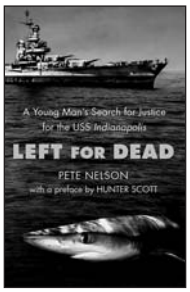
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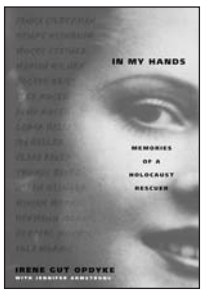
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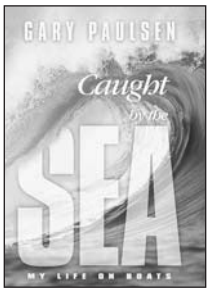
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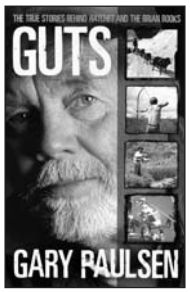
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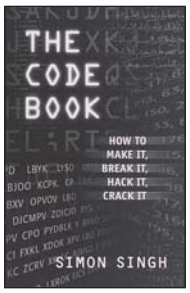
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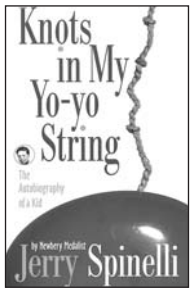
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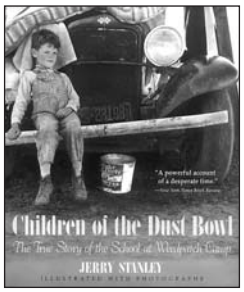
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Children of the Dust Bowl
The True Story of the School at Weedpatch Camp

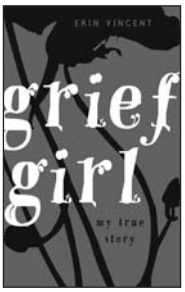
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Medio Pollito/Half-Chicken

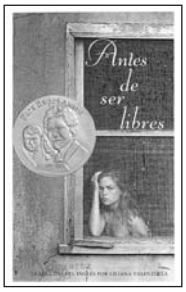
Do you know why a weathervane has a little rooster on the top, spinning around to tell us which way the wind is blowing? Here is the answer in this old story about Half-Chicken, who has one eye, one leg, and one wing. His adventures take him far and wide until he's carried straight to the top, in this lively retelling—in Spanish and English—of a traditional folktale.

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Rev. W. Awdry



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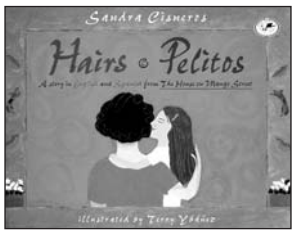
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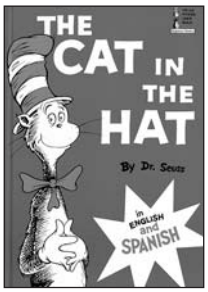
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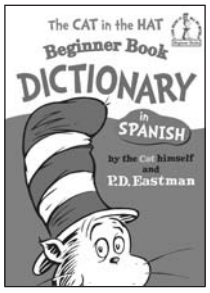
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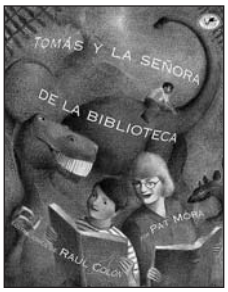
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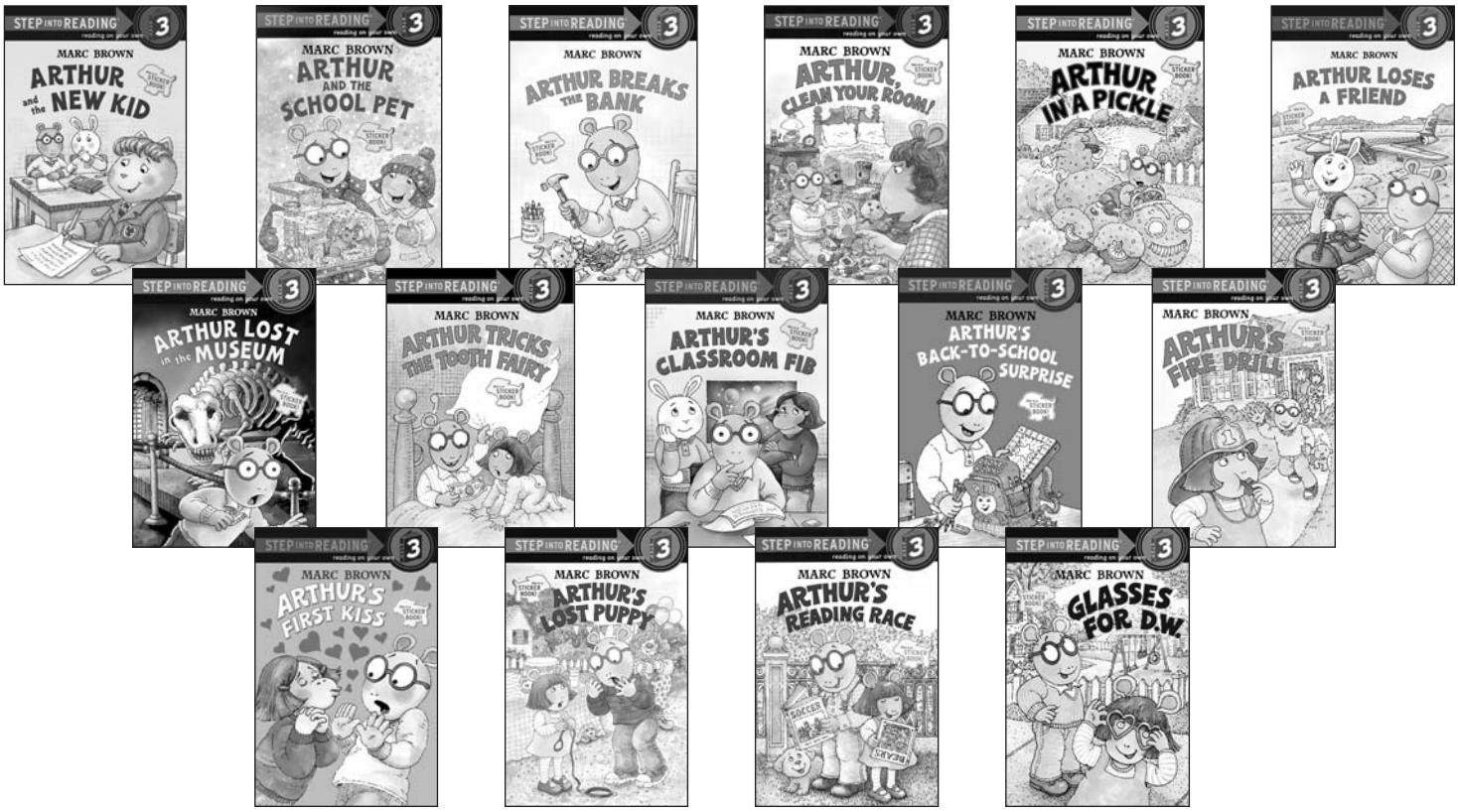
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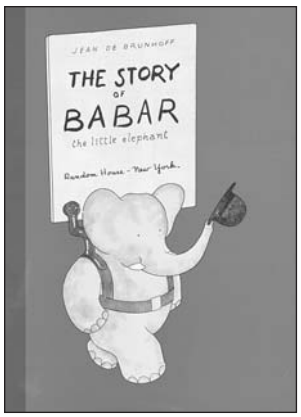
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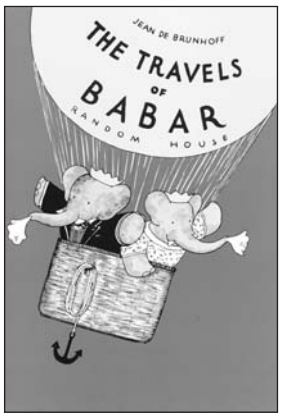
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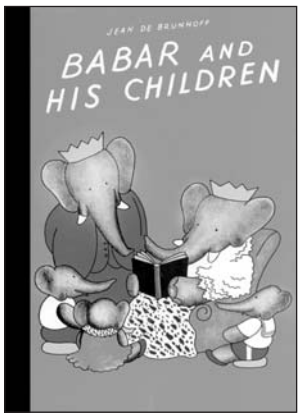
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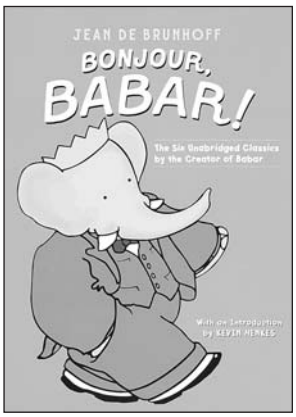












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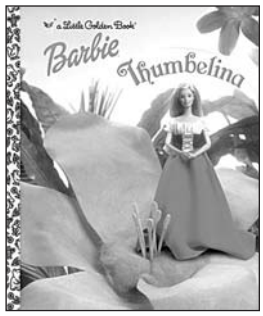


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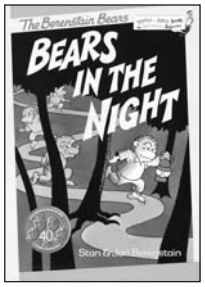
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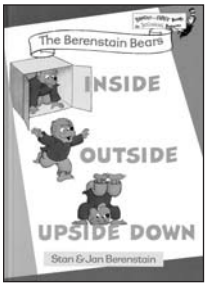
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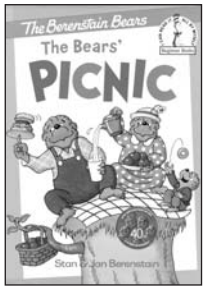
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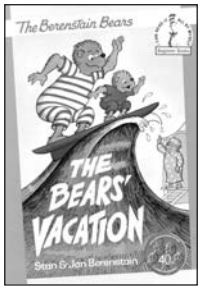


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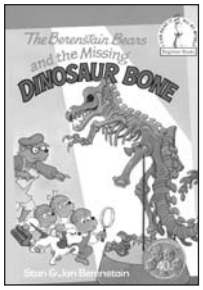
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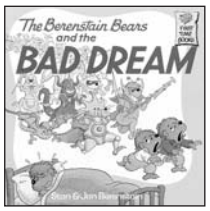
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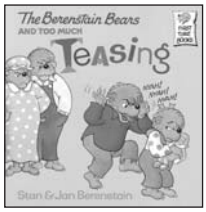
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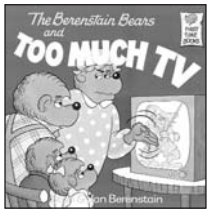
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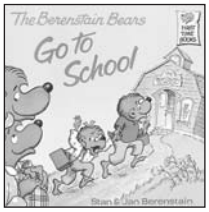
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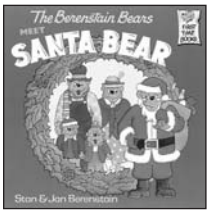
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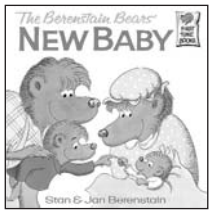
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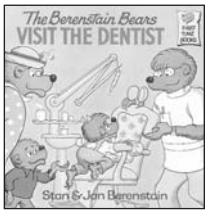
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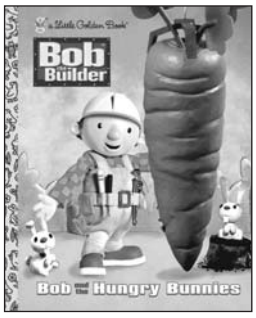
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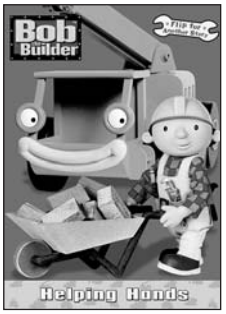
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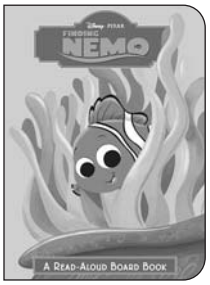
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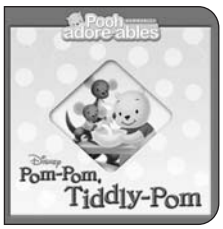
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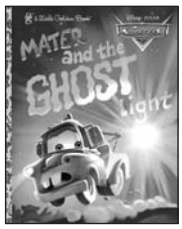


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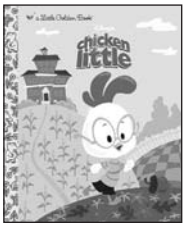


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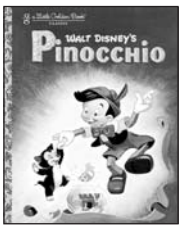
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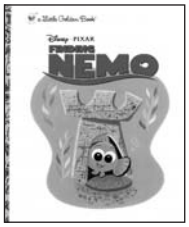
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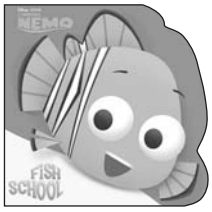


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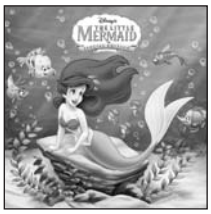




















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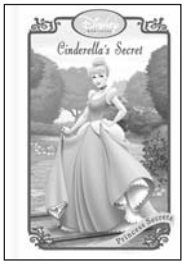


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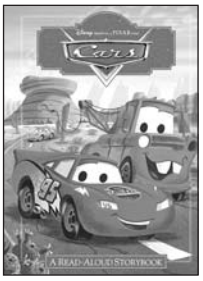
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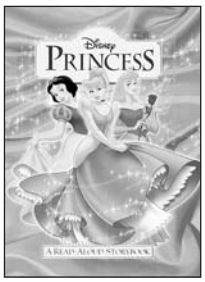


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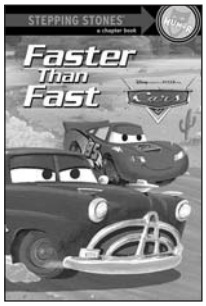
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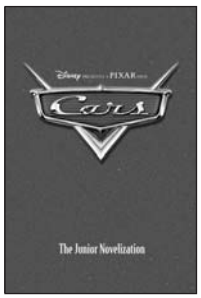
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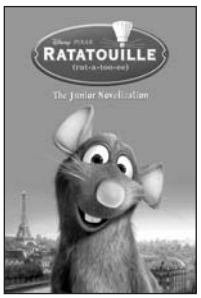
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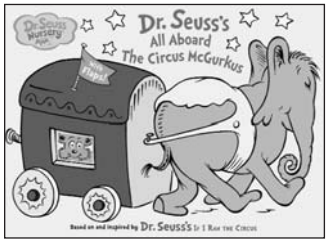
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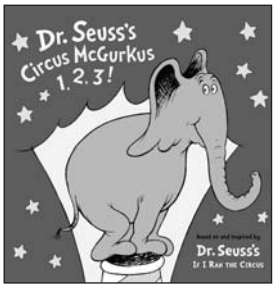
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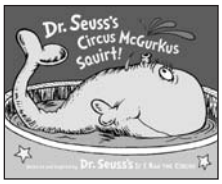


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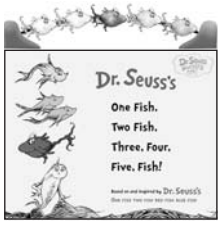


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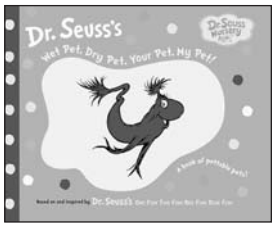
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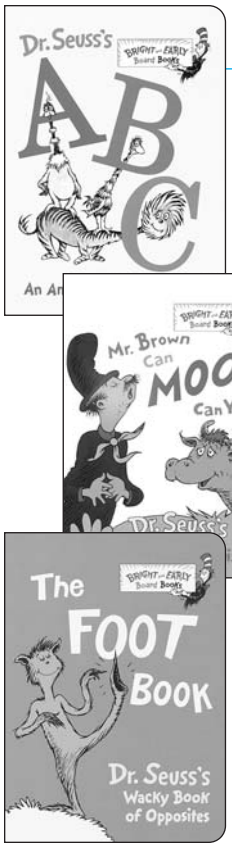
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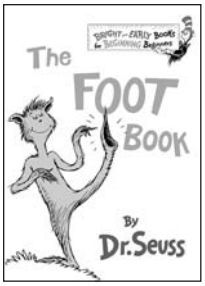
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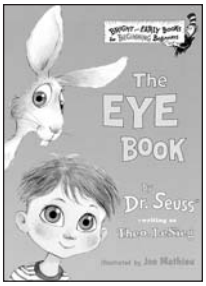
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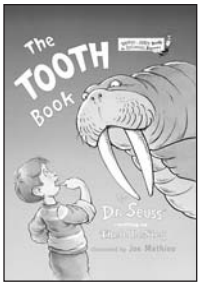
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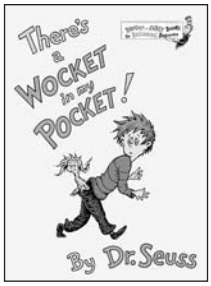
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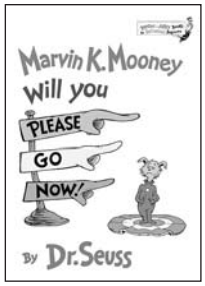


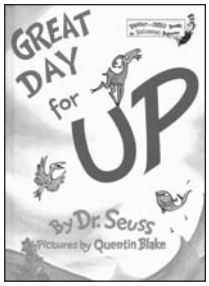












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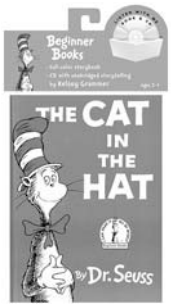
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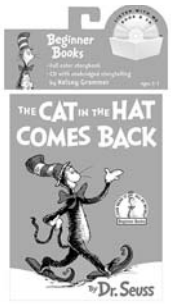


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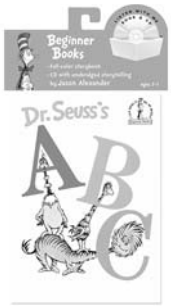


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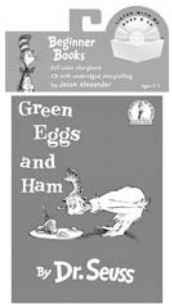


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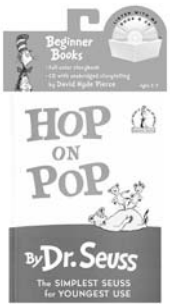


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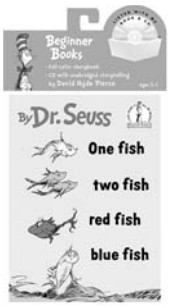


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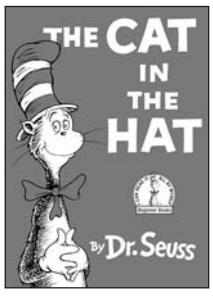
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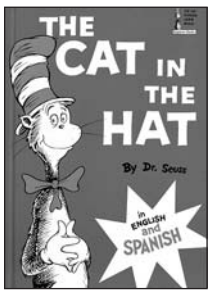
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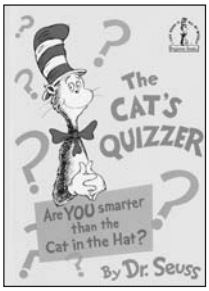
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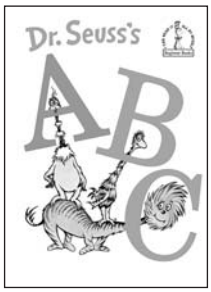
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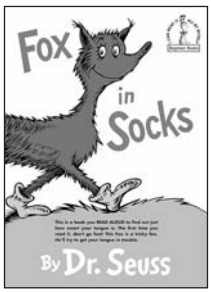
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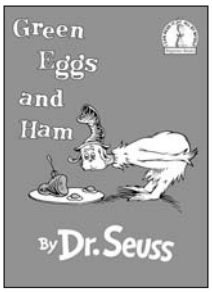
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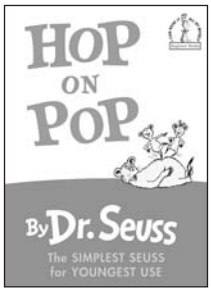
Sam-I-Am mounts a determined campaign to convince another Seuss character to eat a plate of green eggs and ham. "Limited vocabulary but unlimited exuberance of illustration."—*School Library Journal*

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I Am Not Going to Get Up Today!

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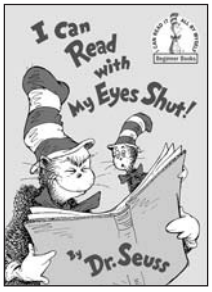
Everyone in town—even the police, the marines, and a brass band—tries to get the young hero of this silly rhyming story out of bed, but he adamantly refuses. "Stevenson shows the surrounding madcap lunacy, as well as the neat, sublime smile of the narrator recounting his plans. Easygoing and funny fare, not only for beginning readers."—*Publishers Weekly*

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A boy wishes for duck feet and many other favorite animal parts. "Will be a favorite with young readers."
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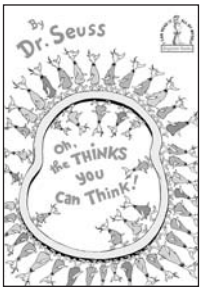
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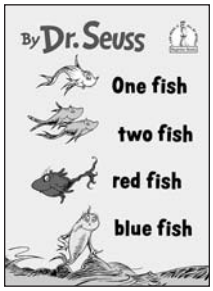
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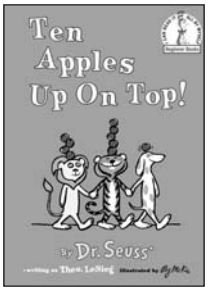
Spot, a polka-dot leopard who can change colors and even juggle his own spots, tries to convince two children that he is special enough to be exhibited in the zoo.

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Ten Apples Up on Top!

DR SEUSS WRITING AS Theo. LeSieg
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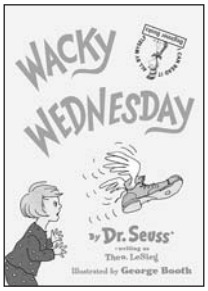
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A baffled youngster awakens one morning to find everything's out of place, but no one seems to notice! Beginning readers will have fun discovering all the wacky things wrong on each page while sharpening their ability to observe, as well as to read.

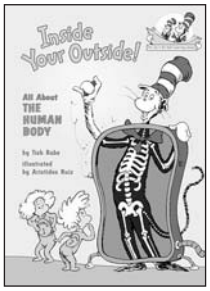
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THE CAT IN THE HAT'S LEARNING LIBRARY



Inside Your Outside
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The Cat in the Hat, with help from Thing 1 and Thing 2, gives Sally and Dick a tour of the human body in his Inside Your Outside machine. Readers will learn along with Sally and Dick as they scuba dive through the blood system and follow food through the digestive tract. Loads of facts about the human body are presented in rhyming text sure to please beginning readers.

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Clam-I-Am!
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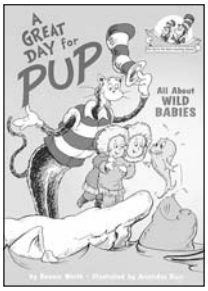
Tune in to the Fish Channel to see special guest Clam-I-Am on Norval the Fish's talk show. Beginning readers will delight in this nautically inspired Cat in the Hat Learning Library book which also guest stars Thing One, Thing Two, and the Cat in the Hat himself.

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Hurray for Today!
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In rhymed verse, the Cat in the Hat explains the origins of common holiday rituals. Holidays include Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, New Year's, Groundhog's Day, Valentine's Day, President's Day, St. Patrick's Day—and that's only through March!

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THE CAT IN THE HAT'S LEARNING LIBRARY



I Can Name 50 Trees Today!
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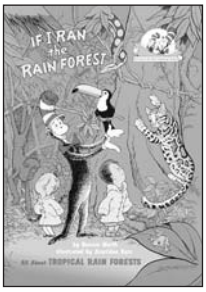
While stopping to admire some of the world's most amazing trees, the Cat and Co. teach beginning readers how to identify different species from the shape of their crowns, leaves, lobes, seeds, bark, and fruit. Kids will learn about many trees common to North America.

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If I Ran the Rain Forest
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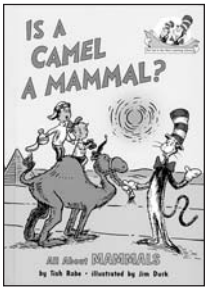
The Cat in the Hat takes Sally and Dick for an "umbrella-vator" ride through the understory, canopy, and emergent layers of a tropical rain forest, encountering a host of plants, animals, and native peoples along the way.

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Is a Camel a Mammal?
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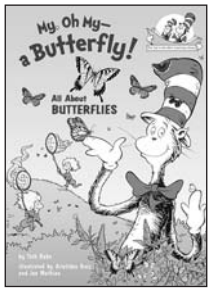
The Cat in the Hat is back to teach Dick and Sally all about mammals, along with the help of his ever-active assistants Thing 1 and Thing 2. The simple rhyming text and interesting facts about a vast array of mammals, from bandicoots to shrews, will keep younger readers interested.

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My, Oh My—a Butterfly!
All About Butterflies

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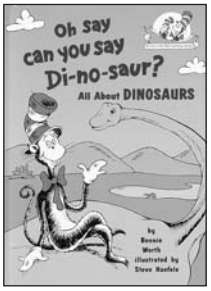
With a little help from the Cat in the Hat, Sally and Dick observe a small miracle in their own backyard—the metamorphosis of an egg into a caterpillar into a chrysalis into a bright new butterfly! Along the way, beginning readers will find out all sorts of interesting facts about butterflies and how to identify them.

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Oh, Say Can You Say Di-no-saur?
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The Cat in the Hat is back—this time riding a brachiosaurus! The fun-loving cat takes Sally and Dick back in time to learn all about fossils and then on to his Dino Museum to complete the lesson with information about the different traits of the prehistoric creatures. "A good choice for kids who still like their nonfiction told in story form and laced with humor."
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Oh Say Can You Say What's the Weather Today?
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The Cat in the Hat, with help from Thing 1 and Thing 2, takes Sally and Dick up in a hot-air balloon to teach them about the weather. This great addition to The Cat in the Hat's Learning Library uses rhyming text to explore various weather phenomena from rain and snow to hurricanes and tornadoes. It also includes information about thermometers, cloud formations, and much more!

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Oh Say Can You Seed?
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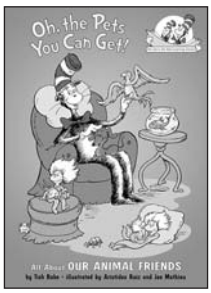
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The Cat in the Hat is back with the able assistance of Thing 1 and Thing 2, to teach Sally and Dick all about plants. The simple rhyming text is packed with information on the various parts of plants, seeds, and flowers; pollination and photosynthesis; and more. This book is sure to be a hit with beginning readers and budding botanists.

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Oh, the Pets You Can Get!
All About Our Animal Friends

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The Cat in the Hat takes off to the faraway land of Gerpletz, where they know quite a lot about caring for pets—especially cats, dogs, guinea pigs, birds, and bunnies! The Cat teaches beginning readers how to keep their pets healthy, safe, and happy.

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All About Staying Healthy

Tish Rabe
ILLUSTRATED BY Aristides Ruiz

In engaging Seussian style, young readers learn all about good nutrition, exercise habits, sleep, and hygiene. In this rhyming lesson, the Cat in the Hat takes Sally and Dick to a health spa and introduces them to the basics of staying fit and healthy. There are plenty of interesting fun facts, like the distance and speed of a sneeze, scattered throughout the book.

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On Beyond Bugs!
All About Insects

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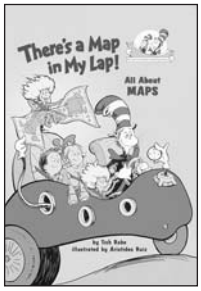
The Cat and cast from *The Cat in the Hat* learn how insects—from the spittlebug to the honeybee to the moth—see, smell, communicate, and pollinate.

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There's a Map on My Lap!
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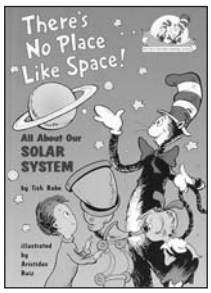
The Cat in the Hat teaches Dick and Sally a thing or two about cartography along with help from Thing 1 and Thing 2. The Cat includes explanations on the myriad types of maps—topographic, city, state, temperature—the many tools used to read them, and plenty of silly facts and observances to get beginning readers interested in learning more.

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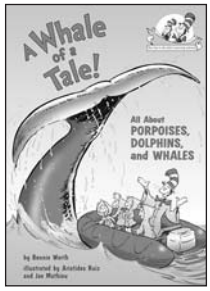
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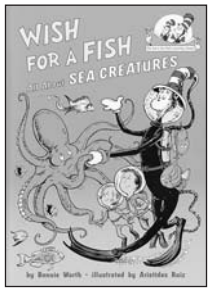
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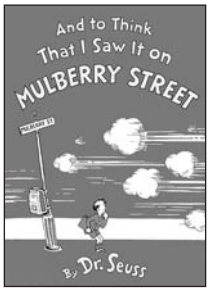
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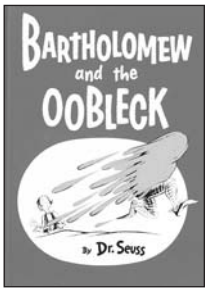
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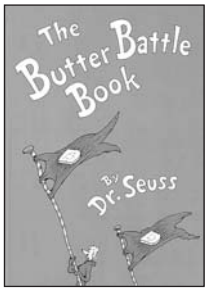
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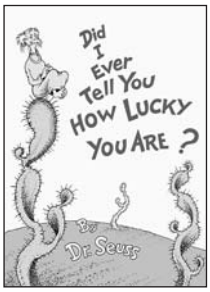
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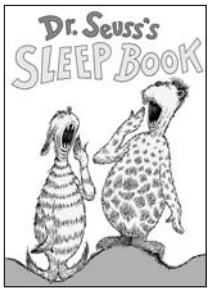
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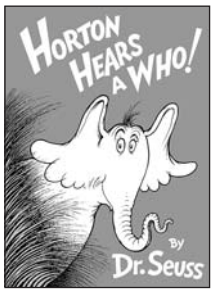
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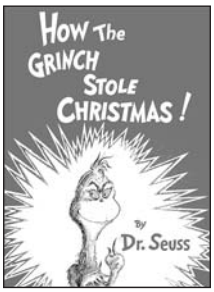
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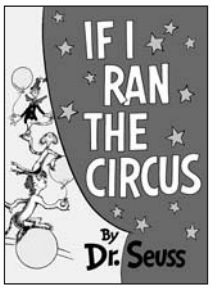
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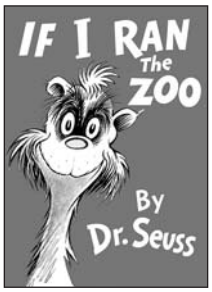
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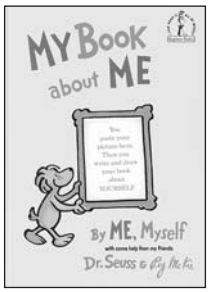
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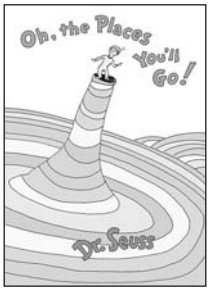
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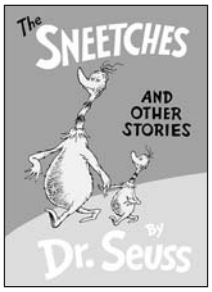
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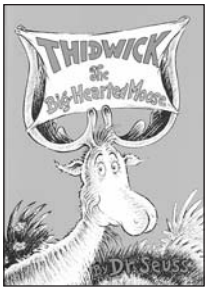
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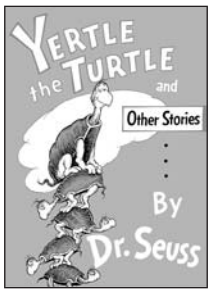
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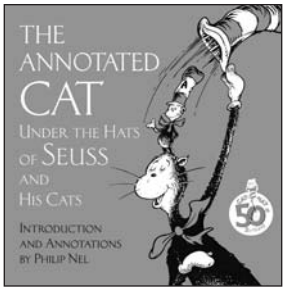
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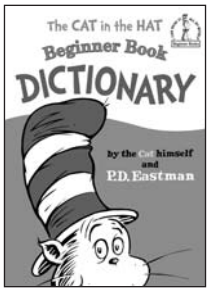
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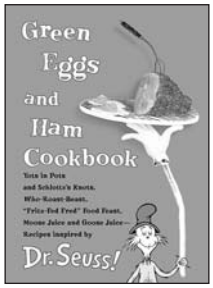
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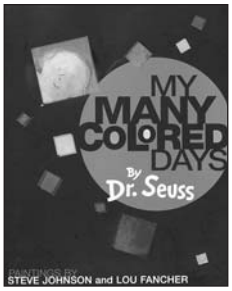
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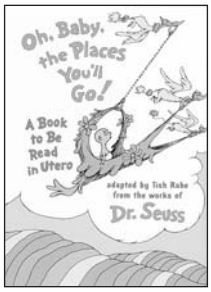
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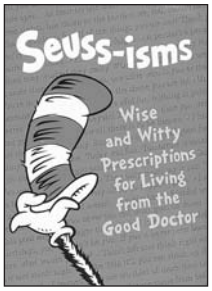
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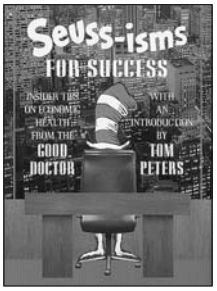
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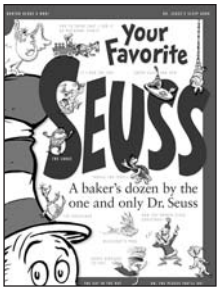
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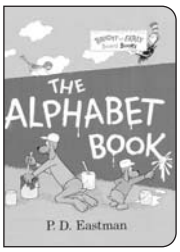
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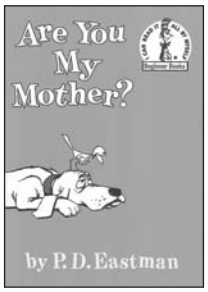
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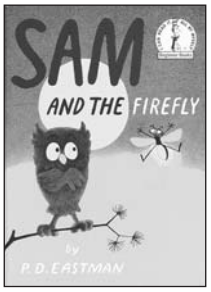
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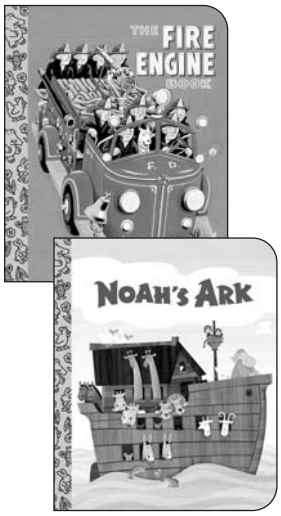
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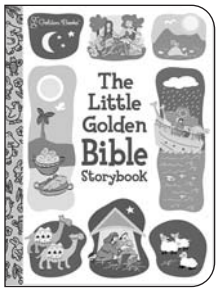
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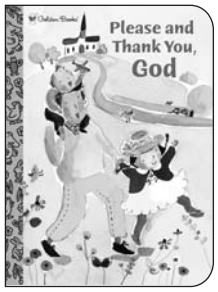


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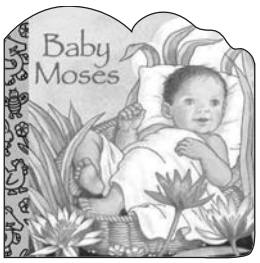
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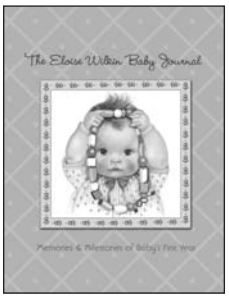
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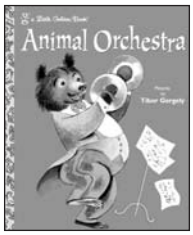
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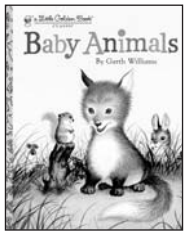
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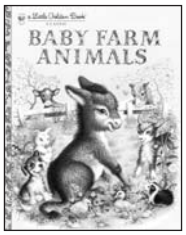
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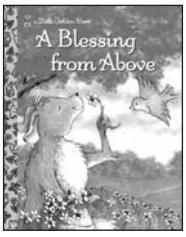
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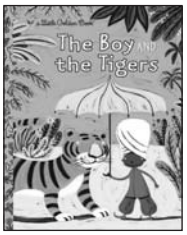
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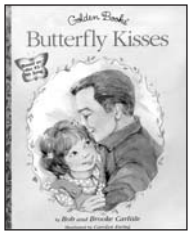
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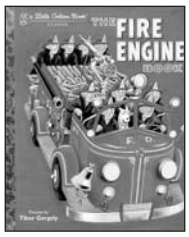
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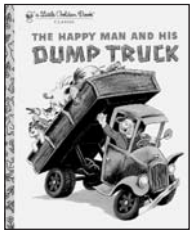
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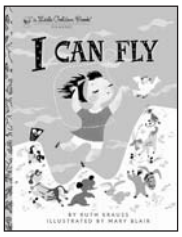
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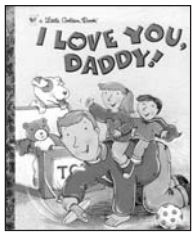
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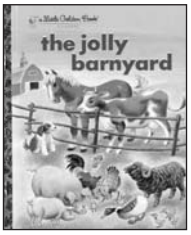
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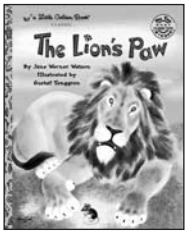
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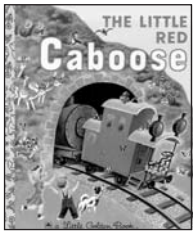
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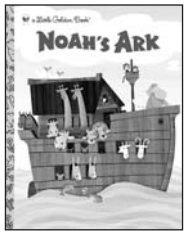
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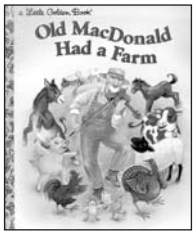
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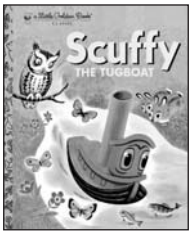
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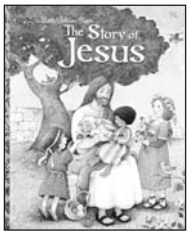
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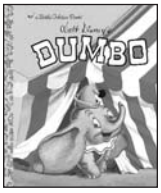
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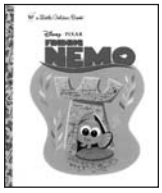
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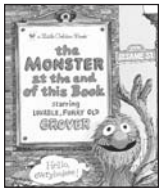


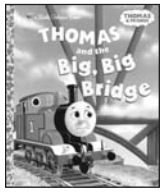












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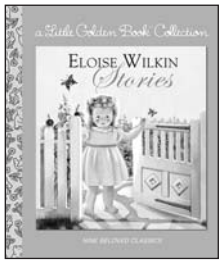
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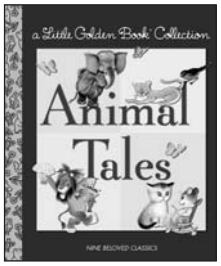


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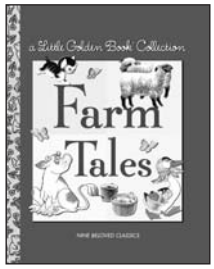
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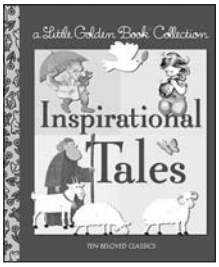
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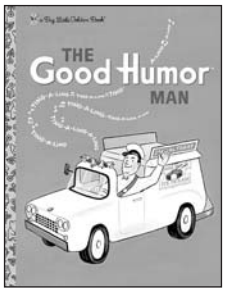
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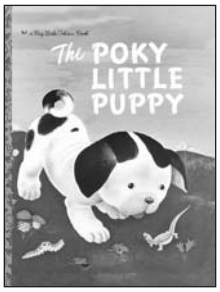
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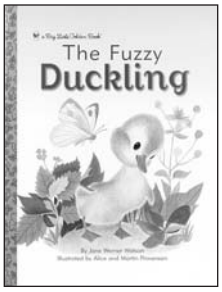
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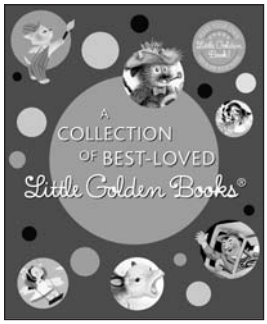
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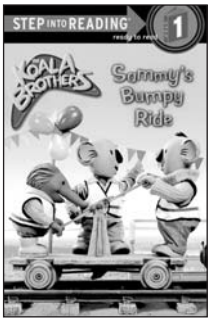
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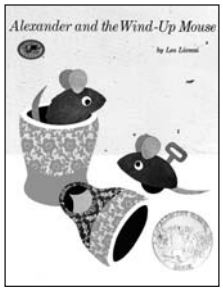
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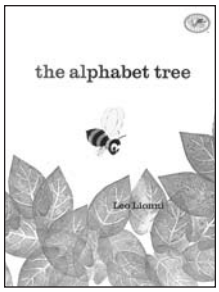
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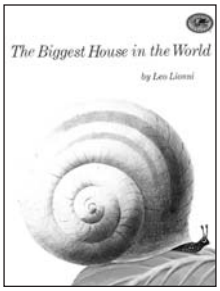
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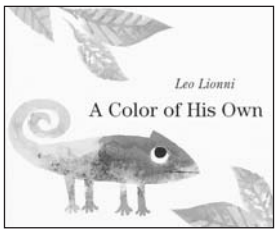
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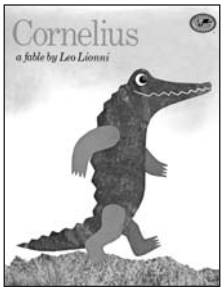
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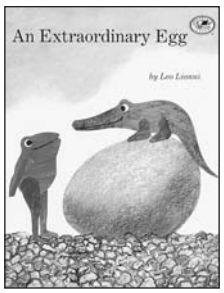
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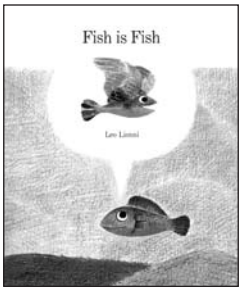
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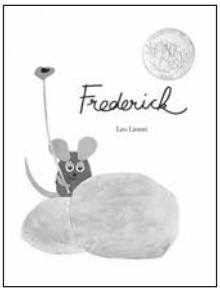
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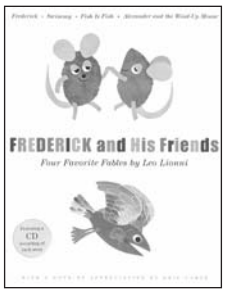
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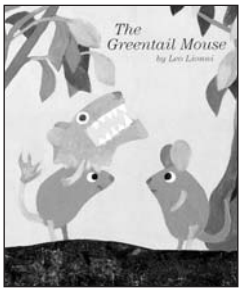
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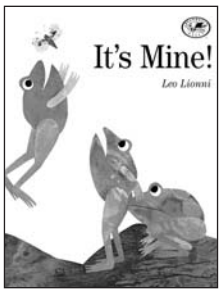
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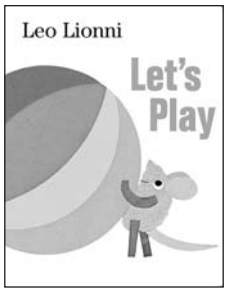
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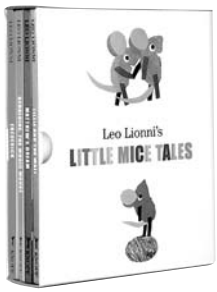
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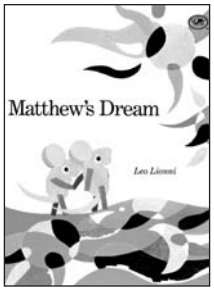
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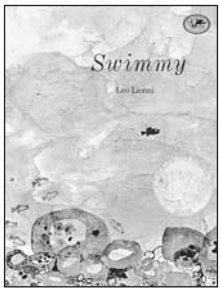
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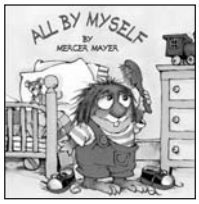
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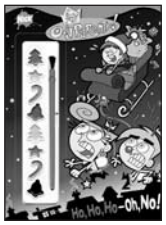
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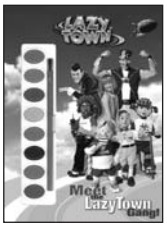
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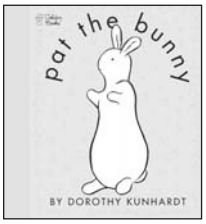
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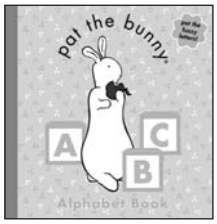
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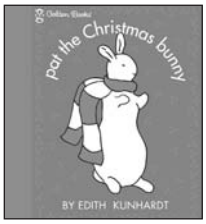
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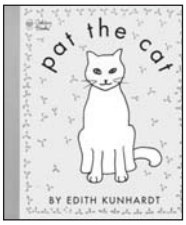


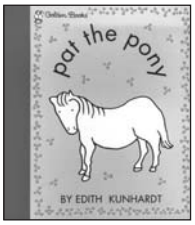


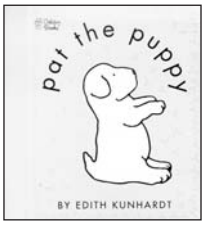














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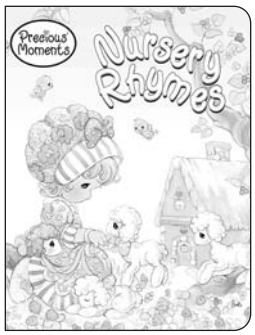


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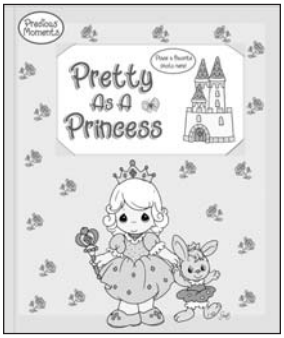


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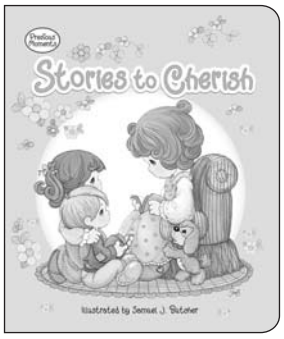


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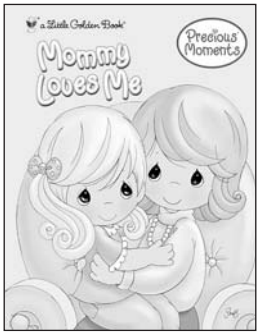


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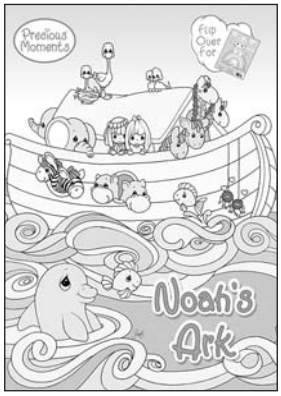


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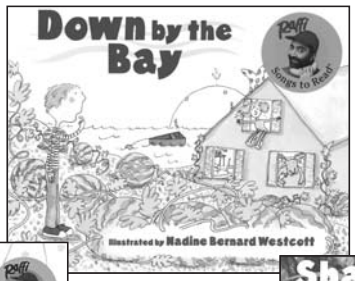
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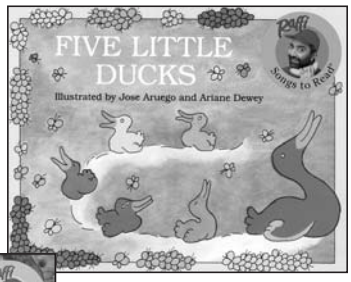
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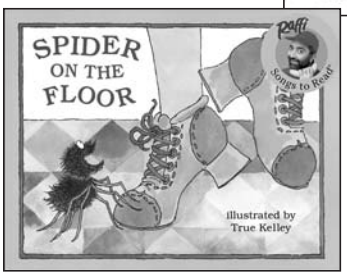


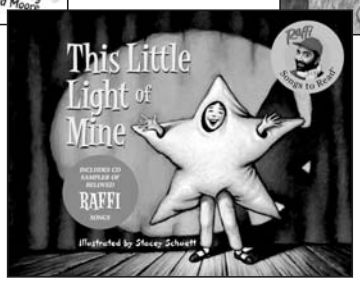


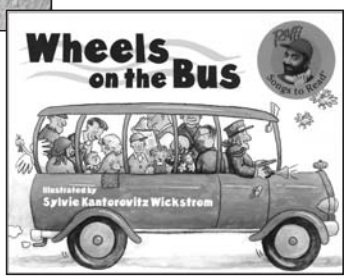












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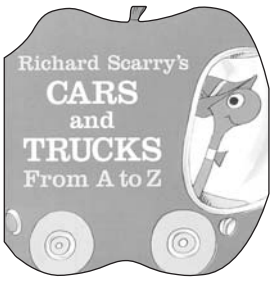
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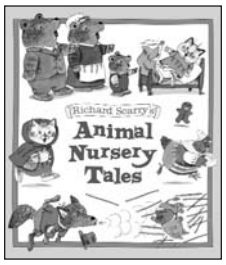
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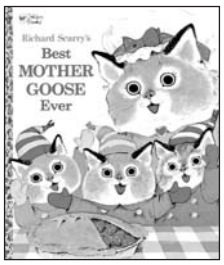
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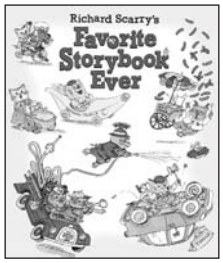
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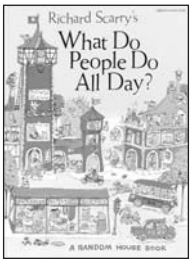
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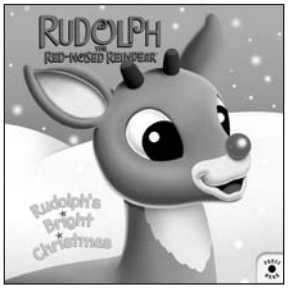
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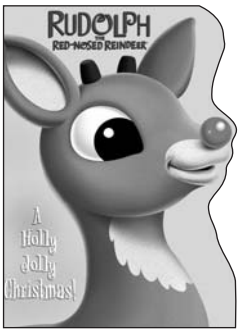
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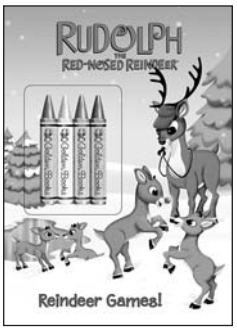


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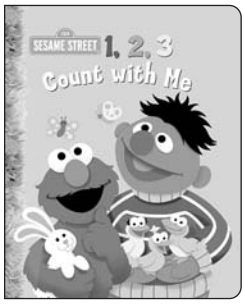
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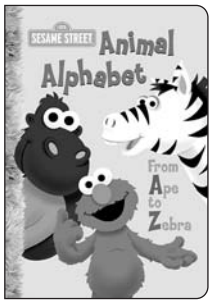


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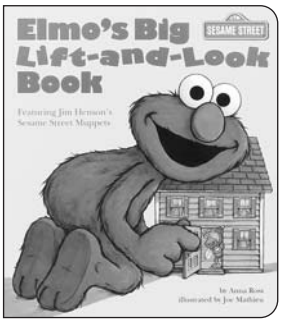
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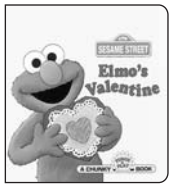
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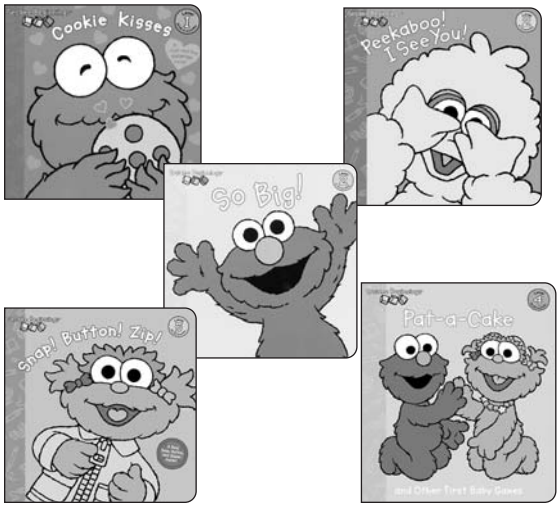
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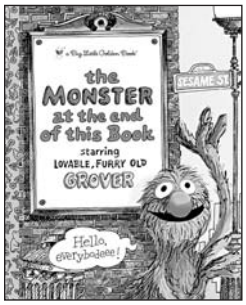
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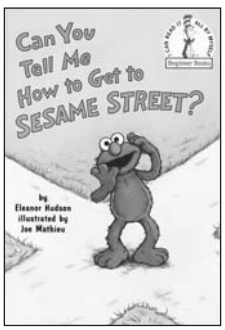
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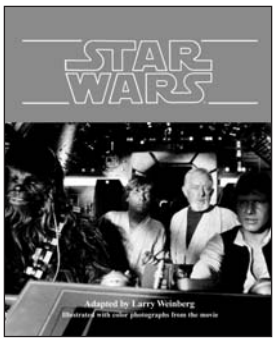
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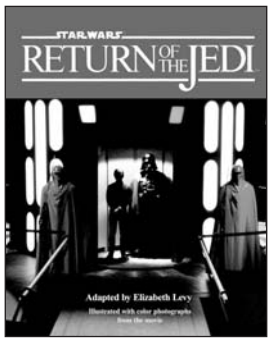
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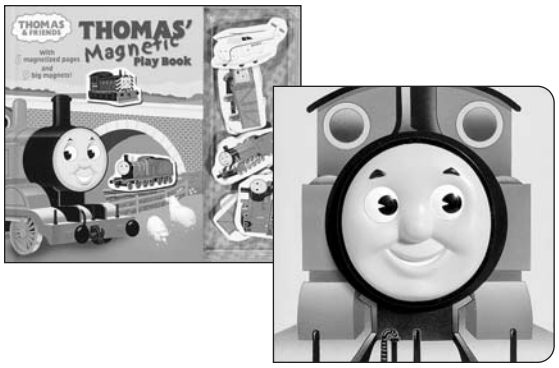
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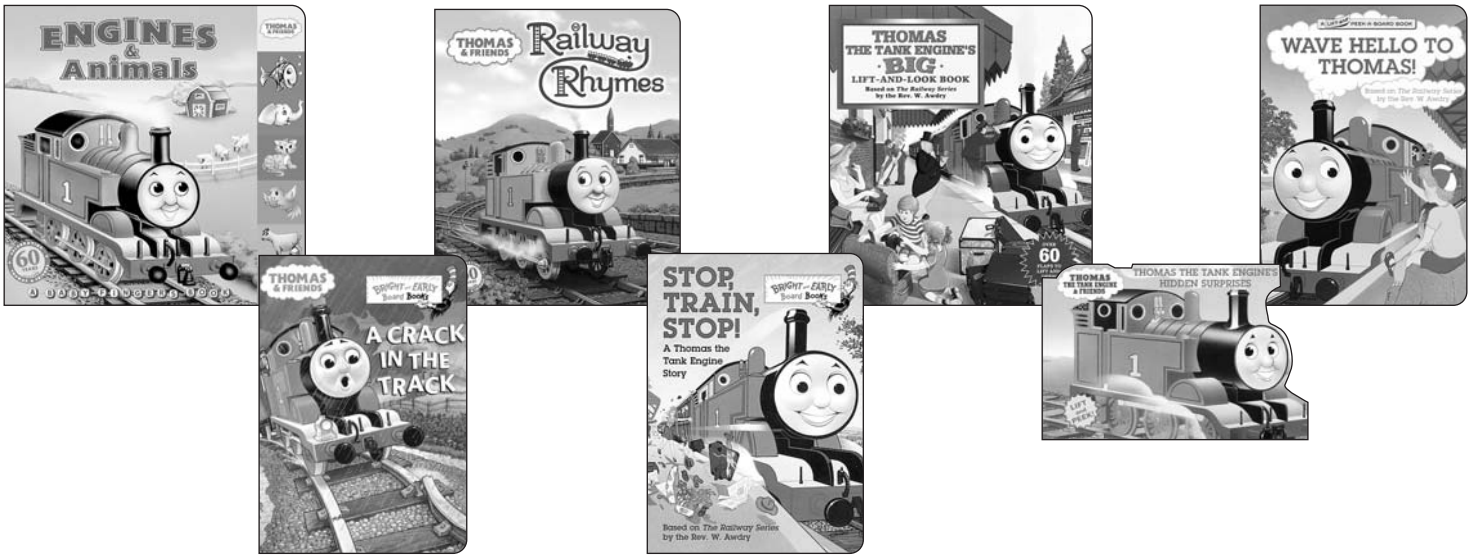
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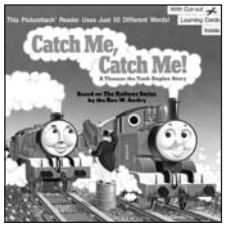
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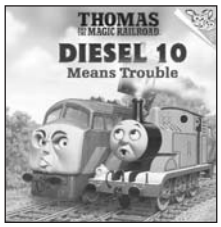
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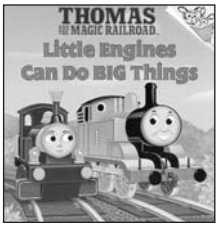
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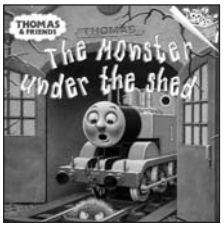


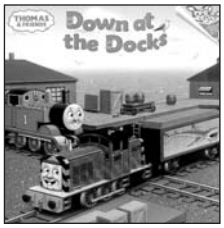


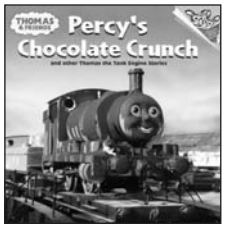


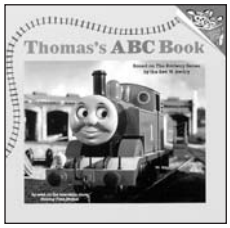


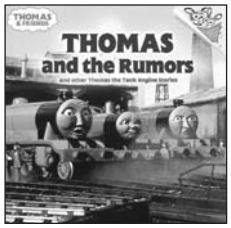


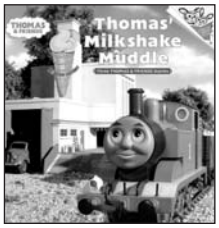


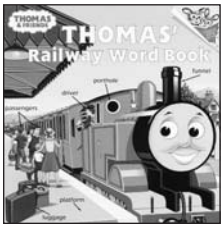














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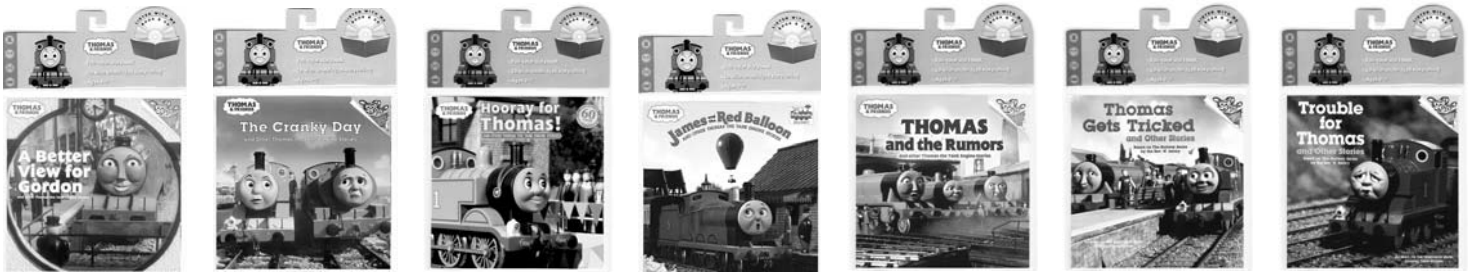
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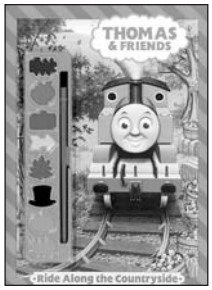
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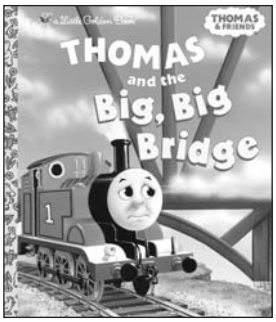
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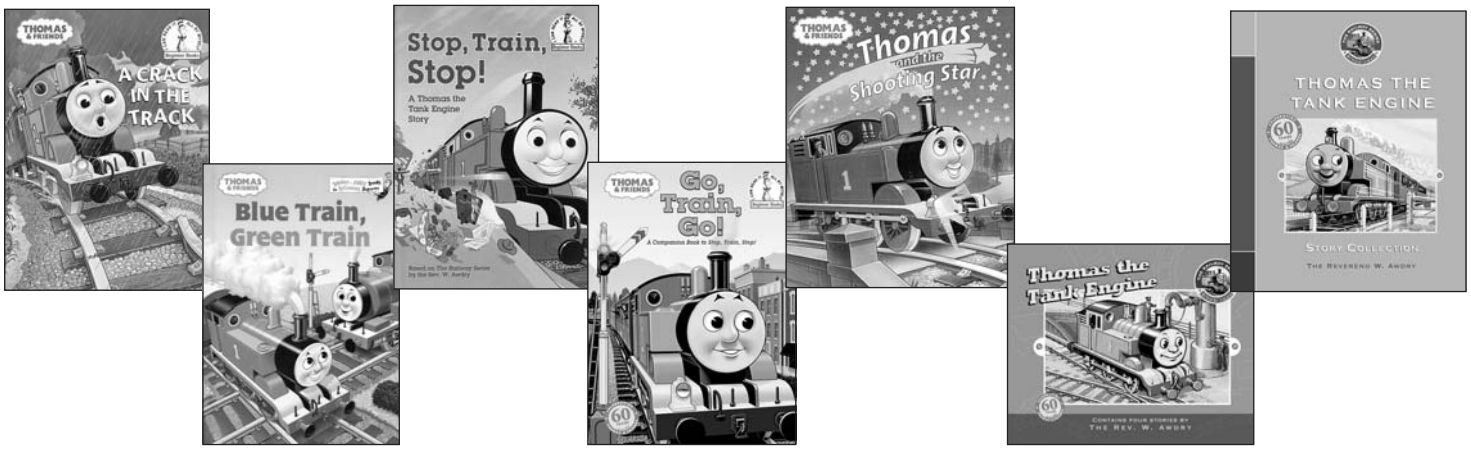
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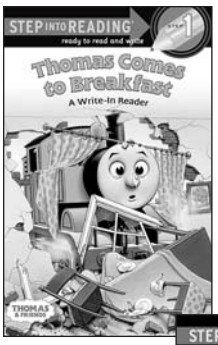
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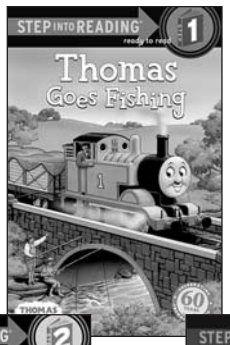
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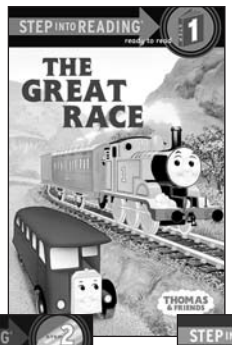
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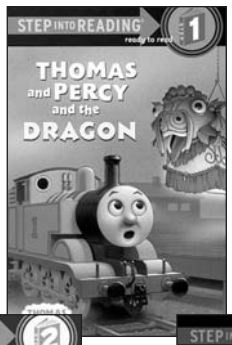
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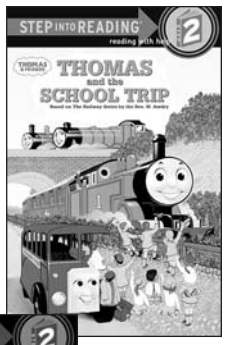
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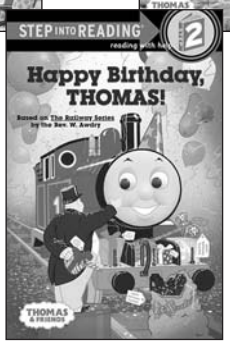


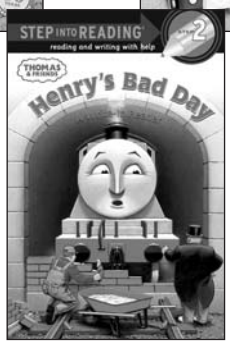


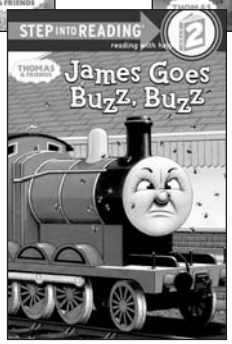


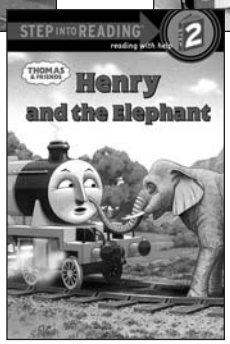












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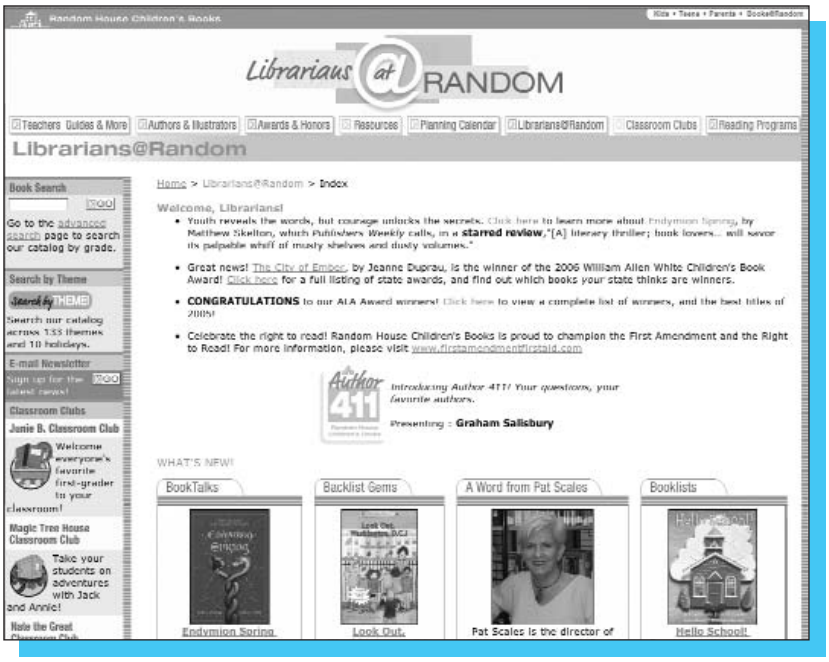
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0-7364-2400-8 978-0-736-42400-8	Disney Princess Book Bag	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Book Bag	DIS/PRI
0-375-83717-5 978-0-375-83717-3	Nick Jr. Book Bag	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Book Bag	NIC
0-375-84179-2 978-0-375-84179-8	Halloween Book Bag	$4.99/$5.99 Can.	Book Bag	NON
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0-375-82811-7 978-0-375-82811-9	Glamour Girl	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Lipstick Pen	BAR
0-375-83972-0 978-0-375-83972-6	The Story of Cinderella	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	BAR
0-375-83480-X 978-0-375-83480-6	Can We Color It? Yes, We Can!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	BOB
0-7364-2330-3 978-0-7364-2330-4	Wish Upon a Star	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	DIS/CHI
0-375-83376-5 978-0-375-83376-2	Around the Bend	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color Plus Tattoos	DIS/CAR
0-7364-2081-9 978-0-7364-2081-5	Fabulous Friends!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Glitter Pens	DIS/CLA
0-375-82960-1 978-0-375-82960-4	Saving the Day!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Tattoos	DIS/INC
0-375-83980-1 978-0-375-83980-1	Lightning Fast	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	DIS/CAR
0-7364-2386-9 978-0-7364-2386-1	Davy Jones's Curse	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color Plus Tattoos	DIS/PIR
0-7364-2119-X 978-0-7364-2119-5	Love at First Sight	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Shaped Crayons	DIS/PRI
0-375-84149-0 978-0-375-84149-1	Princess Party	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Gatefold Sticker	DIS/PRI
0-375-83088-X 978-0-375-83088-4	Puzzle Magic	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Glitter Pencils	DIS/PRI
0-7364-2446-6 978-0-7364-2446-2	Rat Pack	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	DIS/RAT
0-7364-2315-X 978-0-7364-2315-1	One Amazing Adventure	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Tattoos	DIS/WIL
0-375-83057-X 978-0-375-83057-0	ABC, 123	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Super Color plus Poster	DIS/WIN
0-7364-2114-9 978-0-7364-2114-0	Bump in the Night	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Shaped Crayons	DIS/WIN
0-7364-2320-6 978-0-7364-2320-5	Little Red Riding Pooh's Adventure	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Double-Sided Crayon	DIS/WIN
0-375-87513-1 978-0-375-87513-7	Picnic with Pooh	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Sticker	DIS/WIN
0-375-83574-1 978-0-375-83574-2	Joseph & Coat of Many Colors	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	GOL/INSP
0-375-83648-9 978-0-375-83648-0	Share Your Love	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Bracelet	GOL/INSP
0-375-84122-9 978-0-375-84122-4	Backyard Explorers	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Gatefold Sticker	NIC/BAC
0-375-83474-5 978-0-375-83474-5	Treasure Hunters	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Crayons and Stickers to Color	NIC/BAC
0-375-82744-7 978-0-375-82744-0	Animal House	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	NIC/BLU
0-375-83061-8 978-0-375-83061-7	Welcome to Blue's Room! Glitter-and-Glow Stickers	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus	NIC/BLU
0-375-83062-6 978-0-375-83062-4	Which Way Do I Go?	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Double-Sided Crayon	NIC/BLU
0-375-84147-4 978-0-375-84147-7	Animal Amigos (o/s 5/8/07)	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Gatefold Sticker	NIC/DIO
0-375-83982-8 978-0-375-83982-5	Operation: Elephant Rescue	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Tattoos	NIC/DIO
0-307-28213-9 978-0-307-28213-2	Bug Hunt	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	NIC/DOR
0-375-83714-0 978-0-375-83714-2	Friends Around the World	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Color plus Tattoos	NIC/DOR
0-375-83589-x 978-0-375-83589-6	Hop to It!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	NIC/DIO
0-375-83063-4 978-0-375-83063-1	Once Upon a Time Glitter-and-Glow Stickers	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus	NIC/DOR
0-375-83585-7 978-0-375-83585-8	Snack Time Adventure	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Sticker Roll	NIC/DOR
0-375-83140-1 978-0-375-83140-9	The Great Rooty-Toot Fruit Contest	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Scented Crayons	NIC/LAZ
0-375-83623-3 978-0-375-83623-7	Move to the Beat	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	NIC/LAZ
0-375-82989-X 978-0-375-82989-5	Bring on the Rock!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Slide Whistle	NIC/SPO
0-375-82660-2 978-0-375-82660-3	Don't Pencil Me In!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Self-Ink Roll Stamper	NIC/SPO
0-307-10496-6 I 978-0-307-10496-0	I Ripped My Pants!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Tattoos	NIC/SPO
0-375-82988-1 978-0-375-82988-8	I'm Ready!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Growing Characters	NIC/SPO
0-375-83627-6 978-0-375-83627-5	Halloween Coloring Book	$5.99/$7.99 Can.	Coloring Book	NON
0-375-83482-6 978-0-375-83482-0	Spring into Action!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	PET
0-375-83183-5 978-0-375-83183-6	Reindeer Games	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Chunky Crayons	RUD
0-375-82652-1 978-0-375-82652-8	All Aboard!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Crayons and Stickers to Color	THO
0-375-82475-3 978-0-375-82475-2	Thomas' ABCs	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Sticker Roll	THO
0-375-83086-3 978-0-375-83086-0	New Friends for Thomas	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Color plus Tattoos	THO
0-375-83085-5 978-0-375-83085-3	Thomas' New Route	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Color plus Double-Sided Crayon	THO
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0-375-83973-9 978-0-375-83973-3	Fairy Dance	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	BAR
0-375-83356-0 978-0-375-83356-4	Magical Treasures	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	BAR
0-375-82937-7 978-0-375-82937-6	A Perfect Match	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	BAR
0-375-83766-3 978-0-375-83766-1	Sisters Forever	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	BAR
0-375-82535-5 978-0-375-82535-4	The Swan Princess	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	BAR
0-375-83007-3 978-0-375-83007-5	Snowed Under	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	BOB
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0-7364-2384-2 978-0-7364-2384-7	Search For Jack Sparrow	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	DIS/PIR
0-7364-2452-0 978-0-7364-2452-3	Untamed World	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	DIS/PIR
0-7364-2332-X 978-0-7364-2332-8	Little Town Heroes	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	DIS/CHI
0-307-10587-3 978-0-307-10587-5	Swim Team	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	DIS/NEM
0-375-84004-4 978-0-375-84004-3	A Perfect Fit	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	DIS/PRI
0-7364-2447-4 978-0-7364-2447-9	Little Chef	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	DIS/RAT
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0-375-83590-3 978-0-375-83590-2	Little Lost Wolf Pup	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	NIC/DIO
0-375-83981-X 978-0-375-83981-8	Hooray For Best Friends!	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Deluxe Coloring Book	NIC/DOR
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0-375-83060-X 978-0-375-83060-0	Helping Hand/ Things to Do with the Crew	$2.99/$4.99 Can.	Flip-It Super Coloring Book	BOB
0-7364-2235-8 978-0-7364-22352-2	Lesson Number One/ A Hero's Journey	$2.99/$4.99 Can.	Flip-It Super Coloring Book	DIS/PR
0-375-83981-X 978-0-375-83981-8	Hooray for Best Friends/ Friends in Bloom	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Flip-It Super Coloring Book	NIC/DOR
0-307-25228-0 978-0-307-25228-9	Noah's Ark/Angels	$2.99/$4.99 Can.	Flip-It Super Coloring Book	PRE
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0-307-10470-2 978-0-307-10470-0	Shiver Me Timbers!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Glow-in-the-Dark Sticker Book	NIC/SPO
GLOWTH CHART COLORING BOOKS				
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HOLOGRAMATIC STICKER BOOKS				
0-375-83692-6 978-0-375-83692-3	Journey to Mermaidia	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	BAR
0-375-83765-5 978-0-375-83765-4	A Magical Tale	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	BAR
0-7364-2122-X 978-0-7364-2122-5	Ride the Wave	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	DIS/NEM
0-7364-2451-2 978-0-7364-2451-6	The Final Showdown	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	DIS/PIR
0-7364-2361-3 978-0-7364-2361-8	Heart to Heart	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	DIS/PRI
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0-307-10491-5 978-0-307-10491-5	To the North Pole!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	NIC/DOR
0-375-83138-X 978-0-375-83138-6	Race Team!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	NIC/LAZ
0-375-82787-0 978-0-375-82787-7	'Tis the Season	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	NIC/OSW
0-375-82947-4 978-0-375-82947-5	Shell City, Here We Come!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	NIC/SPO
0-375-83182-7 978-0-375-83182-9	Snowy Surprise!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Holographic Sticker Book	THO
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0-7364-2399-0 978-0-7364-2399-1	Dreams Come True Forever	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Jumbo Coloring Book	DIS/PRI
0-375-83659-4 978-0-375-83659-6	Dora's Super Silly Color Book	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Jumbo Coloring Book	NIC/DOR
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0-375-83457-5 978-0-375-83457-8	Christmas Cheer!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Jumbo Coloring Book	GOL/INSP
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0-375-83545-8 978-0-375-83545-2	Jonah & Other Bible Stories	$2.99/$4.99 Can.	Jumbo Coloring Book	GOL/INSP
0-375-83625-X 978-0-375-83625-1	Jumbo Bible Coloring Book	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Jumbo Coloring Book	GOL/ISNP
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0-375-83661-6 978-0-375-83661-9	Fun on the Go! Mini Fun Kit	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Mini Fun Kit	BAR
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0-375-82561-4 978-0-375-82561-3	A True Boo Friend	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	CAS
0-375-83378-1 978-0-375-83378-6	Welcome to Radiator Springs	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	DIS/CAR
0-7364-2331-1 978-0-7364-2331-1	Hometown Superstar	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	DIS/CHI
0-7364-2153-X 978-0-7364-2153-9	Tales from Down Under	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	DIS/NEM
0-7364-1290-5 978-0-7364-1290-2	Castle Cleanup!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	DIS/PRI
0-7364-2448-2 978-0-7364-2448-6	Working Buddies	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	DIS/RAT
0-375-83070-7 978-0-375-83070-9	Colors Galore	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	DIS/WIN
0-375-83581-4 978-0-375-83581-0	The First Christmas	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	GOL/INSP
0-375-83715-9 978-0-375-83715-9	Colorful Dinoworld! (o/s 5/8/07)	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	HAR
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0-307-29958-9 978-0-307-29958-1	Brush with Greatness	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	NIC/SPO
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0-375-83481-8 978-0-375-83481-3	Welcome to Colorland!	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	PET
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0-307-09234-8 978-0-307-09234-2	Santa's Little Helper	$3.99/$4.99 Can.	Paint Box Book	RUD
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0-375-80642-3 978-0-375-80642-1	Christmastime with Thomas	$3.99/$5.50 Can.	Painting Time	THO
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0-375-82814-1 978-0-375-82814-0	Monster Bash!	$4.99/$6.99 Can.	Puffy Sticker Book	NIC/DOR

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0-7364-2299-4 978-0-7364-2299-4	Meet the Misfits!	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/CHI
0-7364-2287-0 978-0-7364-2287-1	Calling All Supers!	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/INC
0-7364-2167-X 978-0-7364-2167-6	The Big Blue	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/NEM
0-7364-2378-8 978-0-7364-2378-6	Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest	$6.99/$9.99	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/PIR
0-7364-2355-9 978-0-7364-2355-7	Cinderella	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/PRI
0-7364-2305-2 978-0-7364-2305-2	Dream Castle	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/PRI
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0-7364-2414-8 978-0-7364-2414-1	The Little Mermaid	$6.99/$9.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/PRI
0-7364-2437-7 978-0-7364-2437-0	Bon Appetit!	$6.99/$8.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	DIS/RAT
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0-375-84012-5 978-0-375-84012-8	Eggstra-Special Easter!	$6.99/$8.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	PET
0-375-82614-9 978-0-375-82614-6	Revenge of the Sith Big Sticker Book	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	STA
0-375-82594-0 978-0-375-82594-1	Keeping Track of Thomas	$6.99/$10.99 Can.	Reusable Sticker Book	THO
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0-307-10458-3 978-0-307-10458-8	Jingle Smells	$3.99/$5.99 Can.	Scented Sticker Coloring Book	NIC/SPO
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0-375-83647-0 978-0-375-83647-3	Built to Be Wild	$2.99/$4.99 Can.	Shaped Coloring Book	BOB
0-7364-1286-7 978-0-7364-1286-5	Sleeping Beauty	$2.99/$4.99 Can.	Shaped Coloring Book	DIS/CLA
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