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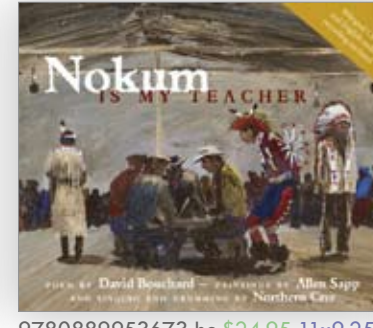
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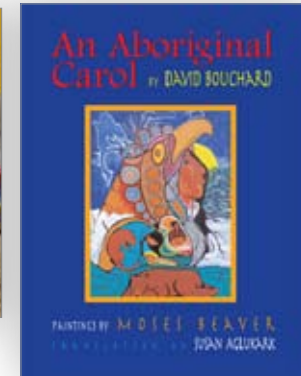
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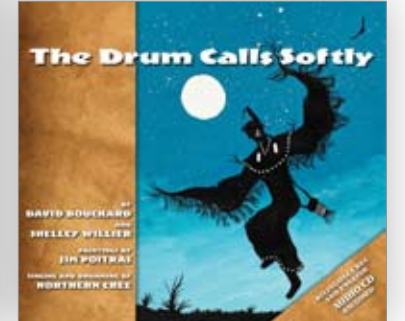
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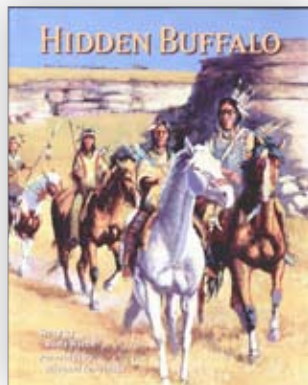
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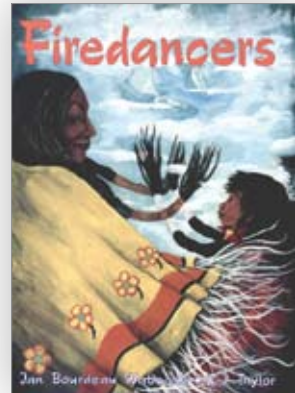
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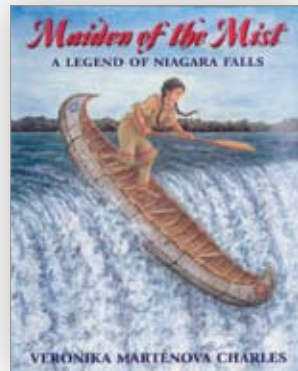
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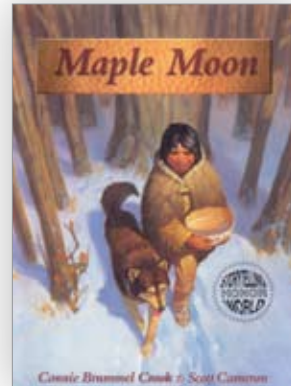
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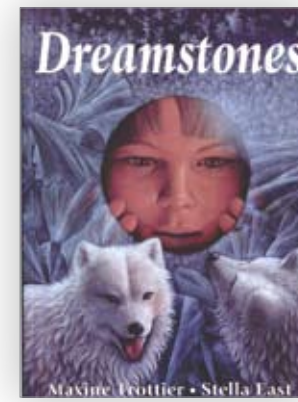
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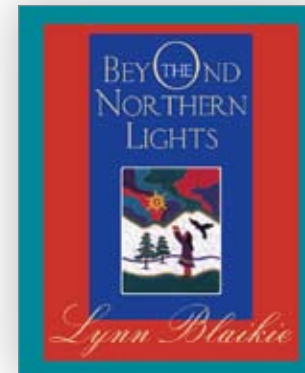
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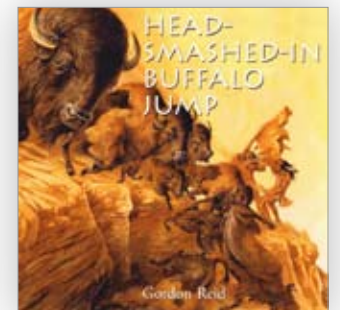
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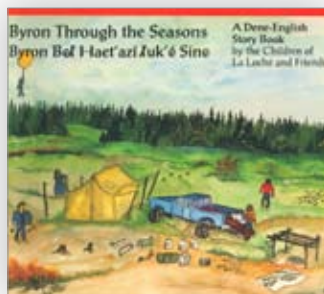
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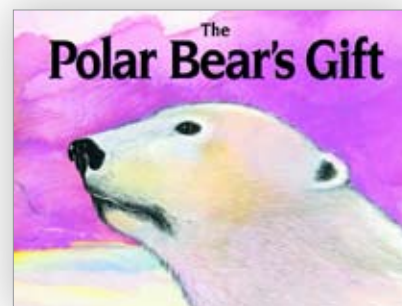
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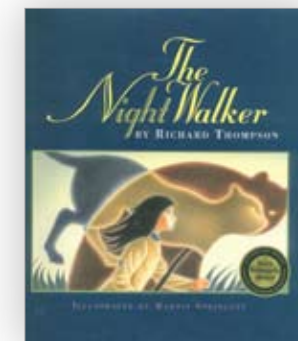
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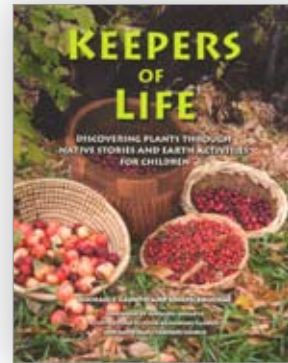


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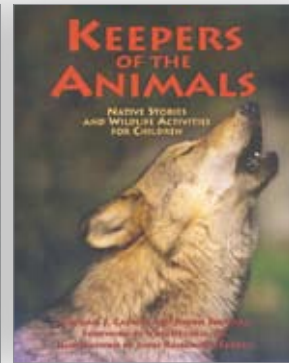




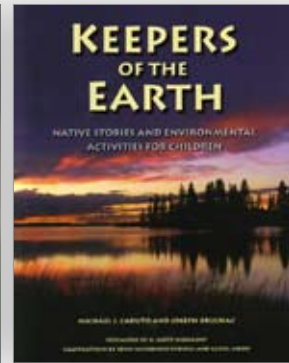
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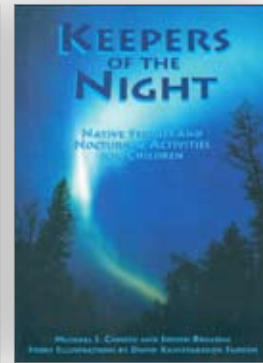
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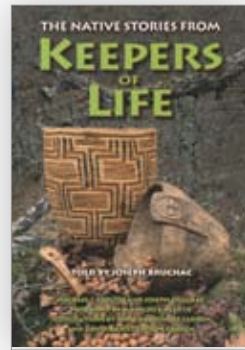
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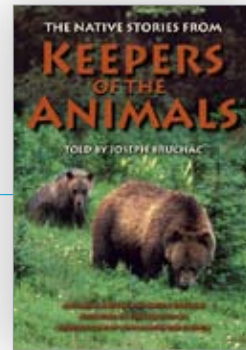
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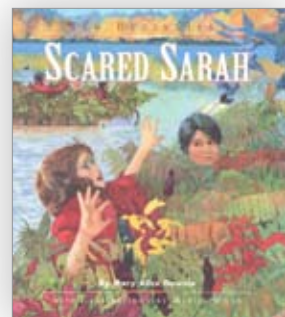


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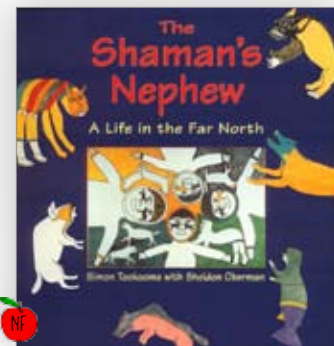


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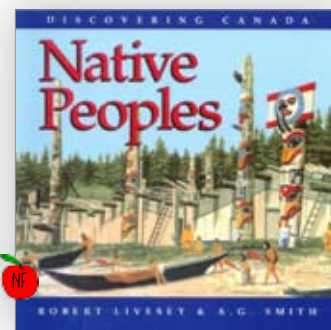
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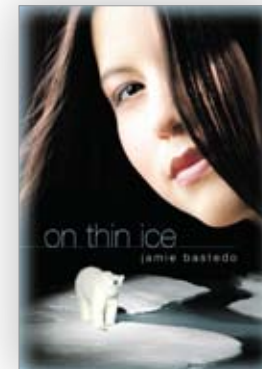
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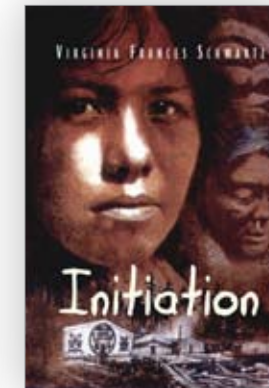
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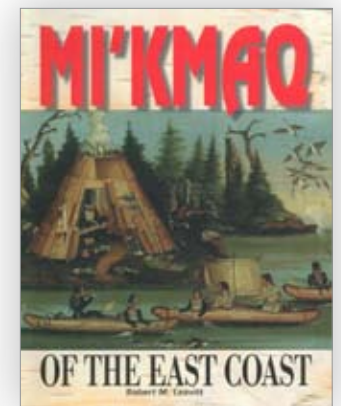
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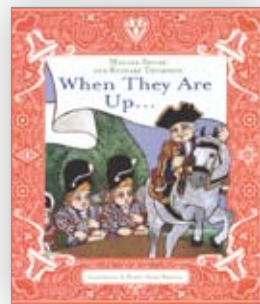


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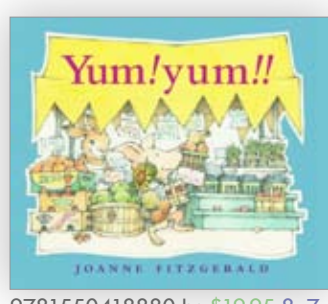




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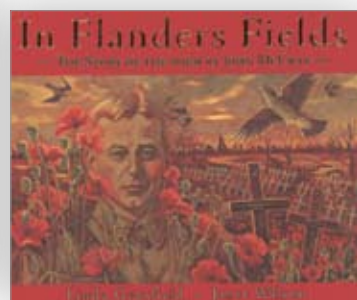
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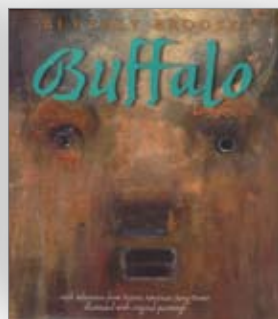
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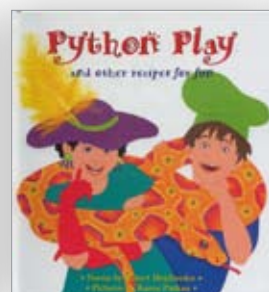
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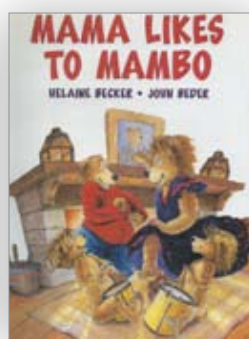
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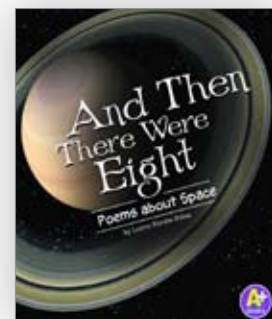
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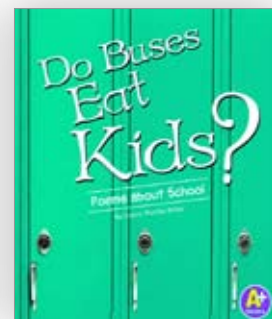
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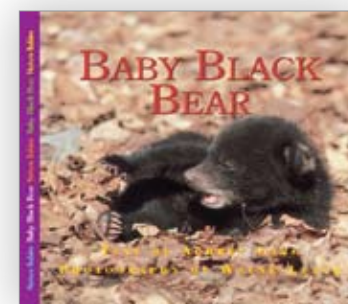
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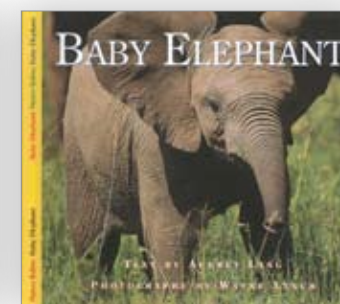
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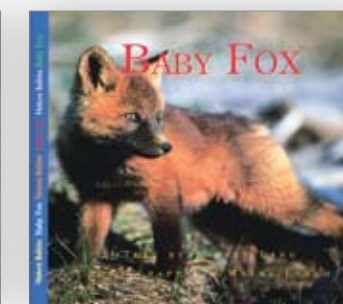
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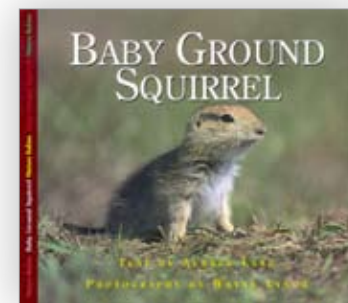
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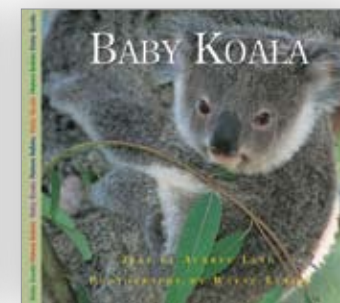
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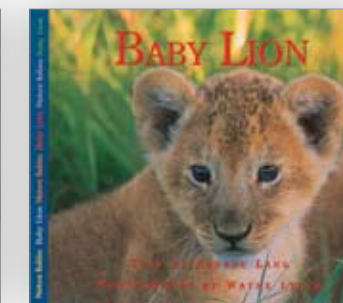
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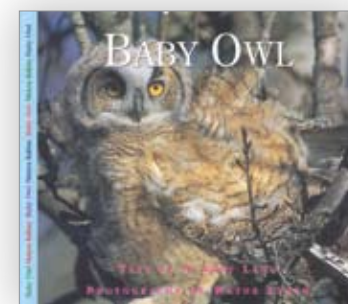
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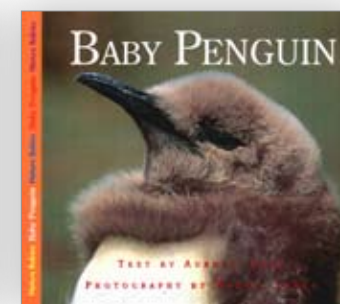
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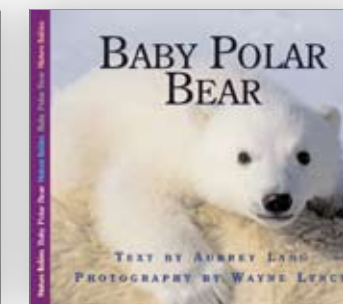
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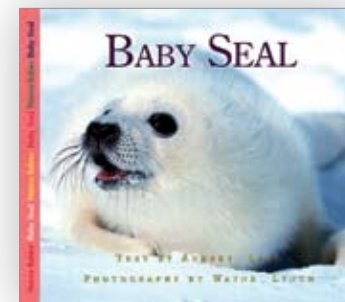
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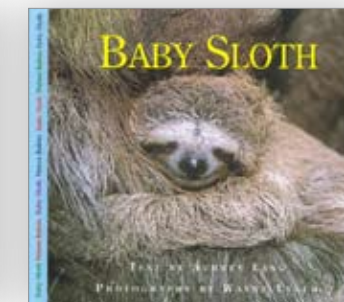
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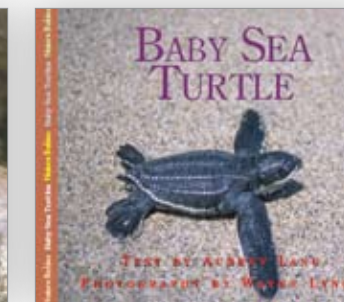
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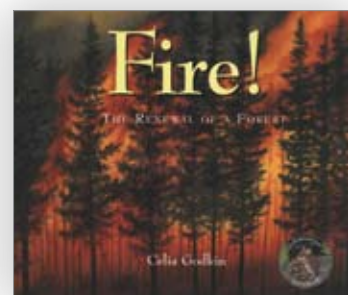


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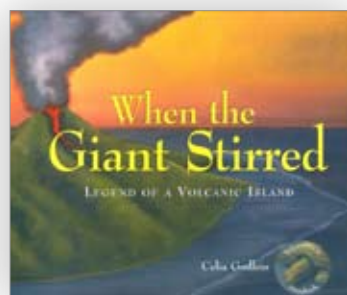




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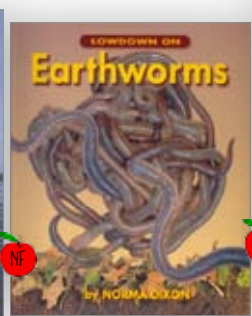
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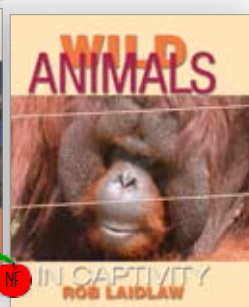
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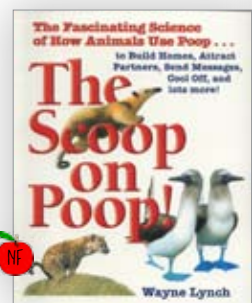
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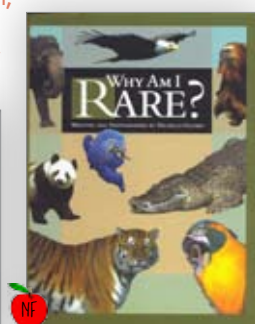
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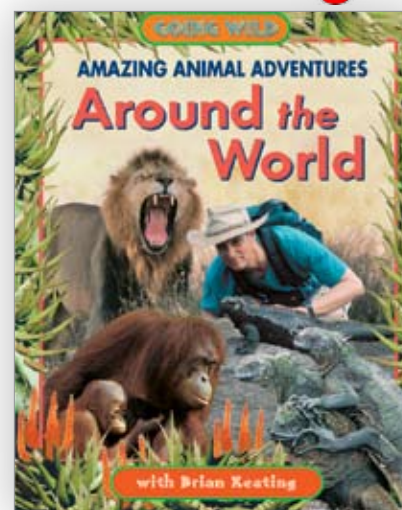
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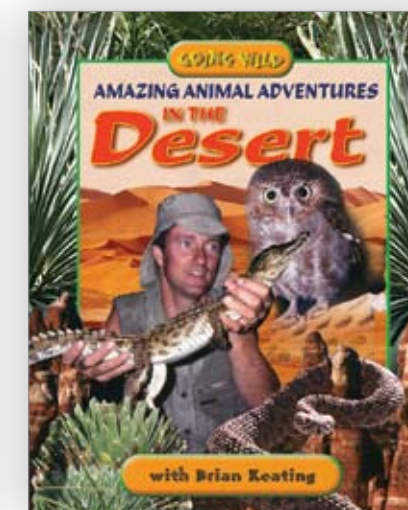
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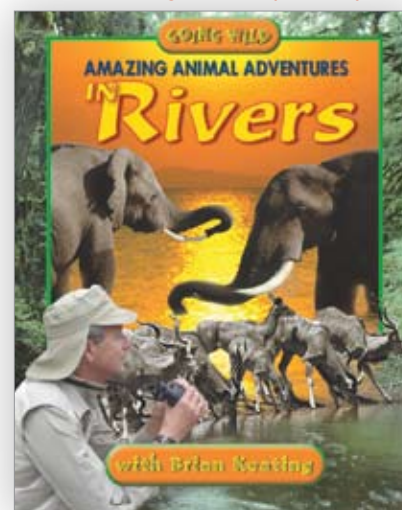
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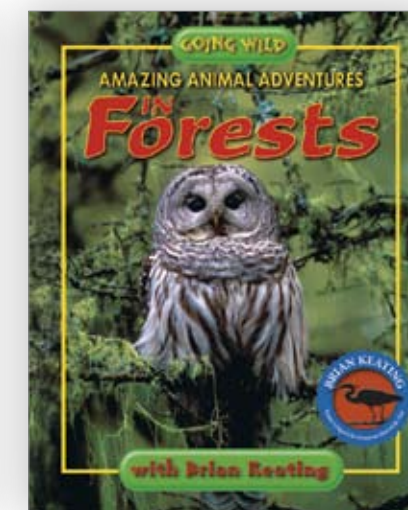
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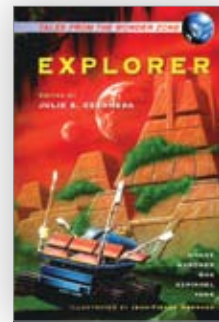
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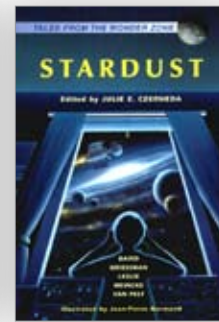


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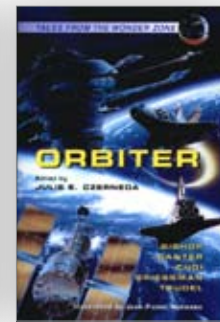
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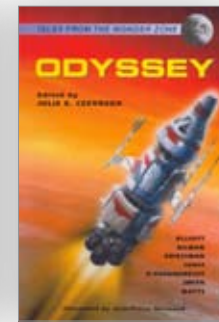
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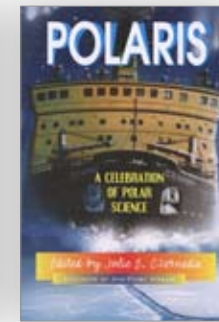
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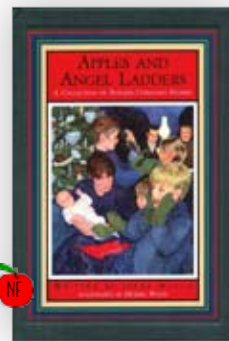
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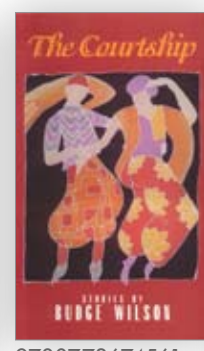
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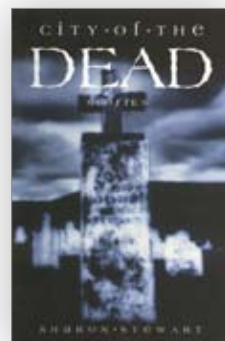
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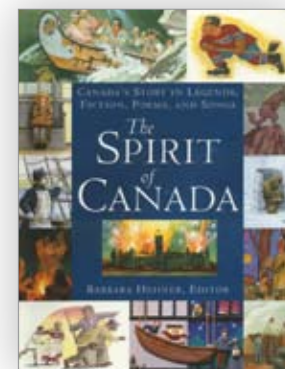
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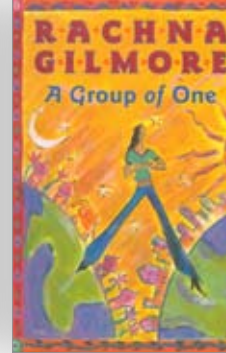
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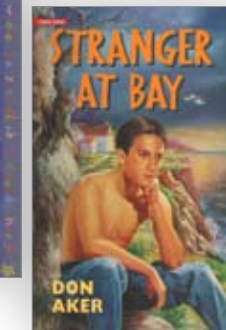
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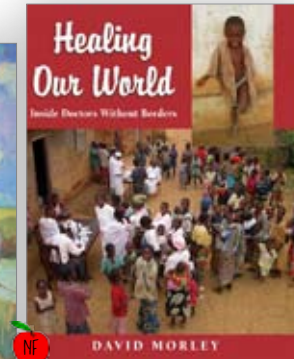
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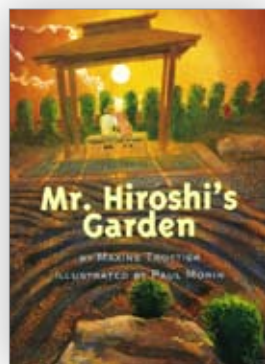
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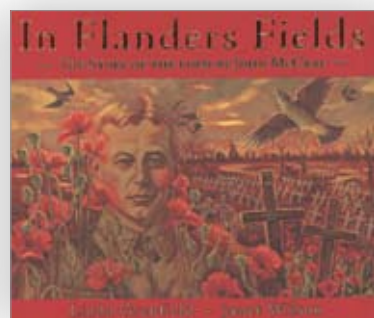
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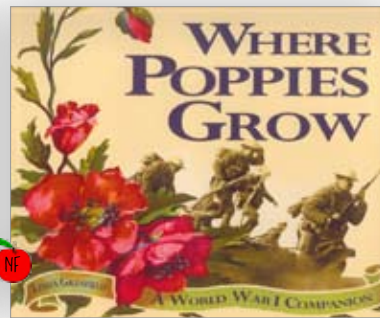




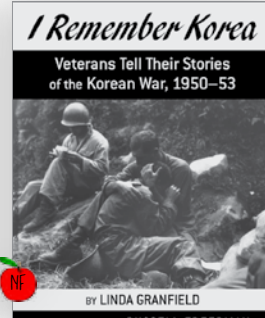
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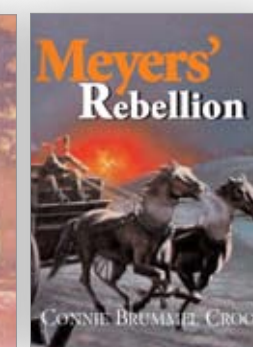
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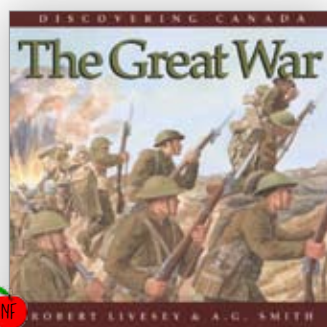
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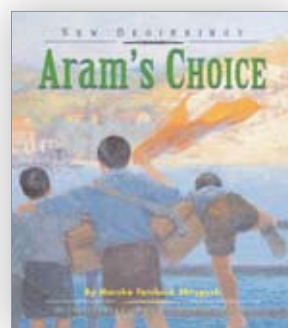
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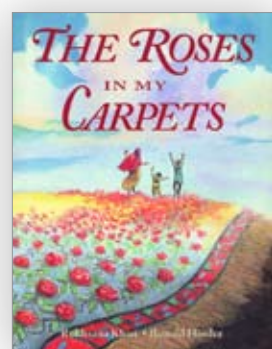
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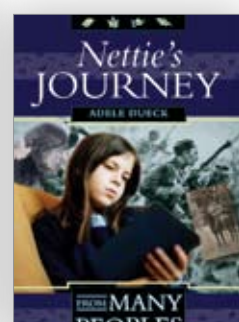
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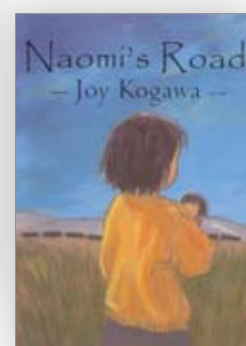
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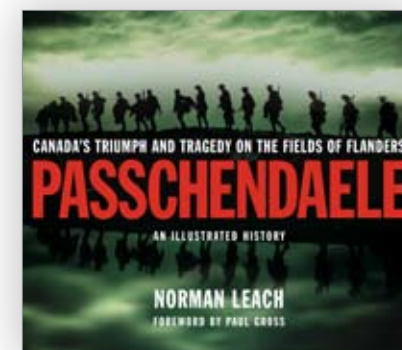
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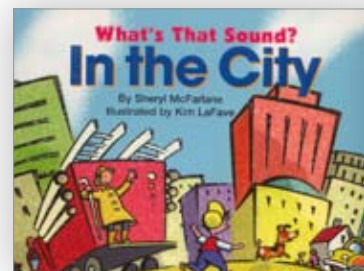


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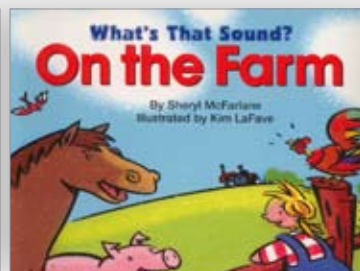




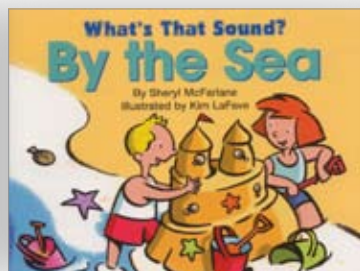
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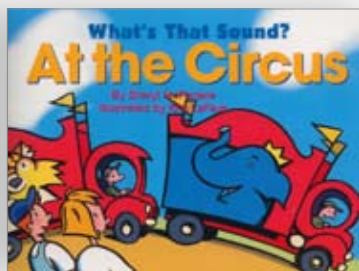
9781550418125 In the city, garbage trucks CLATTER and CLANG, car horns go BEEP, BEEP, and sirens WAIL.



9781550418149 On the farm, tractors RUMBLE, QUAKING ducks SPLISH SPLASH, and Pigs SNORT, SNORT, SQUEAL.



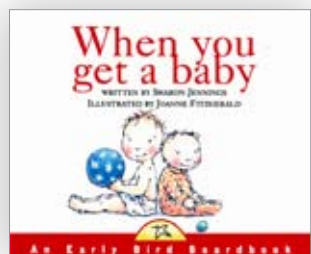
9781550419573 What does it sound like by the sea? The wind WHISTLES, sea lions BELLOW, and tugboats RUMBLE.



9781550419597 What does the circus sound like? Elephants THUNDER and THUMP, tigers ROAR, and a DRUM ROLL LLLLLL announces the flying trapeze.



9781550416671 bb \$9.95 5.5x4.75, 24pp 3+ One by one, each article of clothing is pulled off and lands in a heap as his pets watch with interest. Then, one by one, each article of clothing finds a new owner as the toddler dresses his pets.



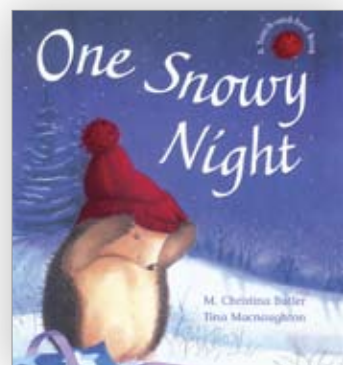
9781550417029 bb \$9.95 5.5x4.75, 24pp 3+ Things change when you get a new baby in the family. You have to share Mommy and Daddy's lap, and even your toys. But there's lots of things you can show your new baby, like how to play hide and seek, peek-a-boo, and even how to run through the sprinkler.



9781550417869 bb \$10.95 8x7, 32pp 3+ Children from preschool through grade one relish the discovery of their place in the world. Learning the number on their home, the street where they live, the town or city they call home is a comforting reminder to children that they belong.



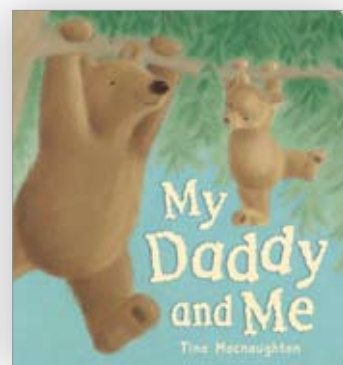
9780761453055 bb \$7.95 6x5.5, 34pp 3+ Children can open this book to any page and find a catalog of objects beginning with a given letter to identify. With no plot or text, the book would be welcomed for preschoolers, who could connect the objects in each room with the letter, as well as older children who will enjoy the I Spy aspect of it. An answer key is included.



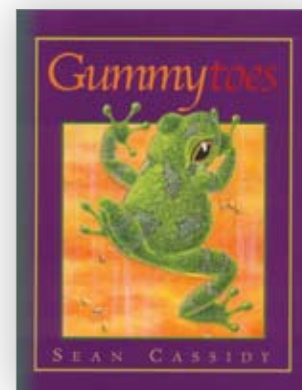
9781561485918 bb \$8.95 9x9, 20pp 3+ Caught unprepared by a chilly wind, Little Hedgehog sets out to remedy his situation. Imagination saves him and warms him, bringing him back to his circle of friends.



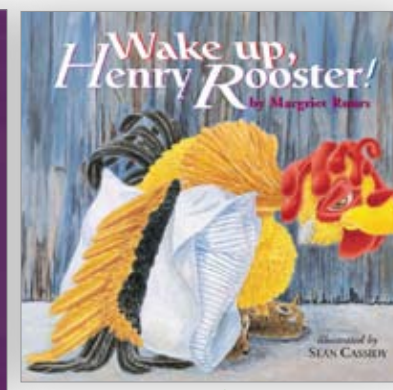
9781561486076 bb \$8.95 9x9, 20pp 3+ Little Mouse loves to skip and run, splish and splash, and, most of all, have fun with her Mommy. Rhythmic text.



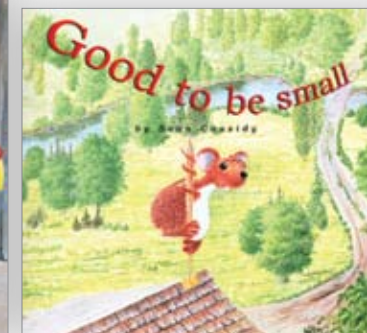
9781561486083 bb \$8.95 9x9, 20pp 3+ When Little Bear is with his Daddy, he is the fastest, tallest, happiest Little Bear in the whole world. Warm colours and gentle rhyming text illustrates the special bond between father and child.



9781550418248 hc \$9.95 9781550418262 pb \$6.95 8x10, 32pp 5+ Gummytoes is a beautiful tree frog. But he's tired of blending into the background. He wants to be seen and admired. But after getting scooped up by some children, he misses his quiet home. He doesn't want attention any more.



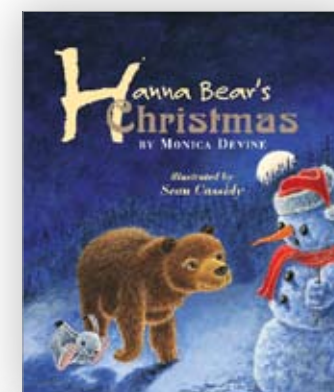
9781550419528 hc \$19.95 10x9, 32pp 6+ Henry just isn't a morning rooster. But Henry's father is off to a convention for a week—guess who must take his place and crow the sun up each morning? Everyone is depending on Henry. Will he learn to be a morning rooster after all?



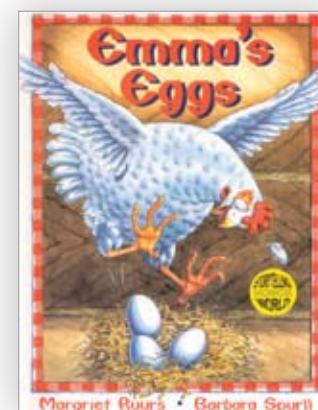
9781550416992 pb \$9.95 8.5x7.25, 32pp 4+ Lamb is missing! When tiny Mouse steps forward to help, the other sheep just lament. Mouse is too small to find a missing lamb. Mouse knows that sometimes it takes the smallest one of all to get the biggest results. Mr. Christie's Book Award Silver



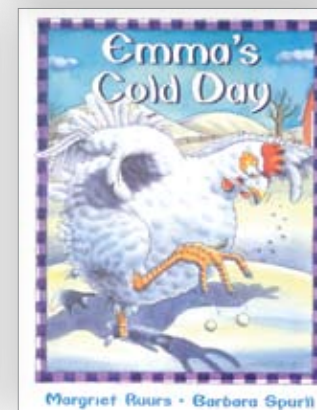
9781550416770 pb \$7.95 9.5x9, 40pp 6+ When a little girl visits the farm, Guinevere, the oldest hen in the barn, grasps at the chance to give Merlin a home where he will be safe and cared for—as a cat should be. Mr. Christie's Book Award



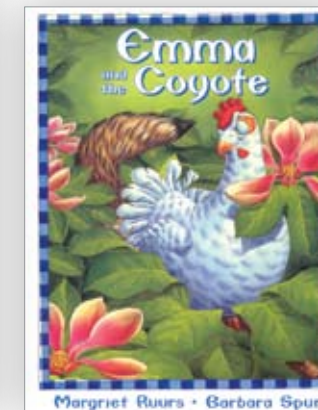
9781550415858 hc \$19.95 9x9.75, 32pp 4+ This year Hanna longs to see Christmas, so her friends agree to get her up for the special day. And when the day comes, they can't wake her. They don't want to disappoint Hanna. But each one has made as much noise as they can. What more can they do?



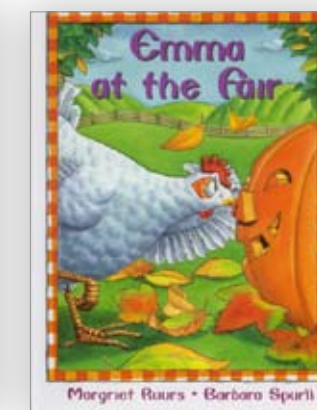
9780773729728 hc \$19.95 9780773733343 pb \$10.95 8.5x10.5, 24pp 5+ Emma was one confused chicken. "Tok!" she said, when she peeked through the window and saw what was happening to her eggs. "Is that how they want my eggs? Then that's how I'll make them." But when Emma scrambled her next egg, no one was pleased.



9780773733145 hc \$19.95 9781550050769 pb \$10.95 8.5x10.5, 24pp 5+ In her latest escapade, Emma is one game hen with a big problem. It's the middle of winter and the chicken coop is freezing. Determined to find out how the other farm animals weather the weather, Emma sets off on a snowy trek that almost ends in flaky, feathery disaster. Mr. Christie's Book Award Silver



9780773731400 hc \$21.95 9780773762053 pb \$10.95 8.5x10.5, 24pp 5+ Most chickens have enough sense to run when a coyote comes near. Not Emma. She thinks she can outfox a hungry canine despite the warnings of the farmer and his family.

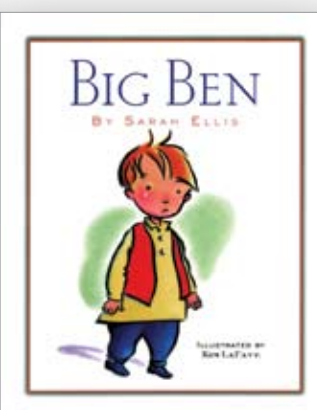


9781550051261 hc \$19.95 9781550051278 pb \$9.95 8.5x10.5, 24pp 5+ This is no ordinary day; the family is going to the fair and Emma is invited. Emma soon realizes that she is supposed to win a ribbon. She ruffles up her feathers, sits herself down like a tea cosy, and takes a nap. You never know; maybe Emma can win a ribbon just by being herself.

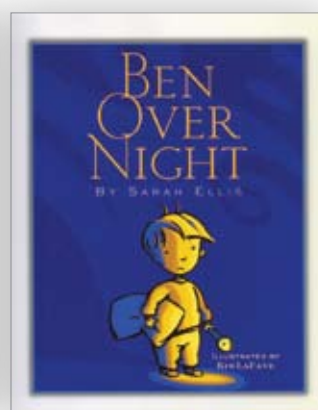




9781554550289 hc \$19.95 8x10, 32pp 4+ Grandma Needlethorpe knits a sweater for her granddaughter Nellie in the upcoming spring concert. But Nellie just can't keep it clean. And after one too many trips in the dryer, there's only one family member it fits now!



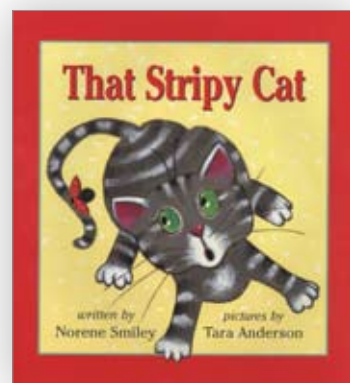
9781550419399 pb \$8.95 9x10, 32pp 4+ Ben is about to discover that sometimes there are report cards in preschool—at home, written by older siblings!



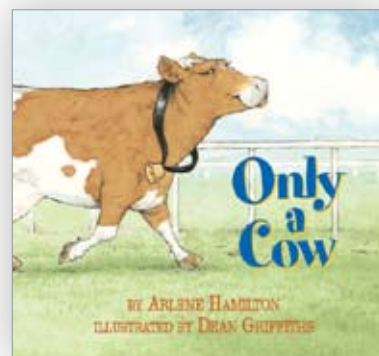
9781550418071 hc \$16.95 9x10, 32pp 4+ When it comes to sleepovers, all Ben can think about is going home—right away. **OLA Best Bets, OLA Blue Spruce Award shortlist**



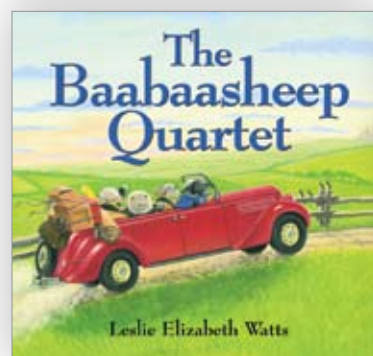
9780889953208 hc \$19.95 9780889954144 pb \$9.95 11x8, 32pp 4+ Queen Daisy had a great deal of trouble with her feet. They had a mind of their own and did not like behaving in a royal way. That's when a meeting had to be called to find a solution to Queen Daisy's terrible problem. And what a solution it turns out to be.



9781550051643 hc \$19.95 9781554551095 pb \$8.95 8.5x9.75, 32pp 4+ Mrs. Cosby is trying to find someone to adopt that stripy little cat left at the animal shelter. But nobody wants the little troublemaker. But all is not lost. The stripy little cat has made up his own mind who should adopt him.



9781554550883 pb \$9.95 10x9, 32pp 5+ Lucille isn't like the other cows on Charlie's farm. She yearns to run in a real race, just like Thunder, Farmer Charlie's prize racehorse. But Lucille soon learns that cows are not like horses at all. Soon she is exhausted as the horses leave her behind in a cloud of dust. How will she find the strength to finish the race?



9781550418903 hc \$19.95 9.5x9, 32pp 5+ After moving to the city, four sheep companions try in vain to find acceptance in the human world. But when they enter a barbershop quartet competition in the mistaken belief they'll be meeting other sheep, they discover that they don't have to blend in to belong. **Amelia Frances Howard-Gibbon Award for Illustration**



9781550418132 hc \$19.95 9781550418156 pb \$7.95 10x9, 32pp 5+ when Leon hears Romeo, his heart aches—for Romeo is the greatest singer on the pond. Leon's humble croak is nothing like Romeo's rich tones. And although it hurts him to know that he will never match Romeo's talent, Leon is inspired by the music to dream of a time when he too might make a difference.



9781550416824 hc \$19.95 9781550417043 pb \$7.95 8x10, 32pp 4+ Addresses the all-too-common fears of reading in class and bullying that primary students face. **OLA Blue Spruce Award nominee**



9781554551033 hc \$17.95 8x10, 32pp 4+ Maggie can't wait to show her friends the picture of her soon-to-be adopted sister, but she is mortified by their reaction. If the baby is as ugly as they say, maybe Maggie's parents shouldn't adopt her. Maybe Maggie will learn that beauty is in the eye of the beholder, after all.



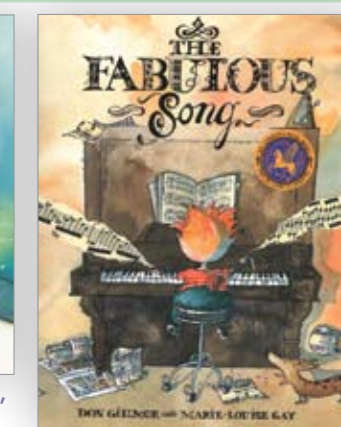
9780773731004 hc \$18.95 9781550050752 pb \$9.95 8.25x10.5, 32pp 5+ **Now an animated holiday special on Teletoon!** Santa didn't make many mistakes. But he made a big one when he asked what Anton wanted for Christmas. His list was sixteen pages long.



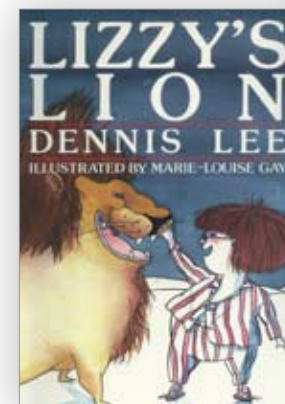
9780773673984 pb \$6.95 8.5x8.5, 32pp 3+ Angel woke up one morning. There was water all over her apartment! "Well," said Angel, "what should I do now? I can't swim." Then Angel got a good idea, and the fun began.



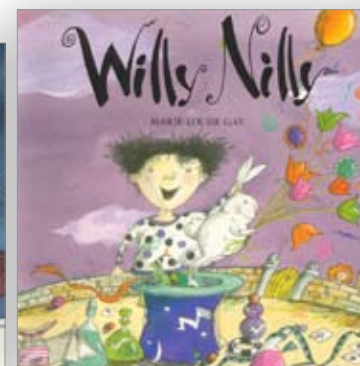
9780773762039 pb \$7.95 8.5x8.5, 32pp 4+ Children who hate going to sleep will love *Midnight Mimi*, who would rather be an owl or a bat or even a wicked witch's cat than sleep away the night.



9780773760998 pb \$8.95 8.25x10.5, 32pp 5+ When Frederic Pipkin was born, everyone decided he would be musical. Frederic tried, but there wasn't one instrument he could play. Then, on his seventh birthday, the fabulous song happened and Frederic discovered a way to make music without making a single sound. **Mr. Christie's Book Award**



9780773700789 hc \$9.95 9780773673977 pb \$6.95 6.5x9.5, 32pp 3+ Dennis Lee has created a magical word in verse, recounting the story of Lizzy and the very real and grownup pet Lion she keeps in her bedroom.



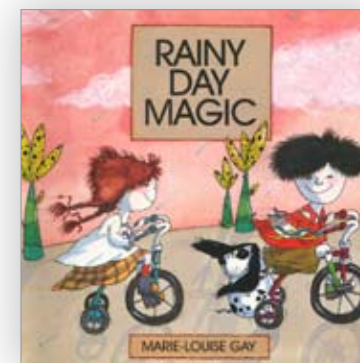
9780773674332 pb \$7.99 8.5x8.5, 32pp 4+ Willy Nilly, on his seventh birthday, stumbles upon a box filled with magic potions, paper flowers, scarves, mirrors and sneezing powders. At the very bottom he finds The Great Book of Magic. What will happen next?



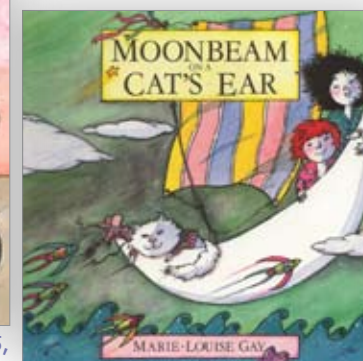
9780773762091 pb \$9.95 8.25x10.5, 28pp 5+ Austin's life is perfect until Amy moves in next door. He doesn't understand why a girl has to live beside him. Despite having no use for Amy, Austin seems to be strangely affected by every comment she makes and everything about her—right down to the bows on her shoes.



9781550051346 pb \$9.95 11.5x9, 32pp 4+ Best friends since the dawn of time, Mademoiselle Moon and Mister Sun only catch glimpses of each other because of their busy schedules. But when Mademoiselle Moon loses her job, Mister Sun finds the time to help her. After all, isn't that what friends are for?



9780773673663 pb \$6.95 8.5x8.5, 32pp 3+ It's a rainy day, boring as can be, until Victor and Joey decide to make their own fun. Soon chairs turn into castles, bumblebees turn into tigers, and whales and starfish frolic in a watery kingdom.



9780773673656 pb \$6.95 8.5x8.5, 32pp 3+ One night, Roise and Toby discover a way to steal the moon right out of the sky, accomplished by a rather plump white cat and a mouse in pajamas.



9781550050837 pb \$9.95 9x7, 32pp 3+ Rabbit Blue is the star of this whimsical tale. In simple rhyming text he has great adventures around the world.