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CHILDREN'S ILLUSTRATED

Rights Guide



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Feelings, feelings, they aren't bad. Happy, angry, even sad.

Beaming Books

April, 2026

Page Count: 32

Retail Price: \$16.99

Trim Size: 9.25x 9.25 in

ISBN: 9798889837336

Character Development
Childrens Early Learning

SET MY FEELINGS FREE

Set My Feelings Free is a beautifully illustrated picture book that helps children understand and manage their big emotions through engaging rhymes, playful movement, and scientifically backed self-regulation techniques. Inspired by the latest research in child development, this book provides young readers and their caregivers with simple, yet powerful tools--breathing exercises, grounding techniques, visualization, and movement--to work through emotions like anger, frustration, fear, and disappointment. Each verse introduces a different feeling, offering a gentle and empowering way to process it.

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AGE RANGE: 4 - 8

FEATURING AN INSIGHTFUL AUTHORS' NOTE THAT EXPLAINS THE NEUROSCIENCE BEHIND EACH TECHNIQUE.

**"This is a powerful SEL title that would be welcome in any collection."
— *School Library Journal***



ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

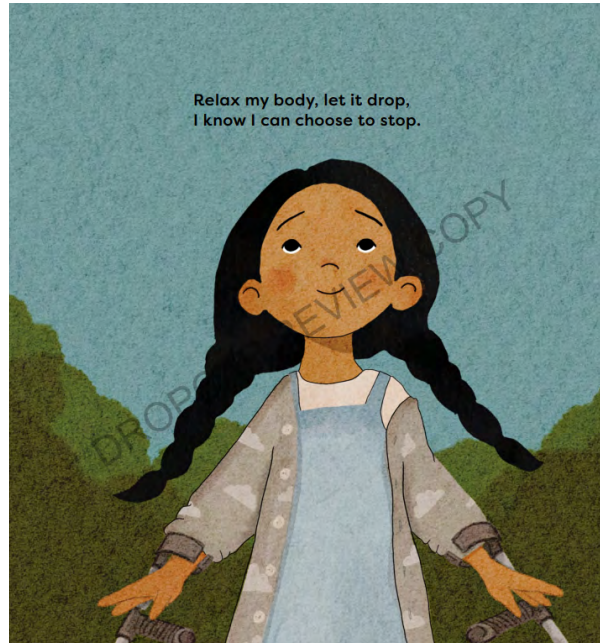
Jon and Jess Fogel

Jon Fogel is a pastor, and a sought-after speaker on parenting, child development, and emotional intelligence. His work focuses on helping parents understand how children's brains develop and how to foster emotional resilience.

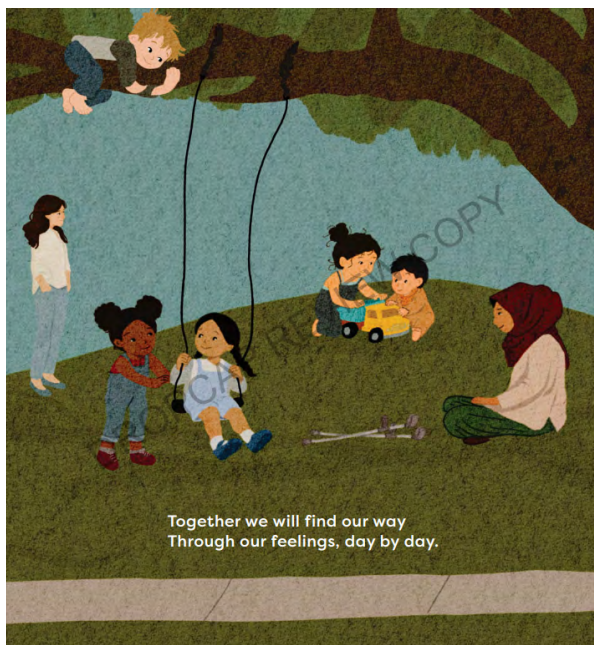
Jess Fogel coauthored and illustrated *Set My Feelings Free* with her husband, Jon Fogel. Together, she and Jon homeschool their four children and empower families with practical tools.



Breathing in to smell a rose,
Fill my body through my nose.



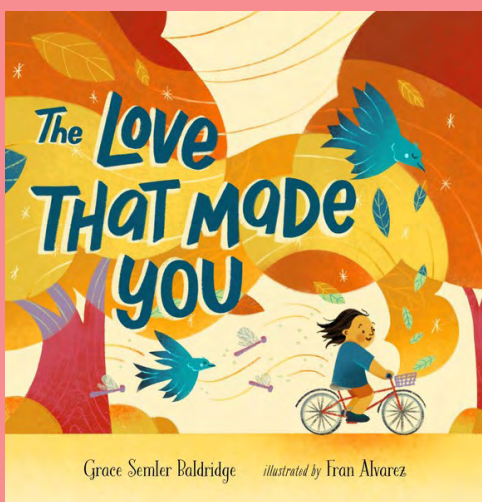
Relax my body, let it drop,
I know I can choose to stop.



Together we will find our way
Through our feelings, day by day.



Disappointed? Let's explore:
Find some colors, at least four.



A wonder-filled, empowering picture book introducing children to the idea of a higher power called Love.

Beaming Books

March, 2026

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Retail Price: \$18.99

Trim Size: 9.25 x 9.25 in

ISBN: 9798889836476

Character Development
Illustrated Picture Books

THE LOVE THAT MADE YOU

With gentle, rhyming text, *The Love That Made You* helps grown-ups find the words to share the comfort, encouragement, and wonder of God or the Universe with a young heart, without suggesting that the grown-up knows all the answers.

Grace Semler Baldridge, an alt-Christian singer-songwriter, brings their characteristic thoughtfulness into this poetic invitation to think broadly about love as a force that connects all of us, and plants the seeds for a child building their own concept of the divine.

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AGE RANGE: 4 - 8

AWARD-WINNING ILLUSTRATOR FRAN ALVAREZ WEAVES A COMPELLING VISUAL STORY OF A YOUNG CHILD AND THEIR FAMILY.

"The work serves as a starting point for adults looking for ways to introduce kids to the concept of a higher power. Not answers, but a basis for the conversations that will help kids understand and express their faith." — *Kirkus Reviews*

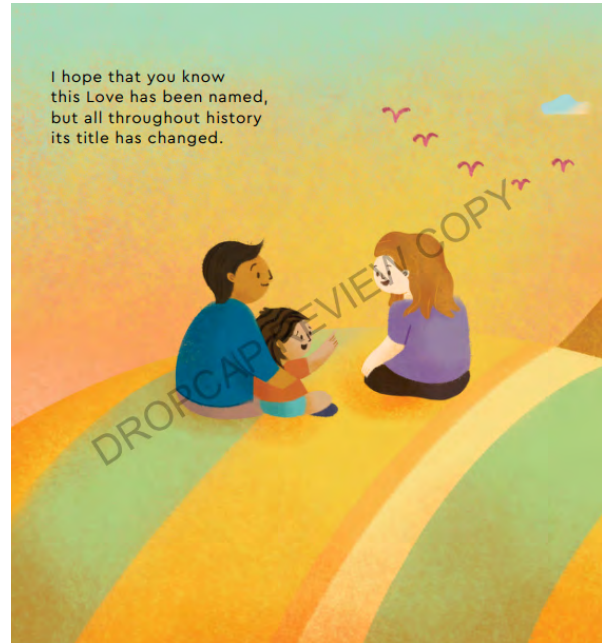


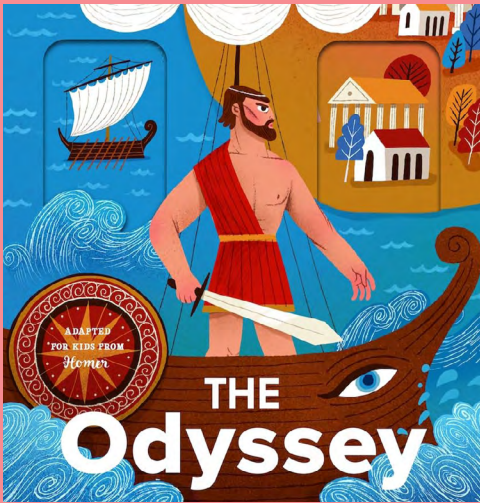
ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Grace Semler Baldridge & Fran Alvarez

Grace Semler Baldridge is an LA-based musician known as Semler who made history as the first openly queer artist to hit Number 1 on the Christian music charts.

Fran Alvarez is a Filipina illustrator inspired by the odds and ends of daily life. Recognition for her work includes the Ezra Jack Keats Illustrator Honor and the Nami Concours Green Island Award.





Clever use of original dialogue, and colorful illustrations to tell the story in simple and engaging prose.

Familius

June, 2026

Page Count: 16

Retail Price: \$14.99

Trim Size: 6.5 x 7.5 in

ISBN: 979-8893961720

Illustrated Picture Books

LIT FOR LITTLE HANDS: THE ODYSSEY

An interactive board book adventure on the seas of ancient Greece, Brooke Jorden's adaptation of *The Odyssey* is an epic journey that tells of heroism and homecoming

"I long for home, long for the sight of home."

Homer's classic epic comes to life for young children! Wheels, pull tabs, and other interactive elements invite kids to outsmart mythical monsters, brave treacherous waters, and return home to Ithaca with Odysseus. Celebrating family and perseverance, this board book helps children understand that no matter how far you go, home is always worth the journey.

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AGE RANGE: 3 - 6

PART OF THE *LIT FOR LITTLE HANDS* SERIES

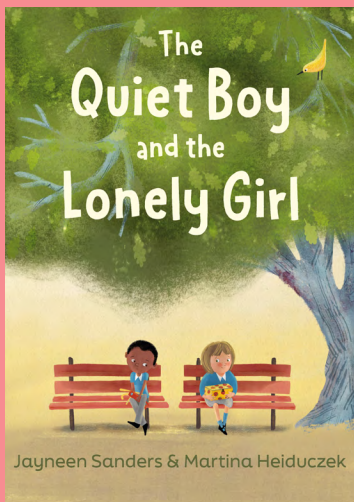


ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Brooke Jorden, Olga Skomorokhova

Brooke Jorden, the author of the *Lit for Little Hands* series and other books for children, earned a BA in English and editing from Brigham Young University. **Olga Skomorokhova** in editorial and book illustrations and other commissioned and personal projects. She likes to experiment with many different techniques and utilizes various materials to achieve the desired effect.





A story that teaches children about connection, friendship and belonging.

Educate2Empower

January, 2026

Page Count: 32

Retail Price: \$8.99

Trim Size: 28 x 21 cm

ISBN: 9781761160691

Character Development

THE QUIET BOY AND THE LONELY GIRL

This heart-warming story follows two young children, Kip and Mira, who both long for friendship and connection. One is quiet and often turns inward, while the other feels lonely and isolated.

Through gorgeous illustrations and beautifully written text by award-winning author Jayneen Sanders, the children gently reach out to one another, and a special friendship begins to grow. The story reminds us that sometimes, one true friend is all we need to feel loved, seen, and valued.

RIGHTS SOLD: CATALAN, SPANISH

AGE RANGE: 3 - 10

AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR

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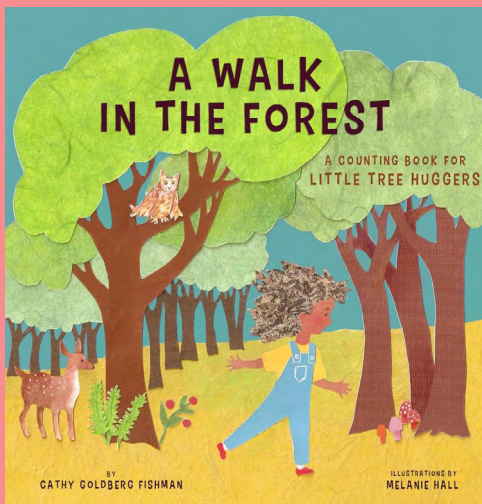
ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Jayneen Sanders & Martina Heiduczek

Jayneen Sanders is an experienced Australian early-year educator and an accomplished author. She has written titles for literacy series such as *ZigZags*, *Totally Kidz*, *Deadly* and *Incredible*, and a children's picture book series for Penguin.

Martina Heiduczek studied illustration and graphic design in Hamburg. Nature, people, and places inspire Martina's works.





A Counting Book for Little Tree Huggers

Familius

April, 2026

Page Count: 20

Retail Price: \$8.99

Trim Size: 7 x 7 in

ISBN: 979-8893961522

Board Books
Science & Nature

A WALK IN THE FOREST

Explore the trees and cultures of forests from around the world with this adorable counting primer.

Take a walk through the forest and experience the sights, sounds, and colors of trees from around the world. From gnarled banyan trees to tall baobabs, kids can explore the world through every page, accompanied by a cast of diverse characters who share their culture. With simple rhymes, a counting pattern, and stunning papercraft art reminiscent of Ezra Jack Keats, this diverse board book is the perfect introduction to the trees and cultures that make the forest so special.

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AGE RANGE: 1-3 YEARS

THE WAY IT INTRODUCES TREES AND DIVERSE CULTURES FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD IS BOTH EDUCATIONAL AND CAPTIVATING.

"A simple, yet stunning, counting book that is perfect for little ones. Extraordinary and fun from start to finish." — *Midwest Book Review*



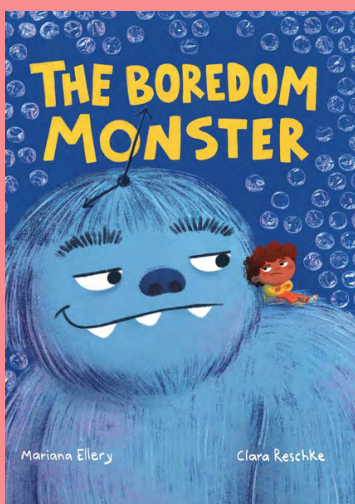
ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Cathy Goldberg Fishman, Melanie Hall

Cathy Goldberg Fishman is an American author. Five of Fishman's books have been selected as notable for the Sydney Taylor Book Award for Younger Readers.

Melanie Hall attended the MFA program at Marywood University. Her work has received numerous awards, including Parents' Choice, and has been exhibited at the Society of Illustrators.





Practical Tools for Capturing Attention
and Building Connection

Beaming Books

August, 2026

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Retail Price: \$19.99

Trim Size: 8.75 x 10.25 in

ISBN: 9798889835073

Character Development
Childrens Early Learning

THE BOREDOM MONSTER

In this humorous story about screen-free time, a child and a boredom monster celebrate the power of noticing.

Cameron is faced with a no-screens, very dreary, worst day ever. Oh, the misery! But wait ... maybe there's adventure to be found in boredom after all.

When his ordinary living room transforms into the land of Boredom, Cameron wanders into a bleak landscape where everything seems terribly tedious and drowsily dull. But then a mysterious, friendly monster appears, and Cameron learns to celebrate the silence of a distraction-free world and finds his creative spark.

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AGE RANGE: 4-8 YEARS

PERFECT FOR INSPIRING IMAGINATIVE
PLAY.

"A great book for story times that's bound to inspire young readers to create their own imaginative adventures." — *School Library Journal*



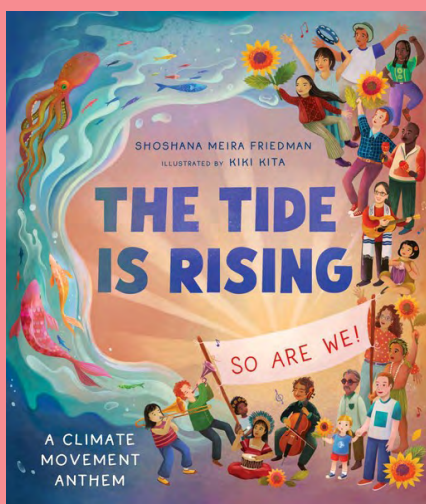
ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Mariana Ellery, Clara Reschke

Mariana Ellery is a Latin author who packed her Brazilian heritage and stories in a suitcase to the always-busy New York City, where she currently lives.

Clara Reschke is a Brazilian children's book illustrator and author who believes in the magic of storytelling. Her love of books began in childhood, making picture books alongside her grandfather.





A Green Earth Book Award
Shortlist Selection

Beaming Books

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ISBN: 9781506495989

Illustrated Picture Books
Science & Nature

THE TIDE IS RISING, SO ARE WE!

The Tide Is Rising, So Are We! is an inspiring picture book in verse that invites readers into the sweeping story of the climate justice movement and offers a framework for hope and action.

Written by climate activist Rabbi Shoshana Meira Friedman, this book speaks to readers' spiritual and emotional needs.

How do we grieve, organize, and express our love for the world all at once? How do we find our own place in the climate movement at this late hour?

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AGE RANGE: 4-8 YEARS

A CLIMATE MOVEMENT ANTHEM

"Rabbi Friedman's book reminds us that the best movement work is driven by a love for life. The vibrant illustrations and catchy rhymes make it easy for anyone - child or adult - to remember all we're fighting for." — Aru Shiney Ajay, Executive Director of the Sunrise Movement



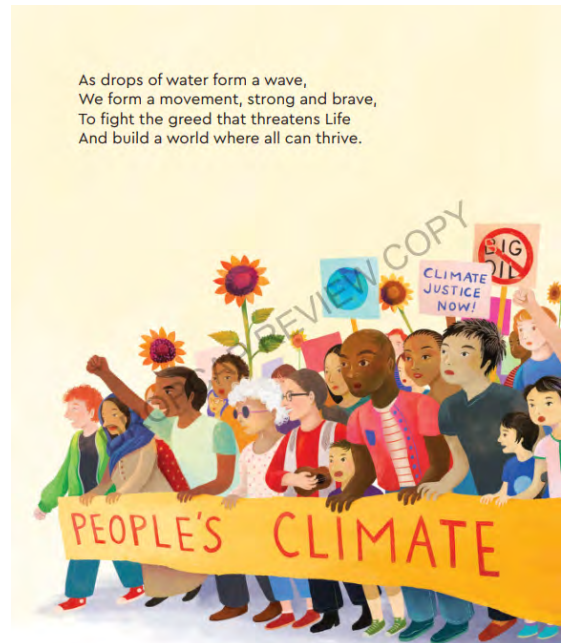
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Shoshana Meira Friedman

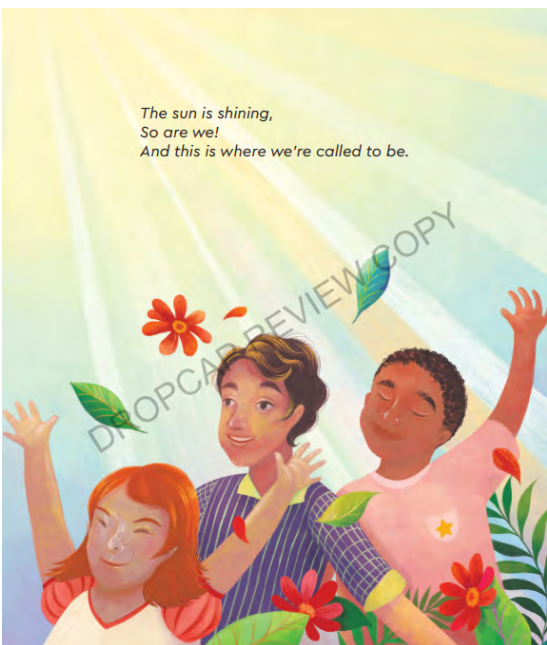
Shoshana Meira Friedman is a rabbi, coach, activist, writer, and all-around passionate creative who grew up in a musical family. After she and her husband, Yotam Schachter, composed "The Tide Is Rising" in 2015, the anthem spread widely throughout the climate movement and fulfilled Rabbi Shoshana's lifelong dream of empowering social change through song.



As drops of water form a wave,
We form a movement, strong and brave,
To fight the greed that threatens Life
And build a world where all can thrive.

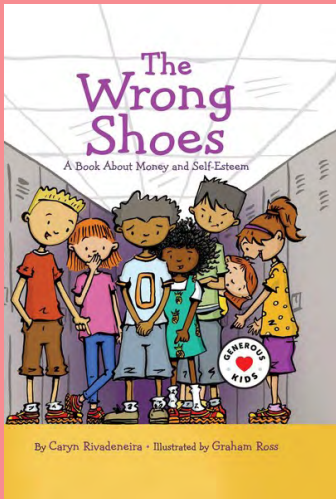


The sun is shining,
So are we!
And this is where we're called to be.



The rains pour down; the fires blaze.
In floods, in droughts, in hurricanes,
The weather is the planet's voice:
She's warning, "Make a better choice!"





A Book About Money and Self-Esteem

Beaming Books

August, 2018

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ISBN: 9781506446813

Character Development;
Childrens Early Learning Concepts

THE WRONG SHOES

Marco loved his Super Stepper Running Shoes when he saw them in the store--but on the first day of school he discovers that everybody was wearing Jupiter Jumpers. He wanted those shoes. He needed those shoes. But his dad said no, and his mom said he should earn some money and save up for them himself. Marco never had a job before!

So he grabbed his trusty Field Guide and his best friend Amelia for a quest through the wild world of money--a quest that teaches them some unexpected things. *The Wrong Shoes* teaches kids about money, hard work, self-esteem, and the real value of the stuff we own.

WORLD WIDE RIGHTS AVAILABLE

AGE RANGE: 6-9

THIS BOOK TEACHES AGE-APPROPRIATE CONCEPTS ABOUT MONEY, POSSESSIONS, GENEROSITY, AND CONTENTMENT.

Especially designed for kids 7-8, *The Wrong Shoes* teaches kids about money, hard work, self-esteem, and the real value of the stuff we own.



ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Caryn Rivadeneira, Graham Ross

Caryn Rivadeneira is a writer. She's written lots of books for both kids and grown ups.

Graham Ross is an illustrator and designer who has illustrated many books for a wide range of Canadian children's book publishers.

"We are," Amelia said. "And we brought cookies!"

Mrs. Q said that was a nice touch. That people are often more helpful when you offer them cookies. I wrote that down on my clipboard. And starred it. My instincts for this sort of thing are dead on.



Mrs. Q led us to a round table in her screened-in "porch office." She said she thinks more clearly out there—even with the rain pounding down. "Especially then," she actually said. (I wrote that down too.)

Besides, she said, being outside would be "inspirational." Lots of good jobs for ten-year-olds like me and Amelia exist outside.

Fine by me!

Mrs. Q asked us to look around—at all the yards and houses on Baker Street—and see if we could see anything that needed to be done.

Amelia and I squinted and stretched and leaned.

It looked like this:

Problem	Can you do this?	Would you?	Would someone pay?
Walk Buster Ferguson			
Fix Larkyn's shutter			
Fix Mrs. Q's neighbors' fence			
Green up on McLeary's House			

This next step didn't seem so bad. She asked us to go through the list and answer the questions.

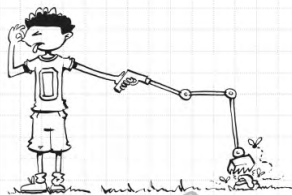
We COULD do most of them. But we only WANTED to do some of them. We figured everyone MIGHT pay us—if we asked. Except the people in the courthouse. Neither me or Amelia wanted to go in and ask.

Mrs. Q looked at our list and nodded.

"You've just done a very grown-up thing," she said. Then she told us what she tells everyone: "The best jobs combine work that needs to be done with work you were made to do."

That was pretty good. I wrote it down. Even though I wasn't really sure what she meant. Good news? Amelia did.

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I rolled my eyes, but she was right. Picking up poop couldn't be that much worse than weeding, right?

Before we left, Mrs. Q wished us luck and then gave us the name of someone else we should talk to: Mr. Bigley at Venice National Bank. She'd called ahead (ugh), and he was expecting us tomorrow. He could tell us how to save the money we make—and not only that, but to make sure that the money we earned earned even more money. I didn't really know what she meant by that, but my brain was tired and I figured Mr. Bigley would tell us tomorrow.

Mrs. Q thanked us again for the cookies. We headed back home. The rain had stopped.

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When I asked what Larry was talking about, James pointed down the hall toward the fourth graders. "See their shoes?" James said.

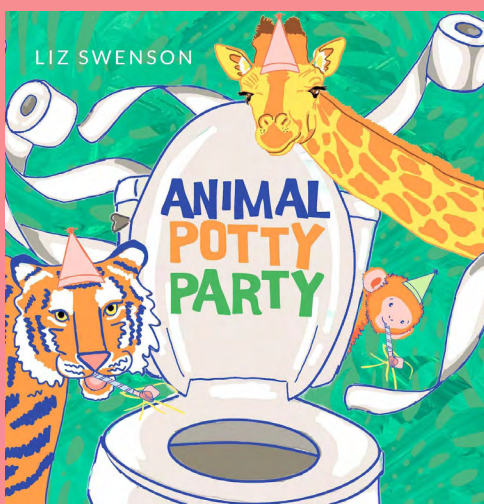
I stretched my neck and squinted. Lots of Super Steppers just like mine.

"Now," Larry said, "look at ours, fourth-grade flunky."

By now, Sarah, Peg, and Margot were snickering around me too. I looked at their shoes. Ugh. Not one of them wore Super Steppers. They all had Jupiter Jumpers. And I knew one thing for sure: No matter how fast I ran in them. No matter how great the colors looked together. My Super Steppers were wrong. THE WRONG SHOES!



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A Loving Guide to Navigating the
Emotions of Infertility and Loss

Familius

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Health & Daily Living
Juvenile Fiction

ANIMAL POTTY PARTY

Conquer the jungle of potty training with help from adorable animals in this playful, research-backed board book from Liz Swenson, the author of *Raising Tiny Humans*. Following the imagination of a curious toddler who embarks on the exciting adventure of using the potty for the first time, *Animal Potty Party* transports children into a lush, colorful jungle where they meet animals who are on the same journey. Designed to inspire a child's imagination using early childhood pedagogy, this vibrant board book makes the learning process both fun and immersive. It aligns with the latest research, showing that play, imagination, and positive reinforcement are key to successful potty training.

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AGE RANGE: 1-3

A 2026 CHILDREN'S BOOK COUNCIL
HOT OFF THE PRESS SELECTION

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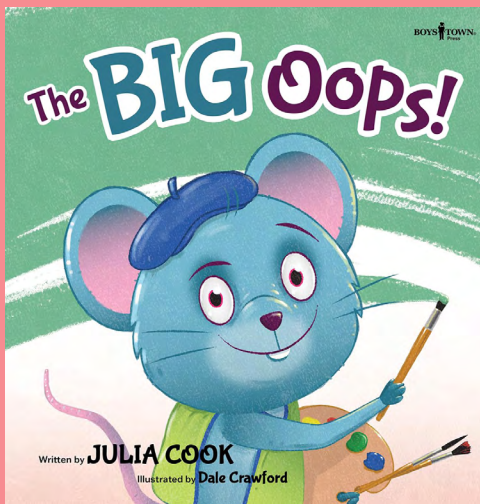


ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Liz Swenson

Liz Swenson is a bestselling author, illustrator, and educator with nearly 20 years of experience. She has written two survival guides for parents: *You Got This, Mama!* and *Raising Tiny Humans*. She is a mom to three perfect kiddos and lives in sunny San Clemente with her beautiful family and her big dog, Harper.





A tender and touching tale
about having the courage to try.

Boys Town Press

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Childrens Early Learning Concepts
Illustrated Picture Books

THE BIG OOPS!

The Big Oops! is a tender and touching tale about having the courage to try, accepting and learning from mistakes, being resilient, showing creativity, and discovering that every "oops" can lead to something wonderful.

When Scooter is told he can paint anything he wants, he chooses his best friend in the world – Pudgy the Penguin. But the moment his brush touches the canvas, things start to go disastrously wrong...

A special page with tips to help little ones explore new challenges, feel safe making mistakes, and grow from them is included for parents and educators.

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AGE RANGE: 4-6

EMBRACING MISTAKES AS
OPPORTUNITIES

"This book is such a practical tool for teaching growth mindset, frustration tolerance, and healthy self-talk. It opens the door to many conversations with kids, such as "What do you tell yourself when you make an OOPS?"

— Brandy Edlund, School Counselor



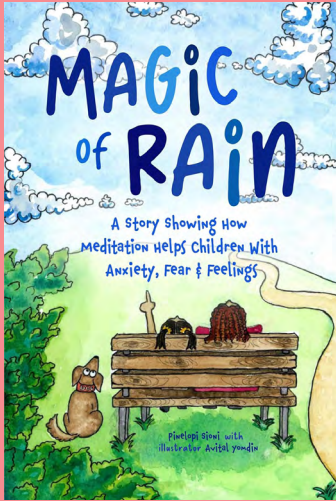
ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Julia Cook, Dale Crawford

Julia Cook, M.S., with millions of books in print, is a former school counselor and teacher who never dreamed she could evolve into a national award-winning children's author, parenting expert, and inspirational speaker.

Dale Crawford is an internationally published illustrator, fine art painter, and portrait artist.





A Story Showing How Meditation Helps
Children With Anxiety, Fear and Feelings

Books That Save Lives

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Health & Daily Living
Illustrated Picture Books

MAGIC OF RAIN

The Magic of RAIN is a transformative children's book that introduces the power of mindfulness and emotional regulation through the practice of RAIN meditation. Endorsed by Tara Brach, this book offers a simple and engaging way to teach young readers emotional resilience. Parents looking to introduce their children to the benefits of mindfulness and emotional awareness will find this book to be a life-changing resource.

The RAIN approach. Readers will Recognize their feelings, Allow them to be present without judgment, Investigate where the feelings are felt in the body, and Nurture themselves with kindness and compassion.

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AGE RANGE: 4-6

GUIDANCE AND HELPFUL TIPS FOR PARENTS
USING THIS MEDITATION TECHNIQUE.

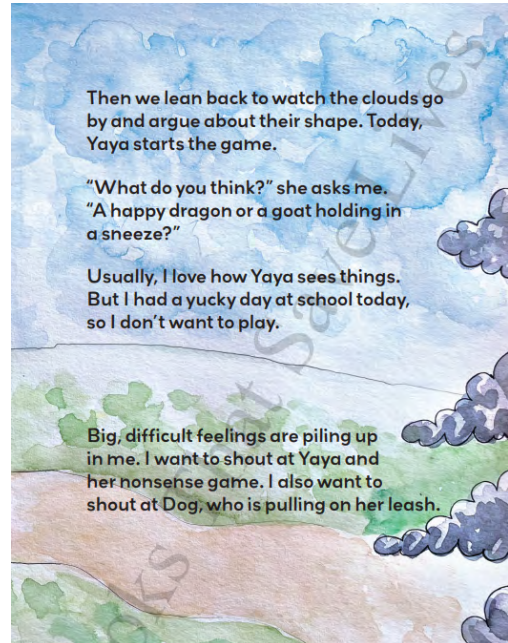
"The Magic of RAIN offers children (and adults) a simple and potentially life-changing pathway for handling difficult emotions." —Tara Brach, author of *Radical Acceptance and Radical Compassion*

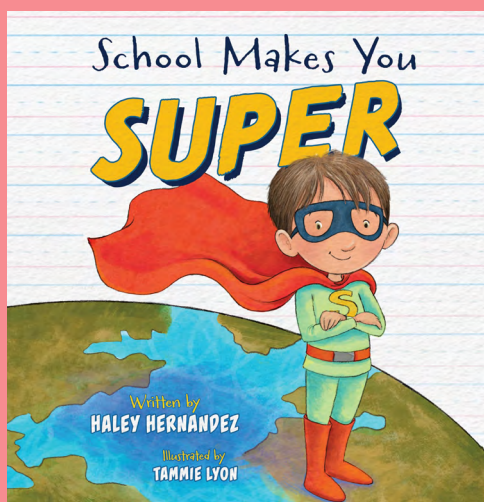


ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Pinelopi Sioni, Avital Yomdin

Pinelopi Sioni is an embodiment guide of yoga and meditation. Her work is grounded in Ahimsa, or non-violence and the concept of allowing what is present to simply be. **Avital Yomdin** is a multidisciplinary artist whose creative journey has spanned theater design, street art, sculpture, comics and installation.





A book meant to prepare and excite young heroes about going to school..

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Beginning Readers Character Development; Juvenile Fiction

SCHOOL MAKES YOU SUPER

I'll tell you a little secret: I know of a place where you can get real superpowers. It's not a laboratory full of bubbling potions. It's not a magical planet far away. No... it's school!

At school, disguised adult superheroes called teachers help you develop your brain and discover answers to some of the world's weirdest questions—like why spiders don't have noses. Soon, you'll have so many new powers, including the ability to read, write, and do math, that will one day allow you to do even more amazing things like fly, heal the sick, and protect the innocent.

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AGE RANGE: 4-6

A CHARMING SOURCE OF ENCOURAGEMENT AND POSITIVITY FOR KIDS BEGINNING THEIR SCHOOLING JOURNEY.

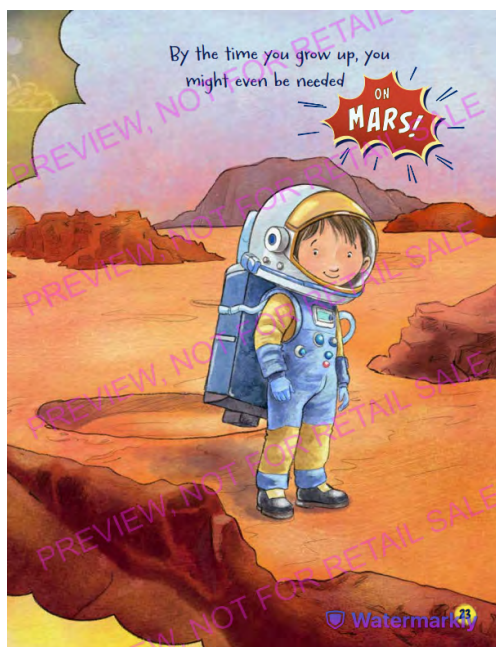
School Makes You Super illustrates all the potential and excitement awaiting them at school, likening learning to developing your superpowers.

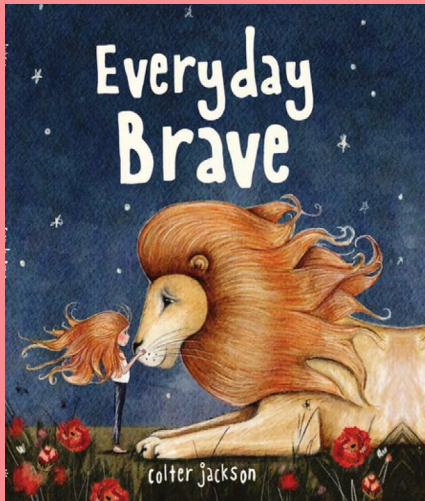


ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Haley Hernandez, Tammie Lyon

Haley Hernandez is an award-winning TV journalist. *School Makes You Super* is the first book she has authored, inspired by raising her two young boys. **Tammie Lyon**. Graduating from Columbus College of Art and Design, Tammie has illustrated numerous books, posters, magazines, CDs, games, and clothing.





Great for reading aloud in a group
or individual sharing.

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Character Development
Juvenile Fiction

EVERYDAY BRAVE

One little girl finds it easy to speak up, make new friends, and shoo away the monsters under her bed when she has a great big lion by her side. Next to her lion, nothing is scary--not even broccoli. But when a classmate tells her the lion is only in her imagination, that bravery vanishes.

Suddenly, the world is scary again. Until the little girl tries a roar of her own and discovers that maybe the courage she needed was inside her all along. At once fierce and tender, Colter Jackson's *Everyday Brave* is a book about finding your footing, facing your fears, and discovering the lion-like roar within.

WORLD WIDE RIGHTS AVAILABLE

AGE RANGE: 4-8 YEARS

THE WORLD FEELS A LOT SCARIER... UNTIL THE
LITTLE GIRL TRIES A ROAR OF HER OWN.

"Charmingly illustrated, *Everyday Brave* by author/illustrator Colter Jackson is a fun read from start to finish." — *Midwest Book Review*



ABOUT THE AUTHOR & ILLUSTRATOR

Colter Jackson

Colter Jackson is the author-illustrator of the picture books *Everyday Brave*, *The Rhino Suit* and *Elephants Make Fine Friends*. Her writing, comics and illustrations have appeared in *The New York Times*, *Epoch*, *Tin House* and elsewhere. She lives in New York City.





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