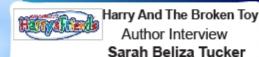
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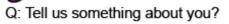


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LILY'S LOCKDOWN BIRTHDAY







I live in Leicestershire in the UK. I'm married to Victoria, and between us we have 3 girls. We have developed the Adventures of Lily series about our youngest daughter, who's 3 years old. We have published 5 books so far.

Q: How and when your journey started as a writer?

I started writing nearly 2 years ago. I'd always wanted to write and illustrate children's books, but had never really had an idea to work off. Lying in bed one night in the early hours I just started writing about my youngest daughter, Lily, and her favourite cuddly toys. This evolved in to a mini mystery story when she loses one of them and goes on a search around the house to find it. The next morning I started illustrating the story on a sketch pad, and that's where it all started.

Q: When did you write your first story? Is it published or not?

The first book I wrote was called 'Where Are You Moosehead?' Which was the end result of the story I described above? Moosehead is the name of her favourite toy, a strange looking cuddly pink zebra that we named Moosehead for some reason. Lily can't find her and goes on an adventure to find her, with the help of the house cat and some other special friends. The book was published in a July 2019.

Q: Tell us something more about your books?

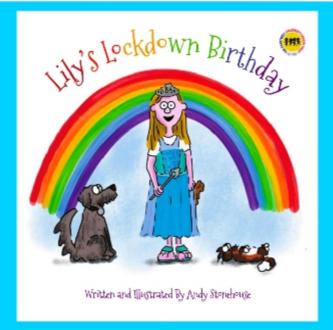
They are about Lily and her first experiences as a young child. As a parent it is magical to watch your son or daughter grow up and experience the world for the first time. I wanted to capture those magical times. Between us, myself and Victoria have now written, illustrated and published 5 books in the Adventures of Lily series. As well as 'Where Are You Moosehead?' We have written about Lily's first Christmas, her first big family holiday, her relationship with her Uncle (who suffers from Motor Neurone Disease) and her recent birthday that she spent in lockdown. The last 2 books have been used as a vehicle to raise money for charitable causes, which I'm very proud of.

Q: Why do you choose kids as your reader? is there any specific reason?

As a parent of 3 girls, I have seen firsthand the magic of books in fuelling a child's imagination. I wanted to capture the experiences of all 3 of them in books in an entertaining way. So far, the books have been really well received and children have responded to them really positively, which Im delighted about. They are aimed at 2-6 year olds, and are very relatable to children. They are not fantastical, but grounded in the real world. I hope they provide an alternative to the higher octane, fast paced stories that are out there.

Lily is looking forward to celebrating her birthday with friends and family, but lockdown has arrived to spoil the fun. Between them, Lily and her parents find different ways to help her enjoy her special day.

All profits of the book go to The Chartwell
Children's Cancer Trust, a charity that supports
Cancer and Leukaemia services to improve
cancer care for children. The charity works with
paediatric wards in local and major hospitals
throughout London and the South East, as well as
the wider oncology communities in these areas.



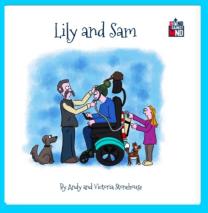
Q: How did these stories and characters come to your mind?

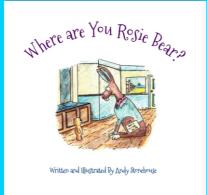
My latest, Lily's Lockdown Birthday came from Lily's experiences this year. She wanted to have a party a with friends and family, like any four year old would. But this just wasn't possible with the lockdown in place. We had to come up with other ways to make her day special, whilst also trying to explain what is happening in the world around us with COVID-19. That's not easy to do to someone so young. Lily doesn't understand why the parks are closed, or why people have to wear masks. We just tried to simplify at as much as possible for her. I felt that lots of other parents would be going through exactly the same thing, so I decided to write a book that might help them with that challenge. It also seemed right to use the book to raise money for the NHS, and specifically, paediatric units. Which is why all profits go to the Chartwell Children's Cancer Trust, to support paediatric units in hospitals in and around London?

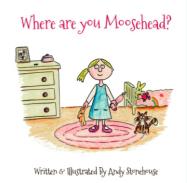
Q: Do you want to give any message for your readers?

I am trying to do some good with these books, as well as entertain young children. The Lily and Sam book is about Lily's relationship with her Uncle, who has Motor Neurone Disease. He is just 38, but has lost the use of pretty much all of his functions and has to use a wheelchair all of the time. The book is about diversity and inclusivity. Although Uncle Sam is physically impaired he is just as intelligent as he's always been. Lily learns from him, and they have a great relationship. The book focuses on that. Profits from the book go to Sam's charity, Stand Against MND to help those impacted by this cruel disease. To know more about the books and the charitable causes, please go to our website: https://adventuresoflily.com







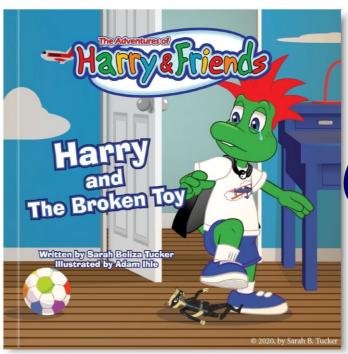






An Interactive Children's Book That Teaches Responsibility, Teamwork, and Why It's Important to Clean Up Their Rooms.





Harry And The Broken Toy

As a parent, how many times have you had to say, "Don't forget to pick up your toys!" to your child? Harry and his friends are no different. They, too, lose track of time and get lost in their imaginations. When it's time to go home Harry's friends are in a rush, and they forget what Harry's mom said about cleaning up before they go. Even though it was an exciting day - it ends in the most tragic way! Sometimes the consequences of our actions is the best lesson our children can learn, especially if their new or favorite toy is broken. Join Harry and his friends in this brand new interactive adventure, designed to teach Responsibility, Teamwork, Manners, and WHY it's important to pick up your toys after playing with them

Available on Amazon Worldwide





Author Interview

Sarah Beliza Tucker



Sarah Beliza Tucker has been working in Children's Media for almost 30 years. Starting as a Fox Kids Club actress and producer, she learned to hold the attention of children through media since her teens. She moved on to theater, animation and video game production. She is dedicated to producing media that does more than Entertain, but also instills life lessons all children need to succeed. Sarah created Harry the Red Headed Lizard as a creative writing assignment in the ninth grade, and he has been with her ever since, evolving into what he is today. Sarah brings a sense of realism within the fantasy world, she gives young children a safe place to learn life skills and problem solving by connecting them with characters that they can relate to.

Q: When did you first realize you wanted to be a writer?

I've always dreamed of being a writer for as long as I can remember. When I was a child I loved to write silly stories and little plays for my friends and family; I would even recruit my siblings and sometimes neighborhood kids to perform them. Year's later I dove into poetry, but always turned back to scripts and short stories.

Q: How did you become involved in the subject or theme of your book?

My company, Ocean Aire Productions, has been helping the martial arts industry teach character development worldwide since 2006! I am a co-owner of a martial arts school with her husband, where I have been teaching and developing Character Education Programs for children for over 20 years. I created Harry the Red Headed Lizard as a creative writing assignment in the ninth grade, and he has been with her ever since, evolving into what he is today.

Q:What do you like to do when you are not writing?

I enjoy sailing, traveling, reading, watching movies, and documentaries, and eating amazing foods.

Q:What real-life inspirations did you draw from for the world-building within your book?

All the characters and mentors in my stories are based on the children, teachers and parents I have worked with over the past 20 plus years.

Q: What do you hope your readers take away from this book?

I want to bring a sense of realism within the fantasy world, and give young children a safe place to learn life skills and problem solving by connecting them with characters that they can relate to.

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SOLVE THE MAZE

Help the Rat to find his food.



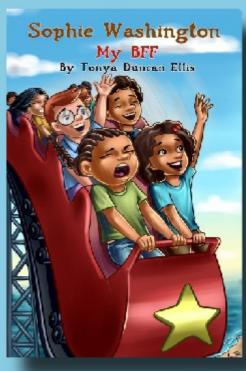
Sophie Washington

Series

The Sophie Washington series stars a sweet and sassy African American preteen from Houston, TX and her diverse group of friends. Each funny and heartwarming story teaches lessons about friendship, responsibility, truthfulness, and perseverance.

Sophie Washington MY BFF

Sophie and Chloe have been best friends since they met in kindergarten. They get along like chips and salsa and do everything together from playing tennis to cheering on the school cheer squad. Lately, Chloe's been leaving Sophie out, and she doesn't know why. Sophie does everything she can to make her best friend happy, but it's not working. Then Chloe asks Sophie to fib to a teacher to help her out and she learns the true meaning of friendship.



Available on Amazon



Author Tonva Duncan Ellis

Tonya Duncan Ellis is author of the bestselling, Readers' Favorite "Five Star" rated, 10-book Sophie Washington children's series, geared toward readers ages 8 to 12, and is a member of the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators (SCBWI). She has received awards for literary excellence, worked as a journalist and a freelance magazine writer. Tonya loves to travel and has visited 49 American states, 20 countries,

lonya loves to travel and has visited 49 American states, 20 countries, and three continents, but some of her best journeys have been between the pages of a novel. As a girl she could always be found with a book in her hand, and reading is still one of her favorite hobbies. When she's not reading or writing, the author likes to ride her bike, swim, and spend time with her husband and three children. She lives in Houston, TX.







LUCY AND DARK FOREST

Once upon a time there was a kingdom of dogs named Lucida. The king and queen were Zener and Lucy. They were very kind hearted that they cared for their masses just like their family. On Christmas day they were travelling back to Lucida, a cyclone stroke them unfortunately. Lucy was able to escape but couldn't find where Zener was. She returned back to kingdom and cried a lot for him. The next day, Lucy called all the dogs of the kingdom and said, "My dear dogs, the king Zener was lost deep down in the forest. I need your help to rescue him. I hope you will be with me." The crowd were ready and they went to forest and started searching for the king. But when they were going inside they heard howling of wolfs and roaring of lions by which they got frightened and returned back to the kingdom. Lucy was left alone but she didnt loose hope. While she was searching for Zener she met a Hedgehog named Latte. Latte asked, "Who are you?" Then Lucy said, "I am Lucy. The queen of Lucida – kingdom of dogs. I came here in search of my husband Zener." Then hedgehog said, "This is my home. Can I be of help?." They both started searching in the forest.

We know the forest is very dark and wild. When Lucy and Latte were in search they were chased by a wolf. Latte was very clever. He got an idea .he used his pines and shot the wolf. The wolf was dead.

Before they thought they were safe one more hurdle in front of them. It was a black panther .it tried to attack them. They were helpless and started running. Luckly Lucy found a small cave and they ran into it to hide, the black panther wasn't small enough to fit in.

They felt a little bit relaxed and out of trouble but they weren't. They heard some weird sounds from behind. When they turned back they found something dangerous. It was a herd of wild cats they quickly ran out of the cave and ran towards a small pond. They jumped into it. Surprisingly they were in front of a hungry alligator and a wild bear.

They ran from there too. They were too tired that they hide themselves behind bamboo trees. Latte said, "I can't run anymore. I am sorry I wasn't much helpful." Lucy said, "I am worried how Zener is? I hope he is safe."

Latte exclaimed, "oh no! Once again. Something moving in the bushes." and he got all ready to shoot with his pines . Then Lucy said, "wait let me see who it is. I could sense Zener." She goes around the bushes and cries in happiness .IT WAS ZENER. They were happy ever after with Latte in Lucida.

Moral: There is a key for every door.

Name: Y.Hiren Varma

Class: 2nd Age: 8 Years

Shj Stories

Suzan Johnson has been the Media Specialist at an elementary school for over ten years. She is a voracious reader of books of all genres. Growing up, she loved and enjoyed participating in sporting activities such as cheerleading and softball. As a teacher she encourages her students to read a variety of books and participate in sports. Suzan is a member of the South Florida Writer's Association and Florida Literacy Association. Johnson currently lives in the South Florida area and has published thirteen books including children stories, activity books, a poetry, and journal.

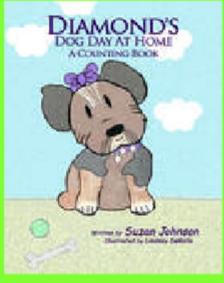
The children she knows inspire the characters, but the stories are created from her imagination. As an author and educator Suzan encourages teamwork, positive images of families, friendship, sportsmanship, and more. Her goal is to let readers see themselves in the characters and stories she writes.

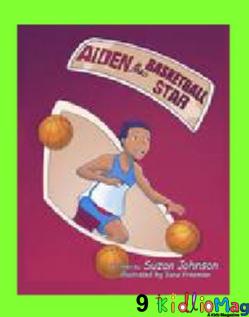


Author Suzan Johnson







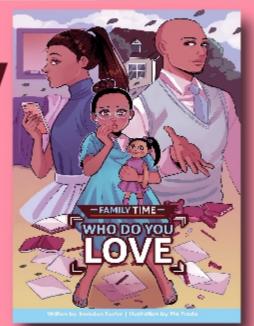


-Family Time-

Series

What lengths would you go to in order to recover what was taken from you? Meet Ashlon, a smart young lady with a very active imagination. When she returns home from school she quickly discovers that her most prized possession has been....stolen? Who could have done this, and most of all why? Join her on a day she will never forget. Enjoy Ashlon's journey as she learns a valuable lesson about life, and how we treat others

A Graphical Novel Comic



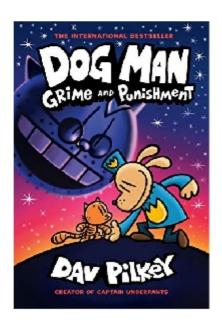


Brandon Foster is a children's comic book author. He aspires to fuse faith based teachings with relatable topics, and humor to create something enjoyable not just for his young readers, but readers of all ages. His Family Time series aims to keep parents and their children reading, connecting, and engaging together for as long as possible. He believes that nothing is more important than family time. Brandon Foster lives in Georgia, he has been married for over 6 years and is the proud father of two beautiful daughters.



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Name: Dog Man: Grime and Punishment

Author: Dav Pilkey

Publisher: Scholastic India

Description: The Supa Buddies bamboozled the baddies, but all's not right in the world. Dog Man has a new problem to pound, and he's going to need his entire pack to help him. Will he go barking up the wrong tree?

Day Pilkey's wildly popular Dog Man series appeals to readers of all ages and explores universally positive themes, including empathy, kindness, persistence, and the importance of doing good.

Name: How To Catch A Star

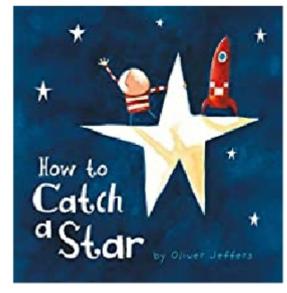
Author: Oliver Jeffers

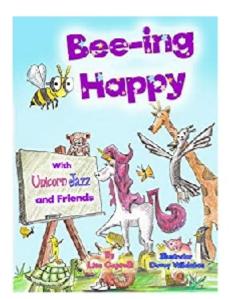
Price: Rs 325.00

Publisher: HarperCollinsChildren'sBooks

Description: An inspirational story of a boy who loved the stars so much, he decided to catch one of his very own. The beautifully illustrated, original debut picture

book from shining talent Oliver Jeffers.





Name: Beeing Happy with Unicorn Jazz and Friends

Author: Lisa Caprelli

Publiser: Happy and Fun Lifestyle LLC

Description: Children's Unicorn Book Series, Bee-ing Happy with Unicorn Jazz and Friends brings animal friends together in this heartfelt book filled with happiness and kindness with colorful hand-drawn, kid-like art! Being happy is free! Unicorn Jazz in this happiness books for kids include a bee BEE HAPPY with animals and Woof the Crow, all showing imaginative and creative ideas on what being happy can mean.



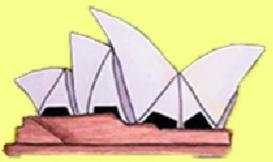
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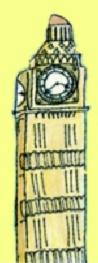
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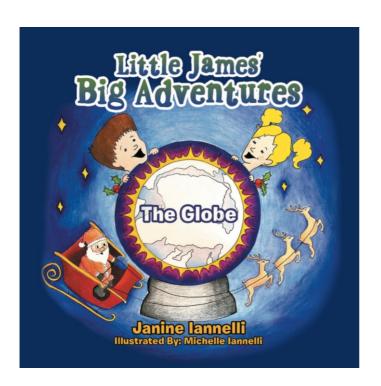
Little James' Big Adventures Series

Book Name: Little James' Big Adventures The Globe

Author: Janine lannelli

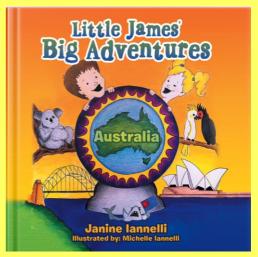
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Janine lannelli is a mother and a self published author of an educational children's travel book series, Little James' Big Adventures. She created this series to teach kids about other countries and cultures. She believes the best way to experience another country is to go there. However, that is not always possible. Life gets in the way, work gets in the way and traveling overseas can be expensive especially for families.



In this special Christmas edition of Little James 'big adventures, we learn how little James comes to posses his magic snow globe and discovers its power by accident! He and his sister Susie are transported by the globe to the north pole where they take a tour through santa's workshop and learn factual and fun information about the arctic.







The Magical Tree

Once upon a time there lived Chaya and Maya, they both were twins but Chaya was younger than Maya by six minutes. So, Maya demanded everything from Chaya. Maya had a very good talent, Chaya had no special talent, as they grew up their father wanted them to become responsible and earn money. So he decided to give them a task. The next morning he called his two daughters and said, "My dear daughters I am going to give you a task you should accomplish it in the next 15 days."His daughters agreed. Their father continued, "you should earn money on your own and it should be Minimum Rs. 10,000."

His daughters were shocked; they didn't expect that he would give them a difficult task like this. Somehow they obeyed and packed their bags and started. They both went in two directions. Maya know what to do, but Chaya doesn't. The only positive characteristic in Chaya was not to lose hope. Chaya kept walking she didn't stop, then she was tired, she saw a tree and sat there. The tree on which she sat was a magical one, as Chaya was thinking how to earn money, a voice came behind her she was startled, there was no one around her then she turned back and saw the tree talking she was astonished. The tree said," Don't be scared I am a Magical Tree, I will grant you a wish if have any". She said," I have only one wish I want three talents". The tree asked "which three talents do you want". She replied, "Teacher, painter, gardener". The Tree granted the wishes. Then Chava went in search of job confidently. She found a big palace with two children, she stepped in, requested their parents to be a teacher for their kids. Also she offered to be a painting teacher for them and a helping gardener. The parents were more than pleased to hire her at Rs. 5000 for teaching, Rs. 3000 for gardening and Rs. 4000 for painting. Coincidentally she saw her sister also in palace but only for a single task she excels at Rs. 9000. Chaya got Rs. 11,000 where as Maya got Rs. 9000.

When they reached home, Maya realized that Chaya has earned more than her. She apologized to Chaya and "realized that having talent is important but being smart is more important". Chaya and Maya now became good friends. But the best friend for Chaya was "The Magical Tree".

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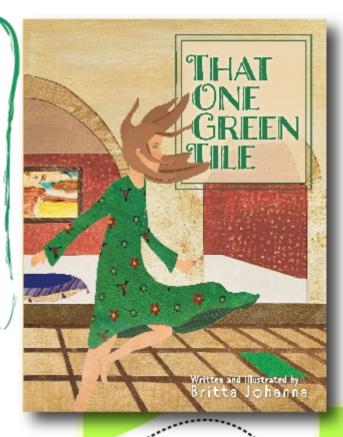
THAT ONE GREEN TILE

I Think Each Night She Wishes Upon A Star, Or Finds Pictures In Billowy Clouds From Afar.

In this rhyming, melodic story, a mother tells her little girl that somewhere in the world lives another little girl who looks just like her. This propels her daughter into a journey of the imagination, where she visits locales from Spain to Japan, visualizing this other person in her familiar surroundings. From page to page, the little girl explores the possibilities in her head:

At the end of the story, readers are reminded that for all our similarities, each one is unique. And for all our differences, we share the same sky.

Children and adults alike will return to this delightful story over and over again as they admire the captivating hand-crafted paper collages and learn a beautiful lesson about unity and diversity.





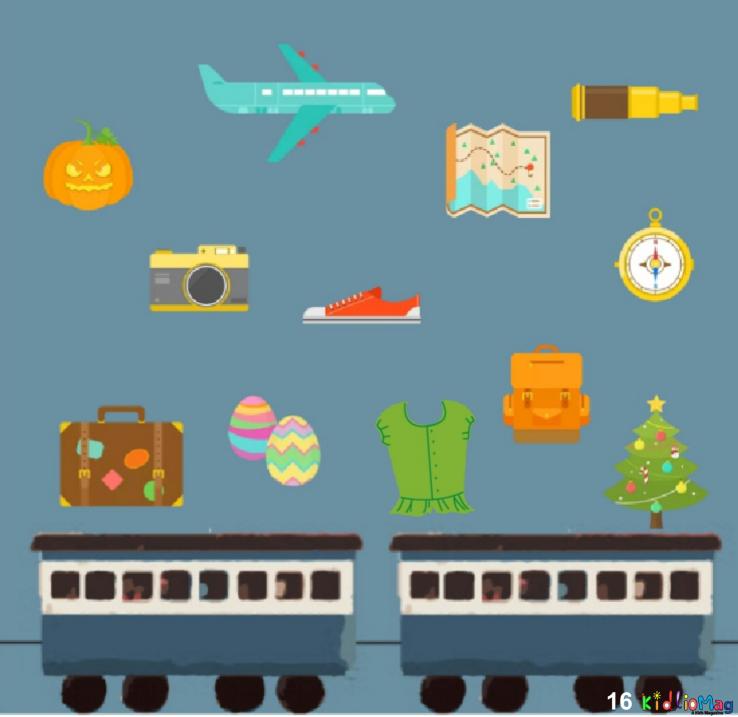
Author Britta Johanna

Britta Johanna is a writer and artist originally from Olympia, Washington, U.S. and currently living a creative life in Montréal, Québec, Canada. She possesses degrees in Art as well as Education and holds a master's degree in Museums and Galleries. She was a children's educator for 10 years and loves the creative process. She spends her time between Seattle, WA and Montréal, Québec.

"As a little girl, I was very drawn to the artwork that carried a story so eloquently within a picture book. Through the shapes, line, color and texture, I was able to build the story around myself to better understand what the author was hoping to convey...much like how stained-glass windows tell a story within a medieval cathedral."



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I'll Be Right There



Book Name : I'll Be Right There Author Name: Jonathan Marshall Illustrator : Julia Orthey

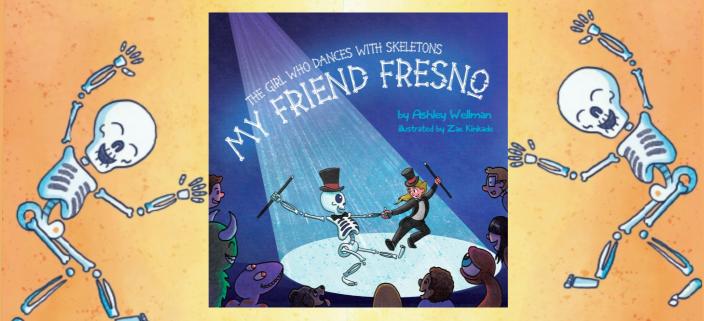
Jonathan Marshall is a poet, writer, and author of the new book, I'll Be Right There. Jonathan has spent the last decade and a half working with youth from various backgrounds. He works full time as an Academic Outreach Manager at Eastern University. He attended Eastern University where he studied Early Childhood Education. He is a person who likes to create things. Some things he likes to make: Children's books. Images. Mystery meals. Although originally from Camden, New Jersey, he now lives in Philadelphia's suburbs with his wife and their two boys.

"I'll Be Right There" is a children's book that tells of a story of a father and son. This is an awesome book not just for fathers and sons, but for anyone parenting little ones when they get scared at night. It is a great reminder to tell your little ones you will be there to support them.

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The Girl who Dances with Skeletons My Friend Fresno



Sometimes our greatest friends are the ones we least expect. Just ask the girl who dances with skeletons and her friend, Fresno. Join them as they learn that new things don't have to be scary, our differences make us special, and that life is better when we are in it together. This is a story that celebrates the beauty of diversity, inclusion, self-love and the power of friendship.



Ashley Wellman earned her PhD from the University of Florida and has worked as an educator since 2008. She considers her greatest role to be mother to Reagan, her daughter and inspiration. This is her debut children's book and the first of many she hopes to come.

Available on www.myfriendfresno.com

Happy Birthday



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Shrav's Lockdown Adventures By Suhasini IP





International Lockdown is taking a toll on everyone. But what about Children? How are they reacting to the Lockdown? Playing and going out to meet their friends is a vital part of growing up in any Child's life. With this lockdown, we are robbing them of their simple pleasures. So what is happening to their everactive mind? Check out how an ever-energetic seven-year-old boy Shrav is coping with this lockdown and what adventures he is doing?

Shravmusings is the pen name of the Mother and Son duo. Suhasini (the mother) has teamed up with her Son (Shravanth) to capture the amazing journey of Shravanth through his childhood and blogs at Shravmusings. Mom (Suhasini) captures her parenting approach and the books she reads on her Parenting blog at MommyShravmusings.

Book is available on Amazon



A child's prayer...

Oh god, give me a penny more,
To have candies some more...

Oh god, give me a magic wand,

To make all my wishes true from sand...

Oh god, give me a bicycle to ride,

To go to my friends home along the lake side...

Oh god, give me a pair of new shoes, To get rid of the old ones of no use...

Oh god, give me a new pencil that needs no sharpen,

To go on writing without being broken...

Oh god, forget everything I have said,

For I've parents to fulfill all my wants unsaid...



By- Neha Sama



CREATIVE CORNER



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Name: Aditya Garg Class: 6B

Name: Akshita Gupta Class: 3B



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