



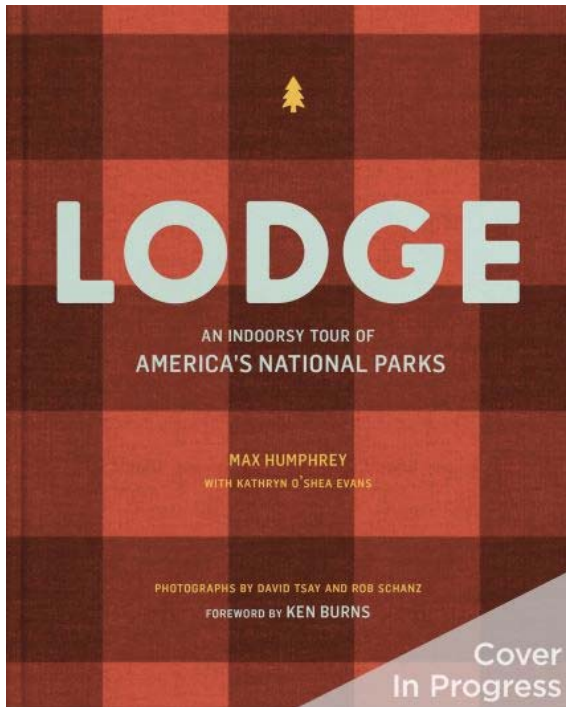
Raincoast Books

WINTER 2023

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Lodge

Cool Places in the Western National Parks

by Max Humphrey and Kathryn O'Shea-Evans, photographs by David Tsay

Max Humphrey shines a light on ten rustic National Park lodges in all their airy, time-worn splendor. No historic photos here; the images of the architecture and interiors are as they look today, highlighting these storied places in a fresh, enticing way. Along with woodsy eye candy and enticing views of the buildings' exteriors and grand open spaces. Sure, the lobbies are the main stage, but Humphrey touches on grand dining rooms, guest rooms, and rustic canteens alike. He writes about the buildings themselves in terms of the historical goings on at the time, why they were built, and the players involved, being sure to highlight notable architectural moments and period-specific furnishings. A smattering of pop culture history will add extra bursts of levity throughout.

Author Bio

Max Humphrey spent ten years in LA designing homes all over the United States. In 2016, he moved to Portland to launch his own design firm. He has been featured in Architectural Digest, Domino, Dwell, The Wall Street Journal, and as one of Apartment Therapy's design change-makers. Max was also featured as a 'Next Wave' designer in House Beautiful Magazine and has been named one of Country Living's 100 most creative people. He is coauthor (with Chase Reynolds Ewald) of Modern Americana (spring 2021). He lives in Portland, OR.

Kathryn O'Shea-Evans lived and worked in three national parks during her college summers before she became a design and travel journalist for The New York Times, The Wall Street Journal, and co-author of design monographs for Rizzoli New York, including Mark D. Sikes's More Beautiful.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Apr 4/23

6.5 x 10.75 • 160 pages

200 Photos

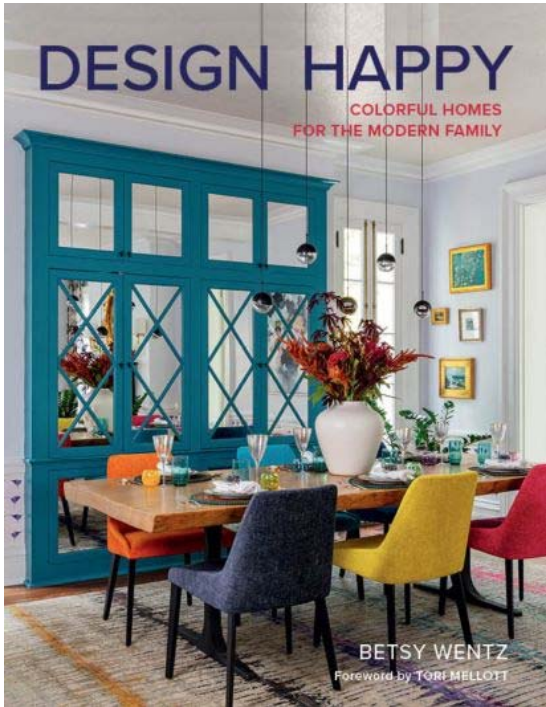
9781423661344 • \$43.00 • cl

Architecture / Buildings / Landmarks & Monuments

Notes

Promotion





Design Happy

Colorful Homes for the Modern Family

by Betsy Wentz

In her first book, interior designer Betsy Wentz shares thirteen fabulous family homes. The book is really a practical design guide for anyone who may not want - or simply cannot afford - to hire an interior designer. The story of each home includes color studies, design lessons, and pro tips, plus plenty of practical advice for anyone who might face similar challenges.

Author Bio

Betsy Wentz began learning design as a youngster, as she accompanied her mother on shopping trips to the New York Design Center and sorted fabrics in her mother's tightly packed showroom above the family carriage house. She worked with her mother, Kay, before establishing her own design firm in 2011 and opening the Studio B showroom in Pittsburgh. She begins every project by saying to her clients, "Let's find something YOU love - whether it's a rug, a fabric, a wallpaper, or a piece of artwork." And then the house unfolds into an authentic, unique story and reflection of the person or family who lives there. Betsy's work has been featured in Traditional Home, Veranda, Elle Decor, Pittsburgh Home, and House Beautiful, among others.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Apr 11/23

8.5 x 11 • 208 pages

175-200 Photos

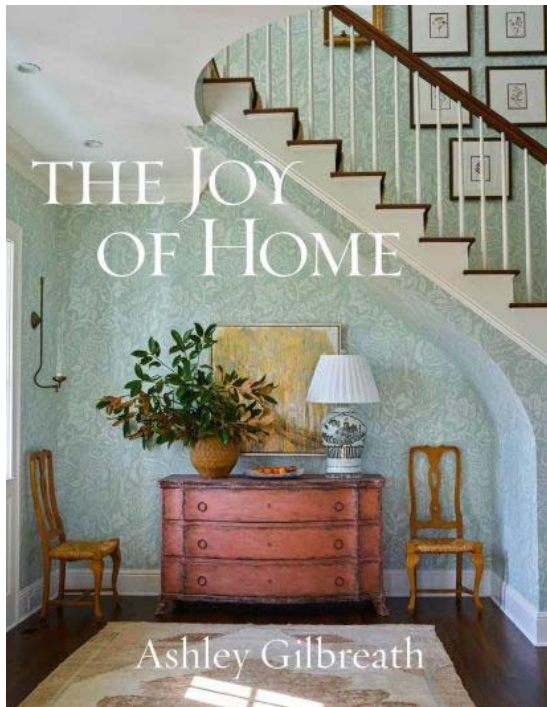
9781423661542 • \$65.00 • cl

Architecture / Interior Design / General

Notes

Promotion





The Joy of Home by Ashley Gilbreath

First book by award-winning (Shutze Award, Southeast chapter for Institute of Classical Architecture & Art) interior designer Ashley Gilbreath reveals the breadth of her casual, elegant style. From coastal and lake homes to Southern farmhouses, country club homes, high-rise condos, and cottages, Ashley Gilbreath Interior Design does it all. "Bringing family together is the reason we design homes. We set a stage for memories - it's a stage made of emotion more than color and texture. Home is a place for people to embrace their families and celebrate life's joys." Ashley Gilbreath's designs affect how people remember their families. She has designed homes from New York to Florida.

Author Bio

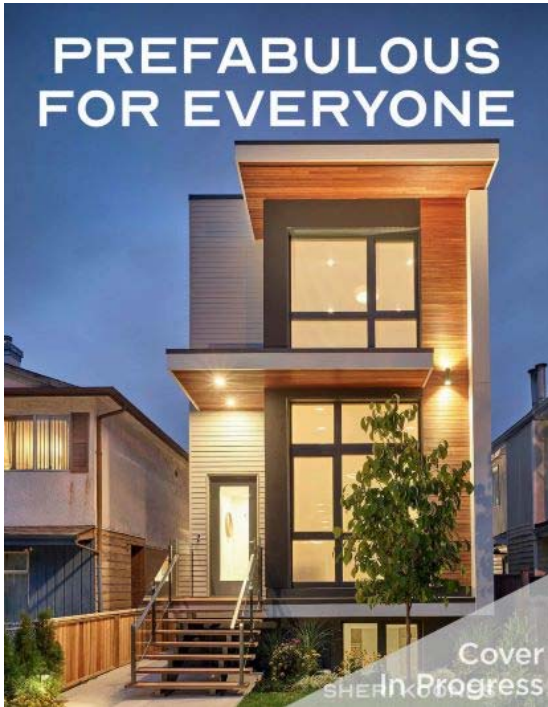
Ashley Gilbreath is a Southern-based interior designer who studied at Auburn University and the New York School of Interior Design. Her fresh take on the industry can be seen in Southern Living, House Beautiful, Luxe, Coastal Living, Country Living, Atlanta Homes & Lifestyle, and in homes from Florida to New York. She is renowned for creating casual, elegant spaces where the family can gather to celebrate everyday living. She currently lives in Rosemary Beach, FL.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Apr 18/23
8.5 x 11 • 224 pages
175 photos
9781423663430 • \$69.00 • cl
Architecture / Interior Design / General

Notes

Promotion





Prefabulous for Everyone

by Sheri Koones

Prefabricated housing is a very practical solution since it is faster to build, less expensive than site-built houses and potentially more energy efficient - all aspects that are attractive to homeowners. According to manufacturers, they are seeing the trend for house size coming down, but with higher quality amenities. Koones has authored a series of five prefabulous books; this one is her sixth. She includes a variety of prefab homes from small to large, including modular, SIPS (structural insulated panels), and panelized. The houses are from a range of locations across the United States and Canada. It includes very luxurious, expensive houses as well as some modest, lower cost homes. She include a house or two that are replacements for houses that burned down in the California fires. There are several ADUs (accessory dwelling units). The prefab manufacturers have changed in many cases since she wrote her last Prefabulous book in 2016; so, although this book includes some of the best older companies, it also includes houses built by new, up-and-coming companies.

Author Bio

Sheri Koones is a widely respected author and journalist who helps readers better understand that getting the house of their dreams can be done in an ecologically responsible and one-of-a-kind way. She is the recipient of the prestigious Gold Award Robert Bruss Real Estate Book Awards from NAREE for *Downsize: Living Large in a Small House*. She has written numerous articles about home construction for AOL Real Estate, Smart Homeowner, Builder Magazine, and more and is a regular contributor to Forbes.com. She has been a speaker at events such as the International Building Show and the National AIA Convention.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Apr 18/23

8.5 x 11 • 224 pages

200 photos

9781423663591 • \$53.00 • cl

Architecture / Domestic

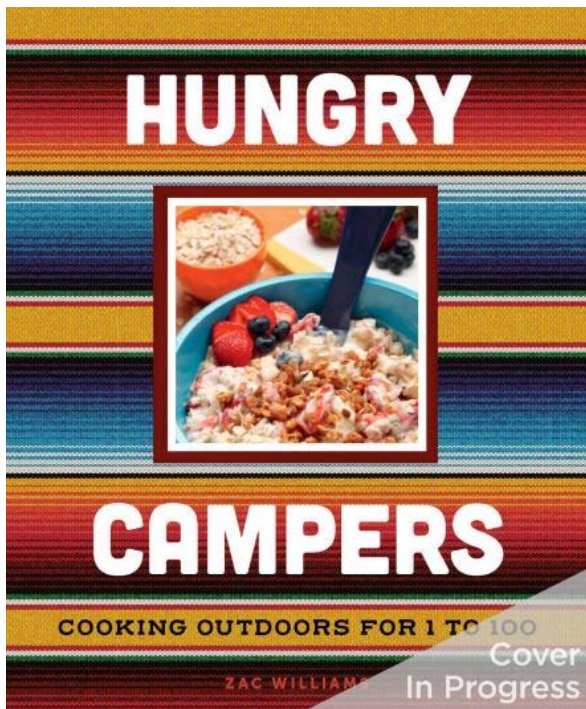
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Hungry Campers, new edition

Cooking Outdoors for 1 to 100

by Zac Williams

The last couple of years have seen a renewed enthusiasm for camping and enjoying time outdoors. And one of the best things about spending the night under the stars is eating meals around a campfire. This completely redesigned new edition of Zac Williams' Hungry Campers: Cooking Outdoors for 1 to 100 provides recipes crafted to fill empty stomachs, from the single backpacker, to the rowdy scout troop, and to family reunions held at the lake. Recipes are arranged in chapters beginning with ideas for meals that are easy to prepare and teach basic cooking skills, and progress to more advanced gourmet preparations for those camp chefs who are looking for inspiration. Menus, tips for using cooking equipment, and other camping related hints and ideas are also included to make meals in the great outdoors fun as well as belly filling.

Author Bio

Zac Williams is a partner at Williams Visual, a creative communications company. He has been the principal photographer of more than 200 books, and explores food and culture through writing and photography. He is the author of five cookbooks, including Spooky Snacks and Treats, French Fries, and Little Cowpokes Cookbook. Zac and his family live in Eden, Utah.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 14/23

6.5 x 8.5 • 128 pages

40 4/c photos

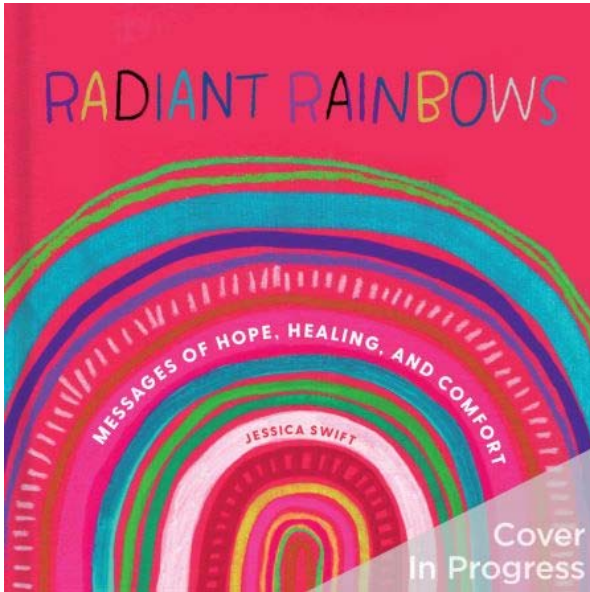
9781423663515 • \$25.99 • cl

Cooking / Methods / Outdoor

Notes

Promotion





Radiant Rainbow

Messages of Hope, Healing, and Comfort

by Jessica Swift

A perfect gift for anyone going through a hard time, The Rainbow Book is meant to be that hand that lifts you up and nudges you to keep going. Each page of this gorgeous, eye-catching book will contain a healing wish, prayer, mantra, or affirmation to help you pick yourself up and put one foot in front of the other. Some included topics are: love, intuition, courage, expansion, resilience, and acceptance. By gifting this book to yourself or to someone you know who needs love and support, you'll also be adding some hope and beauty to the world and helping people feel a little less alone.

Author Bio

Jessica Swift is an artist and fabric + surface pattern designer who creates colorful, magically uplifting artwork intended to inspire others to live courageous, honest, hope-filled lives. She creates and manufactures her own products that she sells in her Portland, Oregon studio and in shops around the country. She also licenses her artwork to others for branded products such as fabric, stationery, puzzles, books, and more.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 21/23

6 x 6 • 112 pages

100+ 4/c illustrations t/o

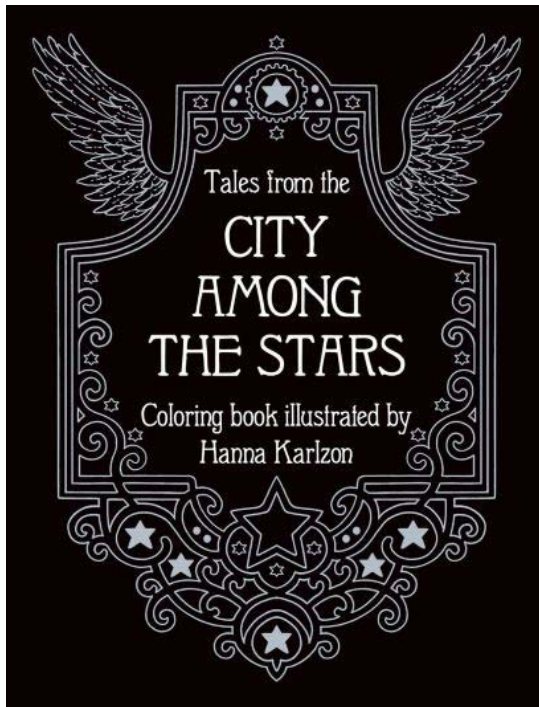
9781423663638 • \$24.99 • cl

Self-Help / Motivational & Inspirational

Notes

Promotion





Tales from the City Among the Stars illustrated by Hanna Karlzon

In Hanna Karlzon's newest coloring book, you have been invited to an enchanting city set under the stars. Around every corner you will find endless streets filled with mystical people and animals and gorgeous buildings and spaces. Drawn in her highly regarded detailed style, coloring book enthusiasts will love getting lost in Hanna's magical illustrations.

Author Bio

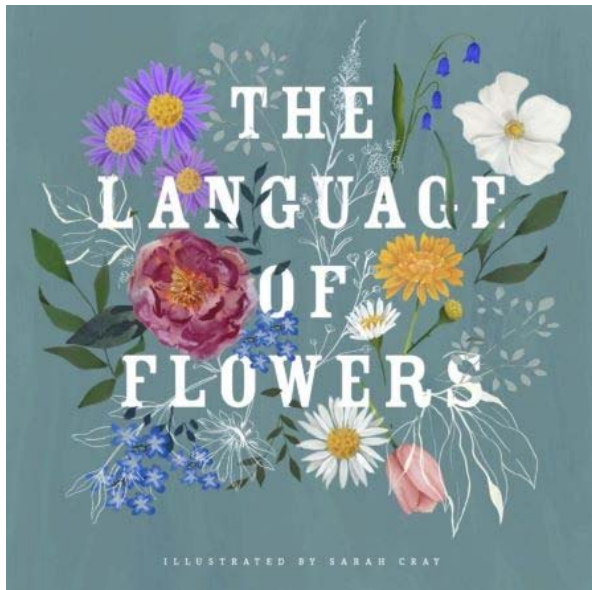
Hanna Karlzon has an art teaching degree from Umea University and has run her own business as a freelance designer since 2013. City Among the Stars is her tenth coloring book. She lives in Umea, Sweden.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Feb 7/23
7.25 x 9.65 • 64 pages
1/c illustrations t/o
9781423663539 • \$24.99 • cl
Games / Activity Books (Incl. Coloring Books)

Notes

Promotion





The Language of Flowers illustrated by Sarah Cray

Celebrate the secret language and symbolism of flowers with Sarah Cray's sixth book, *Language of Flowers*. Beautiful watercolor, gouache, and ink illustrations are paired with explorations of flora and the messages we send with each bouquet. Allow it to serve as an intimate gift, a personal art piece, or to complement your spring and Valentine's Day decor.

Author Bio

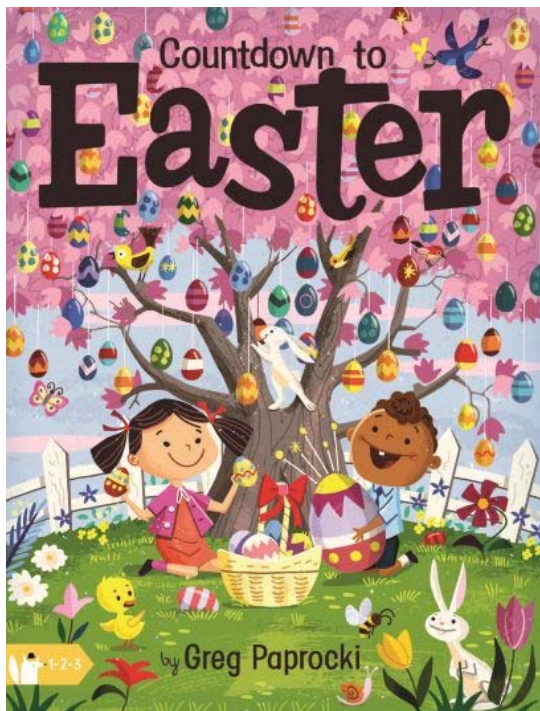
Sarah Cray is the creator of Dandelion Paper Co. and "Let's Make Art," an online community and art supply shop, with the goal of getting more people to paint and to live a more creative life. Her beautifully illustrated books, *Motherhood* (GSP, 2018) and *Sisterhood* (GSP, 2019), pay homage to our most valuable female bonds. *Be Still* (GSP, 2020) encourages readers to quiet the soul and embrace mindfulness. Sarah lives in Hamilton, Missouri, with her husband and three children.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
7.25 x 7.25 • 112 pages
4/c Illustrations t/o
9781423661580 • \$22.99 • cl
Self-Help / Motivational & Inspirational

Notes

Promotion





Countdown to Easter illustrated by Greg Paprocki

It's only 7 more days until Easter and what do we do? We have an egg and spoon race, of course! And when we get down to only 1 more day, we're definitely going on an easter egg hunt! This springtime holiday is on its way, and now everyone gets to count down the days! Toddlers learn to count down from 10 to 1 by finding objects hidden throughout these charming scenes of Easter fun rendered in illustrator Greg Paprocki's classically retro midcentury art style. From finding bunny rabbits and yellow chicks to having an Easter Egg Roll and dyeing eggs, there's fun to be had on every page. The final spread is packed with surprises! Discover new details in each illustration with every successive reading.

Author Bio

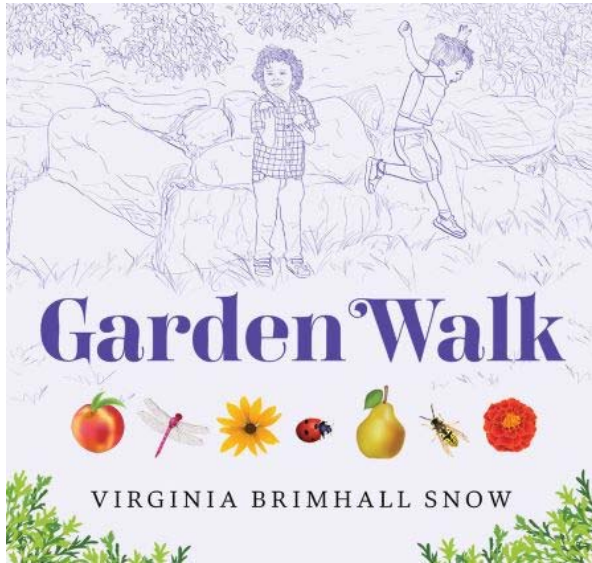
Greg Paprocki works full-time as an illustrator and book designer. He has illustrated several Curious George books, the Little Leonardo series, and the BabyLit alphabet board books including S Is for Santa, B Is for Boo, E Is for Easter, and C Is for Camping. Released early last year in the new Count and Find series were Day of the Dead, Christmas, and Trees. Greg's Gibbs Smith titles have sold over 581,952 copies. He lives in Omaha, NE.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Jan 17/23
6.38 x 8.38 • 22 pages
4/c illustrations t/o
9781423663485 • \$18.99
Fiction / General • Ages 0-4

Notes

Promotion





Garden Walk by Virginia Snow

Take a stroll through a magnificent garden and serene forest with Grammy and her favorite grandkids, and find out what there is to discover around every turn. Beautiful illustrations and adorable rhymes will guide readers as they learn to identify different kinds of flowers, fruits and berries, trees, birds, insects, and animals. Pick and snack on fruits in the garden, and then swing in a big huge tree right after you have a picnic in the forest.

Author Bio

Virginia Brimhall Snow, author of Fall Walk, Winter Walk, Spring Walk, and Summer Walk, lives in a wooded area bordering a national forest in northern Utah. For many years, she has expressed herself using paints, pencils, and pixels. She enjoys time with her grandchildren and creating award-winning art. If she's not working in her garden, you can find her at virginiabrimhallsnow.com.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Feb 7/23

10 x 9.5 • 32 pages

4/c illustrations t/o

9781423662525 • \$24.99 • cl

Juvenile Nonfiction / Nature / Flowers & Plants • Ages

4-8

Notes

Promotion



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Party

Children's Coloring Book

illustrated by Hanna Karlzon

In Hanna Karlzon's first coloring book for kids, you have been invited to an exciting party where you'll find celebration, cake, gifts, and so much more. At the turn of every page, you'll find magical creatures dressed in their party best, ice cream cones and cupcakes towering with sweets, and partygoers in birthday hats and costumes. Drawn in her highly regarded detailed style, coloring book enthusiasts will love getting lost in Hanna's magical illustrations.

Author Bio

Hanna Karlzon has an art teaching degree from Umea University and has run her own business as a freelance designer since 2013. Party is her eleventh coloring book, and first coloring book for kids. She lives in Umea, Sweden.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Jan 31/23
7.5 x 9 • 40 pages
1/c illustrations t/o
9781423663997 • \$14.99 • pb

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Promotion





Grow Your Own Way illustrated by Helen Dardik

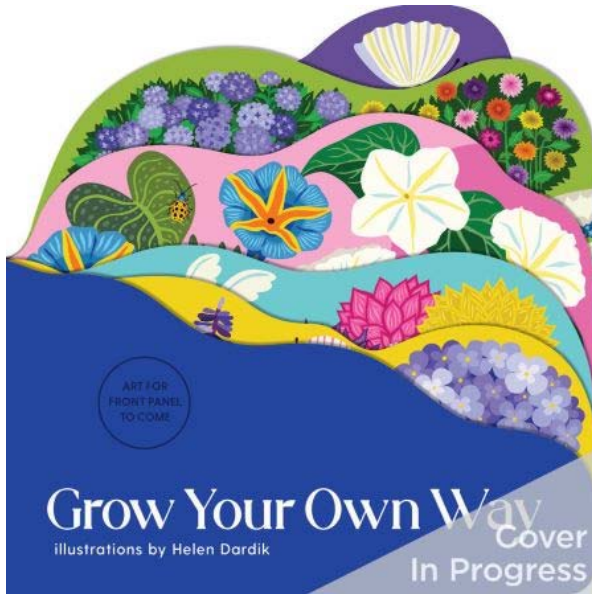
Every page turn of this chunky board book reveals a new layer to Helen Dardik's bright, graphic depiction of a garden in bloom. A gentle introduction to diversity and acceptance, this rhyming story reminds readers that every kind of flower needs its own mix of sunshine, water, and soil to blossom. . .and that each flower's unique beauty is an extraordinary delight. You're a perfect flower, blooming exactly as you should, adding your special color to the garden of the world!

Author Bio

Helen Dardik is a professional illustrator and a surface pattern designer based in Canada. Vibrant, folksy, playful toomuchery is a perfect way to describe her style.

Born by the Black Sea, Helen lived in Siberia for a time and then moved to Israel, where studied art and design. In the early nineties she relocated to Ottawa, Canada, where she got a graphic design degree and found work as a designer and illustrator.

Her books include The Magical Unicorn Society Official Handbook.

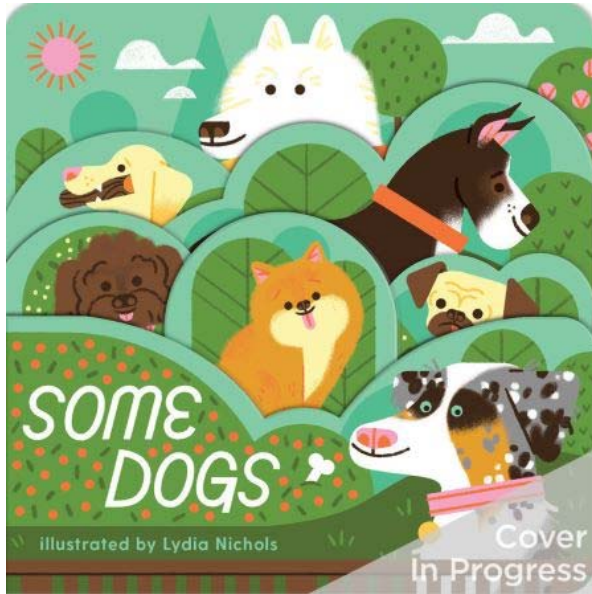


Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Apr 4/23
8.5 x 8.5 • 10 pages
9781423663584 • \$23.99

Notes

Promotion





Some Dogs

illustrated by Lydia Nicholas

Some dogs are slender. Some dogs are round. Some dogs are leggy, some close to the ground. Dogs come in every size, shape, and color. . . and that's what makes them fun! Every page turn reveals new layers to Lydia Nichol's bright, graphic depiction of a busy dog park. A gentle introduction to diversity and acceptance, this rhyming story reminds readers that, at their heart, all dogs are the same!

Author Bio

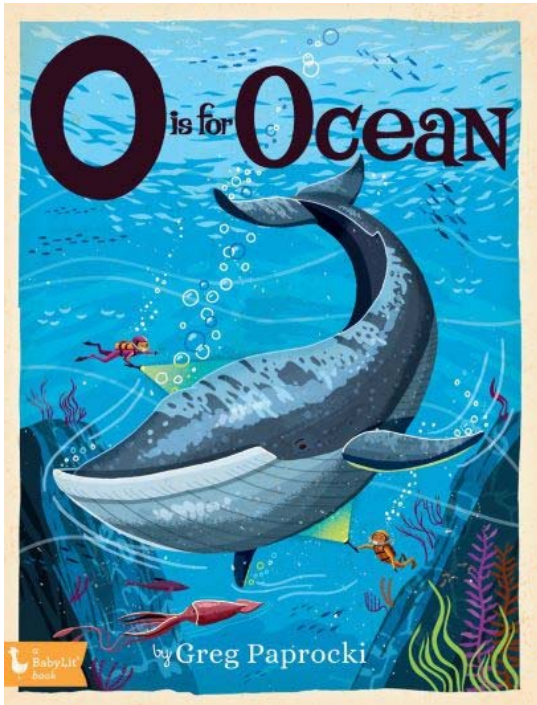
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Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Apr 4/23
8.5 x 8.5 • 10 pages
9781423663706 • \$23.99
Juvenile Fiction / Animals / Dogs

Notes

Promotion





O is for Ocean illustrated by Greg Paprocki

An engaging collection of illustrations teaching children all about the plants, animals, and features of our beautiful oceans. Entries include A for Anemone, G for Great Barrier Reef, N for Narwhal, and S for Submarine. Illustrator Greg Paprocki's popular BabyLit alphabet board books feature his classically retro midcentury art style that's proven to be a hit with both toddlers and adults.

Author Bio

Greg Paprocki works full-time as an illustrator and book designer. He has illustrated several Curious George books, the Little Leonardo series, and the BabyLit alphabet board books including S Is for Santa, B Is for Boo, E Is for Easter, and C Is for Camping. Released early last year in the new Count and Find series were Day of the Dead, Christmas, and Trees. Greg's Gibbs Smith titles have sold over 581,952 copies. He lives in Omaha, NE.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Apr 4/23
6.28 x 8.38 • 32 pages
4/c Illustrations t/o
9781423663423 • \$17.99
Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts / Alphabet • Ages 0-3

Notes

Promotion





P is for Pirate

illustrated by Greg Paprocki

An engaging collection of illustrations teaching children all about the silly and fun world of pirates. Have fun reading with your child from A to Z as you come across letters such as these: A for Ahoy, Matey!; D for daring; O for overboard and S for "Shiver me timbers!" Even more, each illustrated page will contain a special hidden character that kids will find running throughout the whole book. Illustrator Greg Paprocki's popular BabyLit alphabet board books feature his classically retro midcentury art style that's proven to be a hit with both toddlers and adults.

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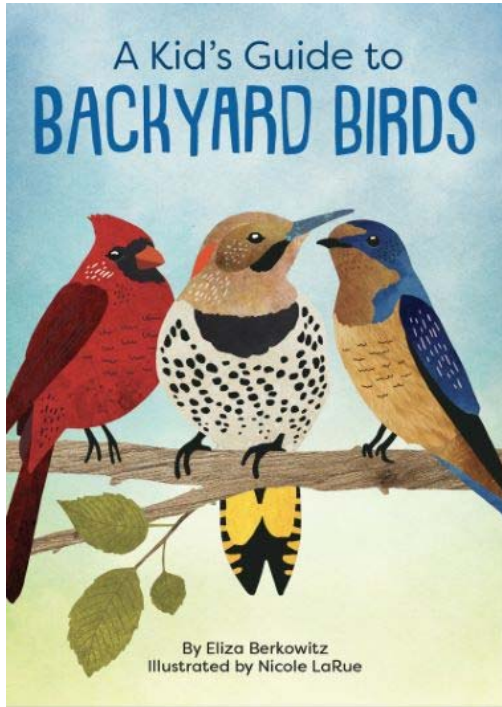
9781423661535 • \$18.99

Juvenile Nonfiction / Concepts / Alphabet • Ages 0-3

Notes

Promotion





A Kid's Guide to Backyard Birds

by Eliza Berkowitz, illustrated by Nicole LaRue

A Kid's Guide to Backyard Birds is filled with fascinating facts about North America's most common birds, including where they live, what they eat, and how they sound when they sing! How did the Brown-Headed Cowbird get its name? and which bird can fly up to 40 miles per hour? Packed with over 80 full-color, gorgeous illustrations, this portable field guide will have burgeoning bird lovers excited about exploring the amazing world just outside their doors! Even more, the frontmatter contains a hands-on DIY project, info on how to identify birds, and what are absolute essentials to take in your bag as a beginner birdwatcher. The backmatter contains a notes chart to keep track of all the birds spotted, info on how we can protect our birds by protecting our planet, and a glossary of important terms found bolded throughout the book.

Author Bio

Eliza Berkowitz is a writer and editor who has worked on a wide variety of books in her 20+ years in publishing. In her free time, she loves exploring the natural wonders of Redding, CT, where she lives with her husband, daughter, and dog.

Nicole LaRue a graphic designer and illustrator, believes every person, no matter their size, age, color, or status can help create positive social change. Called upon at the eleventh hour to create the official logo for the 2017 Women's March on Washington, she is no stranger to mighty work. Her clients include, Chronicle Books, Abram's Books, Oxford University Press, Compendium, Inc., Madison Park Greetings, Johnson & Johnson, Chat Books, Tiny Prints, DC Shoes, American Eagle, and more. See her work at www.smallmadegoods.com. Nicole resides in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 7/23

5 x 7 • 96 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

9781423662631 • \$18.99 • pb

Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Birds

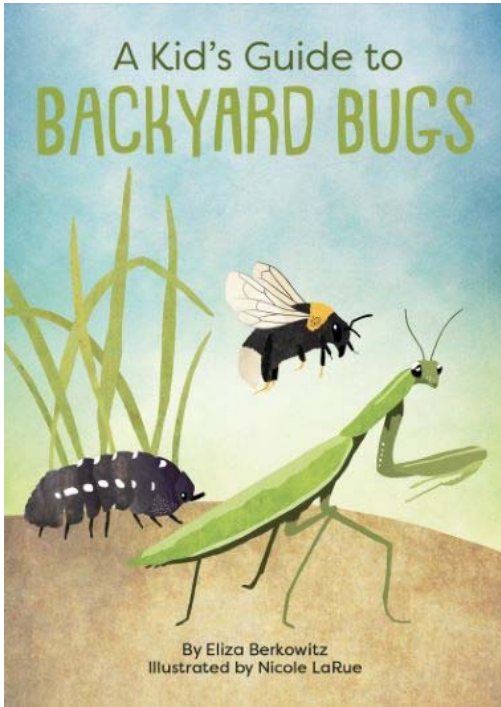
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A Kid's Guide to Backyard Bugs

by Eliza Berkowitz, illustrated by Nicole LaRue

A Kid's Guide to Backyard Bugs is filled with fascinating facts about North America's most common insects, including where they live, what they eat, and how they move! Which insect can live without food for up to a whole year? and which insect grows up to almost 2 feet in length? Packed with over 80 full-color, gorgeous illustrations, this portable field guide will have burgeoning bug lovers excited about exploring the amazing world just outside their doors! Even more, the frontmatter contains a hands-on DIY project, info on how to identify bugs, and what are absolute essentials to take in your bag as a beginner bug finder. The backmatter contains a notes chart to keep track of all the bugs spotted, info on how we can protect our bugs by protecting our planet, and a glossary of important terms found bolded throughout the book.

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Juvenile Nonfiction / Animals / Insects, Spiders, Etc.

Notes

Promotion





Wepa by J de la Vega

Mia Emilia Lucia Renata is an energetic young lady. Some say she's too loud, while others think she is a bit messy, but Mia just simply has too much wepa: too much spirit. Or, at least that's what she's used to hearing: too much wepa in her actions, emotions, and words. But that's just who she is! However, Mia will soon discover a space where her wepa isn't misunderstood, but rather celebrated and embraced. Parents will celebrate the wepa behind this bilingual English-Spanish hardcover as they teach their little ones to be passionate about who they are and how they express themselves in their everyday life.

Author Bio

J de la Vega is an author-illustrator of the best selling picturebook, *Petunia Brown*, and middle-grade novel, *Peter Tulliver and the City of Monsters*, and graphic early reader, *Annalise: The Special Dish*, are set to release in 2023. She currently resides in southern California with her children, partner, and guinea pigs. J is a proud advocate of representation, social justice, and believes everyone has a story that needs to be heard.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Feb 7/23
9 x 11 • 40 pages
4/c Illustrations t/o
9781948066549 • \$28.99 • cl
Juvenile Nonfiction / Social Situations / Emotions & Feelings

Notes

Promotion





My Pet Flamingo

by Mariana Galvez, illustrated by Mariana Galvez

Did you know pet flamingos have a list of rules for their care that you must follow? That it's no mistake pet flamingos love the color pink and dislike the snow? Or that their favorite treats is horchata with quesadillas? Anyone can foster a friendship with their newly discovered pet flamingo. But it's only those that follow the unwritten rules who will find their pet flamingos always by their side.

Parents will be tickled pink by this bilingual English-Spanish hardcover about all the delightful adventures between a little one and their pet flamingo and how imagination leads to the most unlikely of lifetime companions!

Author Bio

Mariana Galvez was born in Mexico and grew up in South Los Angeles. In her childhood, it was during weekend trips to the library that her love for illustrating and writing was forged. After a number of years in the corporate world, she was called back to illustrating when creating art for her three children. She currently resides with her husband in Whittier, California, where she loves to garden, cook vegan food, and chase after her beloved dog and cat.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Dec 3/22
8.5 x 11 • 40 pages
4/c illustrations t/o
9781948066532 • \$25.99 • cl
Juvenile Fiction / Imagination & Play

Notes

Promotion





Luz Lucero, nina astronauta

by Zaida Hernandez, illustrated by Karla Monterrosa

Breaking news: kids' space travel is heading your way! Luz Lucero has won the contest of a lifetime: to break barriers and become the first kid in space. She will taste-test delicious astronaut meals, practice her spacewalk, and learn new languages. Before you know it, we will witness this star-gazing girl's first blastoff into space. Parents will discover this bilingual English-Spanish hardcover to be an innovative look into space travel spearheaded by young wise kid astronauts with the love of STEAM.

Author Bio

Zaida Hernandez is a Latina space engineer, first-generation Salvadoran American, and STEM advocate. Growing up, she always had a fascination with space – stars, planets, and the unknown! When she is not spending time with family, she loves participating in outreach events locally and worldwide, spreading her love for space. In her second collaboration with Lil' Libros, after publishing *My First Space Words* in English and Spanish, she hopes to inspire future bilingual scientists, engineers, and space explorers! Currently, she is working as an engineer at NASA.

Karla Monterrosa was born and raised in sunny San Salvador, El Salvador. She's an illustrator and animator on a mission to draw a world in which it's okay to feel awkward. Karla graduated from Emily Carr University of Art + Design with a BFA in Animation in 2013 and currently lives in the unceded, ancestral lands of the Musqueam, Squamish, and Tsleil-Waututh nations, also known as Vancouver, BC.



Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Jan 10/23
9.4 x 11.25 • 40 pages
4/c Illustrations t/o
9781948066457 • \$27.99 • cl

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Promotion





El pato y sus zapatos

by Juan Moreno, illustrated by Hazel Quintanilla

Duckie has an abundance of shoes: He has a pair of shoes for every activity he loves to do. Duckie's colorful shoes come in blue, red, green, and gray, which pair will he wear today?

Parents will love this colorful bilingual English-Spanish board book as it introduces the concept of colors and the passing of time through the days of the week. An endearing duck will guide little ones through his bright closet of shoes - each one for a different day of the week and for a different activity.

Author Bio

Juan Moreno is a Mexican American, born and raised in Compton, California. Growing up he played soccer with his friends, read books, and wrote poetry during his free time. As he got older, he found a passion for mentoring student athletes in his community through his coaching career, which led him to graduate school, where he earned a master's degree in Sport and Exercise Psychology. He now uses his experience and education to guide him in his current role as a university advisor. He is a husband and father who wishes to inspire by creating stories that will capture bonding moments between parents and children.

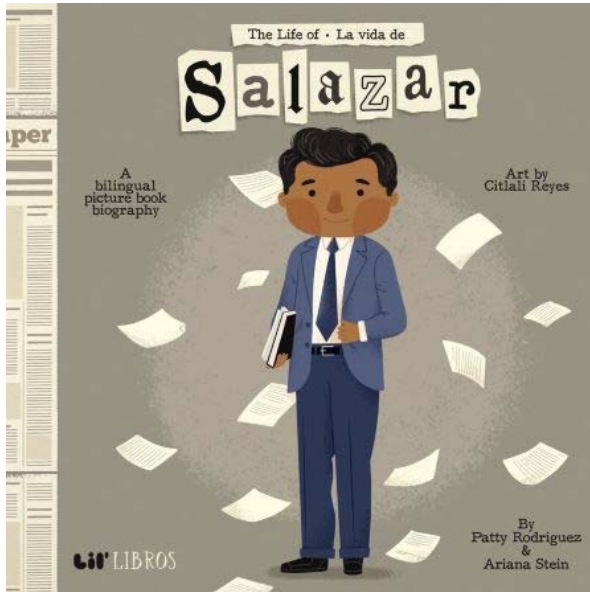
Hazel Quintanilla has been drawing since she was little and used to carry a pencil and a small notebook in a cute furry bear face purse that her mom bought for her. She also carried cheese cubes in it (ewww!). When she grew up, she decided to follow her passion and studied graphic design, followed by an MA which she used to specialize in illustration. She has produced work for numerous brands, magazines, and books, illustrating over a hundred children's books published in the United States and worldwide. Hazel loves animals, pj's, and her iPad, in which she produces most of her art. She's the proud mom of nine dogs who really loves her job and enjoys putting onto paper the bold colors and cute shapes living in her mind.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Dec 3/22
6.75 x 6.75 • 24 pages
4/c illustrations t/o
9781948066525 • \$15.99
Juvenile Fiction / Concepts / Colors

Notes

Promotion





The Life of/ La Vida de Salazar

by Patty Rodriguez and Ariana Stein, illustrated by Citlali Reyes

Born March 3, 1928, Ruben Salazar was the first Mexican-American journalist of The Los Angeles Times. Salazar devoted his career to bringing Chicano issues to mainstream media, becoming a leading figure in the Chicano movement of the 1960s. To this day, Ruben Salazar's words have helped alter perspectives on the Chicano community and have brought positive attention to east Los Angeles cities. Parents will find this bilingual English-Spanish biography book on Ruben Salazar newsworthy to their little ones aspiring on becoming the next top reporter!

Author Bio

Patty Rodriguez is the cofounder of Lil' Libros, a publisher of bilingual children's books and coauthor of more than 15 books celebrating the Latino-American experience in this country. Her work has been featured in the New York Times, Washington Post, Time, and Rolling Stone magazine. You can also listen to Patty every morning in Los Angeles on the On Air with Ryan Seacrest nationally syndicated radio show. She lives in Los Angeles, California.

Ariana Stein is the cofounder of Lil' Libros, a Los Angeles-based publisher that celebrates bilingualism and Latin American culture. Since 2014, she has coauthored a variety of first concept children's books. She has been featured in the Los Angeles Times, Forbes, CNN, KTLA, and more.

Citlali Reyes is a Mexican illustrator. Since she was a child, she always loved doodling and telling stories through images; this drew her to the enchanting world of illustration where she has resided for almost ten years. In 2014, she partnered with Lil' Libros to create their first three books, and over time she has illustrated more than thirty bilingual children's books for the publisher. Now she finds herself in a new adventure of creating her first book as both author and illustrator. When she is not drawing for countless hours, Citlali enjoys reading, stargazing, or playing around with her camera.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Feb 7/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

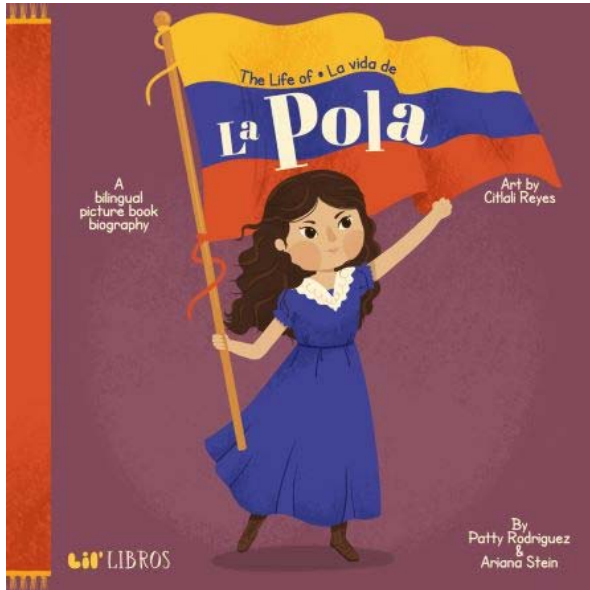
9781948066570 • \$15.99

Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography / People Of Color

Notes

Promotion





The Life of / La vida de La Pola

by Patty Rodriguez and Ariana Stein, illustrated by Citali Reyes

La Pola, a seamstress from the Viceroyalty of New Granada, now Colombia, Ecuador, Panama and Venezuela, became the spy for the revolutionary forces during the Spanish Reconquista of the Viceroyalty of New Granada. While altering and mending clothing for royalist families, she overheard conversations and collected critical intelligence on their whereabouts and plans that she passed on to patriots and spies. She is considered a heroine of the independence of Colombia.

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 28/23

6.75 x 6.75 • 22 pages

4/c illustrations t/o

9781948066341 • \$15.99 • BH - Board book

Juvenile Nonfiction / Biography / People Of Color •

Ages 0-5 years

Notes

Promotion





VAMONOS: Travel Book Set

by Patty Rodriguez and Ariana Stein, illustrated by Ana Godinez

Gather your favorite travel books and grab your passport! Lil' Libros' VAMONOS deluxe board book boxset will introduce your little globetrotter to the panoramic hikes of San Salvador, the rainbow of moles of Oaxaca, and the picturesque buildings of Antigua. Parents will want to get their hands on this bilingual English-Spanish travel book set to engage their little ones in the beauty of exploring destinations by using their imagination!

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Ana Godinez is a graduate of the University of Southern California where she studied English Literature and Fine Arts. She lends her artistic hand as graphic designer for several companies and organizations in Los Angeles, working to create projects that include branding, websites, social media campaigns, murals, and commissioned abstract paintings. Today, Ana is the Creative Director of Akash Winery & Vineyard and Lead Designer at Lil' Libros. Her newest and most challenging project is tackling the illustrations of Vamonos, a new travel series by Lil' Libros that takes readers on a ride through the sights and sounds of Latin America. When Ana is not glued to her computer, she's out looking for inspiration through traveling, walking her dog, and looking for food. You can see her latest adventures on instagram @anaeats.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Apr 18/23

6.75 x 6.75

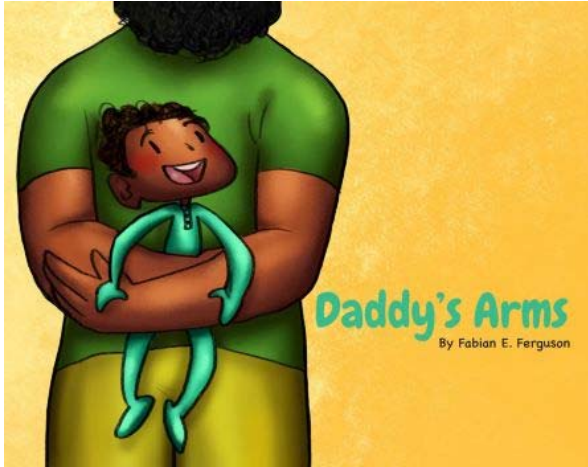
9781948066587 • \$38.99 • pb

Juvenile Nonfiction / People & Places / US / Hispanic & Latino • Ages 2-5

Notes

Promotion





Daddy's Arms

by Fabian E. Ferguson, illustrated by Veronika Kim

Daddy's Arms is a fun children's book that tells the story of a little boy's adorable and amusing everyday interactions with his dad. Whether it's playtime, bath time, or bedtime, this wildly imaginative child has his dad's arms take center stage for every fantastic new adventure. This book celebrates the bond between father and child as well as the joys of fatherhood. Parents and guardians will certainly enjoy reading Daddy's Arms to kids, just as much as kids will enjoy listening to them.

Author Bio

Fabian Ferguson an independent author-publisher and proud owner of F. Ferguson Books, a children's book company devoted to uplifting Black authors and Black lead characters. Driven by his passion for creating stories for his son that he wished he had had as a child, in 2018, Fabian wrote Daddy's Arms about a father and son's adventures and launched his own publishing company, F. Ferguson Books LLC, shortly after. To date, Fabian has authored and independently published three children's titles, and has plans to publish an additional eight titles to between 2022 and 2026.

Fabian is a first-generation Panamanian-American, born and raised in Brooklyn, NY. He now lives with his wife and children in Atlanta, Georgia. You can still find him photographing the occasional wedding while being inspired by his children for his next storybook with more Black lead characters.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Jan 17/23

9.25 x 7.25 • 28 pages

4/c illustrations t/o

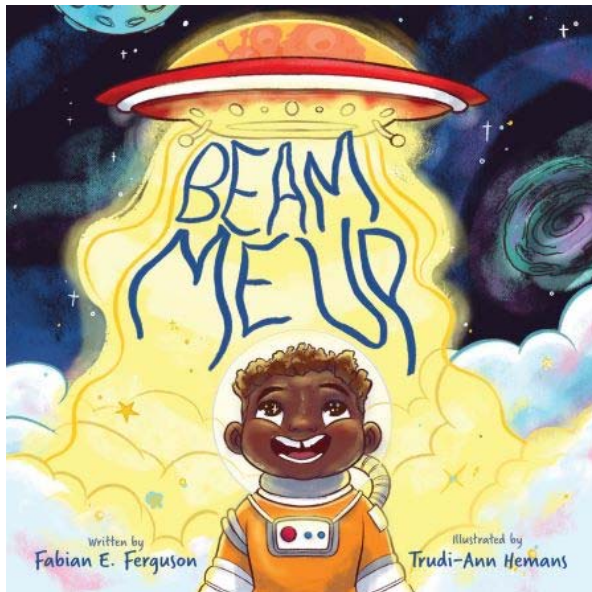
9781736162125 • \$15.99

Juvenile Fiction / Family / Parents • Ages 0-5

Notes

Promotion





Beam Me Up

by Fabian E. Ferguson, illustrated by Trudi-Ann Hemans

Beam Me Up is the delightful story of uncovering the magic of what is possible when we dare to dream up into the night sky. In this wondrous tale, Fabian Ferguson thoroughly charms us with his heartwarming imagination as we follow one boy's lovable alien saucer ride deep into the stars.

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Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 7/23

10 x 10 • 44 pages

Color illustrations t/o

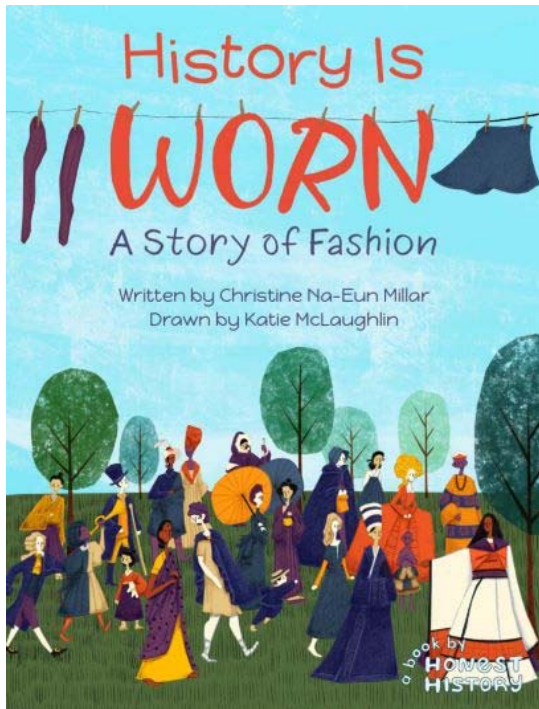
9781736162156 • \$24.99 • cl

Juvenile Fiction / Imagination & Play • Ages 0-8

Notes

Promotion





History is Worn

A story of Fashion

by Christine Millar, illustrated by Katie McLoughlin

What's the story behind your shirt, pants, dress, sweater or jacket? It's much more exciting than you may think. Explore the history of fashion from around the globe in *History Is Worn: A Story of Fashion*, a children's book by Honest History. From the history of hoop skirts to African fashion, discover the interesting (and often humorous) story behind clothing from hundreds of years ago. What's the real reason for pockets? Did medieval fashion really look the way it does in movies? These stories and much more are brought to life with illustrations and fun activities that provide a hands-on experience with fashion. And, at the end of it all, you just might be able to answer the question about the history behind what you're wearing today.

Author Bio

Christine Na-Eun Millar is a historical costumer, gamer, mother, and board-certified doctor (not always in that order). She's the creator and proprietress of SewStine, an online blog and social media presence focused on costuming 18th century costumes. In particular, she loves focusing on using new technology to recreate the garments from the era of Marie Antoinette and Madam du Pompadour. In particular, she loves to remake the over-the-top court suits and gowns of bygone eras, and then travel the world to wear them in balls in faraway countries - as well as nearby in her home city. She has worn her garments in Versailles, London, and soon, the palaces of Venice. Christine has been featured in *Vogue*, *The New York Times*, and *Los Angeles Times*. Katie McLoughlin is an illustrator based in Northern Illinois. She studied at the Rhode Island School of Design. Her work has appeared in galleries around the US, in children's and young adult magazines, as well as on the occasional audiobook cover. In her free time she loves learning about all things fashion history, as well as reading about spooky local folklore.

Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 14/23

8 x 10.5 • 80 pages

4/c Illustrations t/o

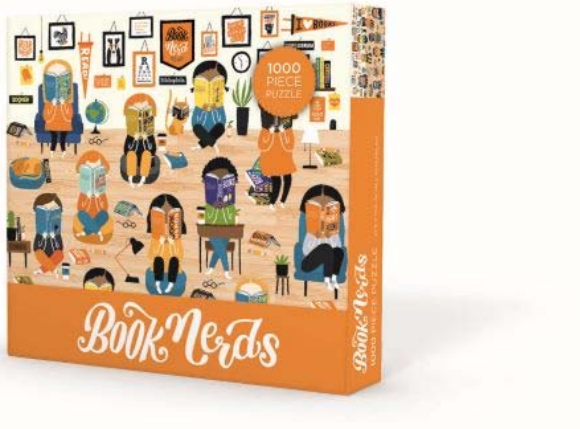
9781736191965 • \$28.99 • pb

Non Classified • Ages 8-14

Notes

Promotion





LEAD

Book Nerds Puzzle by Gibbs Smith

Book nerds of the world unite! What better activity for your book club than piecing together a puzzle that unites you around your favorite pastime.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
11 x 10
9781423663850 • \$32.99
Games / Puzzles • NON-RETURNABLE

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Promotion





Read Outside Puzzle by Gibbs Smith

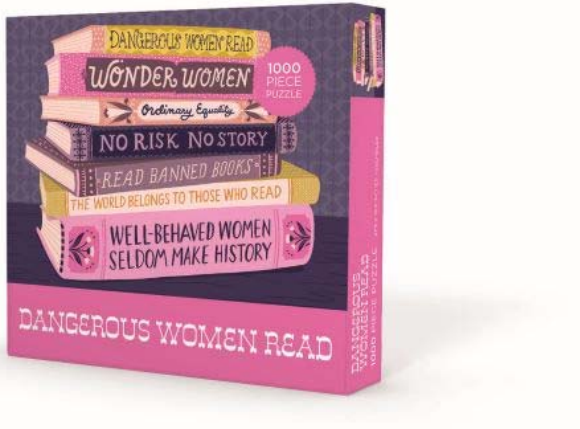
Invigorate your brain and brighten your day by reading outside. Celebrate your love of reading by campfire by piecing together this "in-tents" puzzle!

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
11 x 10
9781423663867 • \$32.99
Games / Puzzles • NON-RETURNABLE

Notes

Promotion





Dangerous Women Read Puzzle by Gibbs Smith

Ever wonder what's on the bookshelf of dangerous women? Piece together some of these best-loved mantras from those who use their minds and voices to march toward a better world.

Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
11 x 10
9781423663874 • \$32.99
Games / Puzzles • NON-RETURNABLE

Notes

Promotion





America Puzzle by Gibbs Smith

Invigorate your brain and brighten your day with a 500-piece jigsaw puzzle using art from the insanely popular books made by Greg Paprocki. The stunning artwork used for this new puzzle has been taken from the following book: A Is for America. Gathered around a table with family or friends, or tackled solo, there is a puzzle for everyone and every interest.



Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
19.5 x 14
9781423663911 • \$22.50
Games / Puzzles • NON-RETURNABLE

Notes

Promotion





Easter Puzzle by Gibbs Smith

Invigorate your brain and brighten your day with a 500-piece jigsaw puzzle using art from the insanely popular books made by Greg Paprocki. The stunning artwork used for this new puzzle has been taken from the following book: Countdown to Easter (coming out in spring 2023). Gathered around a table with family or friends, or tackled solo, there is a puzzle for everyone and every interest.



Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
19.5 x 14
9781423663904 • \$32.99
Games / Puzzles • NON-RETURNABLE

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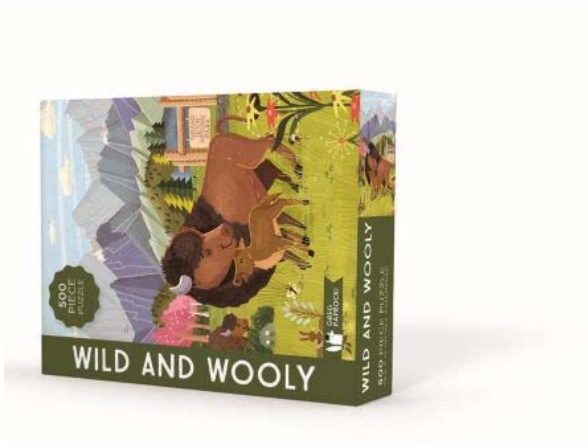
Promotion





National Park Puzzle by Gibbs Smith

Invigorate your brain and brighten your day with a 500-piece jigsaw puzzle using art from the insanely popular books made by Greg Paprocki. The stunning artwork used for this new puzzle has been taken from the following book: B Is for Bison. Gathered around a table with family or friends, or tackled solo, there is a puzzle for everyone and every interest.



Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
19.5 x 14
9781423663928 • \$22.50
Games / Puzzles • NON-RETURNABLE

Notes

Promotion





Dangerous Women Read Banned Books Tote by Gibbs Smith

Combining two of our best-selling themes (banned books and dangerous women read), this natural cotton tote will help you express yourself while you carry books, and just about everything else, on trips to the library, the beach, or from room to room.



Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
16 x 15.5
Two-color screen printing front and back
9781423663829 • \$37.00 • clothing
Non Classified • Non Returnable

Notes

Promotion





Find Your Wild Tote by Gibbs Smith

In celebration of books, this natural cotton tote will help you express yourself while you carry books, and just about everything else, on trips to the library, the beach, or from room to room in your apartment. Features the quote: "With freedom, books, flowers, and the moon, who could not be happy?" - Oscar Wilde



Gibbs Smith
On Sale: Mar 7/23
16 x 15.5
Two-color screen printing front and back
9781423663836 • \$37.00 • clothing
Non Classified • Non Returnable

Notes

Promotion





Libraries Save Democracy Tote by Gibbs Smith

In celebration and support of libraries, this natural cotton tote will help you express yourself while you carry books for your trips to the library, the beach, or from room to room in your apartment. Featuring one of our most popular zipper pouch sayings and designs.



Gibbs Smith

On Sale: Mar 7/23

16 x 15.5

Two-color screen printing front and back

9781423663843 • \$37.00 • clothing

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