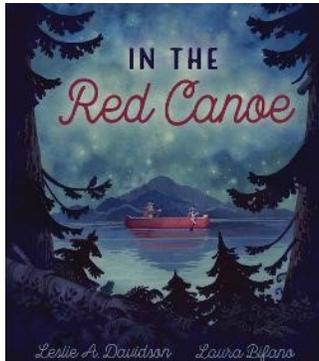


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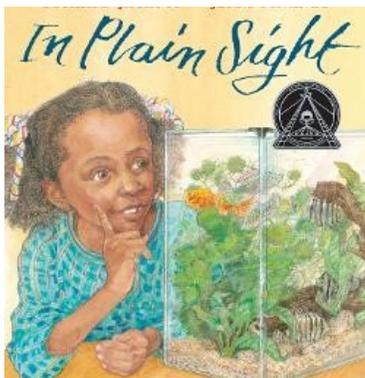
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## **In the Red Canoe**

by Leslie A. Davidsen & Laura Bifano

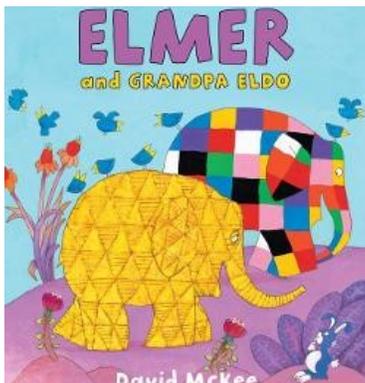
"Ducks and frogs, swallows and dragonflies, beaver lodges and lily pads—a multitude of wonders enchant the child narrator in this tender, beautifully illustrated picture book. A tribute to those fragile, wild places that still exist, *In the Red Canoe* celebrates the bond between grandparent and grandchild and invites nature lovers of all ages along for the ride." — From Publisher



## **In Plain Sight**

by Richard Jackson, illus. by Jerry Pinkney

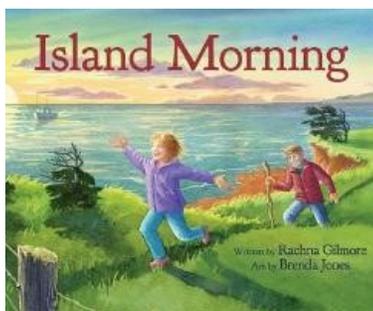
"As Sophie and her grandpa talk, he asks her to find items he's "lost" throughout the day, guiding Sophie on a tour through his daily life and connecting their generations in this sweet, playful picture book." — From Publisher



## **Elmer and Grandpa Eldo**

by David McKee

"Elmer spends the day with his Grandpa Eldo. He has great fun reminding Eldo of all the things they used to do together, but is Eldo quite as forgetful as Elmer thinks?" — From Publisher



## **Island Morning**

by Rachna Gilmore, illus. by Brenda Jones

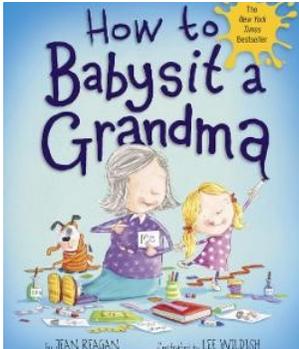
"*Island Morning* is a gentle story of a girl and her grandfather's early-morning walk through the fields of Prince Edward Island.

On their journey, they see quiet pastures, farm animals, scenic vistas and a glorious sunrise. But this walk is about more than just viewing the beautiful scenery. It is also about the special time between grandfather..." — From Publisher

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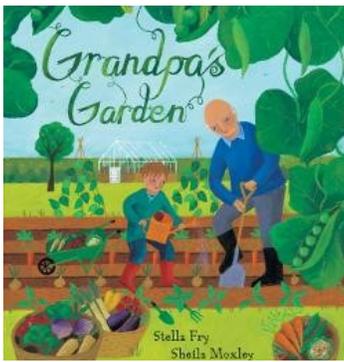
## Fiction—Picture Books



### How to Babysit a Grandma

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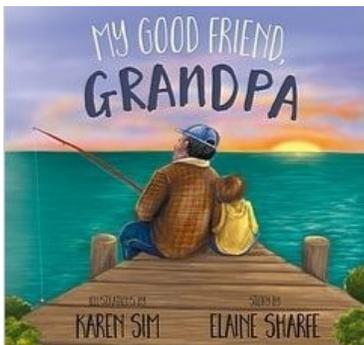
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### Grandpa's Garden

by Stella Fry, illus. by Sheila Moxley

"This beautifully told story follows Billy from early spring to late summer as he helps his grandpa on his vegetable patch. They dig the hard ground, sow rows of seeds, and keep them watered and safe from slugs. When harvest time arrives they can pick all the vegetables and fruit they have grown." — From Publisher



### My Good Friend, Grandpa

by Elaine Sharfe, illus. by Karen Sim

"They do everything together! Grandpa Ed takes Noah everywhere - to the cottage, to the beach, to school, and out for ice cream! Grandpa Ed is always there for Noah. But when Grandpa Ed can't go out anymore, can Noah find a way to be there for his good friend, Grandpa?" — From Publisher



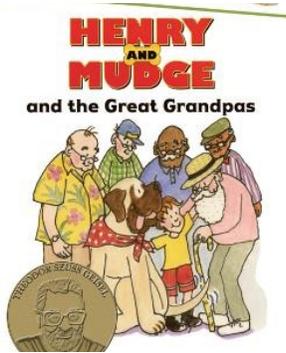
### Time Together: Me and Grandpa

by Maria Catherine, illus. by Pascal Campion

"Snapshots of a grandpa and child enjoying every day moments together. From taking a nap to reading the newspaper, these small moments are the ones that create big memories." — From Follett

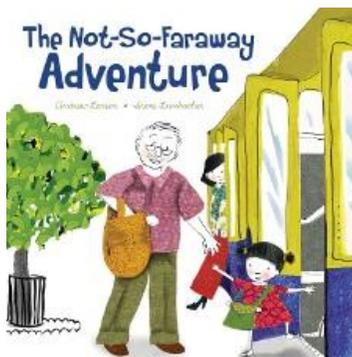
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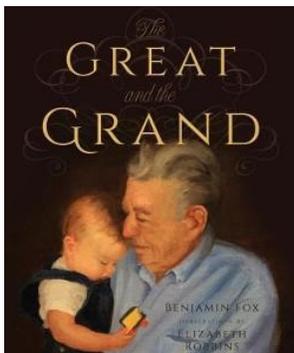
## **Henry and Mudge and the Great Grandpas**

by Cynthia Rylant, illus. by Sucie Stevenson  
"When Henry and his dog Mudge go with Henry's parents to visit Great-Grandpa Bill in the home with lots of other grandpas, they lead them all on a wonderful adventure." - From Titlewave



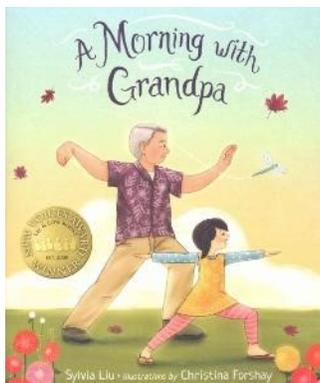
## **The Not-So-Faraway Adventure**

by Andrew Larsen, illus. by Irene Luxbacher  
"In this heartwarming picture book, popular author Andrew Larsen has created a rich story that captures the magic of turning an ordinary day into an adventure. The closeness between Theo and Poppa is touching, and offers a terrific opportunity for classroom discussions about family relationships." — From Publisher



## **The Great and the Grand**

by Benjamin fox, illus. by Elizabeth Robbins  
"Fox uses simple words to explore the vastly deep themes of life and love as a new baby and an old grandfather prepare to meet each other for the first time. Illustrated by award-winning and nationally recognized still-life artist Elizabeth Robbins, The Great and the Grand celebrates the beautiful balance of age and youth, experience and innocence, the Old and the New." — From Publisher



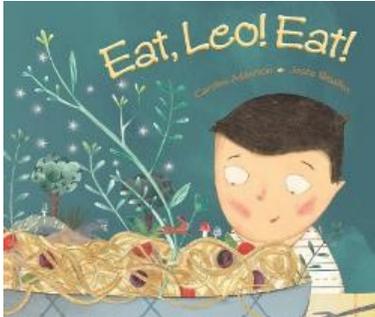
## **A Morning with Grandpa**

by Sylvia Liu, illus. by Christina Forshay  
"Curious and energetic Mei Mei attempts some t'ai chi forms as her grandfather demonstrates them, then tries to teach him basic yoga poses. Includes introductions to t'ai chi and yoga, as well as instructions for the exercises described in the text." — From Publisher

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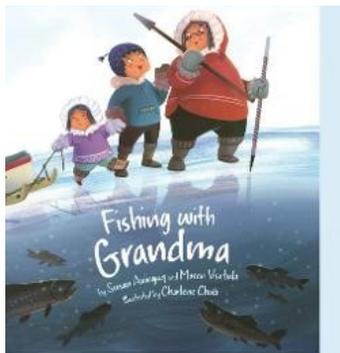
## Fiction—Picture Books



### **Eat, Leo! Eat!**

by Caroline Adderson, illus. by Josée Bisailon

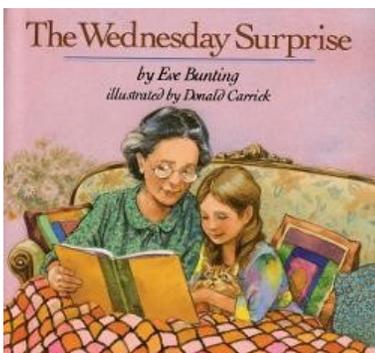
"On Sunday, Leo and family gather at Nonna's house for a big lunch. Everyone is hungry--except for Leo. Then Nonna starts telling a story that includes the star-shaped pasta in her soup. The following week, she continues the story with a different kind of pasta, and Leo's appetite for the story--and Nonna's food--grows and grows." — From Publisher



### **Fishing With Grandma**

by Susan Avingaq & Maren Vsetula, illus. by Charlene Chua

"Adventure awaits when Grandma takes her two grandchildren out for a trip to the lake!" — From Follett



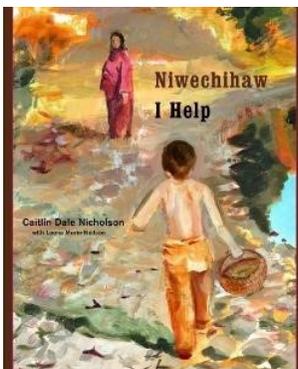
### **The Wednesday Surprise**

by Eve Bunting  
illustrated by Donald Carrick

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"Anna and Grandma are planning a surprise for Dad's birthday. Dad thinks he has received all his presents, but Grandma stands up and gives him the best one of all: she reads aloud the stories that Anna has taught her." — From Follett



### **Niwechihaw I Help**

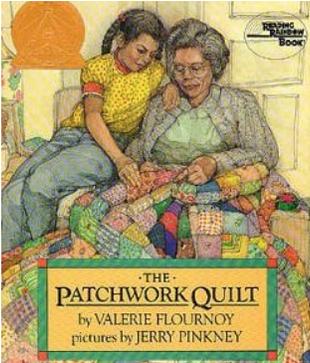
by Caitlin Dale Nicholson, with Leona Morin-Neilson

"This simple story in Cree and English explores a young child's relationship to his kuhkom, his grandmother, as they go for a walk in the bush to pick rosehips. The young boy follows his grandmother, walking, listening, picking, praying, eating, just as she does. In doing so, he absorbs the rich cultural traditions and values of his Cree heritage." — From Publisher

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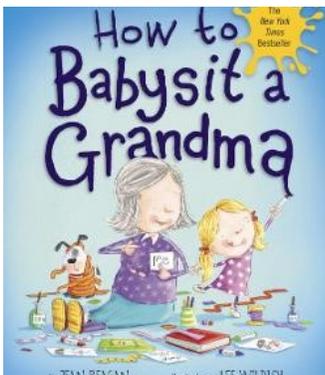
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### **The Patchwork Quilt**

by Valerie Flourney, illus. by Jerry Pinkney

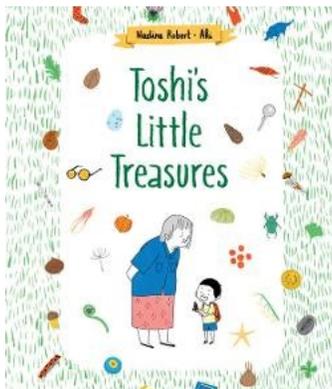
"Using scraps cut from the family's old clothing, Tanya helps her grandmother and mother make a beautiful quilt that tells the story of her family's life." — From Follett



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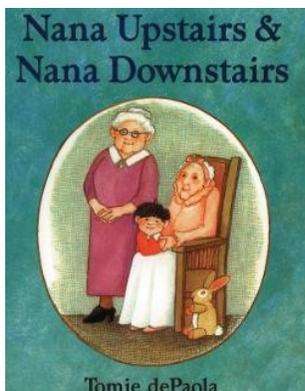
"When you babysit a grandma, if you're lucky . . . it's a sleepover at her house! And with the useful tips found in this book, you're guaranteed to become an expert grandma-sitter in no time. (Be sure to check out the sections on: How to keep a grandma busy; Things to do at the park; Possible places to sleep, and what to do once you're both snugly tucked in for the night.)" — From Publisher



### **Toshi's Little Treasures**

by Nadine Robert, illus. by Aki

"Join Toshi and his grandmother on a search-and-find adventure as they explore six of their favorite places--the riverbank, the city, the forest, the country, the park, and the beach--and delight in the wonders of nature and the curious little things people have left behind." — From Publisher



### **Nana Upstairs & Nana Downstairs**

by Tomie DePaola

"Four-year-old Tommy enjoys his relationship with both his grandmother and great-grandmother, but eventually learns to face their inevitable death." — From Follett

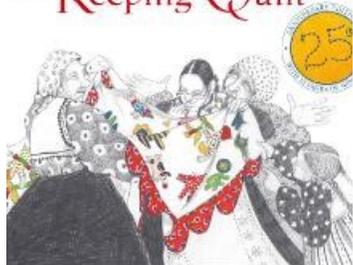
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PATRICIA POLACCO

### The Keeping Quilt

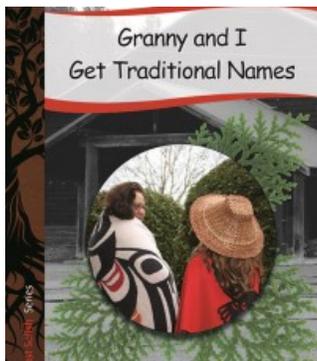


#### The Keeping Quilt

by Patricia Polacco

"A homemade quilt ties together the lives of four generations of an immigrant Jewish family, remaining a symbol of their enduring love and faith." — From Follett

Granny and I  
Get Traditional Names

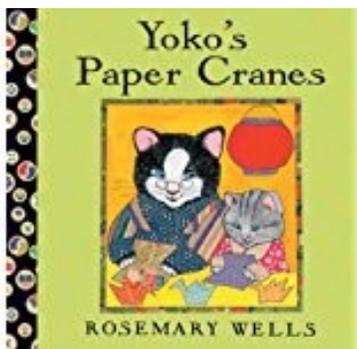


#### Granny and I Get Traditional Names

by Celestine Aleck (Series: Coast Salish)

"In this Coast Salish story, told in the voice of a young girl, she describes how she and her Granny get ready for their naming ceremony. When the special day arrives, the Longhouse fills with people who will witness and celebrate the sharing of their traditional names." — From Follett

### Yoko's Paper Cranes



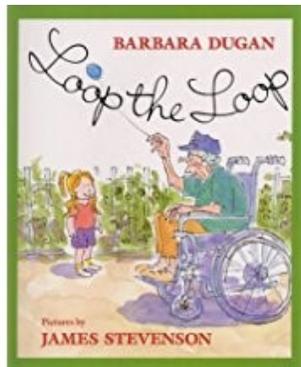
#### Yoko's Paper Cranes

by Rosemary Wells

"Ever since Yoko moved with her Mama from Japan, she misses her Obaasan and Ojiisan (her grandma and grandpa) very much. She especially misses doing origami with them. Luckily, Yoko knows just what to do for Obaasan's birthday. Available now for the first time in paperback, *Yoko's Paper Cranes* is a story about making paper cranes and letting them fly with your heart to those you love, even if they are ..." — From Publisher

BARBARA DUGAN

### Loop the Loop



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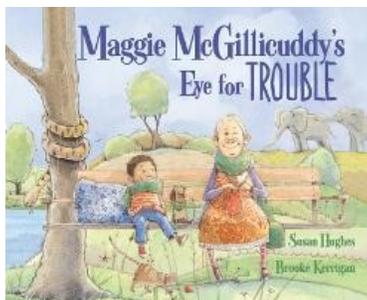
by Barbara Dugan

"This book tells the heartwarming and humorous tale of the relationship of Anne, a little girl, and Mrs. Simpson, an eccentric old woman. They develop a fast friendship and spend all of June and July playing together. Anne is inspired by Mrs. Simpson's yo-yo ability. She can do many tricks including the Loop to Loop, so Anne decides to secretly learn how to yo-yo in order to impress her..." — From Publisher

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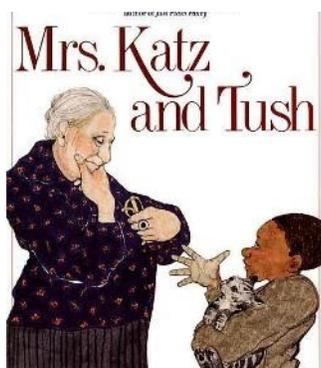
## Fiction—Picture Books



### Maggie McGillicuddy's Eye for Trouble

by Susan Hughes, illus. by Brooke Kerrigan

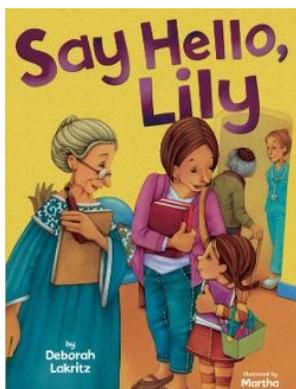
"With wit and great charm, author Susan Hughes has created a playful story about friendship and the joys of an active imagination. She uses direct questions ---? You see it there, don't you?--- as hints to help children recognize what's imagined and what's actually there, expanding visual literacy." — From Publisher



### Mrs. Katz and Tush

by Patricia Polacco

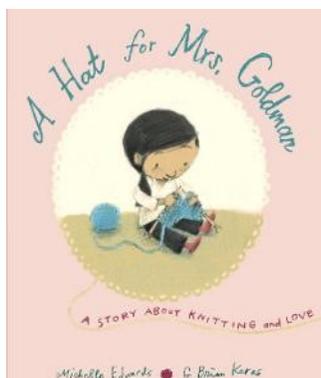
"A long-lasting friendship develops between Larnel, a young African-American, and Mrs. Katz, a lonely Jewish widow, when Larnel presents Mrs. Katz with a scrawny kitten without a tail." — From Follett



### Say Hello, Lily

by Deborah Lakritz, illus. by Martha Avilés

"Lily wants to go with her mother to visit the people who live at Shalom Home, an assisted living facility, but when they arrive she suddenly feels very shy." — From Follett



### A Hat for Mrs. Goldman: A Story About Knitting and Love

by Michelle Edwards, illus. by G. Brian Karas

"Mrs. Goldman always knits hats for everyone in the neighborhood, and Sophia, who thinks knitting is too hard, helps by making the pom-poms. But now winter is here, and Mrs. Goldman herself doesn't have a hat-- she's too busy making hats for everyone else! It's up to Sophia to buckle down and knit a hat for Mrs. Goldman." — From Publisher

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### **Chicken Sunday**

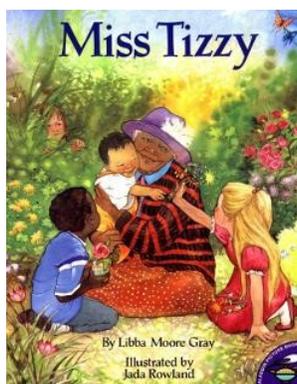
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### **Chicken Sunday** by Patricia Polacco

"The author recalls how she and two African-American friends create an ingenious plan to buy a special Easter hat for the boys' grandmother, a lady well known for her wonderful chicken dinners. This loving, multicultural, and intergenerational experience is made richer by visually delightful illustrations, some with actual photographs imposed on a painted background."

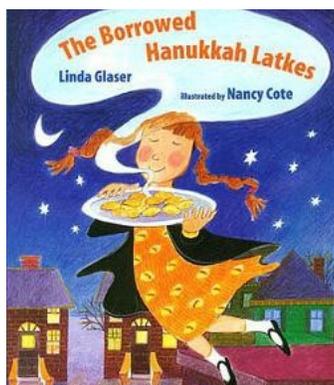
— Horn Book Guide



### **Miss Tizzy**

by Libba Moore Gray, illus. by Jada Rowland

"Everyone's had a Miss Tizzy in their neighborhood-- or should have had. She was the woman, or sometimes a man, who was like a bonus grandparent. That person could always be counted on for a warm hug, a good story, a sweet treat, or all of the above." — From Booklist



### **The Borrowed Hanukkah Latkes**

by Linda Glaser, illus. by Nancy Cote

"A young girl finds a way to include her elderly neighbor in her family's Hanukkah celebration." — From Follett



### **The Lines on Nana's Face**

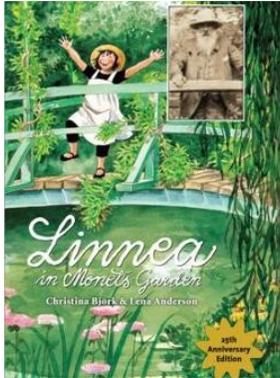
by Simona Ciraolo

"It's granny's birthday, but her little granddaughter wonders why, because of the lines on her face, she looks so worried! But they are simply wrinkles, and grandma is very fond of her lines because they are where she keeps her memories." — From Publisher

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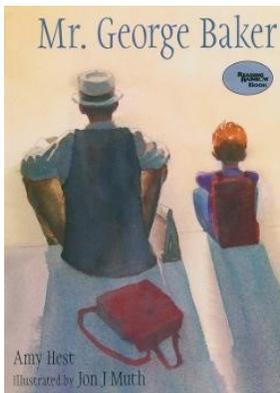
## Fiction—Picture Books



### Linnea in Monet's Garden

by Christina Bjork & Lena Anderson

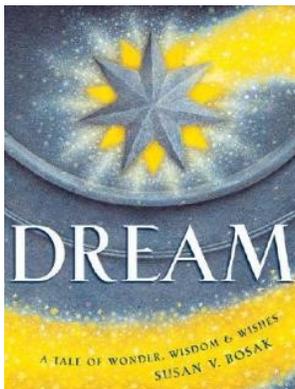
"Linnea has been in Paris. And she has visited the painter Claude Monet's garden! She even stood on the same little Japanese bridge that Monet painted so often in his pictures. In Paris, Linnea got to see many of the real paintings. Now she can understand what it means to be called an Impressionist, and she knows a lot about Monet's life in the pink house where he lived with his eight children." — From Publisher



### Mr. George Baker

by Amy Hest

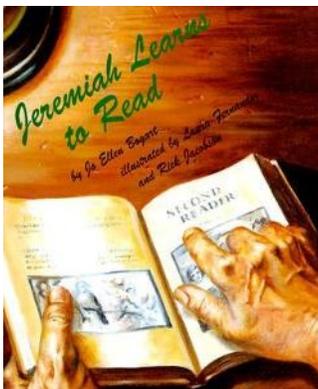
"Harry sits on the porch with Mr. George Baker, an African American who is one hundred years old but can still dance and play the drums, waiting for the school bus that will take them both to the class where they are learning to read." — From Follett



### Dream: A Tale of Wonder, Wisdom & Wishes

by Susan V. Bosak

"A very old star leads a young seeker on an investigation of the importance of dreams at every stage of life, from infancy to old age. Includes illustrations from fifteen top artists." — From Follett



### Jeremiah Learns to Read

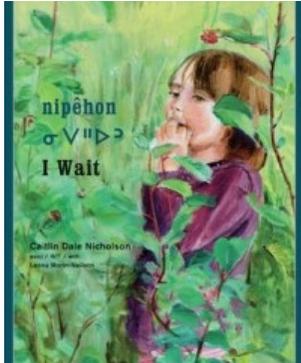
by Jo Ellen Bogart

"Jeremiah, a vital, elderly farmer, is featured in this idealized book about illiteracy. Jeremiah knows how to build a split-rail fence and make buttermilk pancakes, but he doesn't know how to read." — From Booklist

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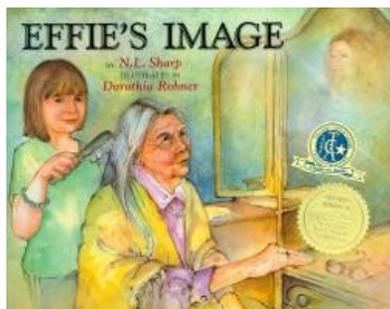
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### I Wait

by Caitlin Dale Nicholson

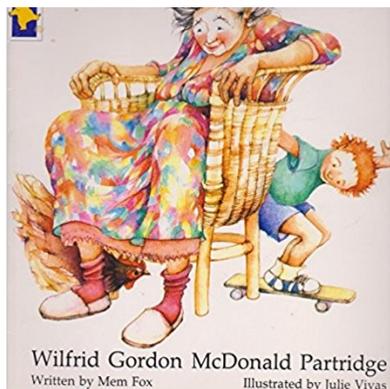
"A young child, her grandmother and mother are going out to pick wild yarrow. As Grandmother gets ready, the child and her mom wait. Grandmother leads the way to the field of blossoms, where they can finally start to pick ... only now they have to wait for Mom! I Wait was translated by Leona Morin-Neilson, who was the inspiration for the book." — From Publisher



### Effie's Image

by N. L. Sharpe

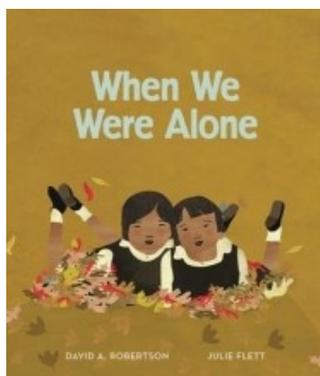
"When Amanda's elderly neighbor decides she is too old to be of use anymore, Amanda makes it her job to help Effie find her place again in the world. After a couple of failures, they find that place at school, where Effie becomes indispensable as a classroom volunteer." — From Publisher



### Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge

by Mem Fox

Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge is a small boy who has a big name—and that's why he likes Miss Nancy Alison Delacourt Cooper, because she has too. So when he finds Miss Nancy has lost her memory he determines to discover what memories are so that he can find it for her. A warm and delightful book to enchant all ages." —From the book



### When We Were Alone

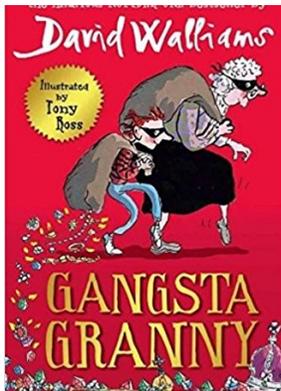
by David A. Robertson

"When a young girl helps tend to her grandmother's garden, she begins to notice things that make her curious. Why does her grandmother have long, braided hair and beautifully coloured clothing? Why does she speak another language and spend so much time with her family? As she asks her grandmother about these things, she is told about life in a residential school a long time ago, where all of these things were taken away." —From Strong Nations Pub.

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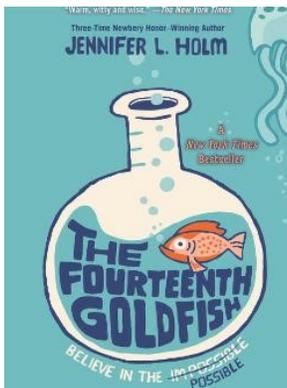
## Novels



### Gangsta Granny

by David Walliams

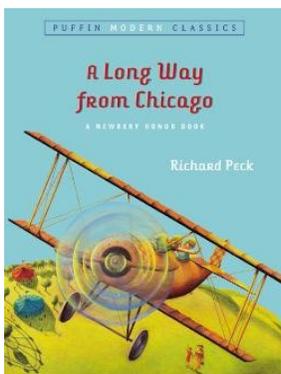
"Our hero Ben is bored beyond belief after he is made to stay at his grandma's house. She's the boringest grandma ever: all she wants to do is to play Scrabble, and eat cabbage soup. But there are two things Ben doesn't know about his grandma. 1) She was once an international jewel thief. 2) All her life, she has been plotting to steal the Crown Jewels, and now she needs Ben's help..." — From Amazon



### The Fourteenth Goldfish

by Jennifer L. Holm

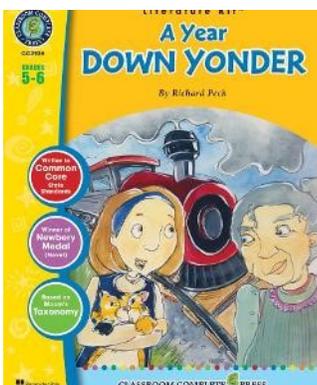
"Ellie's scientist grandfather has discovered a way to reverse aging, and consequently has turned into a teenager--which makes for complicated relationships when he moves in with Ellie and her mother, his daughter." — From Follett



### A Long Way from Chicago

by Richard Peck

"Join Joey and his sister Mary Alice as they spend nine unforgettable summers with the worst influence imaginable--their grandmother!" — From Publisher



### A Year Down Yonder

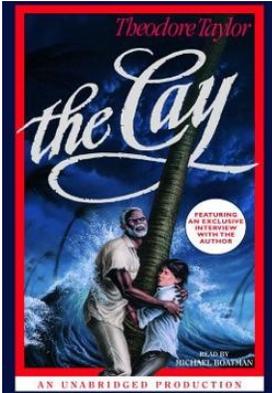
by Richard Peck

"During the recession of 1937, fifteen-year-old Mary Alice is sent to live with her feisty, larger-than-life grandmother in rural Illinois and comes to a better understanding of this fearsome woman." — From Follett

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### The Cay

by Theodore Taylor

"Philip, an adolescent white boy who is blinded in a torpedo attack at sea during World War II, acquires a new type of vision, courage, and love when he is stranded on a tiny Caribbean island with Timothy, a kind, elderly black man." — From Follett



### The Gramma War

By Kristin Butcher

"Annie wants to like her grandmother, but it's not easy. Gramma is ill, unhappy, and disagreeable. When Annie's beloved teacher leaves and the historical reenactment club she hopes to join dissolves, she feels that nothing is going right. Then a new-found interest in genealogy quickens her interest in history and leads to a better understanding of her grandmother." — From Booklist