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Upcoming Children's Book Releases From Flyaway Books

Presented by Kerri Daly



Webinar Outline

- Introduction to Flyaway Books
- How our picture books can be used
- Featured picture books
 - Fall 2020 Picture Books
 - Backlist Favorites:
 - Bible Stories
 - Books for Emotional-Spiritual Development and Faith Formation
 - Sneak Peek: Coming Spring 2021
- Quick overview of our website
- Questions





Who Are We?

- A picture book program that was created in 2018.
- Our books are intentionally multicultural in their artwork and characters.
- Books carry themes of diversity, inclusivity, kindness, compassion, self-esteem, and care for our world.
- Showcase a varied group of authors and illustrators, from debut talent to familiar names.
- You can find our books in libraries, schools, general bookstores, progressive church communities, and more!



Ideas on How to Use Picture Books

- Children's message/the children's moment in your church
- Basis for summer children's curriculum
- Sunday School/Summer Sunday School
- Youth retreats
- Worship bags
- Church preschools/nurseries
- Gift-giving
- Vacation Bible School (VBS)
- Intergenerational settings
- Workshops
- And more!





Additional Ideas in a COVID-19 World

- Virtual story times (when rights are granted)
- Reading at home and completing additional resources available on our website afterwards
- Care package items
- Intergenerational reading events via video chat
- One-on-one storytelling with children via video chat (Similar to having a Pen Pal)





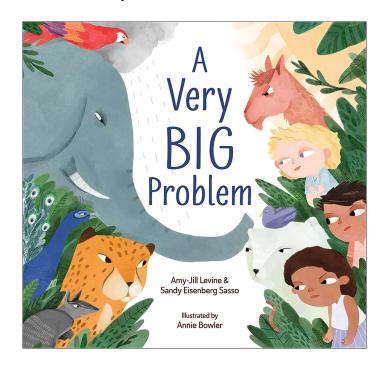
Fall 2020 Picture Books



A Very Big Problem

Amy-Jill Levine & Sandy Eisenberg Sasso

Illustrated by Annie Bowler





Available August 2020

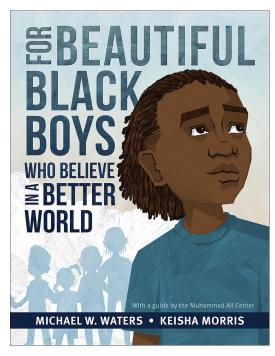
"A well-crafted story of cooperation and sharing within the context of the biblical story of Creation." —Kirkus Reviews



For Beautiful Black Boys Who Believe in a Better World

Michael W. Waters

Illustrated by Keisha Morris



Available September 2020

"One of the most important and timely children's books of the year." —Beto O'Rourke

*Coloring sheet and downloadable discussion and activity guide available at www.flyawaybooks.com/resources





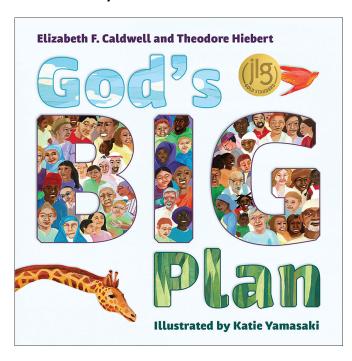
Bible Stories



God's Big Plan

Elizabeth F. Caldwell and Theodore Hiebert

Illustrated by Katie Yamasaki





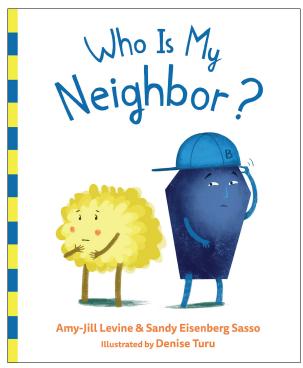
"A fresh understanding of the story of Babel."
—Christian Century



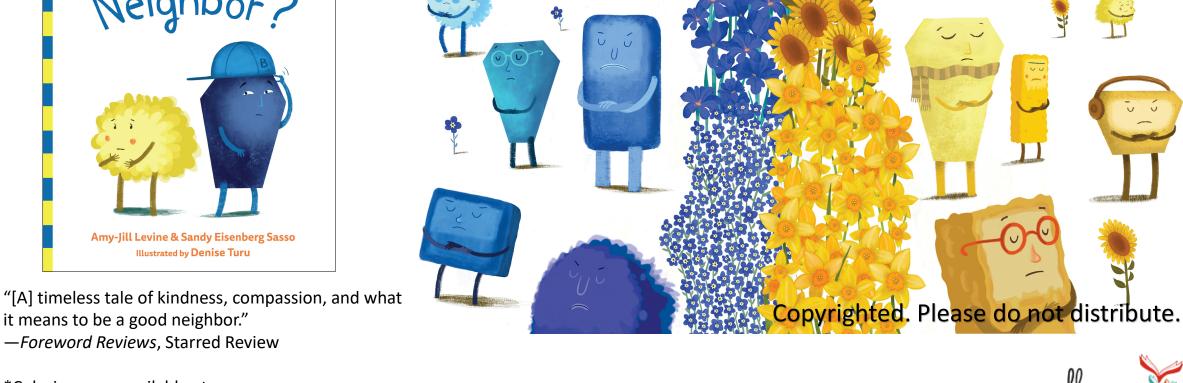
^{*}Also available as a board book

Who Is My Neighbor?

Amy-Jill Levine & Sandy Eisenberg Sasso Illustrated by Denise Turu



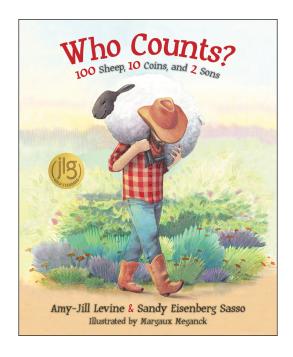
"[A] timeless tale of kindness, compassion, and what it means to be a good neighbor."





Who Counts? 100 Sheep, 10 Coins, and 2 Sons

Amy-Jill Levine and Sandy Eisenberg Sasso Illustrated by Margaux Meganck

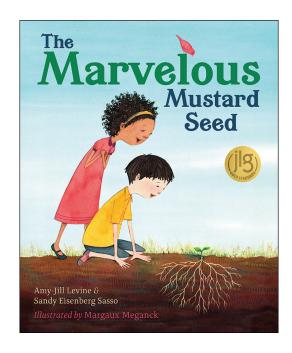


"An expansive vision in which everybody counts." — Christian Century

*Coloring pages available at www.flyawaybooks.com/resources

The Marvelous Mustard Seed

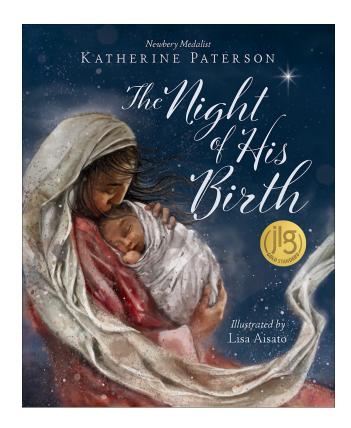
Amy-Jill Levine and Sandy Eisenberg Sasso Illustrated by Margaux Meganck



"The bright, textured, and expressive illustrations depict a diverse and multigenerational neighborhood community and beautifully complement the story." —School Library Journal

The Night of His Birth

Katherine Paterson
Illustrated by Lisa Aisato



"A lyrical, moving account of Jesus' birth, from his mother's perspective. . . . Divine."

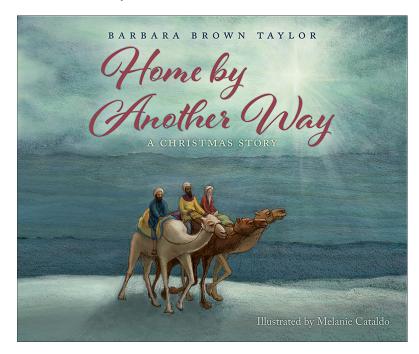
—Kirkus Reviews, Starred Review



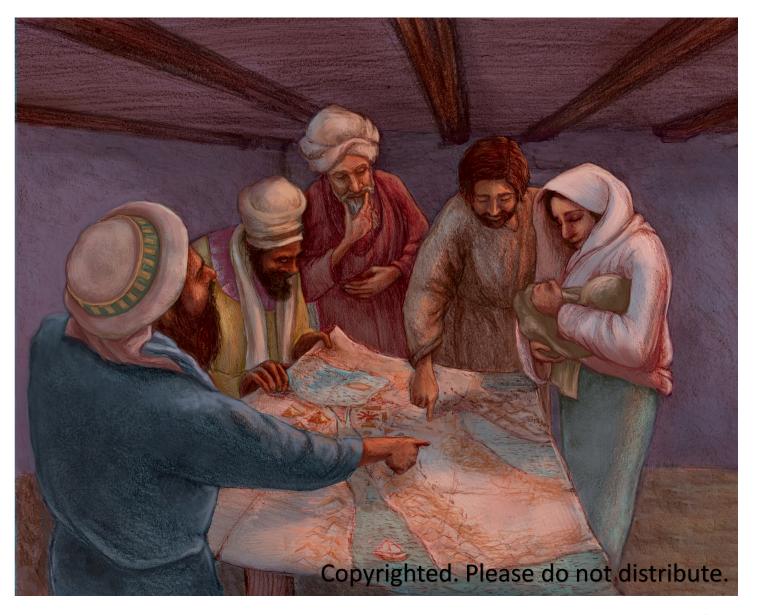


Home by Another Way: A Christmas Story

Barbara Brown Taylor
Illustrated by Melanie Cataldo



"Beautifully retells the three wise men's journey to readers of all ages." —San Francisco Book Review



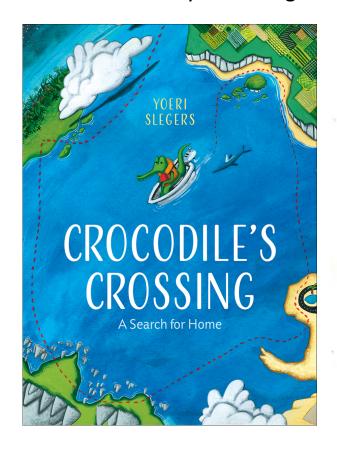


Books for Emotional-Spiritual Development and Faith Formation



Crocodile's Crossing: A Search for Home

Written and illustrated by Yoeri Slegers

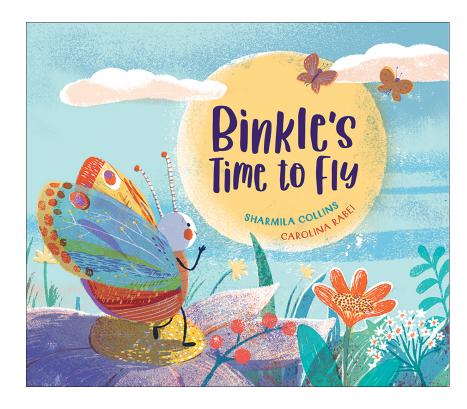




^{*}A downloadable discussion guide available at www.flyawaybooks.com

Binkle's Time to Fly

Sharmila Collins
Illustrated by Carolina Rabei



*A coloring sheet and an origami butterfly activity page are available at www.flyawaybooks.com/resources



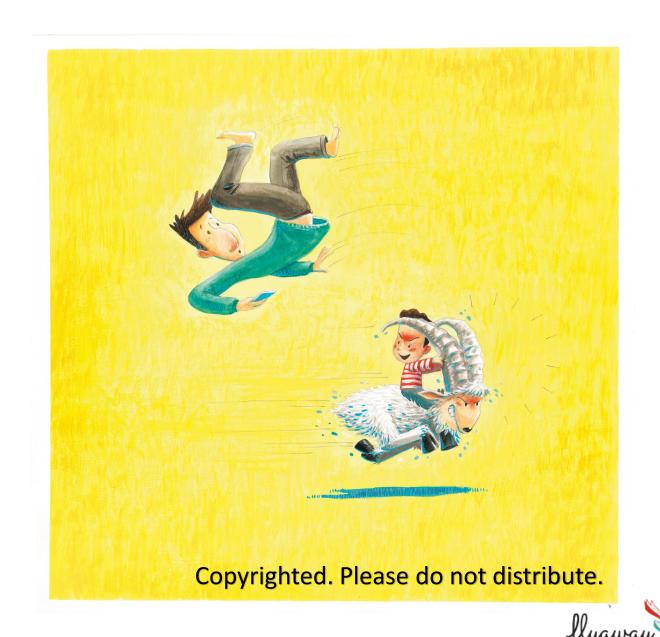


Simon and the Big, Bad, Angry Beasts: A Book About Anger

Written and illustrated by Ian De Haes



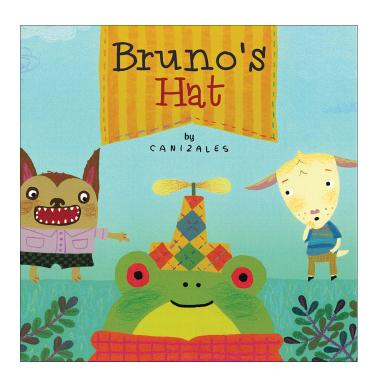
"An incredible tool for children, parents, and educators.
—Foreword Reviews



^{*}Includes a guide for parents and teachers!

Bruno's Hat

Written and illustrated by Canizales





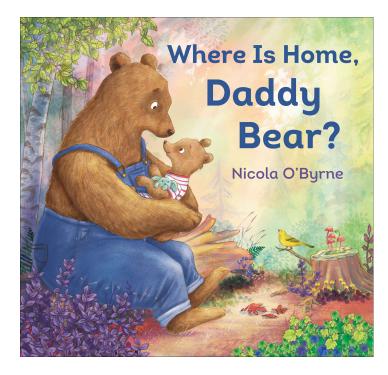
"An exceptional and unreservedly recommended addition to family, daycare center, preschool, elementary school, and community library collections." —*Midwest Book Review*



^{*}Features a downloadable guide that helps children, parents, and educators navigate the challenges of childhood bullying!

Where Is Home, Daddy Bear?

Written and illustrated by Nicola O'Byrne



"A simple, thoughtful, elegant, entertaining picture book story for children ages 3-7 that considers the question of the true meaning of home." —*Midwest Book Review*



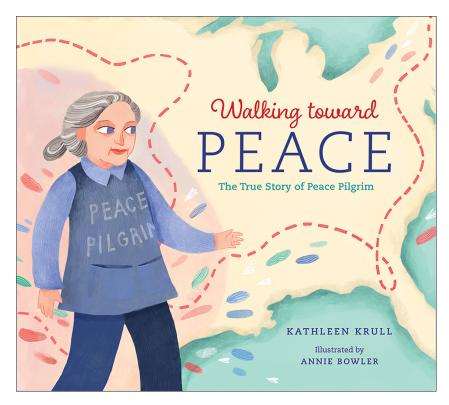


Sneak Peek: Coming Spring 2021



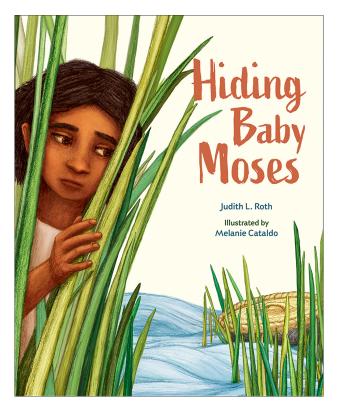
Walking toward Peace: The True Story of Peace Pilgrim

Kathleen Krull
Illustrated by Annie Bowler



Hiding Baby Moses

Judith L. Roth
Illustrated by Melanie Cataldo

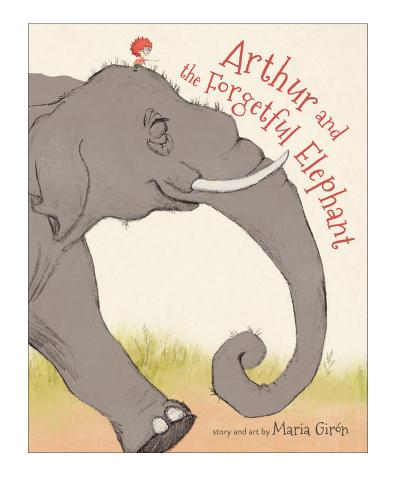


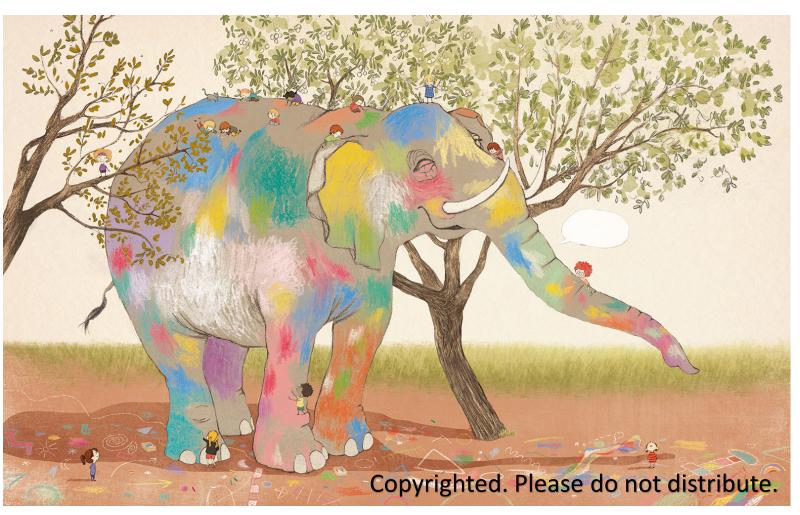




Arthur and the Forgetful Elephant

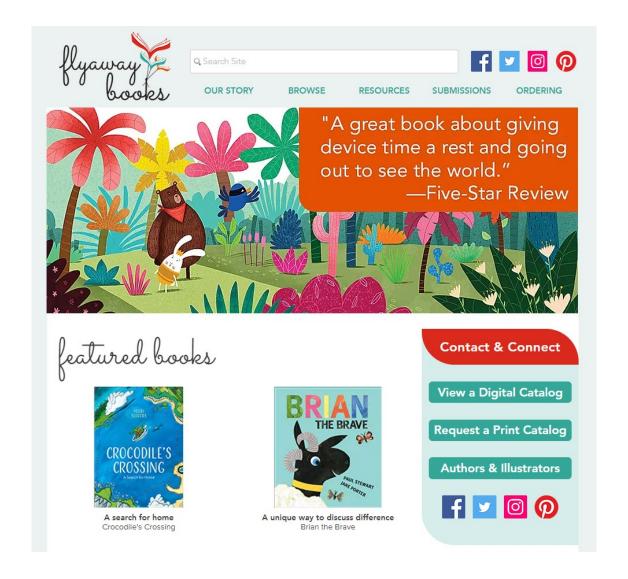
Written and illustrated by Maria Girón







Quick Overview of www.FlyawayBooks.com





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