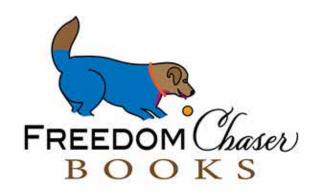
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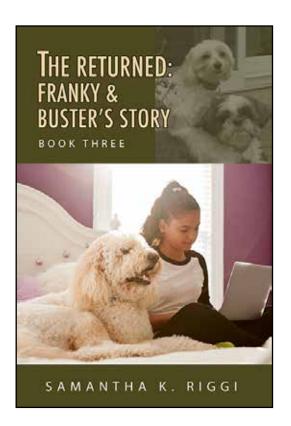


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# THE RETURNED: FRANKY AND BUSTER'S STORY, BOOK THREE

by Samantha K. Riggi

Anna, Molly, and Erin spend their free time helping their local animal shelter find homes for dogs in need. After stumbling across a disturbing advertisement online, the girls begin an investigation that leads them to the town of Manchester—where they discover an old farmhouse is hiding one big secret! The girls plot to bring attention to their discovery AND rescue two very sick Maltese dogs.

Before long, they're in big trouble with their families. Molly, who has a secret of her own, decides to take matters into her own hands. Will the girls save the sick dogs before it's too late? Can they bring attention to their discovery at the farmhouse? Find out in this third installment of *The Returned: Franky and Buster's Story*.

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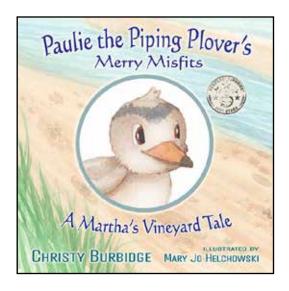
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Samantha K. Riggi is an elementary school teacher with a passion for animals, the environment and writing. She lives in the suburbs of Chicago with her husband, children and two old dogs. She's the author of The Returned: Chewy's Story, The Returned: Rocky's Story, The Returned: Franky and Buster's Story, The Never Ending Thank You, Bravo's Freedom, The Frog Series, and Wesley Reece: Fourth Grade Hero.

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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## Paulie the Piping Plover's Merry Misfits

#### A MARTHA'S VINEYARD TALE

By Christy Burbidge Illustrated by Mary Jo Helchowski

Paulie the piping plover has always been afraid of flying, and the other plovers tease him because he can't keep up. One day, tired of being picked on, he runs away from home. On his journey he makes two new friends who also fear something in their natural habitats.

Then, a storm changes everything for the new friends. Will Paulie learn how to conquer his fear of flying to help others and himself? Paulie the Piping Plover's Merry Misfits takes readers age 6+ on an exciting journey that celebrates differences and courage.

"Endearing illustrations of the creatures and the shoreline make you root for the friends from start to finish. A delightful bedtime book for the kids, and maybe for you, too."—Abby Remer, Author at The Martha's Vineyard Times

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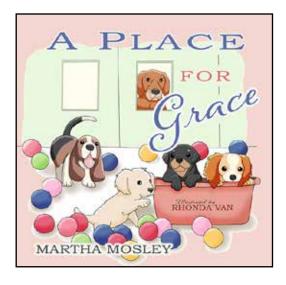
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**Christy Burbidge** is the author of *Paulie the Piping Plover's Merry Misfits, Claire's Coyote Friends, and If Memory Surfs.* She has been published in several literary journals and magazines, including First Literary Review-East and Otherwise Engaged: Literature and Arts Journal.

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Her artwork has been featured in galleries and other children's books about everything from baseball to bumblebees. She hopes her pictures made you smile! Visit her online at www.maryjohelchowski.com.



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## A PLACE FOR GRACE

by Martha Mosley Illustrated by Rhonda Van

Grace is a once-loved older dog who finds herself in the shelter, alone and confused. How did this happen? She soon realizes that puppies and young dogs are being chosen while she is being passed by. After some misguided attempts to act like a puppy, she becomes discouraged.

Can Grace once again be recognized for the wonderful family member she is? Dogs like Grace have so much to offer, and her story can help families make the life-affirming choice of an older dog.

A Place for Grace includes testimonials from rescuers who have personally chosen older dogs. Endorsed by Doreen Jakubcak, the founder of Marty's Place, it also features photos of some of the dogs at her sanctuary. The book is perfect for ages 6 and up, and includes gorgeous full-color illustrations by Rhonda Van.

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## **About the Illustrator**



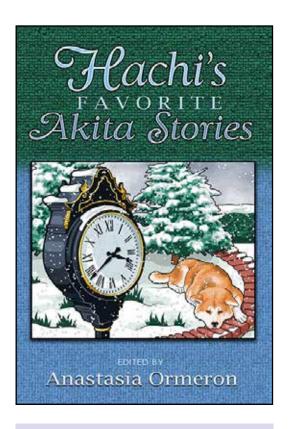
First time author Martha Mosley brings her love and respect for senior dogs to this story of an older dog in need of a new start. A believer in the value of the seasoned love that older dogs offer, Martha has spent a lifetime supporting rescue through fundraising and volunteerism.

When not working as an R.N., Martha spends her time reading, swimming, and gardening. She lives in New Jersey with her husband Howard, her daughter Michelle, and their three dogs: Happy and GiGi, both age 8, and Remy Martin, age 16.

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## HACHI'S FAVORITE AKITA STORIES

## Edited by Anastasia Ormeron Front and back cover illustrations by Rebecca Szmidt

You'll find yourself smiling, wiping away a tear at times, and nodding your head in recognition at these heartwarming tales that recall the unique quirkiness of sharing your home and heart with an Akita.

From mischievous to majestic, hilarious to heroic, and everything in between—"Hachi's Favorite Akita Stories" is the perfect read for Akita lovers age 12 and up.

In addition, you'll take a behind-the-scenes peek at the Hollywood movie, "Hachi: A Dog's Tale," and share on and off set moments with its amazing Akita stars!

#### Have you ever wondered what it is that makes an Akita so special?

To answer that question, author and editor Anastasia Ormeron goes back more than thirty years—when, during a trip to Tokyo, a beautiful bronze statue of a dog caught her attention outside Shibuya railway station.

As she looked closer and met Hachiko's wistful gaze, she knew she would never forget him or his tale. There is something magical about Japan's most famous and faithful Akita Inu that touches hearts and changes lives.

Many years passed, but Hachi's memory remained and her own version of his story reached Akita lovers around the world. One by one, a small circle of "Hachi & Friends" furry readers began to grow—each with his or her own special tale to tell.

Akitas from every corner of the globe unite to celebrate their ancestor, The Loyal Dog, and his legacy of love in "Hachi's Favorite Akita Stories." Available in paperback and hardcover to the trade through Ingram.

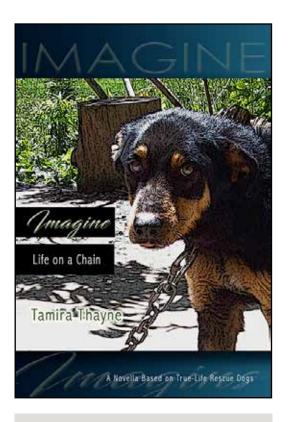
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**Anastasia Ormeron** is the creator of "Hachi & Friends" and is a teacher and writer.

A friend to animals since childhood, she often carries their beloved stories into the classroom, believing that many of life's greatest lessons can be learned from them.

Anastasia spent most of her crazy, growing up years in London but shares a quieter life today, in a tiny corner of the Italian Alps, with her husband and grumpy gray cat, Mathilda.



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## **About the Author**



## **IMAGINE**

## LIFE ON A CHAIN by Tamira Thayne

The dog awoke, feeling more uncomfortable than usual—which was saying something, given that he was chained to a dilapidated box the size of a grocery cart.

The world seemed off, the neighborhood quiet, even the woods behind him hushed—like everything waited...

He shifted uneasily, sniffed the air.

What was that? He brought his head up and inhaled deeply.

He didn't recognize it—and yet...and yet. Something about the odor nudged a memory from his mind, of a time when life held promise, when he'd fully embraced the naïve enthusiasm that came with puppyhood.

He tugged on the mental string, and the flashback overwhelmed him. He sagged onto the ground, assaulted by memories of his first home.

• Based on true-life stories of rescue dogs •

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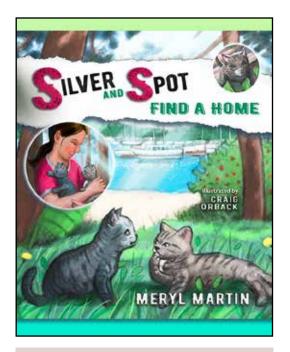
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She's the author of the Animal Protector Series, which to date includes Squirmy Hermie's Heroics, Raffy Calfy's Rescue, Spittin' Kitten's Speed Away, and Smidgey Pidgey's Predicament. She's also written Happy Dog Coloring Book, It Went to the Dogs, Capitol in Chains, Foster Doggie Insanity, Imagine: Life on a Chain, and the Chained Gods young adult series. She is the editor of More Rescue Smiles, and co-editor of Don't Look a Gift Couch in the Mouth, Unchain My Heart, and Rescue Smiles.

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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## SILVER AND SPOT FIND A HOME

by Meryl Martin Illustrated by Craig Orback

Silver and Spot sat all alone in the big woods above the bay. Tall trees and large bushes surrounded them, and below the forest the harbor glistened. It was a gorgeous sight.

But the beauty of the day was lost on the sad kittens. The day before, Mother had gone out to find food and never came back. Her babies were only six weeks old and didn't know how to hunt or take care of themselves yet. They missed the warmth of their mother. At night the trees seemed scary, as did the bay that reflected the moon.

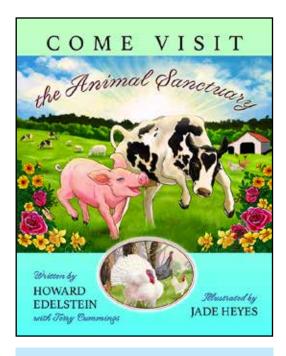
Would the scared kittens ever see Mother again? Would they meet humans who would care for them? Find out in *Silver and Spot Find a Home*. With 13 full-color illustrations by Craig Orback, the book is a wonderful early reader for ages 7 and up, and works great for humane education programs too.

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Meryl Martin is an animal advocate, wife, and mother to seven animals: dogs Maggie and Daisy, and cats Patrick, Scout, Tempest, Nakia, and Perdi, most of whom are rescues. Professionally, Meryl holds a Master's Degree in Experimental Psychology and has won awards for experimental research she's designed. Meryl is very involved with her family, including an autistic niece and nephew. She in turn advocates for better services for children with developmental disabilities.

**Craig Orback** has illustrated many books for young readers, including Starring Steven Spielberg: The Making of a Young Filmmaker, Born to Draw Comics: The Story of Charles Schulz and the Creation of Peanuts, as well as Gifts from the Enemy and The Can Man. He lives near Seattle with his son. He invites you to visit him online at craigorback.com.



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## About the Author



## **About the Illustrator**



## COME VISIT THE ANIMAL SANCTUARY

by Howard Edelstein with Terry Cummings Illustrated by Jade Heyes

Come Visit the Animal Sanctuary follows a tour through a sanctuary for farm animals, describing the amazing animals who call it home and educating the reader on issues the animals face before rescue and life at the sanctuary. The exceptional artistic talent of illustrator Jade Heyes brings the animals and the entire sanctuary to life.

This true-life story shows us that both people and animals have personalities and feelings, and that our animal friends deserve to be treated as we would want to be. The book is a great addition to any humane education program, and is perfect for ages 7 and up. Written by Howard Edelstein with Terry Cummings, co-founder of Poplar Spring Animal Sanctuary in Maryland, this engaging book features 23 full color illustrations by artist Jade Heyes.

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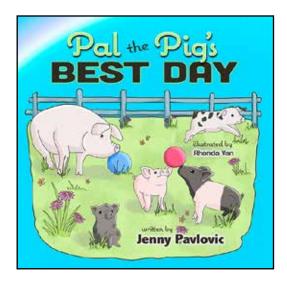
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Howard Edelstein is an animal advocate who has worked with various animal protection organizations over the past three decades. He now works helping humans and other animals during disasters, and with sheltering animals during cruelty cases. Howard is the author of An Underwater Friend, the story of a boy who goes fishing and realizes that all animals are sentient beings, and that a friendship can develop between any two individuals. He has also written Ready or Not, Here it Comes, a book about planning for the animals in your care in the event of a disaster; and Scooter Strays, an interactive children's book about the dangers a stray dog faces.

Jade Heyes is a passionate animal right's artist who creates artworks illustrating the importance of extending humanities compassion beyond just pet animals and towards all animals, especially those existing on farms.

Through her artworks she highlights the mistreatment, suffering and death that takes place on these farms and slaughterhouses as well as capturing these animal's lovable, innocent nature which differs not from dogs, cats, and children.

To see more of Jade's artworks visit her Instagram and Facebook pages: CreatingHarmony\_Art.



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## PAL THE PIG'S BEST DAY

by Jenny Pavlovic Illustrated by Rhonda Van

The piglet was tumbling, tumbling, flying through the air, head over tail, tail over head. He landed on the highway with a thud, a bounce, and a roll. Then he skidded to a stop. Ouch! Pal lay in the middle of the highway with feet spread and chin scraped.

The piglet looked up as the truck carrying his piglet friends drove away. It got smaller and smaller . . . and then it was gone. What was he to do now?

Follow Pal the Pig's journey as what begins as the worst day of his life soon becomes the best day of his life. Along the way you'll meet the people who grow to love Pal and appreciate him as the joyful soul he is. Illustrated in full color by artist Rhonda Van, the book is perfect for ages 6 and up, and a wonderful tool for humane education too.

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### **About the Author**



## About the Illustrator



**Jenny Pavlovic**, **Ph.D.**, lives in Wisconsin with dogs Herbie, Audrey, and Brighty and cat Junipurr. Jenny loves walking her dogs, gardening, swimming, kayaking, and experiencing everyday miracles. Her day job is as a biomedical engineer.

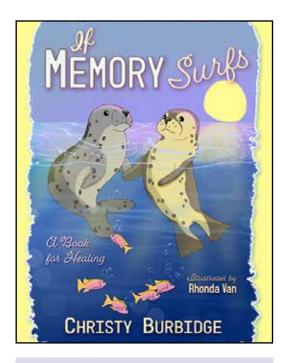
This is her first picture book since the stories she wrote and drew as a child then tried to sell to her mom. She encourages everyone to keep writing and drawing—i.e., pursuing your passions, whatever they may be.

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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## IF MEMORY SURFS

#### A BOOK FOR HEALING

by Christy Burbidge Illustrated by Rhonda Van

When Memory the seal survives a Bad Thing and an injury, she knows life will never be the same. Recovering at the Rescue Center, she meets three new friends, each healing from wounds of their own. When it comes time for her to surf the waves again, Memory freezes from fear. But if she doesn't surf back over Danger Reef, she will never get home to her family.

Will Memory's fear get the best of her, or will she find strength in the memories of her friends, helping her to surf over Danger Reef freely and happily once more? Find out in If Memory Surfs, an illustrated early reader and excellent primer for engagement on animals, our natural world, grief, and helping others.

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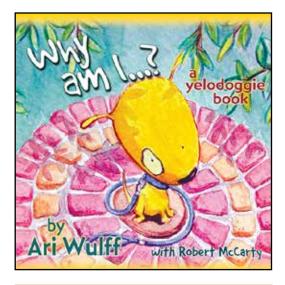
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**About the Coauthor** 



## WHY AM I...?

#### A YELODOGGIE BOOK

Written and Illustrated by Ari Wulff with Robert McCarty

Floyd is a happy dog with many friends. One day, though, someone asks Floyd why he is yellow . . . but Floyd had never thought about it! He doesn't know the answer. After all, he isn't a lemon. He isn't a banana. He is a dog.

"Why am I yellow?" he wonders.

Soon Floyd goes on a quest to find the answer, and meets up with many of his friends and other animals along the way. Why Am I? is a great family conversation starter about accepting ourselves and others just as we are, and provides a soothing bedtime read with the kids. For ages 4 and up with an adult's help, or 6 and up for beginning readers.

"Why Am I? ... is a beautiful book to delight kids and adults alike with lively, attractive illustrations and a cleverly posed message about value and identity. Every page is frame-worthy."—Bob Tarte, author of Enslaved By Ducks, Kitty Cornered, Fowl Weather, and Feather Brained

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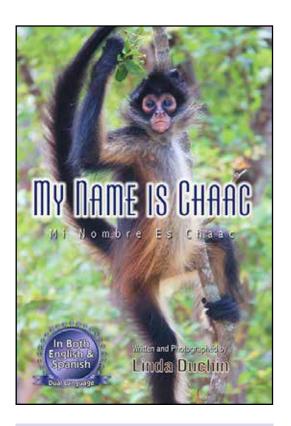
Wulff is the author of four books: Born Without a Tail, Circling the Waggins, How to Change the World in 30 Seconds, and Parade of Misfits.

They are also the coauthor of *Finding Fido*, and the illustrator for the children's books *Raffy Calfy's Rescue*, *Smidgey Pidgey's Predicament*, and *Squirmy Hermie's Heroics*.

Wulff is the creator of the Yelodoggie character. Find Ari online at thewoof.wordpress.com.

**Robert McCarty** is the author of the Planet Of The Dogs series of children's books: *Planet Of The Dogs, Castle In The Mist,* and *Snow Valley Heroes, A Christmas Tale.* 

He is the founder of Barking Planet Productions and writes the Barking Planet Children's Books blog at **planetofthedogs.net**.



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## **About the Author**



## My NAME IS CHAAC

#### MI NOMBRE ES CHAAC

#### by Linda Duchin

Chaac is one very lucky monkey; he was rescued from the pet trade when he was just a weak and tiny baby. His rescuers knew that—like everyone else—this baby needed love and care to survive, so they took him to the vet and nursed him back to health.

This story is told by Chaac, from his point of view, and is written in both English and Spanish. Through Chaac we learn that by spending time with another species, by really getting to know them, we can see that we are all connected. All animals deserve our love and our protection, and in turn, they enrich our lives.

In our story, Chaac is rescued by his human friends, but in many ways he rescues them, too. My Name is Chaac includes full color photos taken by the author, and is a great reading and learning tool for ages 5 and up.

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Esta historia está contada por Chaac, desde su punto de vista, y está escrita tanto en inglés como en español. A través de Chaac aprendemos que al pasar tiempo con otras especies, al conocerlas realmente, podemos ver que todos estamos conectados. Todos los animales merecen nuestro amor y nuestra protección y, a su vez, enriquecen nuestras vidas.

En nuestra historia, Chaac es rescatado por sus amigos humanos, pero el también los rescata de muchas maneras. 'Mi Nombre es Chaac' incluye fotos a todo color tomadas por el autor y es una excelente herramienta de lectura y aprendizaje para niños de 5 años en adelante.

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Linda Duchin is a retired professor of biological anthropology, with a focus on primates. She has worked with monkeys and apes in sanctuaries in North America, and has studied feral populations in South America, Africa and Asia. Her concern for the protection of our endangered relatives keeps her dedicated to spreading information about their lives and encouraging active support of their cause.

To quote Dr. Jane Goodall, "Only if we understand, will we care. Only if we care, will we help. Only if we help, shall all be saved."

Both teaching and learning are Dr. Duchin's life-long pursuits. She is passionate about natural places, hiking and traveling in them as often as possible. She lives with her human primate family and two canines.



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# About the Author and Illustrator



## No Guppy, Puppy!

#### THE PUPPY PROBLEMS SERIES

by Tamira Thayne
Illustrated by Tamira Thayne

**No Guppy, Puppy!** introduces our littlest readers to lots of new animal friends as we learn about Puppy's little problem: he likes to chase animals!

But guess what? The other animals don't want to be chased. So Mom gives Puppy something fun and safe to do for each animal they meet.

In the end, Puppy finally sees someone Mom will let him chase...shhh... you'll have to read the story to find out who it is!

Written and illustrated by Tamira Thayne, **No Guppy**, **Puppy!** seeks to introduce young readers ages 3 and up to both early sight words and the animals we can see on our daily walks. It also introduces the concept of redirection from unwanted behaviors to something more positive, safe, and fun! Bold colors, simple artwork, and short sentences make for a great bedtime or anytime read for young families on the go.

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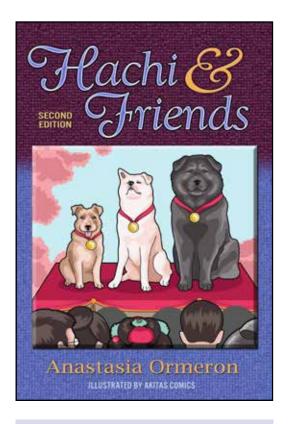
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**Tamira Thayne** is an author, publisher, and the founder and former CEO of Dogs Deserve Better, a nonprofit organization seeking to free dogs from chains.

She's the author of the Animal Protector Series, which to date includes Squirmy Hermie's Heroics, Raffy Calfy's Rescue, Spittin' Kitten's Speed Away, and Smidgey Pidgey's Predicament. She's also written Happy Dog Coloring Book, It Went to the Dogs, Capitol in Chains, Foster Doggie Insanity, and the Chained Gods young adult series. She is the editor of More Rescue Smiles, and co-editor of Don't Look a Gift Couch in the Mouth, Unchain My Heart, and Rescue Smiles.

Tamira lives by a river in the woods of northern Virginia, with her husband, daughter, one dog, seven cats, and hundreds of outside birds and critters she adores from afar. You can reach her through her website at tamirathayne.com.



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## **About the Author**



## HACHI AND FRIENDS, 2ND ED.

#### ALL NEW, FULL COLOR ILLUSTRATIONS BY AKITAS COMICS!

## by Anastasia Ormeron Illustrated by Rebecca Szmidt

If you happen to be passing through Shibuya Railway Station, in the chaotic heart of Tokyo, you are certain to come across a small bronze statue of a dog.

This is Hachi-kò, the 'Loyal Akita Inu of Japan', who waited faithfully at that exact spot for almost ten years in the hope of his master's return.

Shibuya Station is a focal point in this delightful tale combining fact and fiction, and every afternoon our hero unfailingly meets the incoming three o'clock train, seeking the one familiar face which means so much to him—that of Master Ueno.

A mysterious kidnapping sets Hachi and friends on a trail that twists and turns through the Tokyo of the 1920s, and Hachi comes face to face with his worst fear. Will he overcome it to win the day?

You'll meet some of Hachi's many human and animal friends, including Maro, the vagabond mixed breed who is proud to live as a street dog, Goro, who was abandoned as a puppy outside the police station and now acts as police dog, and Debbie, Hachi's special fox terrier friend who lives next door.

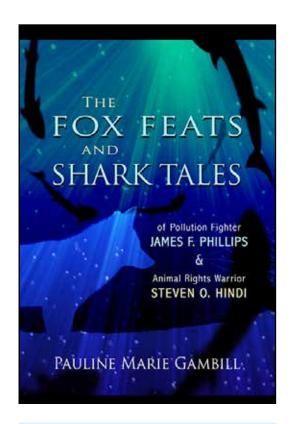
This illustrated story for ages 9 and up is dedicated to Hachi, on his eighty-sixth Memorial Anniversary.

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Anastasia Ormeron is a mother, a teacher, and now a writer. A friend to all animals since childhood, she carries many of their beloved stories into the classroom, believing that some of life's greatest lessons can be learned from them.

Anastasia spent most of her crazier growing up years in London, but shares a quieter life today, in a tiny corner of the Italian Alps, with her husband and grumpy grey cat, Mathilda.



## AND ANIMAL RIGHTS WARRIOR STEVEN O. HINDI

OF POLLUTION FIGHTER JAMES F. PHILLIPS

by Pauline Marie Gambill

The FOX FEATS and SHARK TALES of Pollution Fighter James F. Phillips and Animal Rights Warrior Steven O. Hindi is an extensive and absorbing look at the lives and achievements of two courageous and fearless individuals: James F. Phillips (1930-2001), known as "the Fox;" and Steven Hindi, founder of the animal rights organization SHARK (Showing Animals Respect and Kindness).

THE FOX FEATS AND SHARK TALES

The book delves into the early lives of Phillips and Hindi and looks at what drove them to a fierce and relentless dedication to their causes. Their journeys were not without serious and dangerous obstacles, and—in Hindi's case—even resulted in physical injury. In addition to the telling of the men's intriguing histories, visual images provide an important peek into their lives and work.

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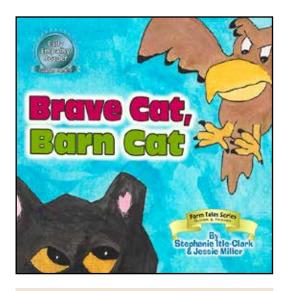
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### **About the Author**



Pauline Marie Gambill is a dedicated environmentalist and animal rights advocate. After working many years for the State of Illinois Department of Human Services in Chicago, she took an early retirement and returned to college to obtain an MA in Environmental Studies. She then worked at the USEPA in Chicago for ten years. Since her second retirement, she has continued her support of environmental and animal rights causes and has been a member of the Chicago Animal Rights Coalition which was originally established by Steve Hindi.

Her other primary interest is genealogy. She has traveled all over the country to do research and has written numerous family histories.



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## BRAVE CAT, BARN CAT

#### **FARM TALES SERIES: OLIVER & FRIENDS**

by Stephanie Itle-Clark Illustrated by Jessie Miller

Being brave can be scary. Join barn cat Onyx, the newest addition to the Farm Tales Series family, and follow the journey of a shy barn cat who takes small steps toward courage. This fun rhythmic text introduces the reader to the work and life of barn cats. Will this shy kitty be able to save the day? Readers will be inspired to face new situations with bravery.

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## **About the Author**



**About the Illustrator** 

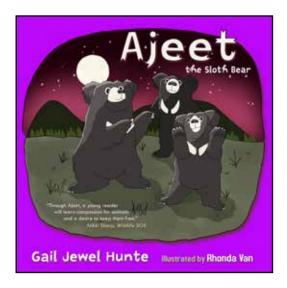


Stephanie Itle-Clark is a public-school teacher, as well as the founder and president of the Academy of Prosocial Learning, a group which supports prosocial and empathy education and provides resources and professional development for educators. She lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and their pack of tiny rescue dogs.

Stephanie is the author of *Tiffany Rolls On, Oliver's Big Problem, Flock of Friends,* and *Brave Cat, Barn Cat.* She is also the editor of *Humane Education in Higher Education*.

**Jessie Miller** is founder of the non profit organization EPIC Outreach, which focuses on teaching kindness to inspire compassion. In 2019 Jessie started and now runs the farm sanctuary, One EPIC Farm, with rescued farm animals that serves as an education outreach center.

Jessie lives in Florida, where she spends time at the beach, running, writing, or hanging out with the rescued animals. Visitepicoutreach.org for more info. Jessie is the author of *Chance—Wings of Hope* and *Winne: A Wet and Windy Adventure*, and the illustrator of the *Farm Tales: Oliver and Friends* series.



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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## AJEET THE SLOTH BEAR

by Gail Jewel Hunte Illustrated by Rhonda Van

Ajeet the sloth bear had been awake for hours, eating his fill of ants and termites. His tummy was full, but he used his strong paws to shake the mango tree until a few came tumbling down anyway. His sister, playing in the grass, called to him. "Ajeet, come and play with me before Mamma Bear calls us back to the cave," she shouted.

Ajeet peeked through the bushes, and then stopped. Who were those strange men? Before he knew it, the little sloth bear had been taken far away, where he would soon learn his fate...Inspired by the conservation work of Wildlife SOS in India, *Ajeet the Sloth Bear* tells the story of a young bear who is captured and forced to dance for entertainment. Could he get back to the family and life he longs for? Find out in Ajeet the Sloth Bear, by Gail Jewel Hunte. For ages 7 and up and beautifully illustrated in full color by artist Rhonda Van.

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Born in London, **Gail Jewel Hunte** divides her time between the UK and the island of Barbados, where her family roots are. She is known as the Animal Talk Lady, and believes animals are sentient beings that teach us about compassion, forgiveness, courage, and love.

Gail created Barbados' first pet magazine, Animal Talk, is a radio talk show host for Animal Craze, and is a trustee for the Charity Action for Animals Barbados (AFAB).

When not writing and helping animals, Gail loves spending time with her cats, the family dogs, and relaxing with friends in the warm Caribbean Sea. Weird facts about Gail? She likes spiders and watching clouds. One of her favorite foods is chocolate.

Rhonda Van is an artist, author, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover. She particularly adores jackrabbits, squirrels, her animal companions, Shark Week, vegan dinners in Santa Cruz, and her husband Tony. Rhonda has been drawing forever, but only got deeper into illustration after she started drawing the wildlife friends she cares for.

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## THE BIG WIND

by Trish Bruno Illustrated by Rhonda Van

The Big Wind is the sweet story of a pigeon family separated during a bad storm and their quest to be reunited. When the babies are taken to a wild-life rehabilitation center, their rescuers are taught about the needs of the young birds and how they can best help them.

Can the babies get back to Mom and Dad and become a family again? Find out in *The Big Wind*, written by author Trish Bruno and illustrated by Rhonda Van. The book is perfect for ages 7 and up, and a delightful read for classroom and humane education work, too.

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#### **About the Author**



About the Illustrator



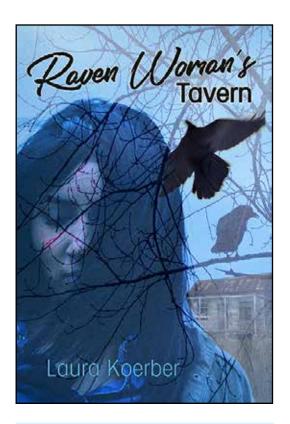
**Trish Bruno**, M.Ed, VT, is a retired elementary school teacher turned veterinary/wildlife technician. She has been working with animals for over 20 years, and finally turned her passion into a career in 2010.

She lives with her husband Steve and their children in the Sacramento, California area. They have one dog, two cats, and Vanilla the pigeon. Trish is currently employed as a vet tech at a local pet hospital.

**Rhonda Van** is an artist, author, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover.

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## RAVEN WOMAN'S TAVERN

#### by Laura Koerber

A backwoods bar run by a shapeshifter.

A road that changes length, direction, and destination.

A young man, lost in the forest and dying, hears the cry of a raven.

Set in a dystopic near future, Raven Woman's Tavern is the story of a collection of survivalists who are squatting in the remains of a dead timber town in the Northwest. The residents—most of them old, sick, and in need—help each other by means legal and extralegal under the watchful eye of Rachel, the tavern keeper. When the peace of the community is disturbed by the sudden visit of four members of the local militia, the survivalists are frightened; not all of them are law-abiding and some are not citizens.

But, as Crazy Mary said to Charlie the Poet, "You don't piss Rachel off. She's got her ways."

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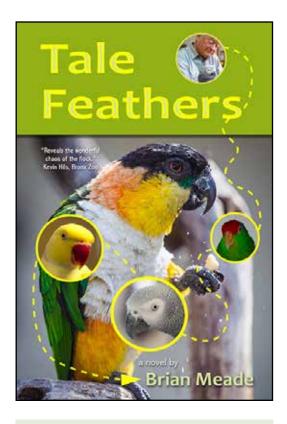
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#### **About the Author**



Laura Koerber is an artist and writer who lives on an island with her husband and two dogs. Laura divides her retirement time between dog rescue, care for disabled people, political activism, and yes, she tells herself stories while driving.

She's had two books listed on Kirkus Reviews in the top 100 indie books for their publication year: *The Dog Thief and Other Stories* (written as Jill Kearney), and *Wild Hare*. She's also the author of *The Listener's Tale, I Once Was Lost, But Now I'm Found: Daisy and the Olympic Animal Sanctuary Rescue, Limbo, The Shapeshifter's Tale, The Eclipse Dancer, and Raven Woman's Tavern.* 



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## **About the Author**



## TALE FEATHERS

#### by Brian Meade

Coco was fixated by the clock on the wall. It felt as if the hands barely moved, counting the seconds in minutes and the hours in days. "Biggest point, two more clicks," he murmured under his breath, clicking his beak in unison with the clock.

The moment had finally arrived! "Good morning guys!" his voice reverberated through the cavernous rooms of the old wooden house.

He was met first with quiet, and then the complaints started...

Coco, Pablo, Squeaker, Kiku, and Red are an odd flock of parrots who have been living under one roof with the same family for years. Like any other family, they've grown a little too comfortable and a little tired of each other's company and their mundane daily experiences.

Soon, change arrives in a way none of them could have expected. One day, the quirky flock finds their lives taking a turn that leads them on a several day, cross-town adventure.

They pick up some new friends along the way, and their sometimes frightening real-world experiences leave them with a newfound appreciation for each other and the human family they've taken for granted.

Will things be the same at adventure's end, or will their lives be changed forever? Find out in Tale Feathers, a new novel by Brian Meade, perfect for readers and bird lovers young and old.

"Reveals the wonderful chaos of the flock."—Kevin Hils, Bronx Zoo

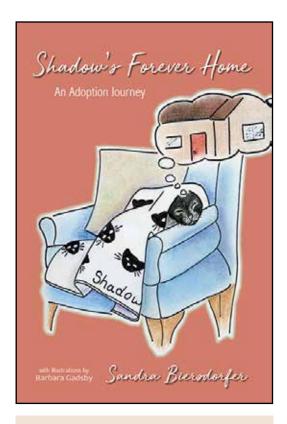
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**Brian Meade** has spent most of his adult life working with, for, and around animals of all shapes and sizes. He is especially noted for being one of the unique group of people who made a career of working with exotic birds.

Spending so much time with "thankless, bi-polar toddlers who can live the same lifespan as a human" left Brian with a very profound respect for their natural instinctive abilities and an utter disregard for polite conversation.



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## **About the Author**



## SHADOW'S FOREVER HOME

#### AN ADOPTION JOURNEY

by Sandra Biersdorfer with Illustrations by Barbara Gadsby

A fluffy, solid black kitten with golden yellow eyes rested on his favorite perch just outside the entrance to Seth Elementary School. It was a warm, sunny day, without a cloud in the flawless blue sky. As the students passed, many stopped to pet him—a pat on the head here, a scratch under the chin there.

"Oh, he's SOOOO cute!" one girl exclaimed.

"I really like cats, but my mom won't let me have one," one young boy pouted as he passed the kitten.

With a sad face and a pitiful sigh, the fluffy black kitten with golden eyes gave up on finding anyone at the school to take him home. He began the long trek downtown hoping for something to eat.

Will Shadow ever realize his dream of a loving family, a warm bed, and plenty of healthy food? Discover for yourself, in this early chapter book just for developing readers.

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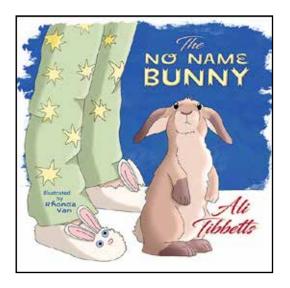
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**Sandra Biersdorfer**, a native of East Texas, has been an avid reader since childhood. She is an advocate for reading and enjoys reading to children and visiting schools as much as possible to share her love of reading and becoming an author. Her first children's book, *Nana's Banana*, was originally published in 2014 followed by *The Kitty with the Itty-Bitty Tail* and *Papa's Pumpkin*. Sandra enjoys reading, writing, watching movies and game shows, and spending time with family and friends.



Barbara Gadsby makes her home in San Antonio, Texas. Growing up with a vivid imagination fueled a creative spark that grew into a love of art. She was a graphic artist for several years and loved it. While life took her in other directions, she never lost her love of art. In addition to illustrating children's books, Barbara also does pastel painting. Although she prefers to paint things she finds in nature, she finds inspiration in nearly everything.



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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## THE NO NAME BUNNY

by Ali Tibbetts Illustrated by Rhonda Van

The No Name Bunny tells of one rabbit's journey to find her forever family, emphasizing the importance of hope in the face of life's challenges and offering an animal's perspective on loss and fear, belief and belonging. In this children's tale of redemption, the No Name Bunny perseveres despite neglect and abandonment to achieve her dream of a better life and to finally get what she wants most: a name.

After reading *The No Name Bunny*, young readers ages 6 and up will come to understand that, like us, animals deserve compassion and empathy. While the story's central theme emphasizes humane treatment of animals, humans and animals alike can grasp the need for love, belonging, and identity.

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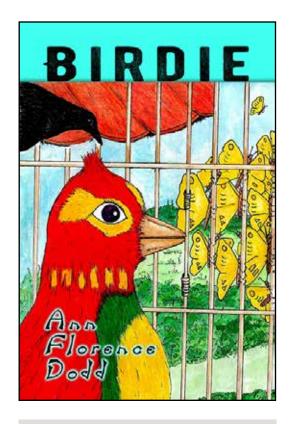
First time author **Ali Tibbetts** brings her love of animals to this poignant and uplifting tale. A supporter of animal rights and a rescue proponent, Ali's mission is to instill respect and compassion for animals in young readers.

When she is not fulfilling her duties as a busy high school math teacher, Ali can be found roller skating or hanging out with her entourage of rescue goats, cows, bunnies, and her beloved dog, Graham. She and her husband, Jack, can't wait to share the story with their new baby they welcome next February.

**Rhonda Van** is an artist, author, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover.

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## **About the Author**



## BIRDIE

by Ann Florence Dodd with Illustrations by Ann Florence Dodd

Birdie is a sweet and lonely caged bird who lives in the garden outside his owner's cottage. As he sits in his cage day after day, he watches other birds fly the blue skies and wonders why he is not free to fly, too. What did he do wrong?

Birdie really wants a friend and tries to find one, but it just isn't happening for him. Then one day a beetle named Berty falls into his cage, and suddenly Birdie is so happy: he has his first friend!

After tragedy strikes, Birdie becomes desperate to escape his confinement. When his cage door is finally opened, Birdie has to face his fears and find the courage to leave; after all, his cage was the only world he knew...

Is Birdie brave enough to face his biggest fear? Follow Birdie's beautiful story—perfect for ages 10 and up—as the little bird finds friendship and courage, confronts untold adversity, and finally explores a whole new world he never knew existed. With heart-touching illustrations from the author, Ann Florence Dodd.

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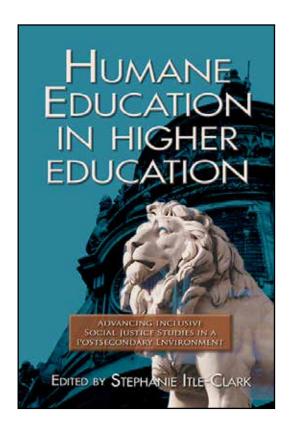
Ann Florence Dodd wants to inspire children by seeing the world through the eyes and lives of animals. Through her storytelling she hopes to bring encouragement and humor while covering subjects of adversity and struggle.

Ann was born in Birmingham, England, and lived there until her mid-twenties. She then moved back to her father's ancestral home island of Guernsey, in the Channel Islands, to help run the family hotel. Ann has worked as both a Prison Officer and a Childcare Officer; these occupations have taught Ann much about human resilience and how impoverished some people's lives can be.

Animal welfare and the environment have always been a huge part of Ann's life. Since moving to Cyprus six years ago, she has volunteered for animal charities who care for a variety of neglected animals in Cyprus.

Ann's first book, *Birdie*, was inspired from her years of caring for vulnerable and unloved children and animals. Although Birdie is a book about a caged bird, Ann feels it is a metaphor for the type of life some people experience.

As Ann states, "The irony of some prisons is that they house aviaries."





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## **About the Editor**



# HUMANE EDUCATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION

## ADVANCING INCLUSIVE SOCIAL JUSTICE STUDIES IN A POSTSECONDARY ENVIRONMENT

#### **Edited by Stephanie Itle-Clark**

The realm of higher education is designed to disseminate knowledge. The content area is easy to define, but what is being taught related to inclusive social justice and the streaming spectrum of human, non-human, and environmental interactions? Moral intelligence and compassion are shaped by many social dynamics, and in countless ways the postsecondary educational system has a chance to incorporate inclusive prosocial development into instructional concepts as well as the overarching campus systems. Discover how faculty and staff working in higher education institutions can push beyond the degree-specific cognitive skills and encourage compassion so that learners experience social and emotional growth.

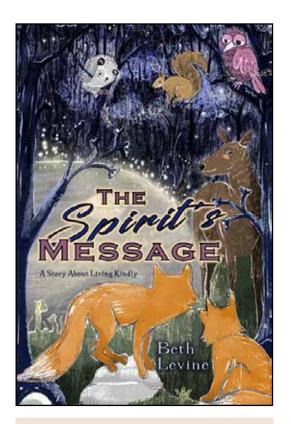
The book features contributions by twelve scholars of the humane and prosocial movements. The book puts forth the primary concept that "A truly humane education revolves around inclusive social justice and supports personal development of 'critical thinking, problem solving, perspective-taking, and empathy as it relates to people, animals, the planet, and the intersections among them," according to editor Stephanie Itle-Clark.

The volume aims to bring truly inclusive humane pedagogy into the realm of higher education to effectively address teaching intersectionality of social justice issues.

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## About the Author



## THE SPIRIT'S MESSAGE

#### A STORY ABOUT LIVING KINDLY

by Beth Levine with Illustrations by Revers Lab

In a small village in a far-off land lived a young girl named Sara and her younger brother Justin. Today was a celebration: Sara turned thirteen, and as was the tradition in her village, she would travel into the nearby Magical Forest to receive a message from the Spirit of the Earth.

The seeker usually braved the forest alone, but because Sara and Justin were so close, they convinced her parents and the village elders to let them go together. Join the siblings as they embark on a mission into the Magical Forest, where they meet many of the woodland inhabitants and learn that the world around them is not what it may seem at first glance.

The duo is honored with the Spirit of the Earth's most crucial message—but will they take it to heart? *The Spirit's Message* is a tale of courage, hope, and kindness, brought to you through a journey of two young souls; it is a wonderful and purpose-filled read for ages eight through adulthood.

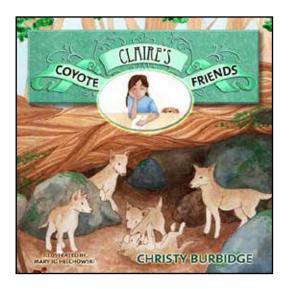
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**Beth Levine** is an anti-oppression activist who enjoys writing (i.e., stories, articles, poetry, letters to the editor), taking photographs, and creating art. She often uses her creativity to promote animal rights. She loves coming up with ideas, walking and playing with her dogs, and spending time in nature. As a psychotherapist, she has the privilege of helping people alleviate their suffering.



Revers Lab's art talks about animals, their suffering, the meat industry, and the sad and ill condition of society—but also about dreams: dreams of a more comfortable world and profound respect towards the Earth. She embraces a fruit-based diet for body health and a free spirit. She loves to travel, discover new cultures, new fruits, and increase her Vegan Art. To see additional artwork by Revers Lab, please visit saatchiart.com/reverslab



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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## CLAIRE'S COYOTE FRIENDS

By Christy Burbidge Illustrated by Mary Jo Helchowski

Claire lives in a house on a golf course with her dad and rescue beagle, Buddy. Every day after school, Claire and Buddy go for a walk on the course—it's Claire's favorite part of the day!

The golf course is home to many animal friends: geese, swans, and...

Claire hears barking...what is that, puppies?!

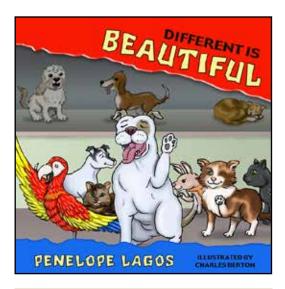
Upon learning the babies are actually coyote pups, Claire becomes enamored and researches their needs and how they differ from Buddy's. Claire's Coyote Friends is an exploration of and helps children understand a different type of bond—one where we can feel close to others even if we can't spend time with them.

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Mary Jo Helchowski is a children's book illustrator who lives in Essex, Connecticut. She is a graduate of the Lyme Academy of Fine Art with a degree in illustration. Her artwork has been featured in galleries including Spectrum in Centerbrook, Connecticut, and other children's books about everything from baseball to bumblebees. She hopes her pictures made you smile! Visit her online at www.maryjohelchowski.com.



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## **About the Author**



**About the Illustrator** 



## DIFFERENT IS BEAUTIFUL

by Penelope Lagos Illustrated by Charles Berton

Cassius, an eight-year-old pitbull, has been stuck in the shelter for quite some time. It becomes his mission to rally all the other "special needs" animals together to change adopters' minds and find loving homes for himself and his friends.

This time, the Paws 'n Claws Adoption Day turns into a life lesson for all. Cassius keeps his friends positive and their heads held high, proving that looking different is not a bad thing—in fact, being yourself is the best way to be.

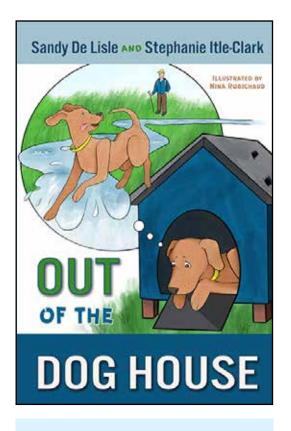
Different is Beautiful is a heart-warming story for children ages 7 and up that helps them accept people who may not look the same as they do. Author Penelope Lagos also offers ten helpful tips parents can use to educate children about overcoming bias.

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Penelope Lagos, a New Jersey native, graduated from Rutgers University with a BA in Communications and Theatre Arts. Penelope is an avid animal advocate and strongly believes in being "a voice for the voiceless." She holds certifications in Canine Fitness and Conditioning as well as Advanced Pet CPR/First Aid. She is the recipient of the Reader's Favorite 5 star award for her first children's book entitled *I Miss My Best Friend*, which deals with the grief of losing a pet. When Penelope is not spending time with her own furry friends, she is acting in indie films and commercials as well as volunteering at The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society (LLS). Penelope is the recipient of the LLS Achievement Award for her dedication in fundraising events.

Charles Berton is the illustrator of a wide array of children's books, as well as many book covers, posters and anything on or in which one can have illustrations. He had a natural inclination to draw from the age of five. As an adult, he was trained and certified in web and graphic design. He raised a family on Long Island where he was also born and raised, and where he continues to live and work today. Feel free to visit CharlesBerton.com and see many samples of his work and philosophy.



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### **About the Authors**



## Out of the Dog House

by Sandy De Lisle and Stephanie Itle-Clark Illustrated by Nina Robichaud

Jax used to live a cushy life inside a house with fuzzy blankets and a comfy chair. Suddenly his person can no longer care for him, and he finds himself living in a stranger's backyard and missing his best human friend.

He misses his warm bed, squeaky ball, and bowls with his name on them. Most of all, though, he misses his person's gentle scratches under his chin and the way he said, "Good boy, Jax."

Will the kind animal control officer succeed in helping Jax get out of the doghouse and into the warm home of his new family? Find out in Out of the Dog House, perfect for ages 8 and up. Out of the Dog House is great for classroom and humane education efforts, too, and includes educational information and questions to provoke classroom discussion.

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**Sandy De Lisle** is a lifelong animal lover, former classroom teacher, author, filmmaker, and currently serves as senior manager of content development for the ASPCA's Pro Learning department.

Her first children's book, Hens for Friends, was published by Gryphon Press.

Sandy regularly volunteers for her local animal shelter and believes animal control officers are the unsung heroes of the animal sheltering world.

**Stephanie Itle-Clark** is a former public-school developmental reading teacher and is the founder and president of the Academy of Prosocial Learning where she supports prosocial and empathy education and provides resources and professional development for educators.

Stephanie is the author of *Tiffany Rolls On, Oliver's Big Problem, Flock of Friends,* and the editor of *Humane Education in Higher Education.* 

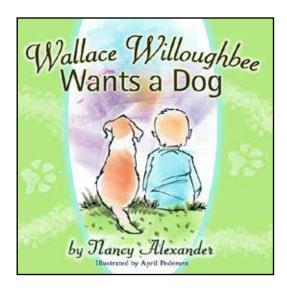
She lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and their pack of tiny rescue dogs.

## **About the Illustrator**

Nina Robichaud is an artist, former veterinary assistant, and IT professional. In her free time she tends to her island in Animal Crossing: New Horizons, draws animals, and spoils her rescues Penelope the black cat and Jager the leon-berger mix.



Nina is the illustrator of Out of the Dog House and Harley Saves the Day. Check out her art Instagram @neenz.art for more animal illustrations.



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## **About the Author**



## About the Illustrator



# WALLACE WILLOUGHBEE WANTS A DOG

By Nancy Alexander
Illustrated by April Pedersen

Once a year, Wallace gets to spend a week with his Aunt Polly, and it's his favorite week of the year. Aunt Polly lives on a big farm, with lots and lots of dogs. Wallace wants a dog with all his heart, but his mom and dad don't want one.

Wallace couldn't wait to tell Aunt Polly about the new program at the animal shelter. He'd seen an ad on TV: the shelter had started a program for kids and parents to volunteer to walk the dogs together. That would be a dream come true!

At Aunt Polly's, Wallace helps feed and walk all the dogs every day. He sits in the sun with Snickers every afternoon, and Snickers snuggles next to Wallace every night.

But the happy visits always end too soon. Will Wallace ever get the dog of his dreams?

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Nancy Alexander started her career as a historic preservationist focused on helping small towns save historic resources. From that base, Nancy has been everything from a housekeeper and gardener to special events manager. Along the way, Nancy has supported local animal welfare movements, and personally rescued and adopted a wide variety of dogs, cats, horses and even rodents.

Writing has been a lifelong passion and she feels a deep need to find ways to connect people and animals through that vehicle. Nancy currently lives in central Virginia with twelve dogs and one intrepid cat. Visit her at alexanders-ark.com.

Whimsical artist **April Pedersen** is a freelancer based in Reno, Nevada. She is partial to frogs, geocaching, science fiction, video poker, and chess.

April is the author and illustrator of Slow Moe, and the illustrator of Wallace Willoughbee Wants a Dog, Adopting Adele, Brave Benny, Bravo's Freedom, Happy Dog Coloring Book, A Tail of Two Christmases, Dandelion's Dream, Clarabelle Comes Clean, and Courageous Conner.



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#### **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## AN UNDERWATER FRIEND

by Howard Edelstein Illustrated by Jessica Henderson

Timmy woke up early and rushed to his parents' bed to make sure his dad was awake. He'd been looking forward to this day all week. Today Timmy's dad was taking him on his first fishing trip, and he was so excited!

But the lesson Timmy would ultimately learn wasn't the one he was expecting...

An Underwater Friend is the story of a boy who realizes that a friendship can develop between any two individuals. It makes the reader aware that we all have feelings, and that we should treat everyone, including our animal friends, as we would want to be treated.

**An Underwater Friend** is a project of Fish Feel, the first organization devoted to promoting the recognition of fish as sentient beings deserving of respect and compassion.

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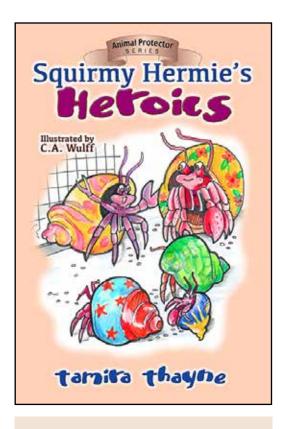
**Howard Edelstein** is an animal advocate who has worked with various animal protection organization for the past three decades. He now helps humans and other animals during disasters, and with sheltering animals during cruelty cases.

Howard is the author of Ready or Not, Here it Comes, a book about planning for the animals in your care in the event of a disaster. He also wrote Scooter Strays, an interactive children's book about the dangers a stray dog faces.

Howard serves on the board of Fish Feel.

Illustrator **Jessica Jane Henderson** is an animal rights artist from Scotland. She creates colourful and thought provoking art to inspire people to be kind to animals. Jessica left her home in 2014 and has been traveling the world and spreading the vegan message ever since.

To see more of Jessica's work or to contact her about a commission, visit her lnstagram page @jessicajaneillustrations.



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## **About the Author**





## SQUIRMY HERMIE'S HEROICS

THE ANIMAL PROTECTOR SERIES VOL. 4

by Tamira Thayne
Illustrated by C.A. Wulff

Snip, snip . . . snip, snip.

Squirmy Hermie poked his head out of his pink and yellow-painted shell, peering out into the darkening room. Where was that noise coming from? The store had closed for the night; the only sounds this late came from his newfound crab friends as they began their nocturnal hunt for food and entertainment.

And maybe a way out of here? The nagging hope slipped into his mind for the hundredth time since he'd arrived in this place only a few days earlier.

Snip, snip . . . snip, snip.

There it was again.

Squirmy and his friend Hairy had been taken, along with many others, from their beach homes in the Caribbean islands. Why? Where were they now? And how could they free themselves from this cage and the toxic shells they'd been forced into?

Will those who speak on their behalf help them to safety? Find out in **Squirmy Hermie's Heroics**, the 4th volume in the Animal Protector series from author Tamira Thayne, with full color illustrations by C.A. Wulff.

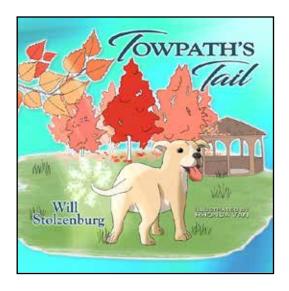
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**Tamira Thayne** is an animal activist, and the founder and former CEO of Dogs Deserve Better. She is the author of Squirmy Hermie's Heroics, Raffy Calfy's Rescue, Spittin' Kitten's Speed-Away, Smidgey Pidgey's Predicament, Happy Dog Coloring Book, Capitol in Chains, Foster Doggie Insanity, The Chained Gods Series editor of More Rescue Smiles, and the co-editor of Unchain My Heart and Rescue Smiles. Tamira lives by a river in the woods of northern Virginia. You can reach her through her website at tamirathayne. com or follow her at Facebook.com/AuthorTamiraThayne.

## **About the Illustrator**

**C. A. Wulff** has been involved in pet rescue for over twenty-four years. Wulff uses her art and writing to spread the joy of the human/canine bond. Her books, Born Without a Tail: the Making of an Animal Advocate and Circling the Waggins; How 5 Misfit Dogs Saved Me from Bewilderness, chronicle her personal journey of animal rescue. You can follow her on her blog "Up on the Woof", where she shares biscuits of dog-related info. [thewoof.wordpress.com]



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## **About the Author**



## **About the Illustrator**



## TOWPATH'S TAIL

by Will Stolzenburg Illustrated by Rhonda Van

Towpath's Tail is the story of a special pit bull puppy with a magical tail that spreads happiness wherever he goes. But when Towpath's tail is suddenly stolen by an angry young boy, his friends all abandon him. The puppy wanders, sad and alone.

Towpath's only hope comes from the kindness of a young stranger who helps him regain the magic, despite his stubby new tail. Soon we realize that Towpath's magic was not in his tail after all, but in his heart.

**Towpath's Tail** makes a wonderful addition to family reading hour for children five and above, as well as humane education programs with lessons in bullying and kindness to others. Complete with full-color, whimsical illustrations by artist Rhonda Van.

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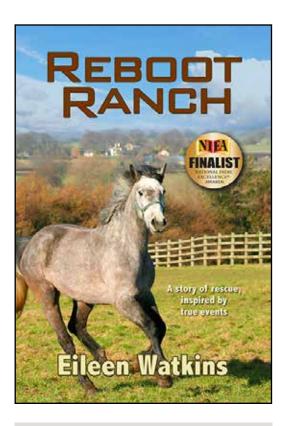
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Will Stolzenburg is a former wildlife biologist who writes and speaks on behalf of all creatures, wild and tame. He and his wife Kathy live in Florida with their wigglebutt Towpath, and a houseful of former street cats now living the good life indoors. Will's other books include Heart of a Lion, Rat Island, and Where the Wild Things Were. Find him online at willstolzenburg. com.

**Rhonda Van** is an artist, author, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover.

She particularly adores jackrabbits, squirrels, her animal companions, Shark Week, vegan dinners in Santa Cruz, and her husband Tony. Rhonda has been drawing forever, but only got deeper into illustration after she started drawing the wildlife friends she cares for.

Rhonda is the author and illustrator of **Squeak the Squirrel**, and the illustrator of **Towpath's Tail**, **The Sleepy Honey Bee**, **Lop-Eared Lily**, **Spittin' Kitten's Speed-Away**, and **Tiffany Rolls On**. Find her online at **rhondaluluart.com**.



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## **About the Author**



## REBOOT RANCH

by Eileen Watkins

Two years ago, Anna Loehmeyer's marriage, job, and life fell apart when her husband was arrested for fraud. The experience devastated her, but Anna found new purpose when she rescued a mare bound for slaughter.

After acquiring two more hard-luck equines and a small farm in western New Jersey, Anna decides to start her own horse-rescue operation.

The only person eager to help is her teenaged niece MJ, who is recovering from her own heartbreak—the death of her beloved father. Formerly a good student, MJ has become depressed and rebellious, even jeopardizing her chances to get into college. She persuades her mother to let her spend the summer at the rescue farm, because her Aunt Anna is "the only adult I know who's doing anything meaningful."

Soon the two women recognize a bond even beyond family ties—their mutual love of horses and desire to save them from abusive situations. Their greatest challenge could also be their best hope for an adoption success story—the farm's newest resident, an ex-racehorse named Murphy. Almost put down for seriously injuring a jockey, the big gray loves to jump, even without a rider. But is he too dangerous for Anna and MJ to handle, much less to retrain for a new career?

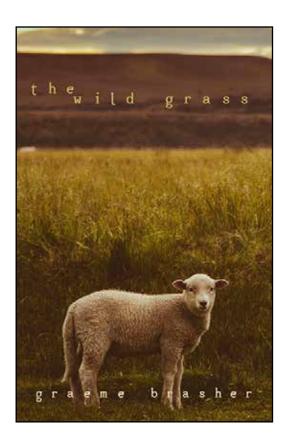
For the sake of their horses, they both may have to swallow some stubborn pride, and learn how to ask for help.

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Eileen Watkins began publishing mystery and suspense fiction with Amber Quill Press, and eventually put out eight novels through that publisher, mostly paranormal suspense written as "E. F. Watkins." The one exception was her 2004 romantic mystery, *Ride a Dancing Horse*, set on an Andalusian horse farm. Eileen also paid tribute to her horse Brenda in her essay "Class and Courage," which appeared in the 2006 anthology *Chicken Soup for the Horse Lover's Soul II*.

After Amber Quill closed its doors in 2015, Eileen began writing the Cat Groomer Mysteries for Kensington Publishing. The series started in 2017 with The Persian Always Meows Twice; The Bengal Identity came out in spring of 2018, and Feral Attraction in the fall of that year. Newest, as of 2019, is Gone, Kitty, Gone. The Persian Always Meows Twice won the David G. Sasher Award for Best Mystery of 2017 at the Deadly Ink Mystery Conference, and the first three books all have won Certificates of Excellence from the Cat Writers' Association, Inc. www.efwatkins.com.



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## THE WILD GRASS

#### by Graeme Brasher

When you are bred to be eaten, freedom is your only hope.

Set on a farm on Kangaroo Island, South Australia, Graeme Brasher's The Wild Grass is the stirring tale of twin lambs' attempts to escape their fate. The lambs live alongside the human family who own them and the wild animals who make their living on the periphery of the farm.

Sam had never liked the way the livestock on the farm were treated. She understood that the animals were her parents' livelihood and that nothing much could be done about it; still, their fate troubled her. When her father herded them into the yards for drenching, tailing, or drafting, she mostly bit her lip and turned a blind-eye to the harshness of it all.

Feral cats and scavenger crows threaten, but it is the humans who care for them that pose the gravest threat. When flooding leads to plans for the early dispatch of the lambs to market, the twins are forced to recognize that their lives are at risk.

Each must now make choices that mean the difference between life and death. Sanctuary lies a long perilous journey away. Can the Untamed lead them to safety?

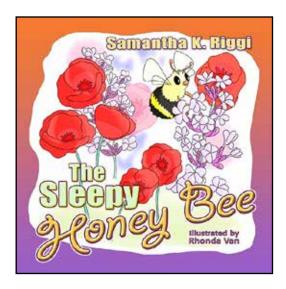
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## **About the Author**



Graeme Brasher was born in South Australia in 1964. He grew up in the fishing community of Port Lincoln at the base of the Eyre Peninsula. After graduating with an arts degree and a diploma in education from the University of Adelaide, he began the teaching career which has seen him work in Australia, Europe, and Asia for the past thirty years. He now lives in Hong Kong. His poetry has been published in a number of online literary journals. The Wild Grass is his first novel.



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## **About the Author**



## About the Illustrator



## THE SLEEPY HONEY BEE

by Samantha K. Riggi Illustrated by Rhonda Van

In a busy bee hive near a colorful meadow there lived a little honey bee named Mia.

Mia woke one morning still feeling tired; after all, the hive is a very busy—and very noisy—place. She yawned, and stretched, and wished she could climb back into her warm, honeycomb bed.

But nectar bees don't sleep in; they have nectar to collect after all!

So Mia flew past the lush lavender, over the wildflowers and through the tall prairie grass that danced in the wind. She landed on some bright orange flowers for just a short rest . . . and closed her eyes . . .

Soon Mia was not alone. Who joined the little honey bee for a summer's nap in her orange flower bed? Find out in The Sleepy Honey Bee, a wonderfully colorful read for ages 6 and up. Complete with a short lesson on the Earth's bee population and how we can help them.

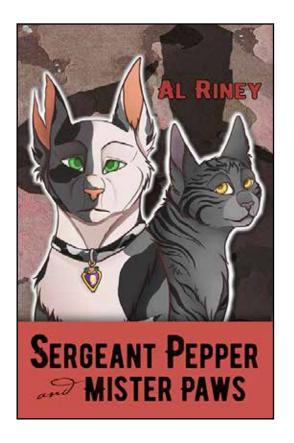
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Rhonda Van is an artist, author, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover. She particularly adores jackrabbits, squirrels, her animal companions, Shark Week, vegan dinners in Santa Cruz, and her husband Tony. Rhonda has been drawing forever, but only got deeper into illustration after she started drawing the wildlife friends she cares for.

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# **About the Author**



# SERGEANT PEPPER AND MISTER PAWS

#### by Al Riney

Private Rick Santos and the little cat who befriended him—Sergeant Pepper—are now famous war heroes: battle buddies wounded in combat and awarded the Purple Heart together. In foreign territory, they survived mortar fire and enemy insurgents. In domestic territory, they endured hospitals and therapy centers.

Now they'll face their greatest challenge yet: civilian life.

When Rick is sent to a special facility for intensive post-traumatic stress therapy, he trusts his Uncle Ernest Gonzales in Florida with Sergeant Pepper's care. In the foreign world of Hummingbird Circle, Sergeant Pepper encounters a clutter of six cats managed by the mild-mannered Mister Paws, the polydactyl pal of Uncle Ernest.

These lazy, quirky, and undisciplined house cats thoroughly annoy the disciplined Sergeant Pepper. With her army mindset, she feels like a square peg jammed into a round hole.

War's long tendrils soon reach into the cushy, relaxed existence found at Uncle Ernest's home. When a gang of tough street cats and a vicious attack dog named Killer disrupt the peace of Hummingbird Circle, the army cat sees it as her duty to assist Mister Paws in overcoming the insurgency.

Only this time, Sergeant Pepper faces an unexpected threat. She discovers something worse than enemy insurgents . . . her own deeply-hidden PTSD. Can she overcome her own demons to save those in her charge? Will she ever be reunited with her best friend Rick? Find out in Sergeant Pepper and Mister Paws, a wonderful new read for ages 10 and up.

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Al Riney is a seasoned veteran of wordcraft, an animal lover, a husband and father with a passion for good storytelling. Born and raised in the riverport town of Osceola, Arkansas, Al wrote science-fiction and fantasy stories in his youth.

Surrounded by thou-sands of acres of forests and farms, AI received a wholesome country-style raising from his loving parents. AI met his lovely wife in Memphis, Tennessee. Married life and becoming a father improved AI's outlook for the better; he subsequently attained a Master of Arts in Teaching from the University of Southern California's Rossier School of Education.

Now he teaches English at Liberty Technology Magnet High School in Jackson, Tennessee and writes books in his spare time. Al lives in Milan, Tennessee with his wife Melanie, son Kevin, and five lazy, civilian house cats named Mister Whiskers, Maximus, Mindy, Finnley, and Oreo the Cookie Varmint.



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# **About the Author**



# SIGILS & SECRETS

#### Black Magick Book 1

#### **Whitney Metz**

Ben has a high-paying job, a great apartment and, most importantly, he has Carrie. She's fun, beautiful, a bit eccentric—and has a fascination with the occult.

Ben thinks it's harmless.

Then one night during an attempt to contact the spirit world, Carrie disappears. Now Ben must find a way to navigate a world that he never believed existed in order to save the woman he loves from something he doesn't understand.

Maybe he didn't know Carrie nearly as well as he thought.

To make matters worse, Ben's encounter with the supernatural has left him with a mysterious infection ravaging his body and deteriorating his mind.

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Whitney Metz is a long-time vegan living outside the town of Mannington, West Virginia. She shares her life with Riley and Petunia, two pigs she adopted after her first internship with Farm Sanctuary. Over the years, she's tried everything from construction to law enforcement, and is currently working as a massage therapist, though writing is her true passion. Whatever her employment, she spends the majority of her time living in the fantasy world inside her head. She cares deeply about animal rights and protecting the environment, and feels it's important to reflect those values in her writing.



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# **About the Author**



# **COYOTE SUMMER**

by Laura Koerber

What happens when a rape is dismissed by those with power and control?

Ben O'Rourke, his best friend Clint, and their classmate Claire were supposed to grow up to be wealthy, prominent people like their parents. They were private school kids, raised in the belief that they were obliged to turn expensive educations into prestigious positions in society. Actually, more than that. They were entitled to prestigious positions—at the top.

Clint had done that by winning his dad's seat in Congress. Benny didn't know anything about Claire, except she'd never married and she still lived in Camden. Right there in Clint's district.

Ben was nervous. His voice had to reach across the Rocky Mountains, across the Great Plains, and all the way to Wisconsin. And it had to reach across nearly forty years and who-knows-what changes and pain as well. Did it mean anything that Claire never got married? Girls who went to Saint Anne's were brought up to get married.

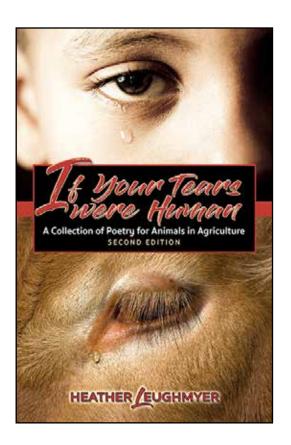
As the phone rang, Ben's memory returned to the past...and the two girls who'd rerouted his life the summer before college. An assault on Claire right after their high school graduation had led Ben to struggle with right, wrong, and his place in society; while his first love, Puppy, taught him there was much more to life than a prep school upbringing...maybe even things that floated beyond the realm of human understanding.

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**Laura Koerber** is an artist and writer who lives on an island with her husband and two dogs. Laura divides her retirement time between dog rescue, care for disabled people, political activism, and yes, she tells herself stories while driving.

Two of her books, Wild Hare and The Dog Thief and Other Stories (written as Jill Kearney), were listed by Kirkus Reviews as one of the Hundred Indie Best Books of their publication years. She's also the author of The Listener's Tale, I Once Was Lost, But Now I'm Found: Daisy and the Olympic Animal Sanctuary Rescue, Limbo, The Shapeshifter's Tale, and The Eclipse Dancer.



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# IF YOUR TEARS WERE HUMAN

# A COLLECTION OF POETRY FOR ANIMALS IN AGRICULTURE, 2ND. ED. by Heather Leughmyer

If Your Tears Were Human: A Collection of Poetry for Animals in Agriculture, 2nd Edition, is an intensely moving and powerful collection of 28 verses written by Heather Leughmyer and paired with striking photographic images from Vanessa Sarges.

Each year, billions of land animals are raised and killed for their meat, eggs, and milk. To the agricultural industry, they are commodities, dollar signs. But to a growing number of people from all walks of life, these precious souls have purpose beyond our palates. They are unique individuals who experience pleasure and pain. They are companions, they are teachers, and they bring beauty and diversity to the planet we all share.

The poems included in this book were inspired by animals, people and events the author encountered in her activism for animals. Although she has been deeply disturbed by the magnitude of human cruelty toward these innocent beings, she has been just as deeply touched by the people who have bravely protested these injustices and who work relentlessly to make this world a kinder place. These are her heroes; the rebels, the bunny-huggers, those with the largest hearts and the softest souls. These poems honor them and the animals they serve.

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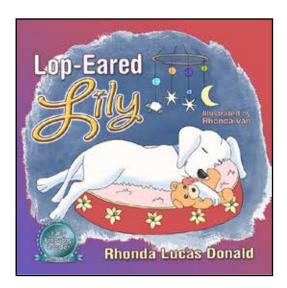
#### **About the Author**



**Heather Leughmyer** graduated from Indiana-Purdue University with a B.A. in English Writing and Linguistics. She is a dedicated vegan, animal rights activist and animal rescuer.

Writing has been a passion of hers for as long as she has advocated for animals. By telling their stories and illustrating their pain she hopes to touch a few hearts and change a few minds with her words.

Heather is the author of If Your Tears Were Human, Adopting Adele, Brave Benny, Courageous Conner, Dandelion's Dream, Elyse's Escape and co-editor of Rescue Smiles. She lives in Columbia City, Indiana, with her husband, daughter and several animal companions.



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# **About the Author**



# About the Illustrator



## LOP-EARED LILY

by Rhonda Lucas Donald Illustrated by Rhonda Van

Lily's ears don't mind the rules. One's up; the other's down. She looks a little cockeyed, But never wears a frown.

Lop-Eared Lily is a little dog with mismatched ears and a penchant for licking. Bound along with her on a day full of ducks and bees and people's knees—and Frisbee catching, too.

Life wasn't always sunny for Lily. She had been abandoned and neglected, but found the perfect home with a family who loves her—licks, flip-flop ears, and all!

Written by award-winning children's author Rhonda Lucas Donald and whimsically illustrated by Rhonda Van, *Lop-Eared Lily* is perfect for early readers from age 4 and up. The book works great in the classroom and as part of humane education efforts, too.

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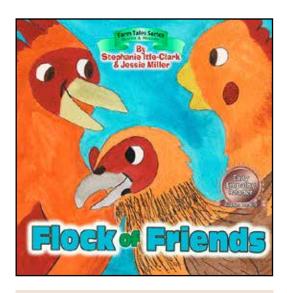
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Rhonda Lucas Donald is an award-winning author of more than a dozen books for children and teachers. She is a contributor to Ranger Rick and writes Science in the News for Science A–Z. A rhyme-ster and nonfiction specialist, Rhonda loves making difficult science concepts accessible—and fun—for all ages. Rhonda's first love is animals, and she has volunteered as a humane educator for animal shelters. She is a member of the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators, National Science Teachers Association, and the Cat Writers Association. Rhonda and her husband share their Virginia home with their dog, Dixie, and their cat, Darcy. Visit her website at www.browntabby.com.

**Rhonda Van** is an author, artist, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover.

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Rhonda is the author and illustrator of Squeak the Squirrel, and the illustrator of Lop-Eared Lily, Spittin' Kitten's Speed-Away and Tiffany Rolls On.



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# **About the Author**



# **About the Illustrator**



# FLOCK OF FRIENDS

#### **FARM TALES SERIES: OLIVER & FRIENDS**

by Stephanie Itle-Clark Illustrated by Jessie Miller

Friends come in all shapes and sizes! This flock of friends rhymes their way through a day at the farm, sharing some of the things chickens like to do and asking us to think about our friends big and small.

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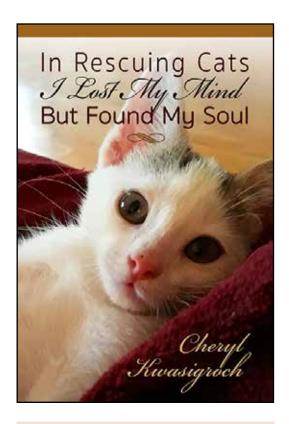
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**Stephanie Itle-Clark** is a former public-school developmental reading teacher, and the founder and president of the Academy of Prosocial Learning, where she supports prosocial and empathy education and provides resources and professional development for educators.

She lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and their pack of tiny rescue dogs. She is the author of Oliver's Big Problem and Tiffany Rolls On.

Jessie Miller runs a nonprofit organization, EPIC Outreach, which focuses on teaching kindness to inspire compassion. Jessie recently acquired a mini farm sanctuary with rescued farm animals that will soon become an outreach center. Jessie lives in Florida, where she spends time at the beach, running, writing, or hanging out with her rescued animals. Please visit www. epicoutreach.org and her other two books, Chance - Wings of Hope and Winne: A Wet and Windy Adventure.



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# **About the Author**



# IN RESCUING CATS I LOST MY MIND BUT FOUND MY SOUL

#### by Cheryl Kwasigroch

Cheryl Kwasigroch writes based on personal experience, and with a deep understanding of the feline mind—as well as the knowledge that a cat is a very special animal whose health and medical needs are quite different from those of other pets.

What does it involve to do rescue work with cats, or just be a caring cat adopter? In these 19 short yet heartwarming stories, different cats as well as the people in their lives struggle to understand one another.

Many people would like to foster but don't understand the commitment it involves—it's not often simply a matter of playing with a cute kitten. Are you up for the challenge? And how do you know what your cat is trying to tell you? Can you read a cat's body language—hint, a furiously wagging tail is not a welcome signal!

Some stories are told from the point of view of the felines, some from the point of view of the person involved in working with the cat. All include valuable information on the psyche and physical well-being of our purring friends.

Travel the feline world with these remarkable stories of inspirational cats. You may shed a tear along the way, but in the end we hope you will find yourself wanting to do more for our beautiful and often misunderstood companions.

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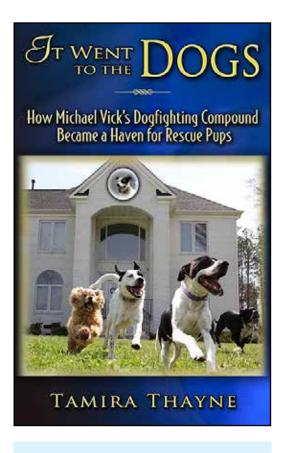
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Cheryl Kwasigroch is the author of In Rescuing Cat I Lost My Mind but Found My Soul, her first book.

She has been working in various areas of cat rescue for over 30 years in Chicago, Illinois. She writes based on personal experiences with a deep understanding of the feline mind, as well as the knowledge that a cat is a very special animal whose health and medical needs are quite different from those of other pets.

She is also very active in cat and kitten fostering (especially neonatal). Many of the people she has helped regard her as "The Cat Whisperer".

Cheryl Kwasigroch isn't a household name—but this book will definitely make her readers remember her. While the names of cats and people in this book have been changed in consideration of privacy, they are all actually based on real stories and events.



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## **About the Author**



# IT WENT TO THE DOGS

HOW MICHAEL VICK'S DOGFIGHTING COMPOUND BECAME A HAVEN FOR RESCUE PUPS

By Tamira Thayne

What could possibly go wrong when a dog activist buys Michael Vick's dogfighting compound? As it turns out...everything.

The house sat empty, an eerie white sentinel against the flat winter landscape, now guarding only whispers of the past. A six-foot white metal fence with coded entry gate lined the country road, abandoning its purpose at the property line and allowing passage to all with the temerity and curiosity to walk around.

The bullet hole in the front window went unnoticed...

The decision Tamira would make that fateful day in February 2011 would lead not only to a home for her nonprofit's rescue dogs, but also to the most turbulent four years of her life: she faced down allegations of racism, community harassment, poisoning, and, ultimately, false charges aimed at driving her and Dogs Deserve Better from the county.

There was a reason Michael Vick felt he could get away with dogfighting in Surry County, Virginia—and why he got away with it for as long as he did...

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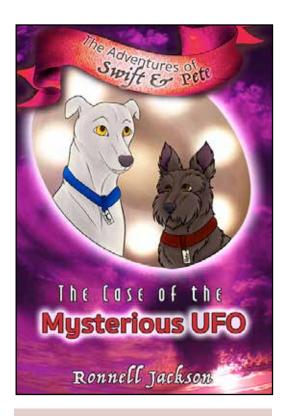
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**Tamira Thayne** pioneered the anti-tethering movement in America, forming and leading the nonprofit Dogs Deserve Better for 13 years.

During her time on the front lines of animal activism and rescue she took on plenty of bad guys (often failing miserably); her swan song culminated in the purchase and transformation of Michael Vick's dogfighting compound to a chained-dog rescue and rehabilitation center. She's spent 878 hours chained to a doghouse on behalf of the voiceless in front of state capitol buildings nationwide.

Tamira is the author of It Went to the Dogs: How Michael Vick's Dogfighting Compound Became a Haven for Rescue Pups, the Chained Gods Series, the Animal Protectors Series, Foster Doggie Insanity, and Capitol in Chains. She's the editor of More Rescue Smiles, and the co-editor of Unchain My Heart and Rescue Smiles. In 2016 she founded Who Chains You, publishing books by and for animal activists and rescuers.

Tamira is an Air Force veteran who lives by a river in the woods of northern Virginia, with her husband, daughter, one dog, six cats, and hundreds of outside birds and critters she adores from afar.



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# **About the Author**



**About the Illustrator** 

# THE CASE OF THE MYSTERIOUS UFO

THE ADVENTURES OF SWIFT & PETE, VOL. 1

Written by Ronnell Jackson
Illustrated by Brynakha Vaettir

Mahmah adopted Swift when she visited the local animal shelter; the greyhound caught her eye, sad and lonely in his kennel. She took him home, cleaned him up, and taught him what it was like to live as a beloved family companion. A year later a skinny, matted Scottish terrier named Pete landed on their doorstep, and soon their little family had expanded to three.

What Mahmah had no way of knowing was that Swift and Pete had once lived as strays together, running the streets and scrounging to survive. They'd been close friends and partners in crime, until circumstances—and Animal Control—separated them. Now trouble awaited the duo once more, as they slipped under their fence and into the dark of night. Suddenly a bright ball of light appeared in the sky, streaking toward them and growing brighter and larger before lowering into the dense growth ahead.

They slowed to a stop. What was that, a meteor? Some kind of aircraft? As the dogs and their friend lcebox investigate *The Case of the Mysterious UFO*, truths about the mistreatment of animals on our planet and the disappearance of their fellow canines come to light, and their world will never be the same. *The Adventures of Swift and Pete* make perfect early chapter readers for ages 9 and up, and can easily fit into school and humane education programs, too.

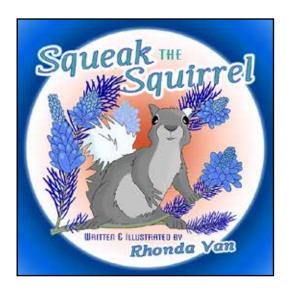
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**Ronnell Jackson** first became interested in writing in 2006, when he was 54. A North Carolina newspaper held their annual Christmas story contest, and although he didn't win, seeing his name in print had a profound affect on him. It led him to take a creative writing course with the University of North Carolina, and he began entering other writing contests. After a few years of effort, he'd finally won first place! It was during those years that he wrote *The Adventures of Swift & Pete*, and other stories, too. The Case of the Mysterious UFO is his first published book.



Brynakha Vaettir lives in the mountains of Virginia, and spends her free time drawing, reading, and playing video games. She has a great love for cats, most frequently illustrating feline and other hybrid animal characters. Her tabby Sparta holds her heart for all of eternity, but she also makes room for most cats she meets. You can find her art online at www.deviantart.com/brynakha.



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# SQUEAK THE SQUIRREL

#### Written and Illustrated by Rhonda Van

Squeak's family used to live in a big nest lined with leaves and dry grass. The little squirrel remembered a mother who loved and cared for them. But one morning there were loud noises outside the nest. "VRR VRRR! VRR VRRR!"

Their branch started shaking, then the whole nest fell to the ground . . . two men were trimming the tree! "Hey, look," one said. "Baby squirrels!"

Squeak felt something big and wet lick him. Yuck, what was that? A dog's tongue? The dog picked Squeak up in his wet mouth and ran happily around the yard. "EEP EEP!" Squeak cried. "EEEP! EEEEP!"

Oh, NO! What will happen to Squeak and his brother and sister now? Find out in Squeak the Squirrel, based on the true story of a rescue squirrel named Squeak. The book, beautifully illustrated in full color by author Rhonda Van, will delight any child or classroom, and fits perfectly into lesson areas for humane education or compassion discussions. Excellent for ages 7 and up, Squeak the Squirrel is a great choice for family bedtime, classroom, or solo reading adventures.

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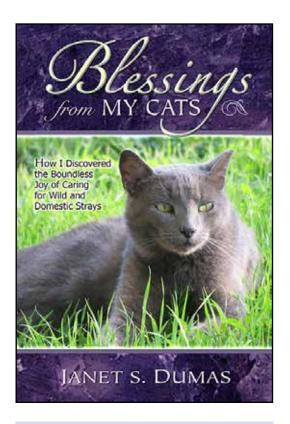
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# **About the Author**



# BLESSINGS FROM MY CATS

How I Discovered the Boundless Joy of Caring for Wild and Domestic Strays

Janet S. Dumas

"My heart was touched by *Blessings From My Cats*; thank you, thank you for the lifeline you provide for so many cats and continuing to remind us of our spiritual connection to animals."—Sonya Fitzpatrick, Radio Show Host, SiriusXM, Animal Intuitive, TV Host of Animal Planet's "The Pet Psychic" and "Pet Psychic Encounters", Author, What the Animals Tell Me and Cat Talk

**Blessings From My Cats** is a collection of short stories about the rescued cats that share the author's home and the feral cats that depend on her in the wild.

Author Janet S. Dumas became drawn to cat advocacy after her visceral reaction to a chilling expose in the newspaper about the thousands of animals being gassed to death each year by the City of San Antonio, Texas. She knew she had to take action, thus beginning her adventures into the world of Trap-Neuter-Return and caring for cats near her, both feral and domestic. Janet shares her experiences as a feral cat colony caretaker, how she came to understand the individual cats, and the relationships they built together.

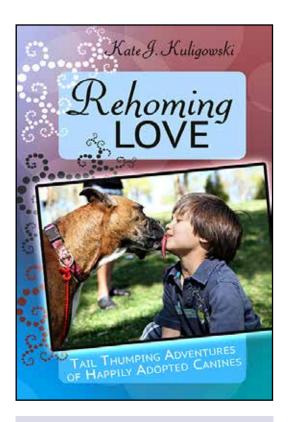
The author takes the reader through the myriad of emotions she experiences in caring for the cats—from unmitigated jubilation to the depths of sorrow to a level of compassion that she never knew existed within her.

**Blessings from My Cats** provides a window into the secret lives of cats in the wild, and the surprising ways these cats demonstrate their profound appreciation for their humans on a daily basis, delighting and resonating with cat lovers of all ages.

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Janet S. Dumas lives in San Antonio, Texas and is a semi-retired medical social worker. She enjoys writing, fitness, gardening, and spending time with friends and family. She has been a cat afficionado for over 40 years, and her love for animals led to an unintended journey into cat advocacy fourteen years ago. Janet is passionate about improving the lives of stray and feral cats. She enjoys caring for these vulnerable felines while educating pet owners and well, anyone who will listen, about the need for spay/neuter and our responsibility to care for God's creatures.



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# **About the Author**



# REHOMING LOVE

#### TAIL THUMPING ADVENTURES OF HAPPILY ADOPTED CANINES

by Kate J. Kuligowski

Join author Kate J. Kuligowski as she brings us into the world of dog rescue through 37 heart-warming, tail-thumping episodes of the successful rescues and rehomings of an assortment of fantastic but hopeless, deserted dogs of all ages. We'll travel through history from as far back as 1910 through today, and meet dogs of different breeds and sizes—some with physical impediments, all left in nearly impossible situations.

Rehoming Love provides a peek into a world and rehoming experience that can at times be convoluted, but also incredible and joyous. These are stories for any dog lover who has been enchanted or bewildered by their dog's forever loyalty, or has experienced the intoxication that follows a successful rescue or rehoming of a pet.

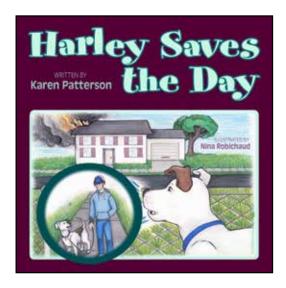
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Kate J. Kuligowski is a New Mexico native and graduate of University of New Mexico, and taught secondary education in New Jersey and New Mexico schools. As Education Director for Animal Humane Association New Mexico and Watermelon Mountain Ranch No Kill Shelter, she and her assortment of performing blind and deaf dogs delivered her award-winning K-12 curriculum, You and Your Pet Are Forever to thousands of classrooms, civic and social organizations throughout the state for many years.

Kate's writings have also appeared in various pet publications, one of which was awarded the prestigious Dog Writers' Association of America (DWAA) Maxwell Medallion in 2018. One of her three previous books, Our Most Treasured Tails, was also a Maxwell Medallion recipient. Goodbye Bad Guys was a DWAA and Best Books finalist. Let's Git Outa Here was the first place winner in the 15th annual 2018 Best Book Awards and a DWAA finalist. All three books were given 5 star ratings by Readers' Favorites. She and husband Wally have resided in Albuquerque, New Mexico since 1965, enjoying the gifts of love given by their varying number of fantastic "thrown-away" pets.

Her reason for writing? "I write to make our caring Americans aware of the plight of the multitude of abandoned, abused and shelter pets. Empowered with knowledge, they can use their talents, resources and votes to improve and protect their precious lives. I write to make a difference."



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# **About the Author**



# About the Illustrator



# HARLEY SAVES THE DAY

by Karen Patterson Illustrated by Nina Robichaud

Harley is a loving dog with a big body and a loud bark. When Anthony adopts him from the animal shelter in town, the two immediately become best friends.

It comes as a surprise when they encounter neighbors on their morning walk who are frightened by Harley's physical features. Despite Anthony's attempts to showcase Harley's friendly personality, neighbors put pressure on him to keep Harley inside and away from their homes.

When a house fire threatens the life of an elderly neighbor, Harley jumps into action to save her life. Ironically, it's Harley's loud bark that alerts rescuers to their location and brings the help she so desperately needs. Through Harley's heroic act, will the neighborhood begin to look beyond his physical appearance and see him for the caring dog that he is?

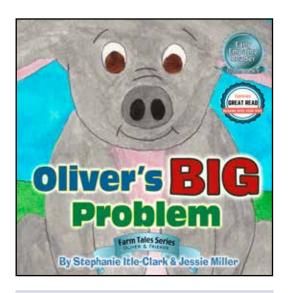
Join Harley as he proves that kindness and compassion can change the world. *Harley Saves the Day* is perfect for ages 7 and up, and makes a wonderful addition to humane or anti-bullying education programs.

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**Karen Patterson** is a life-long animal lover and former elementary class-room teacher. Now she is a full-time humane educator, enjoying life in Michigan with her son and her four furry kids. *Harley Saves the Day* is her first book.

**Nina Robichaud** is an artist and a former veterinary assistant. She graduated from Old Dominion University in 2018 with a Bachelor of Science in Biology. In her free time she draws animals, goes to the beach and enjoys playing video games. Nina lives in Virginia Beach with her dog Jager and cat Penelope, who are both rescues.



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# OLIVER'S BIG PROBLEM

**FARM TALES SERIES: OLIVER & FRIENDS** 

by Stephanie Itle-Clark Illustrated by Jessie Miller

Oliver is one happy pig with a big personality! He loves his home, his friends, and the healthy food and exercise he gets at the farm. But Oliver did not always live on the farm. His first home was far too small!

Discover how he ended up at the farm and get to know Oliver in the first of the Farm Tales Series written just for early readers in grades Pre-K-2. The book text incorporates early sight words as well as discussion questions for parents and educators to support growth in critical thinking and empathy for others.

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# **About the Author**



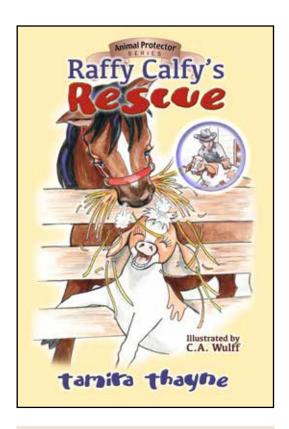
**Stephanie Itle-Clark** is a former public-school developmental reading teacher, and the founder and president of the Academy of Prosocial Learning, where she supports prosocial and empathy education and provides resources and professional development for educators.

She lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and their pack of tiny rescue dogs. She is the author of Oliver's Big Problem and Tiffany Rolls On.

**About the Illustrator** 



Jessie Miller runs a nonprofit organization, EPIC Outreach, which focuses on teaching kindness to inspire compassion. Jessie recently acquired a mini farm sanctuary with rescued farm animals that will soon become an outreach center. Jessie lives in Florida, where she spends time at the beach, running, writing, or hanging out with her rescued animals. Please visit www. epicoutreach.org and her other two books, Chance - Wings of Hope and Winne: A Wet and Windy Adventure.



Series: Animal Protector Series Vol. 3

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# About the Author





# RAFFY CALFY'S RESCUE

#### THE ANIMAL PROTECTOR SERIES VOL. 3

by Tamira Thayne Illustrated by C.A. Wulff

The calf plopped to the ground, looking as grumpy as she felt. She had energy to spare, but nowhere to run and no one to play with. She was trapped! Her mom let out an amused snort, and then licked her little snout clean. Suddenly there was a commotion in the barn, and a loud braying sent her scurrying under her mother, cowering and shaking. "What's that noise?"

"It's a horse, honey," replied Momma. Here at the Lazy M Rodeo Company, stories were passed from pen to pen about how the horses helped the humans rope baby cows for "fun and entertainment"; but it sure wasn't fun for the calves, or their mothers who lowed in frustration as their babies were pulled from their sides.

Was all hope lost? Would Raffy and Momma Cow ever make it to the meadow? The book and the Animal Protector Series is perfect for ages 8 and up, and includes a vocab builder and lesson starter questions, too.

"Through Raffy, Rhonda, and Serge's tale, we discover that what may seem like entertainment to us is misery for the animals."—Brece Clark, the Humane Cowboy

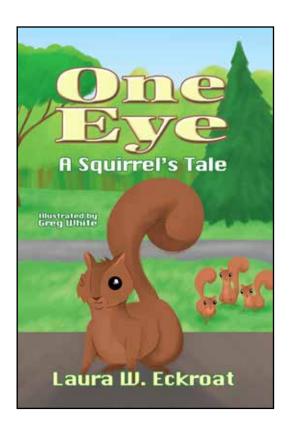
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**Tamira Thayne** is an animal activist, and the founder and former CEO of Dogs Deserve Better. She is the author of Raffy Calfy's Rescue, Spittin' Kitten's Speed-Away, Smidgey Pidgey's Predicament, Happy Dog Coloring Book, Capitol in Chains, Foster Doggie Insanity, The Chained Gods Series editor of More Rescue Smiles, and the co-editor of Unchain My Heart and Rescue Smiles. Tamira lives by a river in the woods of northern Virginia. You can reach her through her website at tamirathayne.com or follow her at Facebook.com/AuthorTamiraThayne.

# **About the Illustrator**

**C. A. Wulff** has been involved in pet rescue for over twenty-four years. Wulff uses her art and writing to spread the joy of the human/canine bond. Her books, Born Without a Tail: the Making of an Animal Advocate and Circling the Waggins; How 5 Misfit Dogs Saved Me from Bewilderness, chronicle her personal journey of animal rescue. You can follow her on her blog "Up on the Woof", where she shares biscuits of dog-related info. [thewoof.wordpress.com]



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# **About the Author**



# ONE EYE: A SQUIRREL'S TALE

by Laura W. Eckroat
Illustrated by Greg White

There once was a bright blue house, with a slippery slate roof and a creaky crooked porch, that sat to the left of the fork in the road. The porch was a peaceful gathering place, and the man who lived there often sat and enjoyed the view and the humans and animals who so often stopped by.

The man scattered peanuts and seeds on the porch for the animals, who looked forward to their tasty treats. One day, the man in the bright blue house, with the slippery slate roof, and the creaky crooked porch was watching the current summer storm, when he realized he was no longer alone.

A small, injured brown squirrel sat motionless just a few feet away...Would the man in the bright blue house be able to help the wounded little squirrel? Find out in One Eye: A Squirrel's Tale, by author Laura W. Eckroat. Includes the story of the real-life One Eye and White Ears, PLUS a wildlife sample lesson that can be used along with the book by teachers and humane educators for grades 1-5.

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Laura W. Eckroat is the author of A Simpler Time, Daisy: A Life Cycle Series, The Life of Bud, Went Out to Get a Donut, Came Home with a Muffin, What's in the Corner? A Muffin "Tail", Muffin's Shadow, and The Lost Tooth.

Laura was born and raised in Whiting, Indiana. She has lived in Colorado, Georgia, Massachusetts, and Texas. She now resides in Wisconsin with her husband, Steven, and their two rescue dogs—Muffin and Shadow.

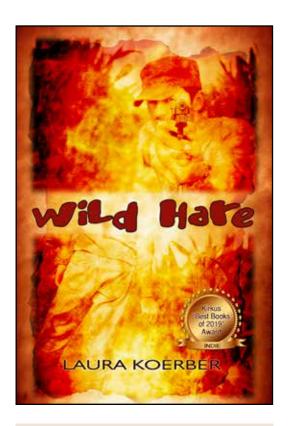
She is an elementary school teacher, and a lifetime Chicago Bears football fan. She enjoys gardening, reading, writing and doing fundraisers for dogs.

# About the Illustrator

**Greg White** attended Southern Nazarene University, where he received a Bachelor's degree in Mass Communication.

His passion for visual storytelling led him to the field of illustration, and he now works as a freelance artist and illustrator, specializing in children's books, comic books, and poster design.

He now resides in Oklahoma City, where he has illustrated over 200 books, including the New York Times bestseller, It Starts with Food.



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# WILD HARE

#### by Laura Koerber

"The world is coming to an end."

I pushed the oil rags and cigarette butts off the seat of my friend Arne's old pickup truck and climbed in. He threw the truck into gear, gunned the engine, and smirked. "What's the point of being a fairy if you can't wave a magic wand and get shit done?"

Yeah, I'm a fairy. No, not that kind.

I'm half-human, half-forest spirit from the wild hare clan—what anthropologists call a trickster—and I live by the wild hare code of "feed, fight, fornicate"; except that's using the nice word for it.

Maybe Arne had a point. Maybe I didn't fight hard enough to better this world I so reluctantly belonged to. After all, my personal life was generally OK, so why get into a brawl about shit I couldn't change?

What I didn't know, as the ruined scenery brushed past, was that my personal life would soon go tits up too, and I'd get pushed into fighting in ways I'd never fought before. Lucky me.

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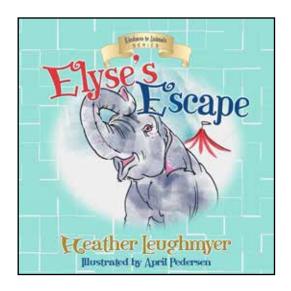
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#### About the Author



**Laura Koerber** is an artist and writer who lives on an island with her husband and two dogs. Laura divides her retirement time between dog rescue, care for disabled people, political activism, and yes, she tells herself stories while driving.

Her first book, The Dog Thief and Other Stories (written as Jill Kearney), was listed by Kirkus Review as one of the Hundred Best Books of 2015. She's also the author of The Listener's Tale, I Once Was Lost, But Now I'm Found: Daisy and the Olympic Animal Sanctuary Rescue, Limbo, The Shapeshifter's Tale, and The Eclipse Dancer.



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# **About the Author**



# **About the Illustrator**



# ELYSE'S ESCAPE

#### THE KINDNESS TO ANIMALS SERIES VOL. 5

By Heather Leughmyer Illustrated by April Pedersen

Under the big top, Elyse was born; from birth she was trained to obey. She would travel the country, perform for the crowds, but never got to play. Her costumes were extravagant; she wore feathers on her head. But she didn't have a family, or a warm and cozy bed.

Each night Elyse would fall asleep exhausted and forlorn, wishing for the mom she hadn't seen since she was born.

One evening when the crowds were gone and she was tethered for the night, Elyse noticed for the first time that her ropes were rather tight. She wasn't quite the fragile baby that she used to be; she was stronger now, but could she break her binds and easily run free?

Find out in this lyrical rhyming story from author Heather Leughmyer, part of her Kindness to Animals Series. Perfect for ages 5 and up, and excellent for both humane education and library and family story time.

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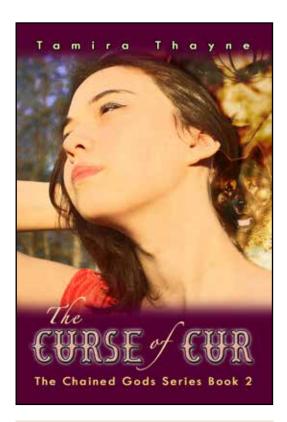
**Heather Leughmyer** graduated from Indiana-Purdue University with a B.A. in English Writing and Linguistics. She is a dedicated vegan, animal rights activist and animal rescuer.

Writing has been a passion of hers for as long as she has advocated for animals. By telling their stories and illustrating their pain she hopes to touch a few hearts and change a few minds with her words.

Heather is the author of If Your Tears Were Human, Adopting Adele, Brave Benny, Courageous Conner, Dandelion's Dream, Elyse's Escape and co-editor of Rescue Smiles. She lives in Columbia City, Indiana, with her husband, daughter and several animal companions.

Whimsical artist **April Pedersen** is a freelancer based in Reno, Nevada. She is partial to frogs, geocaching, science fiction, video poker, and chess.

April is the author and illustrator of Slow Moe, and the illustrator of Adopting Adele, Brave Benny, Bravo's Freedom, Happy Dog Coloring Book, A Tail of Two Christmases, Dandelion's Dream, Clarabelle Comes Clean, and Courageous Conner.



Series: The Chained Gods Series (Book 2)

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# THE CURSE OF CUR: THE CHAINED GODS SERIES BOOK 2

#### By Tamira Thayne

An animal activist teenager continues her quest to save two dimensions in this sequel to The Wrath of Dog...

Baylee jumped out of bed, momentarily forgetting about her father slumbering in the chair next to her. Her heart gave a tug at his presence, but this was no time for sentimentality. She couldn't afford to be sidetracked from her vision—the vision that told her they needed to get to New York City, and fast.

Because she knew where the Akita they'd seen on screen yesterday, her father's second in command, was chained...And her mother was not gonna be happy about it.

Baylee had been instrumental in freeing her father, the king of Perrin, mere days ago from his own 18-year captivity as a chained German shepherd. King Randulf was heartbroken over the conditions his warriors still endured, and knowing they were being tortured and starved was almost more than he could bear.

But it was time for Baylee, her father, and Perrin's remaining top generals to buck up. It was her mission, their collective mission, to find the chained warriors, unearth the remaining four keys, and rescue both Perrin and Earth from the grip of Phoebus, The Scion, and their legion of minions.

Easy peasy.

The future looked daunting, indeed.

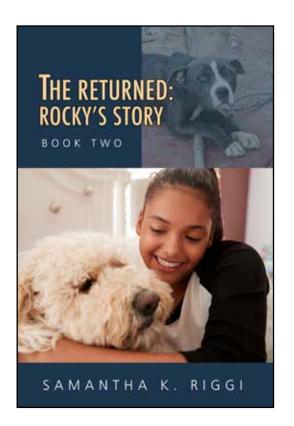
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# THE RETURNED: ROCKY'S STORY, BOOK TWO

#### by Samantha K. Riggi

Anna and her best friend Molly run a blog and podcast called The Returned, helping returned shelter dogs find new, loving homes and families.

With four successful adoptions through their program, the girls discuss choosing their next dog to feature. Unbeknownst to Anna and Molly, their mission will find them—in the form of a chained dog named Rocky.

Rocky is a pit bull mix who is forgotten in the summer heat in an overgrown backyard next door to the town library. When the girls and their friend Erin stumble across Rocky and his dilemma, they are faced with moral and ethical decisions.

How can they free the dog from a bad situation and get him into a loving home?

In the meantime, they discover a local family has been living homeless, and they too are in need of assistance. Will Anna, Molly, and Erin find a way to work through the challenges to find a happy ending for both Rocky and a family in need? Find out in this second installment of The Returned: Rocky's Story.

Perfect for ages 10 and up and grades 4-8, the series also makes an excellent humane education tool for nonprofits and humane educators.

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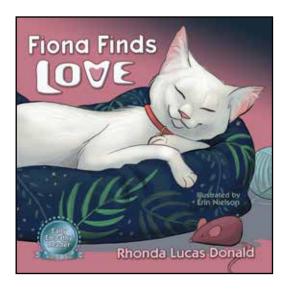
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# **About the Author**



**Samantha K. Riggi** is an elementary school teacher with a passion for animals, the environment and writing. She lives in the suburbs of Chicago with her husband, children and two old dogs. She's the author of *The Returned: Rocky's Story Book Two, The Returned: Chewy's Story Book One, The Never Ending Thank You, Bravo's Freedom, and Wesley Reece: Fourth Grade Hero.* 

She can be contacted through her website at samanthakriggi.com.



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# **About the Author**



# **About the Illustrator**



# FIONA FINDS LOVE

by Rhonda Lucas Donald Illustrated by Erin Nielson

They call me the trash cat. But my name is Fiona.

That's what my family used to call me before they moved away. "She'll be fine," they said. "She's a cat, after all."

Now I'm on my own.

Fiona is an abandoned cat trying to survive and feed her kittens. Like so many other felines, she faces the dangers of life outdoors on her own: speeding cars, sickness, parasites, hunger, and cold. Will she beat the odds and find a better life for herself and her babies?

Fiona Finds Love dispels the myth that cats can fend for themselves and ought to be outside. Cats deserve our love and care—and have so much of both to give back. The book is perfect for early readers from age 5 and up, and works great in the classroom and as part of humane education efforts, too.

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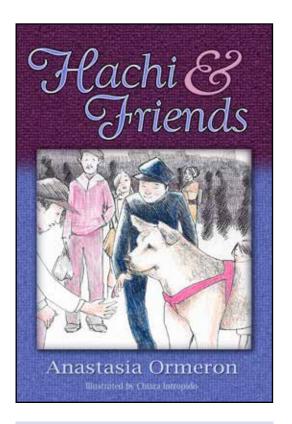
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Rhonda Lucas Donald is an award-winning author of more than a dozen books for children and teachers. She is a contributor to Ranger Rick and writes Science in the News for Science A–Z. A rhyme-ster and nonfiction specialist, Rhonda loves making difficult science concepts accessible—and fun—for all ages. Rhonda's first love is animals, and she has volunteered as a humane educator for animal shelters. She is a member of the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators, National Science Teachers Association, and the Cat Writers Association. Rhonda and her husband share their Virginia home with their dog, Dixie, and their cats, Huxley and Darcy. Visit her website at www.browntabby.com.

**Erin Nielson** is an animal lover and freelance illustrator. She loves to create imaginative and whimsical artwork, read, and spend time with family and friends.

Erin currently lives in Texas with her husband, Matt, and their rescue dog, Zoey.

Fiona Finds Love is her first illustrated children's book. To see more of her illustration work, visit her site at www.illustrationbyerin.com.



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# **About the Author**



# HACHI AND FRIENDS

# by Anastasia Ormeron Illustrated by Chaira Intropido

If you happen to be passing through Shibuya Railway Station, in the chaotic heart of Tokyo, you are certain to come across a small bronze statue of a dog.

This is Hachi-kò, the 'Loyal Akita Inu of Japan', who waited faithfully at that exact spot for almost ten years in the hope of his master's return.

Shibuya Station is a focal point in this delightful tale combining fact and fiction, and every afternoon our hero unfailingly meets the incoming three o'clock train, seeking the one familiar face which means so much to him—that of Master Ueno.

A mysterious kidnapping sets Hachi and friends on a trail that twists and turns through the Tokyo of the 1920s, and Hachi comes face to face with his worst fear. Will he overcome it to win the day?

You'll meet some of Hachi's many human and animal friends, including Maro, the vagabond mixed breed who is proud to live as a street dog, Goro, who was abandoned as a puppy outside the police station and now acts as police dog, and Debbie, Hachi's special fox terrier friend who lives next door.

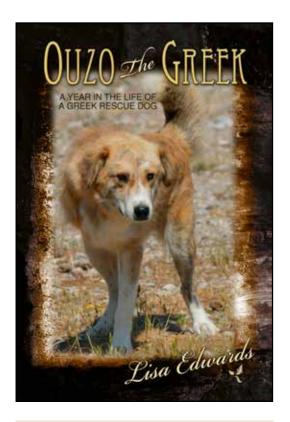
This illustrated story for ages 9 and up is dedicated to Hachi, on his eighty-fourth Memorial Anniversary.

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**Anastasia Ormeron** is a mother, a teacher, and now a writer. A friend to all animals since childhood, she carries many of their beloved stories into the classroom, believing that some of life's greatest lessons can be learned from them.

Anastasia spent most of her crazier growing up years in London, but shares a quieter life today, in a tiny corner of the Italian Alps, with her husband and grumpy grey cat, Mathilda.



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# **OUZO THE GREEK**

# A YEAR IN THE LIFE OF A GREEK RESCUE DOG by Lisa Edwards

After being hit by a car and left for dead on the streets of Greece, I was rescued by my heroine and first love, Ermioni. With broken bones and open wounds so severe my flesh was beginning to rot, the only option was to amputate my leg.

Ermioni nursed me back to health and I lived for a time at the Diasozo Animal Rescue shelter. However, I was becoming depressed, as the healthier dogs were pushing me out of the way when there was food to be had.

My guardian angel continued to look out for me and share my story on social media all around the world, until one day I found my very own Mama and Papa, in little old England.

And this is where my story begins.

Lisa Edwards tells the story of Ouzo's daily life with humor and skill. You'll laugh and cry, and be sad to say goodbye at the end of your year of seeing through the eyes of Ouzo and his zany family.

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Lisa Edwards lives in a quiet village in West Sussex, England. With their children grown, Lisa and her husband Michael decided the time had come to search for a new family dog. Having rescued pets in the past, there was no hesitation in deciding to 'adopt' rather than 'shop'. Enter Ouzo the Greek, who joined Mrs. D, aka That Darned Cat, and more recently Mr. Moussaka. These three misfit second-hand pets completely changed Lisa's life.

Lisa spent over a decade working as an Executive Assistant in secondary education, but gave it all up to start a new career, where she is now employed at an animal rescue organisation. She hopes to make a difference to those still looking for their forever home, as well as write about animals and animal causes on a freelance basis.

As for Ouzo, well Lisa and Michael didn't just rescue a dog, they inadvertently stumbled across their best friend.



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# **About the Author**



# **About the Illustrator**



# CLARABELLE COMES CLEAN

by Timothy J. Verret
Illustrated by April Pedersen
Narrated by Laura Amsbury

Clarabelle Pig was drinking from the school water fountain when Barrett Frog hopped in front of her, blocking her. He stood with Andrea Fox and Ferdinand Rabbit, all laughing.

"Pigs shouldn't drink out of fountains!" said Barrett, leaping and chuckling.

"They're too dirty," Andrea said, wrapping her gorgeous tail around her neck.

Clarabelle shook her head and stomped off to her next class. "I'm so tired of those meanies saying pigs are muddy and smelly," she thought. "I'm gonna prove them wrong, once and for all."

Find out how Clarabelle stops the hurtful name-calling in its tracks in *Clarabelle Comes Clean*, a wonderful addition to humane education classwork and lessons in bullying and societal stereotyping for ages 6 & up.

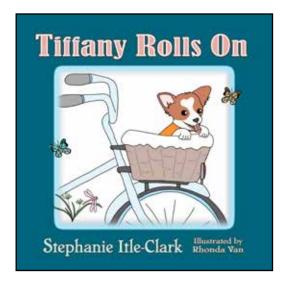
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Timothy J. Verret is an actor, playwright, and poet. This is his first published children's book, and he is very excited about that. Timothy is passionate about animal welfare, and always welcomes the opportunity to bridge his creative life with that of an animal rights advocate. He has had two plays published and available on Amazon: the denial family and Ingenting. Timothy also has a collection of sonnets (77 Spiritual Sonnets: Storms to Serenity) available through Amazon. Timothy received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Drama through the University of Texas at Austin, and has acted in numerous stage productions in Austin. He took on the role of lago in Othello for which he was nominated for a national Falstaff Award for Best Male, Supporting.

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# **About the Author**



**About the Illustrator** 



# TIFFANY ROLLS ON

by Stephanie Itle-Clark Illustrated by Rhonda Van

Meet tiny Tiffany and her big personality in this touching story of compassion, determination, and triumph. Readers will discover the dark and dank place (a puppy mill) where Tiffany began her life, and experience her rescue and hope for a brighter tomorrow.

Yet even after her rescue Tiffany struggles to play like the other dogs, due to her injuries and weak legs. With the help of her foster mom Ashley, Tiffany gains strength in both body and spirit while she waits for her adoptive family.

Tiffany discovers independence and positivity when she gets a wheelchair that allows her to run and play like the other dogs.

Tiffany Rolls On promotes perspective building and empathy for others, while also supporting conversations about both animal welfare and the fact that our commonalities outweigh our differences. Perfect for ages 5 and up, Tiffany's story can be useful in a variety of humane-themed lessons, including discussions about disabilities, animal welfare, adoption, and companion animal care.

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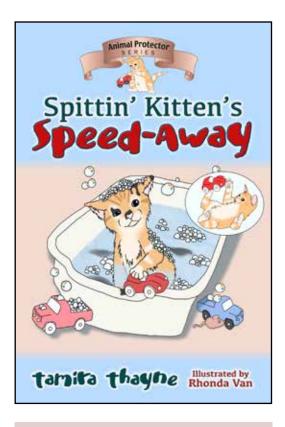
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**Stephanie Itle-Clark** is a former public-school developmental reading teacher, and the founder and president of the Academy of Prosocial Learning, where she supports prosocial and empathy education and provides resources and professional development for educators.

She lives in Pennsylvania with her husband and their pack of tiny rescue dogs.

**Rhonda Van** is an artist, wildlife rehabber, and lifelong animal lover. She particularly adores jackrabbits, squirrels, her animal companions, Shark Week, vegan dinners in Santa Cruz, and her husband Tony. Rhonda has been drawing forever, but only got deeper into illustration after she started drawing the wildlife friends she cares for.

Rhonda is the illustrator of Spittin' Kitten's Speed-Away, and Tiffany Rolls On.



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## **About the Author**



# SPITTIN' KITTEN'S SPEED-AWAY

#### THE ANIMAL PROTECTOR SERIES VOL. 2

by Tamira Thayne
Illustrated by Rhonda Van

The little orange kitten stopped and scratched his neck. "Fleas," he mumbled to himself; he could feel the bugs wandering around in his fur, stopping for a bite every now and again. Yuk! He was hungry, too, but he knew his mother was struggling to feed him and his four siblings.

Spittin' plopped himself down in their nest beside the barn. Had the humans simply forgotten to put food out? he wondered. Maybe he could be the one to remind them.

Spittin' had never been around people before, but—pushing his fear aside—he bravely left the den in search of help.

Soon Spittin' finds himself on an unexpected adventure—he flies through the air, scrambles for a hiding place, and even takes an unexpected ride in the engine of a car. Where will the little kitten end up, and will he get help for his family?

Find out in *Spittin' Kitten's Speed-Away*, perfect for ages 7 and up. The book also features vocab builders throughout the story, and excels as part of a humane education curriculum.

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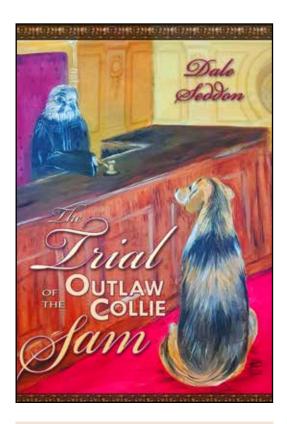
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#### **About the Author**

**Dale Seddon** is a freelance writer and professional consultant. Many of his freelance pieces have appeared in daily and weekly newspapers, community newsletters and literary arts magazines.

In 1982 and 1983 the Manitoba Arts Council sponsored Dale as an Artist in the Schools. He visited schools across Manitoba to read his unpublished children's stories to the younger students and his essays, poems and short stories to students enrolled in Intermediate and High School.

Dale is now semi-retired and lives with his wife Joan in Leaf Rapids, Manitoba, Canada.

# THE TRIAL OF THE OUTLAW COLLIE SAM

#### by Dale Seddon Audiobook Narration by Devon Michael Scott

"I was born," he began, "by a dumpster at noon, In a broken down doghouse with only one room, With only one window we used as a door, With rats in the rafters and mud on the floor."

Raised by a single parent, the outlaw collie Sam and his seven siblings run wild and free, feasting on castaway food in garbage cans and chasing after humans to scare them, all for the fun of it. Then one day disaster strikes. Sam and his brothers and sisters mistakenly frighten the wrong human. The Catchers arrive at the dilapidated doghouse in the middle of the night, guns in hand. Sam is wounded. But he manages to escape.

The next day, Sam is found by a Keeper, a kind human who takes the dog home and sets about training him.

"He healed my wound and he purchased a tag. I trained to the collar and re-learned to wag. It wasn't all easy. Oh no, to be sure. I yearned for the smell of the pack and the poor. I longed for my snout in the wind and the fun, For the thrill of the free in the rush of the run. But slowly I learned that I had to obey. The Keeper was mine if I wanted to stay."

The Trial of the Outlaw Collie Sam is so far outside the box that it's difficult to label as anything but absolutely unique. Part poem, part fantasy, part courtroom drama, and part—a very large part—the true story of the real outlaw collie Sam, a Heinz-57 variety mongrel dog whose life and adventures were the inspiration for the story.

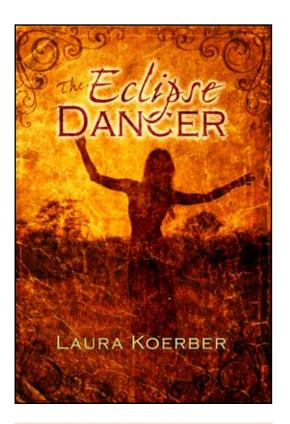
The Trial of the Outlaw Collie Sam and its companion story about the real Sam are both captivating tales. The story of the trial itself is beautifully told. It bounces along in an almost musical fashion—especially when the narrative poem describing it is read aloud. It provides an intimate glimpse into how "guilt" or "innocence" is established for our animal friends.

And the story about the real outlaw collie Sam? Well, that is worth reading too, if for no other reason than to avoid making the same mistakes that the author did when Sam chose him to be his Keeper.

This title is perfect for middle school through adult, and can be used as a humane education tool for classroom use for the discussion of social issues as well.

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# THE ECLIPSE DANCER

#### by Laura Koerber

Andy thought of flying. She imagined the air under her arms, her hair lifting and floating. She felt her heartbeat separate from the faraway beat and form its own rhythm: light, quick, a dancing thrum. When she opened her eyes, her yard was dusky and her mood had lightened.

She let her gaze drift across the darkening landscape. Andy's heart filled with exultation. She raised her arms, fanned out her fingers, and arched her feet until she was on her toes.

She was assaulted by memories. Her mother was dying, and Danny had been dead for years. Her daughter was in Minneapolis, and Alana was up in the North Woods someplace. All of her childhood friends—the fairies, Hairy, Mr. Tolliver, and Kenshi—were gone.

Is it true that childhood is never overcome? "I have changed," she whispered.

The light exploded into a ring of fire in a black sky: total eclipse.

She gently rose up into the warm, dark air and began to dance.

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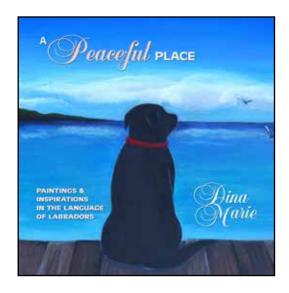
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#### **About the Author**



**Laura Koerber** is an artist and writer who lives on an island with her husband and two dogs. Laura divides her retirement time between dog rescue, care for disabled people, political activism, and yes, she tells herself stories while driving.

Her first book, The Dog Thief and Other Stories (written as Jill Kearney), was listed by Kirkus Review as one of the Hundred Best Books of 2015. She's also the author of The Listener's Tale, I Once Was Lost, But Now I'm Found: Daisy and the Olympic Animal Sanctuary Rescue, Limbo, The Shapeshifter's Tale, and The Eclipse Dancer.



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# A PEACEFUL PLACE

#### by Dina Marie

Immerse yourself in the beauty of artist Dina Marie's paintings—depictions steeped in the universal language and love of Labrador retrievers. Each of Dina's works is unique; some bring a smile, some a touch of whimsy, yet all inspire us to reach higher, love more, and affirm our most meaningful paths to the spirit within ourselves.

Dina pairs each piece with the inspiration behind the painting, offering reflections on the deepest bonds we hold with one another and the world in which we live.

These lovingly-crafted books make an excellent gift to yourself or the Labrador aficionado in your life, and encourage a sense of peace and kindness that we often miss in our day to day lives. We hope you'll be as touched and intrigued by Dina's paintings and inspirations in the language of Labradors as we are.

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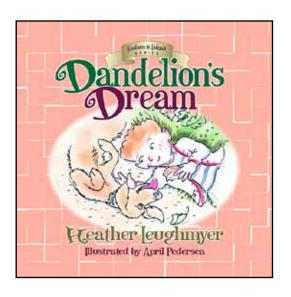
# **About the Artist & Author**



**Dina Marie** is a pet artist inspired by the passion she has for animals. She began drawing when she got her first dog at seven years old, and has been fascinated with animals ever since. A Peaceful Place was inspired by her Labrador retrievers, as she credits them with teaching her what it means to be loved unconditionally.

Dina painted portraits of all of her pets as a tribute to each animal. In 2010 she illustrated a children's book, Roxy's Forever Home.

Dina creates commissioned art pieces and pet murals for shelters; she also teaches pet painting classes. She lives a quiet life with her yellow lab, Corri, and her two cats, and enjoys spending time with her son and daughter-in-law.



Series: Kindness to Animals Series (Book 4)

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# **About the Author**



# About the Illustrator



# DANDELION'S DREAM

#### THE KINDNESS TO ANIMALS SERIES BOOK 4

By Heather Leughmyer
Illustrated by April Pedersen

Sweet little Dandelion lived all alone; her bed was a barrel, her companion, a bone. The soft green grass had been slowly replaced; leaving dirt behind in the path that she paced.

In the daytime she'd wait while she watched passing cars. In the darkness she'd wish on all of the stars. In the winter she'd shiver; no escape from the cold. With no shield from the sun, summers got old.

She yearned for a family and a nice, cozy bed; a scratch on the belly, a pat on the head. She dreamed of the day when SHE'D be the one, along-side a jogger for a brisk morning run.

There was only one thing that brought Dandelion joy: a redheaded, freck-le-faced, 8-year-old boy...Could a little boy be Dandelion's hero? Find out in this lyrical rhyming story from author Heather Leughmyer, part of her Kindness to Animals Series. Perfect for ages 5 and up, and excellent for both humane education and library and family story time.

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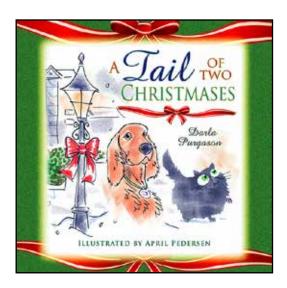
**Heather Leughmyer** graduated from Indiana-Purdue University with a B.A. in English Writing and Linguistics. She is a dedicated vegan, animal rights activist and animal rescuer.

Writing has been a passion of hers for as long as she has advocated for animals. By telling their stories and illustrating their pain she hopes to touch a few hearts and change a few minds with her words.

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# **About the Author**



**About the Illustrator** 



# A TAIL OF TWO CHRISTMASES

by Darla Purgason Illustrated by April Pedersen Narrated by Phillip J. Mather

Twas the Eve before Christmas And all through the condo Not a soul was stirring, But a kitten named Mambo.

He was prowling and meowing And licking his fur. He needed a present— A gift from him to her.

See, Mambo was rescued By this kind-hearted soul; And he wanted to give back To make his heart whole...

But what gift can a rescue kitty like Mambo give to the angel who brought him in from the cold? Find out in this delightfully-rhyming children's tale for ages 5 and up.

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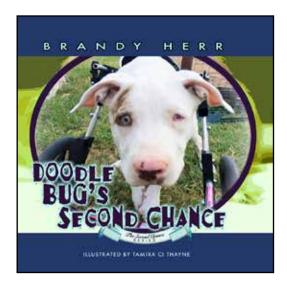
**Darla Purgason** is retired from a career in Washington, D.C., and keeps busy with cat rescue as well as caring for her own four beloved long-haired kitties.

She enjoys vegetarian cooking, books on tape, and embroidery.

Darla is the author of A "Tail" of Two Christmases, and a contributing author to More Rescue Smiles. Darla makes her home in Culpeper, Virginia, with her husband Paul.

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# **About the Author**



**About the Illustrator** 



# DOODLE BUG'S SECOND CHANCE

The Second Chance Series, Vol. 3

Brandy Herr Illustrated by Tamira Thayne Narrated by Tiffany Marz

Doodle Bug huddled with her sisters on the cold concrete floor. They didn't know where they were, but they knew they weren't at home. "Why are we here?" Doodle Bug whimpered. "Don't they want us anymore?"

Suddenly, the light in the hallway changed as the front door opened. Doodle Bug and her sisters crammed their faces against the chain link of the kennel, desperate to see what was happening. A woman with kind eyes stopped in front of their cage, smiling sweetly down at the three sisters. Their tails began to thump...

Will Doodle Bug and her sisters get the happily-ever-after they hope for? Find out in Doodle Bug's Second Chance, Vol. 3 of The Second Chance Series. Based on a true story, Doodle Bug's Second Chance is perfect for kids young and old.

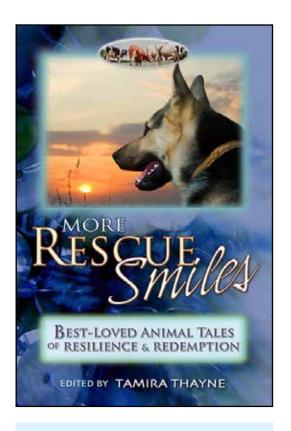
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# More Rescue Smiles: Best-Loved Animal Tales of Resilience and Redemption

#### **Edited by Tamira Thayne**

The heart of the animal rescue world lies in its stories—of freedom, of love, and of sacrifice by those who not only acknowledge but embrace the human-animal bond and its wondrous gifts.

In our second rescue story compilation, Who Chains You Books is pleased to share a glimpse into the emotional lives of animal rescuers and the living beings they hold close. Join us for another helping of heartwarming anecdotes, as Clancy triumphs, Tallulah escapes, Alex survives, and a host of other animals steal our hearts.

Through these stories, you'll get a behind-the-scenes look into the relationships between rescuers and not only dogs and cats, but horses, cows, pigs, birds, and even a ferret, in this delightful second installment of Rescue Smiles.

We hope you're as captivated by the kinship between human and animal as we are. With contributions by: Darla Purgason, Heather Leughmyer, Laurie Lee, Sidney DuBois, Ron Smith, Brece Clark, Thalia Dunn, Stephen Plyler, Paul Ernest, Susan Hartland, Melody Whitworth, Rhi Banks, Johnna L. Seeton, Tamira Thayne, Joseph Horvath, C.A. Wulff, Liz Woloski, and Joe Maringo.

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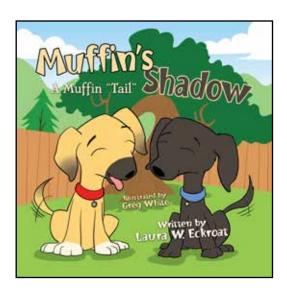
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# **About the Author**





# MUFFIN'S SHADOW: A MUFFIN TAIL

By Laura W. Eckroat
Illustrated by Greg White

Muffin was enjoying the peace and quiet of her yard when Mom and Dad excitedly called out to her. "Muffin, let's go for a ride!" The little family drove and drove for what seemed like years of Muffin's doggie life. Where were they taking her?

When Dad pulled into the parking lot, Muffin became a little nervous, because this was somewhere new. The smells were not familiar: peanut butter, apple, stuffed doggie toys . . . but other funky smells too. The place was big, like a giant maze, and her eyes hadn't adjusted to the bright lights.

Then suddenly, she saw it, for the very first time . . . her SHADOW!

It seemed to follow her everywhere. She kept moving, but the shadow haunted her. What was the shadow, and will Muffin get free of it? Read along with Muffin's Shadow: A Muffin "Tail" to find out more. Just right for ages 5-8, the book is wonderful for classroom and humane education, too.

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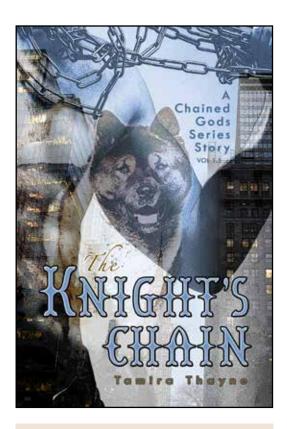
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# THE KNIGHT'S CHAIN: A CHAINED GODS SERIES STORY, VOL. 1.5

#### By Tamira Thayne

The Akita was massive, a fine example of the breed—with the single exception of his current physical state: skeletal, matted, and attached to a cement post by a thick logging chain. He refused to let those things bother him, however; they were mere nuisances, after all.

What mattered most to him was that any of his captors—the men in black—who crossed his path would die.

Simple as that.

He was done with the torture, had enough of the domination; who were these men to treat him as a mongrel, a cur? Where was the respect he instinctively knew he'd earned and demanded in better days?

His mind may have been jumbled, with memories of the past escaping him—but he knew one thing for sure: he was more than this beast on a chain.

Knew he was born for greater things, knew he mattered somewhere; if only he could get back to wherever, whatever, whenever that was.

For now, he would wait...

The Knight's Chain, a short story, precedes *The Curse* of *Cur*, and can be read before Book 2 of The Chained Gods Series or after to flesh out the character of the Knight.

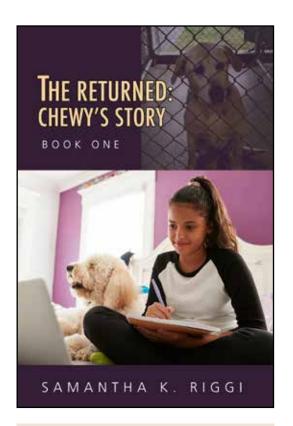
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# THE RETURNED: CHEWY'S STORY, BOOK ONE

by Samantha K. Riggi

"That's all for now. You can learn more about Susie's happily-ever-after by reading my blog, The Returned. Click on Susie's Story. Thanks for listening."

Anna closed her podcaster app and put the microphone down. She and Molly had been best friends since second grade, and now the two girls run a blog and podcast called The Returned, which helps returned shelter dogs find new, loving homes and families.

With three successful adoptions under their belts, the girls are preparing for their next adoption mission. When Chewy, a yellow labrador, is dropped at the shelter, Anna and Molly become determined to find her a happily-ever-after of her very own.

In the meantime, Anna is struggling with her dad's distant behavior. When Chewy's blog is posted, Anna discovers that someone is threatening her family. Will Anna find out who is behind the threat? Will Chewy find the forever home she deserves? Find out in this first installment of *The Returned: Chewy's Story*.

Perfect for ages 10 and up and grades 4-8, the series also makes an excellent humane education tool for nonprofits and humane educators.

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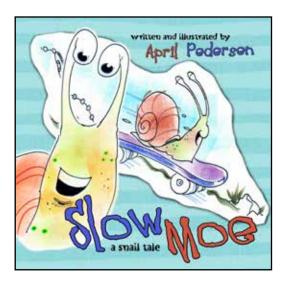
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# About the Author & Illustrator



#### SLOW MOE: A SNAIL TALE

by April Pedersen Illustrated by April Pedersen Narrated by Carl Martens

Slow Moe was born into a place no snail wanted to be.

Nobody noticed the egg hatching; the youngster stretched and looked around, feeling small and all alone. He was greeted by row upon row of snails just like him, as far as the tiny eye could see.

Soon upward movement caught his gaze: a group of snails was creeping up a nearby pipe towards the ceiling! "Crawl onto my shell and we'll get you out of here," a young snail in the rear shouted.

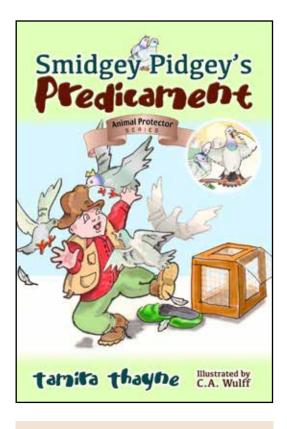
Moe decided he wanted life to be an adventure, so he latched on for parts unknown...and ended up on a journey much bigger than one little snail could imagine.

Will Moe find a safe, loving—and most of all—fun place to call his own? Find out in Slow Moe: A Snail Tale, written and illustrated by April Pedersen. This small book full of big heart is perfect for the classroom, humane education work, and family reading time for children 6 and up.

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#### **About the Author**





#### SMIDGEY PIDGEY'S PREDICAMENT

#### THE ANIMAL PROTECTOR SERIES VOL. 1

by Tamira Thayne Illustrated by C.A. Wulff

It was a gorgeous summer day in Central Park, and Smidge and her brother Ridge had time to share one last adventure before it was time to grow up, as Mama Pidgey primly informed them. Smidge slapped Ridge's wing with hers. "Hey, you hungry? Wanna be real birds, and scavenge the park for seeds, or go see if Mrs. Laney is providing Pidgey Take-Out today?"

Ridge rubbed his belly. "Yum, Mrs. Laney's for sure! Maybe she put out french fries again," he grinned mischievously.

The two were so intent on their scramble for treats that when they heard the first squawks of protest, they assumed it was just a squabble over a savory morsel. Soon the cries became louder and more frantic, and more birds joined the chorus. Finally realizing something wasn't right, Smidge and Ridge looked up from their breakfast. But it was too late—a black sack came down over their heads, engulfing them both and turning their world to darkness...

Who was stealing the city's pigeons, and what's to become of Smidge, Ridge, and the others? Find out in *Smidgey Pidgey's Predicament*, excellent for ages 8 and up, and perfect for humane education. Includes Vocab Builders, too.

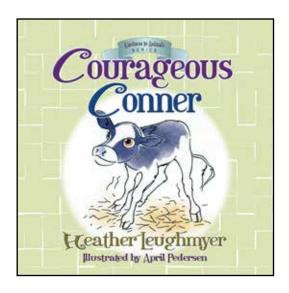
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**C. A. Wulff** has been involved in pet rescue for over twenty-four years. Wulff uses her art and writing to spread the joy of the human/canine bond. Her books, Born Without a Tail: the Making of an Animal Advocate and Circling the Waggins; How 5 Misfit Dogs Saved Me from Bewilderness, chronicle her personal journey of animal rescue. You can follow her on her blog "Up on the Woof", where she shares biscuits of dog-related info. [thewoof.wordpress.com]



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#### **About the Author**



#### About the Illustrator



#### COURAGEOUS CONNER

#### THE KINDNESS TO ANIMALS SERIES BOOK 3

By Heather Leughmyer Illustrated by April Pedersen

Little Conner was born on the 3rd day of June, to a proud mama cow, one warm afternoon. His mom gently cleaned him, as a good mother would, then he wiggled and wobbled, until finally he stood.

She gave him soft kisses on his velvety head, then faintly he mooed; Conner now needed fed. He found mama's milk; it was pleasingly sweet. When his tummy was full, he took a nap at her feet.

But his dreams were cut short by the cries of another; someone was taking a calf from his mother! Conner stayed silent as he cowered in fear; he looked up at his mom as the human drew near.

What will Courageous Conner do now? Can he get back to the mother he holds dear? Find out in this lyrical rhyming story from author Heather Leughmyer, part of her Kindness to Animals Series. Perfect for ages 6 and up, and excellent for both humane education and library and family story time.

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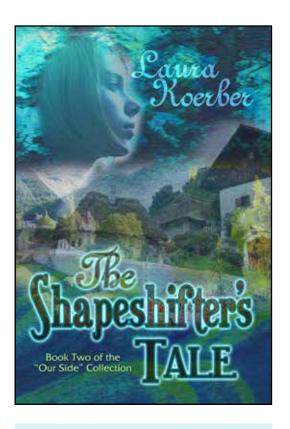
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#### THE SHAPESHIFTER'S TALE

#### **BOOK TWO OF THE "OUR SIDE" COLLECTION**

by Laura Koerber

"I wanted to be the hero of this story, but instead I am the villain."

Two worlds intertwine in this second of the "Our Side" Collection, where Mediators, Protectors, and Listeners travel the countryside of a simpler world to bring justice and harmony—yet outliers, dragons, ghoblainns, and shapeshifters bely the truth of a society that may not be so simple after all.

Meanwhile, on the "Other Side", teenagers engage in the age-old ritual of cafeteria wars as they search for a place in modern society, and social hierarchy means everything to girls left on the outside with no way in.

How do these seemingly conflicting worlds collide, and who will turn out to be the self-described "villain"?

Find out in "The Shapeshifter's Tale", a story at once thought-provoking and intriguing, for young teens through adults and all those brought into the world of the "Other Side" through "The Listener's Tale".

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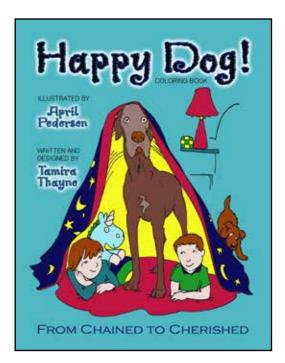
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#### **About the Author**



#### **About the Illustrator**



#### HAPPY DOG! COLORING BOOK

# By Tamira Thayne Illustrated by April Pedersen

25 pages of whimsical black and white drawings from illustrator April Pedersen grace this wonderfully thought out and caring coloring book about a dog named Ranger, chained in the backyard and—like all dogs—wishing to be free. Ranger tells the kids about his hopes and dreams, and how he was ultimately saved from a life no dog should have to suffer. By the end of his tale, his fans will be smiling and proclaiming themselves to be Happy Dogs right along with him.

The coloring book features 6 pages of Happy Activities for kids, including a maze, connect the leash, and draw a tail on the pup. Perfect for all ages from 3 and up, this makes an incredible addition to any and all classroom humane education efforts.

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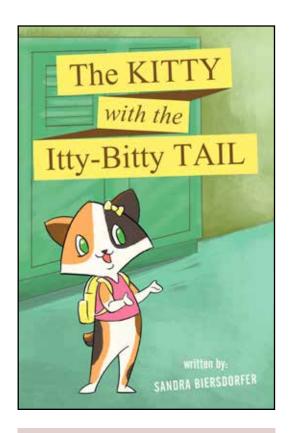
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#### About the Author



# THE KITTY WITH THE ITTY-BITTY TAIL

#### By Sandra Biersdorfer

"Look who's coming down the hall! It's Stubby Nubby, her tail so small!"

Most of us have experienced being made fun of or called names that hurt our feelings. Meet Ethel Kitty who doesn't like being called names—like "Stubby Nubby"—just because she has a smaller tail than the other cats at school. Read along in this tale of tails as the new cat in town helps Ethel realize she is special despite her "shortcomings" and teaches her how to stand up to bullies.

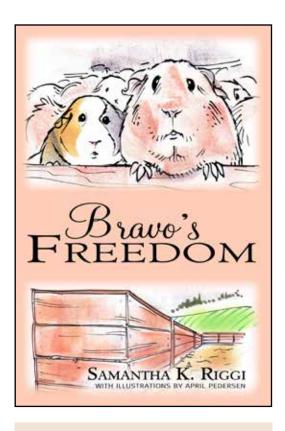
In its third edition, author Sandra Biersdorfer adds playful song lyrics and talks about the real Ethel who inspired the tale. Perfect for ages 7 and up, The Kitty with the Itty-Bitty Tail will delight readers big and small, and fit flawlessly into school humane education and bullying programs.

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#### BRAVO'S FREEDOM

by Samantha K. Riggi Illustrated by April Pedersen

In Bravo's Freedom, fifteen year old Gabriel is chosen by his village to travel to Old Guinea, where he must face the rulers to stop them from destroying the planet. With the impacts of global warming in full effect, Gabriel leaves his village with evidence that there is still time to reverse the damage and repair the planet. Will the rulers of Old Guinea listen to what Gabriel has to say, or will Gabriel and his new friend Bravo get locked away forever?

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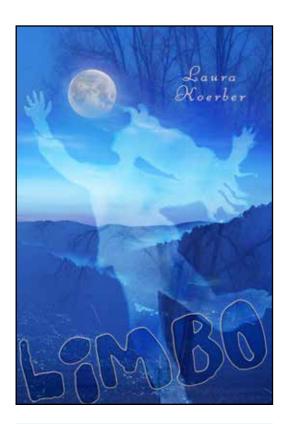
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#### About the Author



#### LIMBO

#### by Laura Koerber

How would you spend your time if you died and found yourself in Limbo? Most see Purgatory as a kind of in-between afterlife for people who didn't rate Heaven and don't deserve Hell. The author's Limbo is a ghost town that includes animals that had been killed by humans: a dog, some cats, cows, chickens, and wild creatures, too. The animals are content with their lot in the afterlife, but the humans have an infinity of time on their hands and not enough to do. They think about the big issues, of course: the nature of God, how they screwed up in life, and how they can escape Limbo and get into Heaven.

But no one can spend all their time thinking higher thoughts, so mostly they do what they did in life: they gossip, they get on each other's nerves, and they play poker.

You'll meet The Naked Man, Lily, Traveling Jack, The Chinese Lady, and Trey, a quadriplegic who is freer in death than he was in life. Seventeen-year-old Alyse, the newest person to join the village, decides to bring everyone together by throwing the Limbo equivalent of a neighborhood block party.

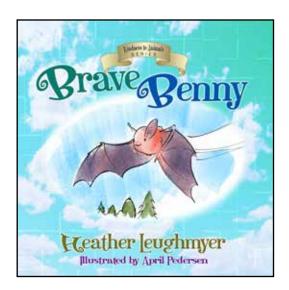
If you like Ghost-Lite stories, you'll love Limbo...you'll laugh, cry, and ponder what comes next in the great beyond.

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#### **About the Illustrator**



#### BRAVE BENNY

#### THE KINDNESS TO ANIMALS SERIES BOOK 2

By Heather Leughmyer
Illustrated by April Pedersen

Benny the bat always did what was right; hiding during the day and hunting at night. His bed was a tree and he slept upside down, in a quaint little forest just outside of town.

Each night at dusk he'd stretch and he'd yawn, then drop out of bed, and be home before dawn. By daybreak the bats would be sleeping away, but bored little Benny just wanted to play.

He wished to discover the world in the light; he was tired of darkness, fed up with the night. Then one dewy morning, he passed by his tree; he was nervous, but eager, about what he would see...

What will Brave Benny discover on his adventure? Find out in this wonderfully illustrated, rhyming children's book, a perfect bedtime story for ages 4 and up, and independent readers age 6 and up. Includes activities for kids, and some good batty questions and answers, too!

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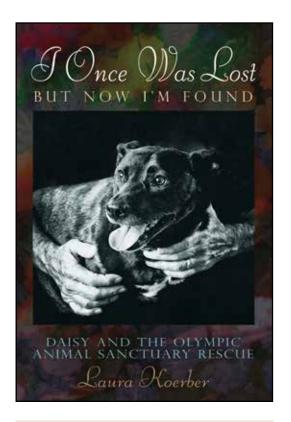
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### I ONCE WAS LOST, BUT NOW I'M FOUND

# DAISY AND THE OLYMPIC ANIMAL SANCTUARY RESCUE by Laura Koerber

On the far side of the Olympic Peninsula in Washington State, halfway between the mountains and the ocean, stands the little town of Forks. In that town, in a quiet neighborhood of modest homes and shabby businesses, there remains a dilapidated pink warehouse.

Packed inside that warehouse, living in deplorable conditions, were once over 120 dogs. Some of the dogs were kept in crates piled high on shelves, arranged in rows along the walls, and shoved into corners behind heaps of garbage and urine-saturated straw. Some of the dogs were confined to wire-sided or glassed-in kennels. One was kept in an old horse trailer. Dead ones were stored in a cooler.

In one of the crates was a black dog named Daisy. This is her story.

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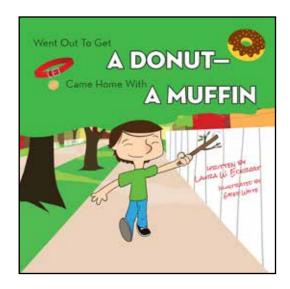
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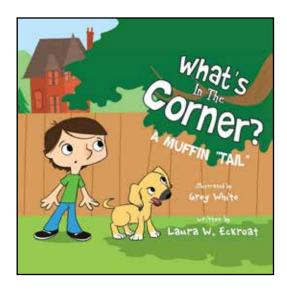
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Kids and adults alike will love this mystery "tail" as Muffin the rescue dog discovers what's in the corner of her suburban backyard while she "protects" her family, too.

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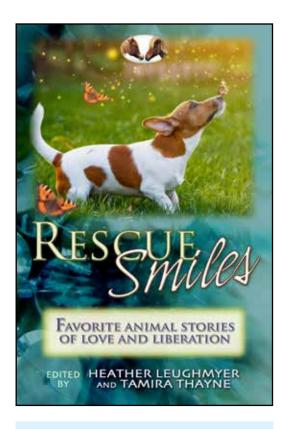
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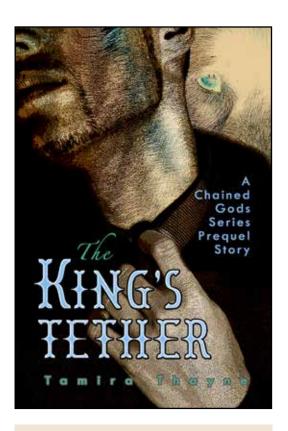
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# THE KING'S TETHER: A CHAINED GODS SERIES PREQUELL STORY

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Discover the roots of the Chained Gods Series in this 6,000 word prequel story to the paranormal world of 17-year-old Baylee and her crew.

In a rare moment of inactivity, the dog rested his head on his front paws. The thick logging chain weighed heavily across his body as he pulled his back legs from beneath the oppressive steel. His eyelids drooped, and even though his feral mind urged him to remain vigilant, told him he was in constant danger, sleep had its way with him anyway.

With sleep came relief.

In the waking state his mind knew only bloodlust and revenge, his body hunger and thirst, and his heart pain and sorrow. In slumber his consciousness freed itself from its bonds, and he revisited an immortal life once known—only to lose the beloved memories upon reawakening.

The ultimate cruelty.

He dreamt of a woman. It couldn't be just any woman; according to the Prophetess, he would know her when he saw her. His brain, his heart, his mind—they all called out for her, whispering of bonds and mating rituals and a shared future that was theirs and theirs alone.

A kick to the ribs lurched him from the dream, and the woman slipped away from him, again...

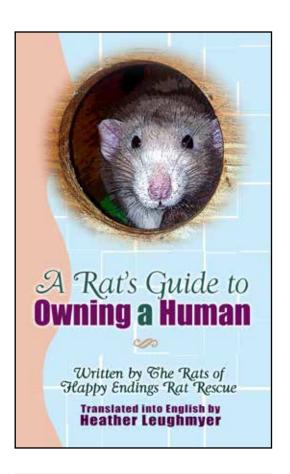
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### A RAT'S GUIDE TO OWNING A HUMAN

#### WRITTEN BY THE RATS OF HAPPY ENDINGS RAT RESCUE

Translated into English by Heather Leughmyer

A Rat's Guide to Owning a Human is a short, fun read, with full-color photos throughout. Written by and for rescue rats, of course! (They kindly allow human Heather Leughmyer to translate for them.)

While owning a human can sometimes prove to be a challenging experience, it can also be very rewarding if you know how to handle them. As a rat, you can't imagine living your entire life without whiskers and a tail; it's understandable, therefore, that you could find this lack in others so disconcerting that you're not interested in giving them a chance.

Bipeds often get a bad rap, though, so it's important to remember that not all humans are cut from the same cloth. The key lies in finding the human who is right for you, and ensuring that they do not share their homes with legless creatures of the reptilian variety.

Once you think you have found the right hominid, keep in mind that consistency and patience are very important when cultivating a human—they don't always learn as quickly as we do. Don't be discouraged if training proves to be more difficult than you initially thought. Bipeds can be temperamental and/or lazy; however, this should not deter you from owning one.

Once properly broken in, a human can be enjoyable to have around. With a little rattie elbow grease and our tips, you will have a loyal companion and—most importantly—will never again have to worry where your next meal is coming from.

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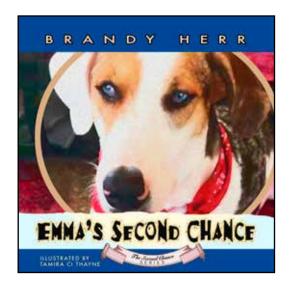
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#### EMMA'S SECOND CHANCE

The Second Chance Series, Vol. 2

Brandy Herr Illustrated by Tamira Thayne Narrated by Tiffany Marz

Emma, a deaf hound mix, thinks everyone deserves a second chance at life. After all, she's one of the lucky pups who got to start over—thanks to a kind woman who rescued her after her family dumped her along the side of the road.

Emma learns what it's like to love again, finds herself not one but two caring families, and even gets the chance to pay it forward, becoming a real-life hero in the process.

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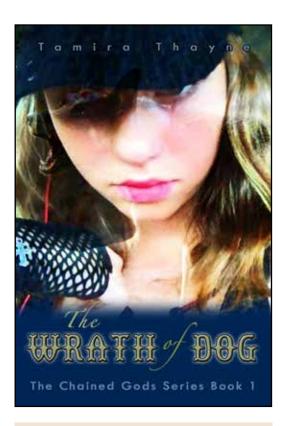
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# THE WRATH OF DOG: THE CHAINED GODS SERIES BOOK 1

#### By Tamira Thayne

The hairy beast growled and lunged at Baylee, his rusted logging chain straining to break—like it did every morning she cut down his back alley.

She hadn't dubbed him "The Wrath of Dog" for nothin'.

She's vowed that someday she'll free Wrath and they'll rise up and smite his obviously nasty owner. For today, though, she just needs to get past him without dying and make it the two blocks to class before the bell rings and she has another detention headed her way.

Wrath's plight is soon forgotten when her refusal to dissect a kitty earns her another trip to Principal Baird's office. Things go from bad to worse, and before long she's hearing voices in her head, decamping the school premises with a band of un-zombie cats, and learning that The Wrath of Dog is a lot more than she bargained for.

Next thing she knows she's avoiding her best friend, learning she's not quite human, and taking on an unseen enemy to save the day, her family, and just maybe two worlds in the process.

Becoming an adult sure isn't what she thought it would be...

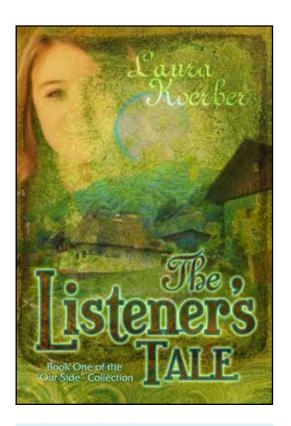
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#### THE LISTENER'S TALE

#### **BOOK ONE OF THE "OUR SIDE" COLLECTION**

by Laura Koerber

Anna didn't even know she had an aunt. Aunt Moira had appeared the day after Anna's parents died in a car crash: a tall grey figure through the screen door, silhouetted against the bright sun. The neighbors welcomed her—they were relieved to get Anna off their hands and into the custody of a relative.

But Anna hadn't warmed to her aunt or her pug, whose eyes eerily tracked Anna's every move. Something wasn't right; her investigation leads to a world she's never seen and even more relatives who live in a quirky village—a village where singers dance in the sky, the elders are hundreds of years old, and everyone has access to magic.

At first bemused, then charmed, Annie settles in to live with her new-found relations—and unravel the mystery of who is trying to kill her.

The Listener's Tale is a charming fantasy for young teen readers or the young at heart.

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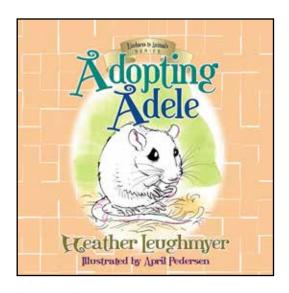
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#### About the Author



#### About the Illustrator



#### ADOPTING ADELE

#### THE KINDNESS TO ANIMALS SERIES BOOK 1

By Heather Leughmyer Illustrated by April Pedersen Narrated by Tiffany Marz

In a shelter Adele lingered in a cage made of glass, where she patiently waited as people walked past. With delicate ears she listened each day, to the mewing of kittens and puppies at play. Curiously twitching her pretty pink nose, she sat groomed to perfection from whiskers to toes. Her tiny eyes glistened like two glossy stones, yet still, sweet Adele would remain all alone.

Dogs were adopted, people cooed over cats. Even hamsters found homes; why not a nice rat?

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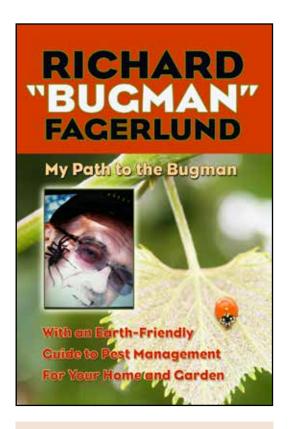
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#### **About the Author**



# RICHARD "BUGMAN" FAGERLUND: MY PATH TO THE BUGMAN

WITH AN EARTH-FRIENDLY GUIDE TO PEST
MANAGEMENT FOR YOUR HOME AND GARDEN
by Richard "Bugman" Fagerlund

Richard Fagerlund is now widely known and respected as "The Bugman", but it wasn't always that way. In his third book, The Bugman takes us on a compelling journey through his early life, his struggles with alcohol and search to make a meaningful contribution to society, and his ultimate self-discovery along the path to becoming a Board Certified Entomologist (insect expert) and Dipterist (specialist in flies).

He then guides us through the best and least-harmful ways to deal with insects, other arthropods, and vertebrates which are commonly considered pests in our homes and gardens, offering detailed descriptions for over 150 species and ecologically-friendly advice on how to dissuade or remove them from your home or environment.

Richard discusses pesticides, multiple chemical sensitivity, how to find the right pest control company when needed, and bee colony collapse. He both educates and entertains with tales of meeting (and sometimes running from) some of the more formidable members of the animal kingdom: a tiger, a python, an alligator, a king cobra, and other poisonous snakes, including rattlesnakes and copperheads.

Richard "Bugman" Fagerlund has previously published two books and three scientific papers on the subject of bugs, and written a nationally-syndicated column about natural pest control.

According to former presidential candidate Gary Johnson, Richard "leads the way to a better, healthier planet, where pollution from pesticides is limited."

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#### **About the Illustrator**



#### HONEY'S SECOND CHANCE

The Second Chance Series, Vol. 1

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Honey, a beautiful golden retriever who deserved the very best life had to offer, had fallen on hard times. She spent all her days and all her nights tied to a tree in the backyard; she was lucky if she received food, water, and a kind word each day. But everything changed the day her guardian discovered her collar had cut into her neck, forcing him to make a decision about how much she actually meant to him. She was dumped at the shelter, where a kind woman took her to Second Chance Farm; there she got the care and tenderness she so greatly deserved. Based on a true story, this tale is sure to touch the hearts of all who read it.

Perfect for kids young and old, *Honey's Second Chance* is a wonderful way to educate children at home or in schools that a dog deserves to be a happy and beloved member of the family. Who Chains You Publishing is proud to release children's books that are fun, educational, and stand tall as a voice for the animals.

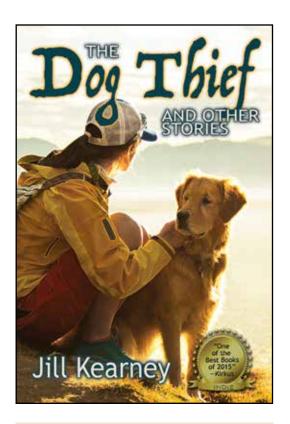
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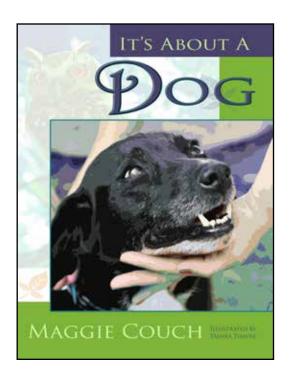
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Laura Koerber (writing as Jill Kearney) is an artist and writer who lives on an island with her husband and two dogs. Laura divides her retirement time between dog rescue, care for disabled people, political activism, and yes, she tells herself stories while driving.

Her first book, The Dog Thief and Other Stories (written as Jill Kearney), was listed by Kirkus Review as one of the Hundred Best Books of 2015. She's also the author of The Listener's Tale, I Once Was Lost, But Now I'm Found: Daisy and the Olympic Animal Sanctuary Rescue, Limbo, The Shapeshifter's Tale, and The Eclipse Dancer.



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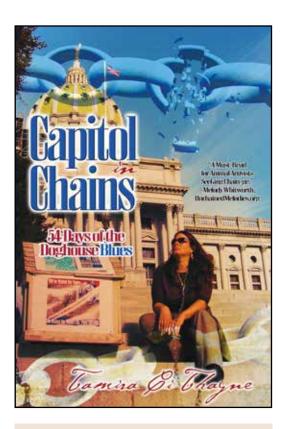
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Over the past 20 years, **Maggie Couch** has fostered more than 100 homeless dogs, in Connecticut and in Colorado. She has loved every one of them, and carries them in her heart always. An animal rights activist, Maggie has participated in demonstrations against circuses, zoos, dog racing, marine life "entertainment," puppy mills and stores, cat declawing, dog tethering, and other horrific practices which hurt our trusting, loyal and loving friends.

She hopes that someday very soon there will be no dogs in this world who wait for love in lonely desperation, as did the dog in this story. She hopes that, instead, all dogs will be cherished, protected, and loved, also as was the dog in the story. She lives in Colorado with her two elderly adopted dogs and a neighborhood stray cat who adopted them all and rules their happy home.



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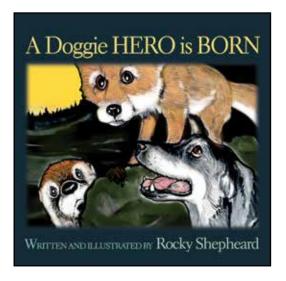
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#### A Doggie Hero is Born

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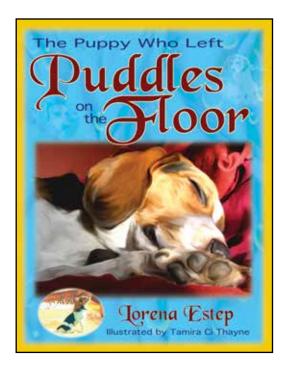
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**Rocky Shepheard** is an artist, a vegan, and the creator of The Vegg. Rocky has a passion for all animal issues, and has advocated for chained dogs for years. After learning about the treatment of chickens and the health risks of consuming too much dietary cholesterol, the Pennsylvania native adopted a plant-based diet.

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# THE PUPPY WHO LEFT PUDDLES ON THE FLOOR

#### by Lorena Estep Illustrated by Tamira Thayne

Chance is a beagle puppy who is just like every other dog—he wants a home and a family to love him. When he loses his first home and is sent to the shelter, he is devastated—until he is adopted by a boy and his mother, and life seems like it will be good again.

But he has a little problem with leaving "puddles on the floor." Without the proper training, he ends up in a horrible place—stuck at the end of a chain.

Like all dogs, he remains faithful to his family, and patiently waits for love to return.

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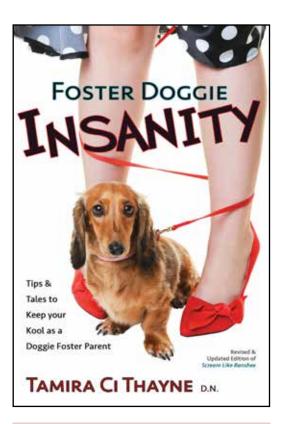
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**Lorena Estep** is the author of *Out of the Mist, He Rode a Palomino, and A Bridge to Somewhere.* Lorena got the idea for *The Puppy Who Left Puddles on the Floor* from discussing rescue stories with the illustrator, her daughter Tamira.

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