

Happy Birthday, Rainbow Fish

Thirty years ago, a glittery little fish swam out into the world and soon became a timeless classic that embodies the simple, yet universal message: sharing makes us happy. *The Rainbow Fish* has since become an international favorite. It has sold millions of copies worldwide and has been translated into 37 languages. We are celebrating the anniversary with the most glitter to date: a collection of five favorite Rainbow Fish stories including the beloved original. Glitter foil throughout.

To celebrate the anniversary, we also have a brand new Rainbow Fish book in which truth wins out over tall-tales and a new fish finds his place thanks to the kindness and quick-thinking of Rainbow Fish.

MARCUS PFISTER
The Rainbow Fish and His Friends
Translated by David Henry Wilson
160 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4506-0

Rainbow Fish and the Storyteller
Translated by David Henry Wilson
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4500-8

Enter to win

Email *Happy Birthday, Rainbow Fish* to info@northsouth.com. Ten lucky winners will receive a glittering print of *The Rainbow Fish* signed by Marcus Pfister.*



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The Magic of Reading Aloud



When the sun goes down, beetles, bats, and nighthawks wake up. Together they answer the call of the narrator of the night and visit the library of twilight.

on the forest floor as the Night Librarian transports them into the land of imagination with her silver silken stories.

From feasts of tangy berries and salty seeds, to whisker kisses, the scent of evergreens, and

crashing waves of blue oceans, Carmen Oliver's lyrical text and Miren Asiain Lora's ethereal art is sure to evoke your senses and send you into dreamland to spin stories of your own. Snuggle up for a story that's sure to captivate your senses!

MIREN ASIAIN LORA
CARMEN OLIVER
The Twilight Library
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4496-4

The creatures of the night gather, making themselves comfortable

Magnus Opus

Nothing lasts except for eternal change. More than two millennia after their creation, the works of master Roman poet Ovid have lost none of their fascination. Though the stories have undergone countless reinterpretations across the arts, they have never been told in picture books—until now.

Seventeen stories retold by Award-winning Austrian author Heinz Janisch with transcendent illustrations by Ana Sender. This collection includes some of Ovid's most popular and compelling stories—presented for the first time in picture book form—sure to reach new hearts and minds. From *The Story of the Origin of the World*, *Midas*, *Pan*, *Europa*, and *Apollo* to *Daphne*, *Narcissus*, *Echo*, and *Fama*, the multifaceted world of Ovid's *Metamorphoses* captivates. These tales about gods, goddesses, humans, nymphs and other beings remind us that transformation and the power of storytelling are never-ending.



ANA SENDER
HEINZ JANISCH
The Golden Age—Ovid's Metamorphoses
Translated by David Henry Wilson
104 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4471-1



NOBODY MOVE!



LAURA D'ARCANGELO
BRUNO HÄCHLER
Room On Top
Translated by Marshall Yarbrough
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4486-5

Little anteater loves riding on his mama's back—but so do all the other animals. When Squirrel, Frog and family, Snail, Fox, Woodpecker, Mole, and Dormouse jump on—things start to get wobbly. And here comes a long-legged heron. Will they all fit on Mama's back? Laura D'Arcangelo, winner of the Serafina, skillfully shows an inclusive panorama of the animal kingdom with her humorous characters. All aboard for a rollicking ride!

Happy Birthday, Bernadette!

For her 80th birthday, Bernadette completely re-illustrated her first original story from 1969, *Hans Millerman*, as birthday gift to herself.

When asked why she decided to illustrate the story a second time, Bernadette answered: "Because I know that I can do it even better today." Her explanation says it all. Bernadette is well-known for her wonderfully colorful, detailed and delicate illustrations and her beautiful rendering of fairy tales. We are also re-releasing the tender story *The Smallest Snowflake* and the timely tale *Varenka* about friendship and faith in the face of unimaginable war.

"I have been an admirer of Bernadette Watts' art for a long time. She is a master in choosing a palette to fit each story." —Eric Carle



BERNADETTE WATTS
Hans Millerman
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4489-6

Varenka
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4507-7

The Smallest Snowflake
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4508-4



In a New Disguise

Back as a hardcover. Fascinated by the images in the famous beautiful blue-and-white china pattern, Drummond creates his own variation on an old legend about the china. He takes us on a journey through the world depicted in the design—a memorable tale of passion, betrayal and transcendent love.



ALLAN DRUMMOND
The Willow Pattern Story
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4512-1



KÄTHI BHEND
EVELINE HASLER
Two Brothers
Translated by Marianne Martens
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4480-3

This charming story showing the power of imagination is now available in Spanish and as a paperback. When Elephant takes a peaceful walk with his green umbrella, he's interrupted by Hedgehog, Cat, Bear, and Rabbit—all claiming that they've had exciting adventures with his umbrella. Could it be that Elephant has been sharing all along?



MARAL SASSOUNI
JACKIE AZÚA KRAMER
The Green Umbrella
Translated by Lawrence Schimel
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4503-9

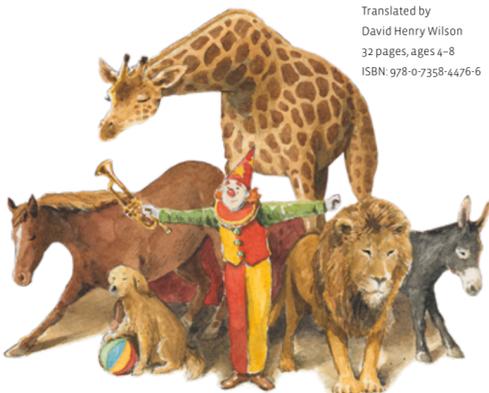
El Paraguas Verde
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4504-6

Now available in Spanish and in paperback

It's Showtime!

This picture book classic from 1961 has been newly illustrated by award winner Torben Kuhlmann for a whole new generation to enjoy. Petronius is the funniest clown in the world, but today he's tired of being told what to do. He would rather tell stories for children and poets! The animals are tired of being bossed around too. So, Theodore the donkey, Ferdinand the horse, Gustav the lion, Luise the giraffe, and Otto the dog follow him to realize their dream of their own circus, in which no one is forced to perform.

TORBEN KUHLMANN
MISCHA DAMJAN
The Clown Said No
Translated by David Henry Wilson
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4476-6



Time for Bed



Little Bunny is so lonely that he can't sleep. But when he asks his friends if he can stay with them, he finds Squirrel's bed too lumpy, Skunk's bed too smelly, and Porcupine's bed too pointy. He learns there is just no place like home. This beloved bedtime tale with gentle rhymes is back in print.

VALERI GORBACHEV
CAROL ROTH
Little Bunny's Sleepless Night
40 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4491-9

Good stories last a long time. Mother Bear tries to lure her son Bruno into hibernation with nine bedtime stories told in playful rhyming text. With enchanting illustrations by Hans de Beer, the creator of the internationally bestselling *Little Polar Bear* series.

HANS DE BEER
SERENA ROMANELLI
Bruno - Short Stories for Long Nights
Translated by David Henry Wilson
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4477-3

True Friendship

Two new hardcover editions of classic *Little Polar Bear* books! Accompany Lars on more adventures and see through his eyes how friendship makes us brave and can make all the difference.

HANS DE BEER
Little Polar Bear and the Brave Little Hare
Translated by Allison James
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4492-6

Little Polar Bear Take Me Home
Translated by Rosemary Lanning
32 pages, ages 4-8
ISBN: 978-0-7358-4493-3



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