

100 Years, 100 Kids' Books about Sharing and Kindness

Have you ever shared a book in a Little Free Library? With this simple act of kindness, you're helping make books accessible to everyone— and you're helping get kids excited about reading!

All of us at the Little Free Library nonprofit organization are thrilled to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Children's Book Week with a special list of books about sharing and kindness—from Mo Willems' hilarious *Should I Share My Ice Cream*? to Jacqueline Woodson's meaningful *Every Kindness*.

We hope you enjoy this reading list, and we hope you take part in the Little Free Library movement! Here are a few ways to get involved::

- 1. Share a book in a Little Free Library book exchange for someone else to find.
- 2. Join the Action Book Club, which combines reading with community service projects.
- 3. Start your own Little Free Library! You can host it in your front yard, or at your school or public park, with permission.
- 1. Be Kind by Pat Zietlow Miller, illustrated by Jen Hill
- 2. *The Berenstain Bears Think of Those in Need* by Stan Berenstain and Jan Berenstain
- 3. Because Amelia Smiled by David Ezra Stein
- 4. The Big Umbrella by Amy June Bates and Juniper Bates
- 5. Boo Who? by Ben Clanton
- 6. The Boy Who Wouldn't Share by Mike Reiss, illustrated By David Catrow
- 7. A Chair for My Mother by Vera B. Williams
- 8. Cloud Tea Monkeys by Mal Peet and Elspeth Graham, illustrated by Juan Wijngaard
- 9. Come With Me by Holly M. McGhee, illustrated by Pascal Lemaître
- 10. Do Unto Otters: A Book About Manners by Laurie Keller
- 11. *Doña Flor: A Tall Tale About a Giant Woman with a Great Big Heart* by Pat Mora, illustrated by Raul Colon
- 12. Each Kindness by Jacqueline Woodson, illustrated by E. B. Lewis
- 13. Enemy Pie by Derek Munson, illustrated by Tara Calahan King
- 14. Everybody's Welcome by Patricia Hegarty, illustrated by Greg Abbott
- 15. Extra Yarn by Mac Barnett, illustrated by Jon Klassen
- 16. The Gardener by Sarah Stewart, illustrated by David Small
- 17. The Gift of Nothing by Patrick McDonnell
- 18. The Girl and the Bicycle by Mark Pett



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- 19. The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
- 20. Good People Everywhere by Lynea Gillen, illustrated by Kristina Swarner
- 21. *Gossie* by Olivier Dunrea
- 22. Groovy Joe: Ice Cream & Dinosaurs by Eric Litwin, illustrated by Tom Lichtenheld
- 23. Hannah's Way by Linda Glaser, illustrated by Adam Gustavson
- 24. Harold Loves His Wooly Hat by Vern Kousky
- 25. Harry the Happy Mouse by N.G.K., illustrated by Janelle Dimmett

26. *A Hat for Mrs. Goldman: A Story About Knitting and Love* by Michelle Edwards, illustrated by G. Brian Karas

- 27. Hattie & Hudson by Chris Van Dusen
- 28. Have You Filled a Bucket Today? by Carol McCloud, illustrated by David Messing
- 29. Horrible Bear by Ame Dyckman, illustrated by Zachariah OHora
- 30. Horton Hears a Who! by Dr. Seuss
- 31. How Do Dinosaurs Play With Their Friends? by Jane Yolen and Mark Teague
- 32. How the Grinch Stole Christmas by Dr. Seuss
- 33. How to Heal a Broken Wing by Bob Graham
- 34. I Am the Boss of this Chair by Carolyn Crimi, illustrated by Marisa Morea
- 35. I Know a Lady by Charlotte Zolotow, illustrated by James Stevenson
- 36. I Walk with Vanessa by Kerascoët
- 37. If You Plant a Seed by Khadir Nelson
- 38. The Invisible Boy by Trudy Ludwig, illustrated by Patrice Barton
- 39. It's Mine! by Leo Lionni
- 40. Ivy Loves to Give by Freya Blackwood
- 41. The Jelly Donut Difference by Maria Dismondy, illustrated by P. S. Brooks
- 42. Jonathan & Martha by Petr Horácek
- 43. *K is for Kindness* by Jodie Shepherd, illustrated by Tom Brannon
- 44. *Kindness Counts: A Story for Teaching Random Acts of Kindness* by Bryan Smith, illustrated by Brian Martin
- 45. *Kindness Is Cooler, Mrs. Ruler* by Margery Cuyler and Sachiko Yoshikawa
- 46. The Kindness Quilt by Nancy Elizabeth Wallace
- 47. Kindness Starts with You by Jacquelyn Stagg
- 48. *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Peña, illustrated by Christian Robinson
- 49. *The Lemonade Club* by Patricia Polacco, illustrated by Patricia Polacco
- 50. Lend a Hand by John Frank, illustrated by London Ladd
- 51. Leonardo, the Terrible Monster by Mo Willems

- 52. *The Lion and the Mouse* by Jerry Pinkney
- 53.*Little Fox in the Forest* by Stephanie Graegin
- 54.*Llama Llama Time to Share* by Anna Dewdney
- 55.*Lubna and Pebble* by Wendy Meddour, illustrated by Daniel Egnéus
- 56.*Maddi's Fridge* by Lois Brandt, illustrated by Vin Vogel
- 57. *The Man in the Clouds* by Koos Meinderts, illustrated by Annette Fienieg
- 58. *Mine!* by Sue Heap
- 59. *The Mitten Tree* by Candace Christiansen, illustrated by Elaine Greenstein

- 60. *The Monster Who Lost His Mean* by Tiffany Strelitz Haber, illustrated by Kirstie Edmunds
- 61. *The Nice Book* by David Ezra Stein
- 62.*Norris, the Bear Who Shared* by Catherine Rayner
- 63. One Big Pair of Underwear by Laura Gehl and Tom Lichtenheld

- 64. *One Good Deed* by Terri Fields, illustrated by Deborah Melmon
- 65. One Grain of Rice: A Mathematical Folktale by Demi
- 66. One Green Apple by Eve Bunting, illustrated by Ted Lewin
- 67. One Hen: How One Small Loan Made a Big Difference by Katie Smith Milway, illustrated by Eugenie Fernandes
- 68. Ordinary Mary's Extraordinary Deed by Emily Pearson, illustrated by Fumi Kosaka
- 69. *Peace Is an Offering* by Annette LeBox, illustrated by Stephanie Graegin
- 70. *Pinduli* by Janell Cannon
- 71. *Plant a Kiss* by Amy Krouse Rosenthal, illustrated by Peter H. Reynolds
- 72. The Quiltmaker's Gift by Jeff Brumbeau, illustrated by Gail De Marcken
- 73. The Rabbit Listened by Cori Doerrfeld
- 74. Rabbit's Gift by George Shannon and Laura Dronzek
- 75. Rude Cakes by Rowboat Watkins
- 76. Should I Share My Ice Cream? by Mo Willems
- 77. A Sick Day for Amos McGee by Philip C. Stead, illustrated by Erin E. Stead
- 78. Sidewalk Flowers by JonArno Lawson, illustrated by Sydney Smith
- 79. The Smallest Girl in the Smallest Grade by Justin Roberts, illustrated by Christian Robinson
- 80. The Spiffiest Giant in Town by Julia Donaldson, illustrated by Axel Scheffler
- 81. The Squirrels Who Squabbled by Rachel Bright, illustrated by Jim Field
- 82. Stand Tall, Molly Lou Melon by Patty Lovell, illustrated by David Catrow
- 83. Stellaluna by Janell Cannon
- 84. Stick and Stone by Beth Ferry, illustrated by Tom Lichtenheld
- 85. Stone Soup by Heather Forest, illustrated by Susan Gaber
- 86. Strega Nona's Harvest by Tomie dePaola
- 87. Thank You Bear by Greg Foley
- 88. Thank You, Omu! by Oge Mora

89. That's (Not) Mine by Anna Kang, illustrated by Christopher Weyant

- 90. Those Shoes by Maribeth Boelts, illustrated by Noah Z. Jones
- 91. Under the Lemon Moon by Edith Hope Fine, illustrated by Renee King Moreno
- 92. Up the Mountain Path by Marianne Dubuc
- 93. We Found a Hat by Jon Klassen
- 94. We Share Everything by Robert Munsch, illustrated By Michael Martchenko
- 95. The Wednesday Surprise by Eve Bunting, illustrated by Donald Carrick
- 96. What Does It Mean to Be Kind? By Rana DiOrio, illustrated by Stéphane Jorisch
- 97. What Is Given from the Heart by Patricia C. McKissak, illustrated by April Harrison
- 98. Wolf in the Snow by Matthew Cordell
- 99. You Are Not My Friend, But I Miss You by Daniel Kirk
- 100. You Go First by Mercer Mayer

Be Kind and Share!