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The zoo is closing! Ellie and her friends want to save their home, but Ellie's just a baby elephant, and she doesn't know what she can do to help. While the other animals are busy working, Ellie finds a brush and some paints, and gives the zoo a big splash of color! Will her bright new talent be enough to keep the zoo's gates open for good?

Who Sang the First Song?

Have you ever wondered who hummed the first tune? Was it the flowers? The waves or the moon? Dove Award-winning recording artist Ellie Holcomb answers with a lovely lyrical tale, one that reveals that God our Maker sang the first song, and He created us all with a song to sing. Go to bhkids.com to find this book's Parent Connection, an easy tool to help moms and dads (or anyone else who loves kids) discuss the book's message with their child. We're all about connecting parents and kids to each other and to God's Word.

Scene of the Climb

Portland, Oregon, is the perfect fit for someone like Meg Reed. It's a city with a small town feel, where she can crash on the couch of her best friend Jill, now that she's graduated from journalism school. . . But a girl needs a job, so Meg bluffs her way into writing for Northwest Extreme magazine, passing herself off to editor-in-chief Greg Dixon as an outdoor adventure enthusiast. Never mind that Meg's idea of sport is climbing onto the couch without spilling her latte. So when she finds herself clawing to the top of Angel's Rest--a two-thousand-foot peak--to cover the latest challenge in a reality TV adventure show, she can't imagine feeling more terrified. Until she witnesses a body plummet off the side of the cliff. Now Meg has a murder to investigate. And if the climbing doesn't kill her, a murderer just might. . . Includes Adventure Guides!

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Ellie Maust, an Old Order Amish girl growing up in the early 1900s, wishes she could wear bright dresses like her English friend, Missy, and face cream and perfume like their fancy Amish hired girl, Susie Glick. As Ellie helps to care for the new babies in her family, milks cows, and learns to can and garden, she strains against her father's strict ideas and wonders what her future will hold. Along the way, she has adventures, including a sleepover at her English friend's house and a runaway buggy ride. When Ellie's family moves to a new farm, she must take on even more chores and responsibility for her younger siblings. But attending Sunday night singings with the young people in her community and beginning a courtship with kind, gentle David Eash fill Ellie's days with contentment. When tragedy strikes her family, Ellie must find a way to go on. Finding comfort in her Amish faith and her community, Ellie blossoms into a young woman who dedicates her future plans to God. Book 1 of the Ellie's People: An Amish Family Saga series. The nine books of the Ellie's People series, beloved classics among young and old readers in Amish and Mennonite communities, are now available for today's reader. Author Mary Christner Borntrager grew up Amish and based her novels on events in her Amish childhood. Fans of Laura Ingalls Wilder's Little House on the Prairie series will love learning to know spunky Ellie and her friends and family. What's new in the Ellie's People series: Pennsylvania Dutch glossary at the end of each book A sample chapter from the next book in the series Language and examples updated for today's readers

Where's Ellie?

Where's Ellie is a guessing game in board book form. Very young readers will love searching for Ellie the elephant among familiar colorful objects—and finding something unexpected instead. Each page offers a hint of Ellie, but it isn't until the last page that readers will find her. And when they do, they'll want to start all over and do it again! Intricate embossing on Ellie and her trunk add depth and a tactile element to this die-cut board book—as well as extra value.

Ellie, Engineer

"Look out, Junie B. Jones! Ellie the engineer is thinking, making, creating, and showing enthusiasm and brilliance with her creations!" -School Library Connection A charming, hilarious illustrated middle grade about a girl who is an engineer--no, not the kind on a train, the kind that builds things! Perfect creative, STEM-powered fun for girls who have interests in how things work. Ellie is an engineer. With a tool belt strapped over her favorite skirt (who says you can't wear a dress and have two kinds of screwdrivers handy, just in case?), she invents and builds amazing creations in her backyard workshop. Together with her best friend Kit, Ellie can make anything. As Kit's birthday nears, Ellie doesn't know what gift to make until the girls overhear Kit's mom talking about her present--the dog Kit always wanted! Ellie plans to make an amazing doghouse, but her plans grow so elaborate that she has to enlist help from the neighbor boys and crafty girls, even though the two groups don't get along. Will Ellie be able to pull off her biggest project yet, all while keeping a secret from Kit? Illustrated with Ellie's sketches and plans, and including backmatter with a fun how-to guide to tools, this is a STEM- and friendship-powered story full of fun!

All About Ellie

The Critter Club has baby bunnies to care for—but is Ellie too busy aiming for showstopper status to help out her friends? The Critter Club is up and running, and so are the girls—especially Ellie! She's wanted to perform her entire life, so when she lands the lead role in Santa Vista Elementary School's Spring Spectacular, it's her big chance to show her stuff! But as Ellie's big performance draws near, will she let the play and her determination to succeed get in the way of being a good friend? What about caring for the baby rabbits that were just brought to The Critter Club? Some very helpful advice from an unexpected source reminds Ellie that being a good friend is just as important as doing what you love. With easy-to-read language and illustrations on almost every page, The Critter Club chapter books are perfect for beginning readers.

Night Walk

A child explores her neighborhood on a late-night walk with her dad, finding delight and comfort in moments of quiet and the warm windows into other people's lives. When a little girl can't sleep one night, her dad asks if she'd like to go for a walk. They tiptoe through the silent house and step out into the dark. It's strange and exciting to be out so late. Walking down the street, the girl can see inside the lit-up windows of apartment buildings and houses where people's lives are unfolding. Kids are having a pillow fight in one house, while a family has gathered for a festive meal in another. She and her dad reach the still-busy shopping area, walking past restaurants and enticing store windows, then stop for a tranquil moment in the park before returning home. Sara O'Leary has captured a child's nighttime wonder as she explores her neighborhood and comes to the comforting realization that she belongs. Ellie Arscott's illustrations, luminous and rich in color, perfectly complement the story. Correlates to the Common Core State Standards in English Language Arts: CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.1.6 Identify who is telling the story at various points in a text. CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.4.1 Refer to details and examples in a text when explaining what the text says explicitly and when drawing inferences from the text.

What's Happening to Tom?

This simple picture book follows Tom as he begins puberty. Designed to be read with boys with autism or other special needs, it provides the perfect starting point for parents and carers to discuss changes including new hair growth, deepening voice and wet dreams.

Forget Me Not

Astronomy-loving Calliope June has Tourette syndrome, so she sometimes makes faces or noises that she doesn't mean to make. When she and her mother move yet again, she tries to hide her TS. But it isn't long before the kids at her new school realize she's different. Only Calliope's neighbor, who is also the popular student body president, sees her as she truly is--an interesting person and a good friend. But is he brave enough to take their friendship public? As Calliope navigates school, she must also face her mother's new relationship and the fact that they might be moving--again--just as she starts to make friends and finally accept her differences. Ellie Terry's affecting debut will speak to a wide audience about being true to oneself.

It's a Round, Round World!

We all know the earth is round. But HOW do we know? Join intrepid young scientist-adventurer Joulia Copernicus as she takes readers on a historical journey through time and space. From jumping on board Columbus's ship to planet-hopping in the outer reaches of our solar system, Joulia explains with humor and wit the ins and outs of how we learned that the earth is round.

Ellie

For a parent and a community, there is no greater loss than the death of a child. This was the nightmare that Ellie Lane's parents endured seven years ago in the enchanted land of the Cherokees deep in the Smoky Mountains. Then the miracle occurred. Seven years after her death, Ellie returns. Her still-grieving parents confront fear, superstition, and suspicion as Ellie begins her new life, the second life she has somehow been given. In a world where people are divided by the contradictions of skepticism and fanaticism, science and religion wage war to claim the answers. Cults are born to worship the young girl as a deity. Legends and apocalyptic visions come to life. Celestial signs portend that something beyond comprehension is coming. A rough beast to end all days? Ancient astronauts in chariots of fire? Winged seraphs strumming harps of gold? Does Ellie's return mean a new beginning for mankind - or its end?

Ellie Makes a Friend

More zoo adventures with Ellie the artistic elephant and her animal friends!

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Ellie begins her life with loving parents and a stable home. Tragedy strikes when she is seven years old with the death of her mother. Her father's death one year later plunges Ellie into a nightmare of abuse and frequent moves. Her ever-changing caregivers have one thing in common: a sinister force who has made Ellie the target of his obsession. He torments Ellie until he breaks the essence of her, leaving a terrified shell where a happy child should be. Ellie endures the remaining years of her childhood and adolescence isolated emotionally, longing for love. Though broken in spirit and beaten down, she eventually finds the courage to break free. After some time as a homeless runaway, Ellie finds her way in making a life for herself. Ultimately, this is a story that will inspire and give hope to anyone who has faced challenges in life.

Loving London

FLAWED I left. I followed my dream— To write, to feel, to live. But my life has no meaning without Loïc. I'm fading. I'm not whole, not me, Without him. Loving Loïc is how I breathe. FLAWED She's gone. I'm a hollow waste of space. I can't feel, can't breathe, can't fight Without London. She's who I am— What I am supposed to be. Loving London Is how I live. ***Book 3 in the complete Flawed Heart Series. Finding London and Keeping London should be read prior. ***Intended for adult readers.

The Reason for the Seasons

We all know there are four seasons in a year. But HOW do we know? Join intrepid young scientist-adventurer Joulia Copernicus on a journey around the world as she explains with humor and wit how we know what causes the seasons. Winter, spring, summer, fall -- we all have a favorite season. But what makes the seasons happen in the first place? Ellie Peterson's clear, concise language and bold, kid-friendly illustrations bring science to life through narrator Joulia Copernicus, a strong and adventurous kid scientist. Kids will laugh while learning at the same time about the science behind the changing of the seasons throughout the year.

Every Breath

When James Mycroft drags Rachel Watts off on a night mission to the Melbourne Zoo, the last thing she expects to find is the mutilated body of Homeless Dave, one of Mycroft's numerous eccentric friends. But Mycroft's passion for forensics leads him to realize that something about the scene isn't right--and he wants Watts to help him investigate the murder. While Watts battles her attraction to bad-boy Mycroft, he's busy getting himself expelled and clashing with the police, becoming murder suspect number one. When Watts and Mycroft unknowingly reveal too much to the cold-blooded killer, they find themselves in the lion's den--literally. A trip to the zoo will never have quite the same meaning to Rachel Watts again...

The Divines

The Elin Hilderbrand Literati Book Club Pick! Recommended by Entertainment Weekly * CNN * Harper's BAZAAR * E! Online * Refinery 29 * Bustle * Shondaland * Vulture * The Millions * Lit Hub * Electric Literature * Parade * MSN * and more! "For when you want a coming-of-age novel with a dark twist. In this provocative novel, the past isn't always as far away as you think." —The Skimm "[S]o beautifully written that I marked lines—for their perceptive genius—on nearly every page... This perfectly paced novel examines class structures and sexual identity and betrayals and tragedy in a way that had be both wanting to rip through the pages and wanting to savor each sentence until the extremely satisfying end.\" —Elin Hilderbrand for Literati Can we ever really escape our pasts? The girls of St John the Divine, an elite English boarding school, were notorious for flipping their hair, harassing teachers, chasing boys, and chain-smoking cigarettes. They were fiercely loyal, sharp-tongued, and cuttingly humorous in the way that only teenage girls can be. For Josephine, now in her thirties, the years at St John were a lifetime ago. She hasn't spoken to another Divine in fifteen years, not since the day the school shuttered its doors in disgrace. Yet now Josephine inexplicably finds herself returning to her old stomping grounds. The visit provokes blurry recollections of those doomed final weeks that rocked the community. Ruminating on the past, Josephine becomes obsessed with her teenage identity and the forgotten girls of her one-time orbit. With each memory that resurfaces, she circles closer to the violent secret at the heart of the school's scandal. But the more Josephine recalls, the further her life unravels, derailing not just her marriage and career, but her entire sense of self. Suspenseful, provocative, and compulsively readable, *The Divines* explores the tension between the lives we lead as adults and the experiences that form us, probing us to consider how our memories as adults compel us to reexamine our pasts.

The Adventures of Ellie and Eve Ellie Meets The New Baby

It is important for parents to communicate with their older children to help them adapt and adjust to a new

sibling. Caring and nurturing for the older sibling is just as important as caring for the new baby. In the children's book *Ellie Meets the New Baby*, Ellie struggles with embracing her new sister. As Mom and Dad encourage Ellie and communicate the baby's needs to her, Ellie starts to learn and enjoy being a big sister. The author incorporates an inclusive depiction of a multi-cultural family, which allows readers to identify with characters who may seem a little different-or who simply have a different kind of family-but are basically the same. This books also incorporates discussion questions and learning activities to support parents in communicating with their children.

The Last of Us: American Dreams

The prequel comics story to the beloved game from Naughty Dog, *The Last of Us*, which inspired the hit HBO series! Creative director Neil Druckmann teams with breakout comics star Faith Erin Hicks to present the story of thirteen-year-old Ellie's life in a violent, postpandemic world. Nineteen years ago, a parasitic fungal outbreak killed the majority of the world's population, forcing survivors into a handful of quarantine zones. Thirteen-year-old Ellie has grown up in this violent, postpandemic world, and her disrespect for the military authority running her boarding school earns her new enemies, a new friend in fellow rebel Riley, and her first trip into the outside world. The official lead-in to the video game from Faith Erin Hicks (*The Adventures of Superhero Girl*, *Avatar: The Last Airbender*, *Pumpkinheads*, *The Nameless City*) and Naughty Dog's Neil Druckmann! Includes behind-the-scenes concept sketches and designs! Collects *The Last of Us: American Dreams* #1—#4.

Ellie's Story

A story about Ellie, a dog that has been trained for search and rescue since a pup, and her handlers, Jakob and Maya, who are lost in their own way, and how Ellie saves them also.

Ellie's Path

Walk with Ellie on her path through life. Feel her peaks, and feel her lows. Experience her life.

Ellie's New Puppy

Ellie is about to get a surprise birthday present she didn't expect - a bulldog puppy. She gets to choose the puppy that she wants, and she seems to know right away that Daisy is the one for her. She learns that having a puppy is a big responsibility and that taking care of Daisy is more work than she thought. Somehow Daisy's antics have everyone loving her despite the mischief she makes. A great little story about a child's first experiences with a puppy. Encourages kids to understand that a puppy requires care and teaches them that they get a great friend and companion in return.

Ellie's New Path

Ellie's New Path is a sequel to *Ellie's Path*. When a true love dies, you feel that you have died with them. But life does go on. Become Ellie and experience her new grasp on life with her new neighbors and friends.

Princess Ellie's Christmas

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She even has Christmas stockings for her ponies! But her other plans for the perfect Christmas are going wrong... The present for her friend Kate hasn't arrived, and everyone in the palace is in a flap about rehearsals for the King's festive TV broadcast. Can Ellie and her ponies still make this the best Christmas ever? Includes pony facts, quizzes and downloadable colouring sheets. \"A heady cocktail of princesses, horses and mystery is enough to make any girl giddy. The text trots along with

humour and enough horsey fact to hold the attention, while the lovely drawings help fit faces to story.\" - BBC Parenting

Princess Ellie's Secret

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She loves helping out at the royal stables or riding one of her four beautiful ponies in the palace grounds. It's been years since Ellie learned to ride on Shadow, her little Shetland pony. Now her feet touch the ground when she's riding him. When the King sees how ridiculous she looks, he orders Shadow to be sold. But Ellie can't bear to lose him. She's got to think of a secret plan to save Shadow, and time is running out!

Surprise for Princess Ellie

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! The palace is buzzing with preparations for the royal jubilee party, but all Ellie wants to do is sneak off to the stables. Ellie is worried about Starlight. There's something wrong and Meg, the palace groom, won't tell her what it is. To take her mind off it, Ellie goes for a ride on the beach with her friends. But then disaster strikes. Will they get back in time for the party, and will they ever find out what's wrong with Starlight?

Princess Ellie's Summer Holiday

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! Riding is her favourite thing, even on holiday. Ellie and her best friend, Kate, are staying on a wonderful tropical island with sandy beaches, a sparkling sea and best of all a riding stable! If only they didn't have to share the ponies with bossy Princess Clara. But when Clara gets into trouble it's up to Ellie and Kate to come to the rescue.

Princess Ellie's Moonlight Mystery

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She loves her adorable ponies, and hates all the boring royal rules princesses have to put up with. Ellie is looking forward to her camping trip with her best friend, Kate, and her two ponies, Moonbeam and Rainbow. There'll be no servants, no governess and – best of all – no rules! But when she hears strange noises in the night, Ellie decides that camping isn't as much fun as she thought. Will she solve the moonlight mystery?

Puzzle for Princess Ellie

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She'd much rather ride one of her four fabulous ponies, or even muck out the stables, than take tea with the Prime Minister or entertain dull royal visitors. One day, when Ellie is riding through the woods, her brave Welsh pony suddenly whirls around and refuses to go any further. Has Rainbow seen a ghost? It's a real puzzle and Princess Ellie is determined to solve it.

Princess Ellie's Perfect Plan

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She loves riding her five beautiful ponies with her best friend, Kate. Then Kate's parents make a big announcement and Ellie is faced with losing her best friend. Ellie is determined to change everyone's mind... until things go terribly wrong. Will time run out before she can come up with the perfect plan?

Princess Ellie's Starlight Adventure

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She has four perfect ponies and the entire palace grounds to ride in. So Ellie's in

trouble when the King finds hoofprints all over his perfect lawn. He thinks she's been riding in the royal garden. To prove her innocence, Ellie decides she must catch the real culprit. But the only way to do this is to set out on a scary, starlight adventure...

The Return of Ellie Black

A USA TODAY Bestseller | An NPR Best Book of 2024 | A Goodreads Best Thriller of 2024 In this “page-turning suspense novel, shrewd character study, and captivating mystery” (Stephen King) Detective Chelsey Calhoun’s life is turned upside down when she gets the call that Ellie Black, a girl who disappeared years earlier, has resurfaced in the woods of Washington state—but her reappearance leaves Chelsey with more questions than answers. It’s been twenty years since Detective Chelsey Calhoun’s sister vanished when they were teenagers, and ever since she’s been searching: for signs, for closure, for other missing girls. But happy endings are rare in Chelsey’s line of work. Then a glimmer: local teenager Ellie Black, who disappeared without a trace two years earlier, has been found alive in the woods of Washington state. But something is not right with Ellie. She won’t say where she’s been, or who she’s protecting, and it’s up to Chelsey to find the answers. She needs to get to the bottom of what happened to Ellie: for herself, and for the memory of her sister, but mostly for the next girl who could be taken—and who, unlike Ellie, might never return. The “haunting and evocative” debut thriller from New York Times bestselling author Emiko Jean, *The Return of Ellie Black* is both a feminist tour de force about the embers of hope that burn in the aftermath of tragedy and a “gripping psychological thriller” (The Seattle Times) that will shock you right up until the final page.

Princess Ellie Saves the Day

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! She loves learning about pony care from Meg, the palace groom. When Meg has to go to hospital, Ellie is sure that she and Kate can run the stables. But they soon discover that looking after six ponies is more difficult than they expected. Can Ellie save the day when disaster strikes and Moonbeam is in danger?

The Adventures of Little Miss Ellie

Author Karen Larison has unleashed a unique and captivating approach to inspiring good character in children using her own Chihuahua, Ellie D'lei Larison, as her inspiration. All ages will relate to these precious canine characters as they learn valuable life lessons. You may even see yourself in the personalities of these adorable little dogs. Pet lovers will delight in the escapades of Ellie and her cousins on Buffalo Creek Ranch. *The Adventures of Little Miss Ellie* will leave you with a giggle in your heart and a smile on your face.

Princess Ellie to the Rescue

Princess Ellie is pony-mad! And she's fed up with being a princess! She hates soppy pink dresses and boring waving lessons. She'd much rather be riding one of her four gorgeous ponies, or even mucking out the royal stables. But someone is spying on her – a mysterious stranger who doesn't want to be seen. Then disaster strikes, and Ellie's sure the girl in the woods must be to blame. Can she solve the mystery and she rescue her beloved Sundance before it's too late?

Ellie Laura

A perfect blend of story, facts, and humor, wrapped up in a message that encourages children to be socially active in their communities and to fight for their beliefs! Beatrix discovers a wild bumblebee nest on her way home from school and finds herself drawn to their busy world. When her bees mysteriously disappear, Bea hatches a plan to bring them back. Follow along with Bea as she uses her school library to learn facts about

bumblebees and why they are critical to the sustainability of our planet. Can Bea inspire her school and community to save the bees? Bees provide us with valuable resources, and some types of bees are in danger of disappearing forever. But ordinary people (and kids!) can help save them. Filled with fascinating facts about bumblebees and ideas to help preserve their environment, Bea's Bees encourages kids to help protect bees and other pollinators. • Includes flower identification guide to species that attract bees to create pollinator gardens • Explains that bees are necessary to grow some of our favorite foods. • Tips for kids on how to spread pollinator gardens with the help of others.

Ellie and the China Lady

What would you do for your Best friend? Cassandra Grace will live through heartbreaks over a thousand lifetimes. Ellie (Eleanor James) wants to be a superstar. She has natural beauty and talent but is super impatient in achieving her goals. She drops out of High School to pursue acting. She achieves greater success but it comes at a cost. She dwells deeper into darkness as fame becomes a dangerous drug to her. Cassie (Cassandra Grace) is sweet and loving. She is terribly indecisive about what she wants to do in life but will follow Ellie anywhere, including dropping out of High School. After a few years, she decides to go back to University and discovers her love for English literature. As her life gains purpose, she doesn't realize how much her friend Ellie is drifting into despair. Can she save her? She vows to be there for Ellie and to get her the life she deserves to have, even if it means challenging Fate...and losing everything she loves to save her. 'My Dear Ellie' is Aisha Urooj's debut novel and is the first in the Love & Friendship trilogy series. She is currently working on her second novel 'Eleanor's Travels' which will chronicle Ellie's once-in-a-lifetime trip around the world, a extraordinary present given by her parents on her twenty-first birthday. Read 'My Dear Ellie' to learn about the two best friends and the two extraordinary girls, Ellie and Cassie. Join them in their triumphs, their struggles, their adventures and misadventures, and most of all join them for the love and friendship shared between them growing up from little girls to young ladies.

Bea's Bees

My Dear Ellie

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