

## **FALL 2019**

to imagine their own fantastical designs. Van

futuristic style as he, once again, gives readers a

Dusen's vibrant illustrations marry retro appeal with

delightfully rhyming text that absolutely begs to be

sunny story, singing a rousing chorus and plinking

a twangy tune on her banjo, Bear is certain that she

doesn't appreciate the gravity of his situation. This

wry comedy is sure to have even red-eyed, sniffly-

If I Built a House

**By Chris Van Dusen** 

If Jack built a house, it

slide. Jack's limitless

would have a racetrack, a

flying room and gigantic

creativity and infectious

enthusiasm will inspire

The Sniffles for Bear

Bear has a terrible cold.

Possibly the worst cold

in the world. So when

Mouse comes to cheer

him up by reading a

**By Bonny Becker** 

budding young inventors



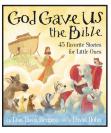
### Just a few of the exciting books available at Mrs. Nelson's Book Fair!



### **Jesus is Born By Zondervan**

A young girl named Mary is going to have a special baby. When he is born, God's angels tell everyone the good news. But the king is not happy at all. What will become of Baby Jesus? Featuring vibrant artwork from the beloved

The Beginner's Bible, this iconic New Testament story about the first Christmas is perfect for parents and grandparents to share God's Word with their children and grandchildren. \$4.99



### **God Gave Us the Bible** By Lisa Tawn Bergren

Ideal for readers aged 3-7, God Gave Us the Bible introduces kids to the STORY of stories—the love story between God and his people. The book features forty-five Bible stories and concepts that every child

should be introduced to—Noah and the Ark, the Birth of Jesus, and Jesus Feeds the 5,000—in a very warm, conversational, reassuring manner. \$17.99

**Dead Sea Squirrels** 

**Squirreled Away** 

where Michael's dad is working. Michael finds two

2,000-year-old squirrels petrified in sea salt. Hijinks

souvenirs may turn out to be much more! \$6.99

ensue as Michael tries to bring them back to the U.S.,

hidden in his backpack. What Michael thinks are cool

By Mike Nawrocki

caves near the archaeological dig



Dive into a spin-off series starring favorite characters from Kate DiCamillo's New York books. Whether it's bumbling cowboy Leroy Ninker getting his

first horse, Animal Control Officer Francine Poulet wrangling raccoons, or sweet Baby Lincoln striking out on her own, the characters of Deckawoo Drive



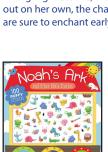
read aloud. \$8.99

The Sniffles for Bear

### **Drive By Kate DiCamillo**

Times best-selling Mercy Watson

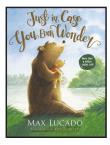
are sure to enchant early readers. \$9.99



### Noah's Ark and Other **Bible Stories** By Dawn Machell

With puffy stickers, fun games, and colorful pressouts, children ages 3 and up are introduced to Bible stories in an engaging way. **Bright illustrations will** captivate kids' attention and

the interactive features keep readers engaged in learning and discovering God's Word. \$9.99



### Just in Case you Ever Wonder By Max Lucado

Written especially for children ages 3-7, Just in Case You Ever Wonder is a timeless reminder of the love between a parent and a child - and ultimately. between God the Father and His children: "Remember I'm here for you. On dark nights

when you hear noises in your closet, call me. On hard days when kids are mean and don't treat you like they should, come to me." \$17.99



#### There's Nothing to Do! **By Dev Petty**

Frog is bored. He can't find ANYTHING to do—even when his animal friends make good suggestions, like sleeping all day, licking between his toes, or hopping

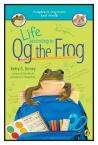
around and then staring off into space. Will he find a fun and exciting way to spend his day? Featuring the beloved characters from I Don't Want to Be a Frog and I Don't Want to Be Big, this new story is sure to bring a smile to every kid who has ever said "There's nothing to do!" \$7.99



### **Laugh and Learn Bible for Kids By Phil Vischer**

This family Bible is more than a Bible storybook . . . it's a deep, engaging, laugh-out-loud gospel experience that will guide readers

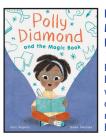
from Genesis to Revelation, retelling beloved Bible stories AND tackling tricky questions like "What is sin?" and "What is the Trinity?" Vividly illustrated, each story takes just five minutes to read, encourages family Bible study and helps readers learn, talk, and pray together. \$19.99



### Life According to Og the Froa **By Betty Birney**

Og the Frog has just moved into Room 26, and the place is hopping. There are lively kids, new routines and juicy crickets in his tank. But just as Og is getting used to this new life, there is talk of sending him back to his pond. Sure, he

misses his old friends, but Og doesn't want to sav goodbye to his new life or his furry neighbor. \$5.99



### Polly Diamond and the **Magic Book By Alice Kuipers**

Polly loves words. And she loves writing stories. So when a magic book appears on her doorstep that can make everything she writes happen in real life, Polly is certain all of her dreams are

about to come true. But she soon learns that what vou write and what you mean are not always the same thing! \$6.99

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### Front Desk By Kelly Yang

Mia Tang has a lot of secrets.

1: She lives in a motel, where her parents clean the rooms and she manages the front desk.

2: Her parents hide immigrants in the vacant rooms. 3: She wants to be a writer. But her mom thinks

she should stick to math because English is not her first language. It will take all of Mia's courage, kindness and hard work to get through this year. Will she be able to hold on to her job, help the immigrants and guests, and go for her dreams? \$7.99



### Micah's Super Vlog Micah's Got Talent? By Andy McGuire

Micah wants to win the big talent show prize. There's just one problem...he doesn't know his talent. So, he sets out to try just about everything (especially the things his

friends are good at) in order to find "his thing." Discouraged, Micah struggles with his identity but finally learns to have confidence that, in time, he'll uncover his own special gifts. \$6.99



### Perfectly Unique By Annie F. Downs

Whether you are looking for new ways to love God more fully and understand his love and purpose for you, or trying to figure out why God made you as you are, *Perfectly Unique* will take you on a thoughtful,

funny, and spirit-filled exploration of the way you were designed and will help you better honor the creator by learning to value his perfectly unique creation—you! \$14.99



### Guts By Raina Telgemeier

Raina wakes up one night with a terrible upset stomach. Her mom has one, too, so it's probably just a bug. Raina eventually returns to school, where she's dealing with the usual highs and lows: friends, not-friends, and classmates who think the school year is just

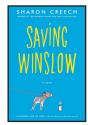
one long gross-out session. It soon becomes clear that Raina's tummy trouble isn't going away... and it coincides with all her worries about food, school, and changing friendships. What's going on? \$12.99



### Jesus Calling: 365 Devotions for Kids (Girls Edition) By Sarah Young

This special edition offers families an entire year of devotions on the topic of peace. Each day's devotion has the same theme as the adult version, as well as written-out Scriptures. It

is a great choice for families to read and discuss during devotional time together. Written as if Jesus Himself is speaking directly to the reader, this book will engage kids and help them find lifelong peace in Jesus. \$17.99



### Saving Winslow By Sharon Creech

Louie doesn't have the best luck when it comes to caring for small creatures. So when his father brings home a sickly newborn donkey, he's determined to save him. He names him Winslow. Everyone worries that Winslow

won't survive, especially Louie's quirky new friend, Nora, who has experienced loss of her own. But as Louie's bond with Winslow grows, surprising and life-altering events prove that this fragile donkey is stronger than anyone could have imagined. \$6.99



## Spy School Goes South By Stuart Gibbs

Thirteen-year-old Ben Ripley has been caught in the snares of SPYDER more than once and knows well enough to be suspicious of anything that seems too good to be true—despite needing special tutoring

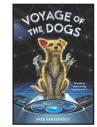
in advanced survival techniques. So when Murray Hill finally breaks his silence with an offer to hand over the SPYDER elite, Ben knows that there must be something going on. But his hesitation doesn't stop the mission. \$8.99



### Until Tomorrow, Mr. Marsworth By Sheila O'Connor

Set in the summer of 1968, a richly profound relationship develops between elderly recluse (and "draft dodger") Mr. Marsworth and 11-yearold Reenie Kelly who delivers

his newspaper. Reenie is trying to save her oldest brother from being drafted and, through written correspondence, seeks Mr. Marsworth's help. Stunning secrets are revealed and various thoughtful perspectives on the Vietnam War are represented in this heartwarming novel. \$8.99



### Voyage of the Dogs By Greg van Eekhout

Lopside is a Barkonaut, a specially trained dog who assists human astronauts on missions in space. He and the crew aboard the spaceship Laika are en route to set up an outpost on a distant planet. When the mission takes a disastrous turn, the Barkonauts on

board suddenly find themselves completely alone on a severely damaged ship. Survival seems impossible. But these dogs are Barkonauts—and Barkonauts always complete their mission. \$6.99

A portion of the proceeds from all Mrs. Nelson's Book Fairs goes right back to the host schools. This is our way of giving back to the community and encouraging children to build a passion for reading and learning.

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