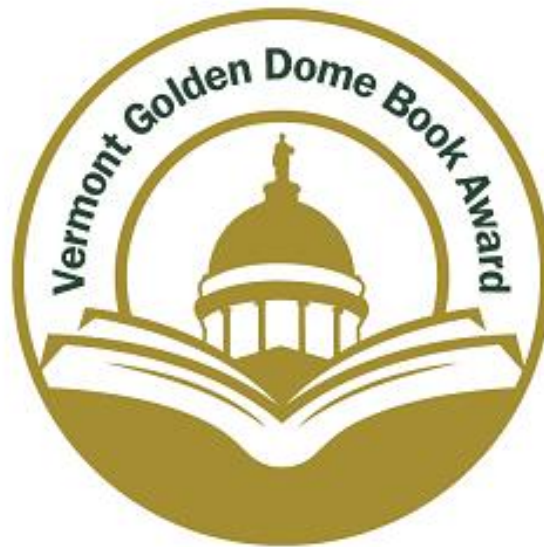


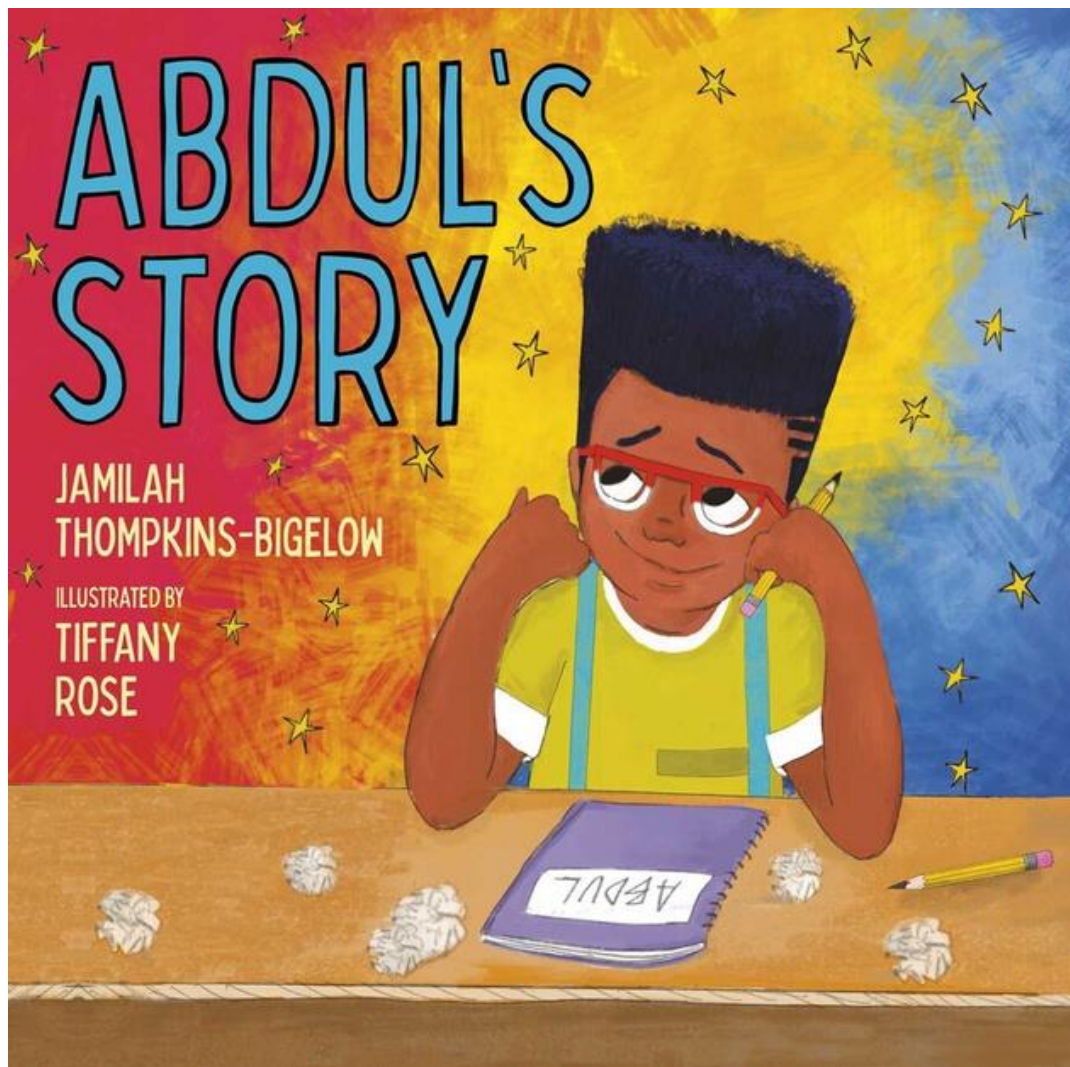
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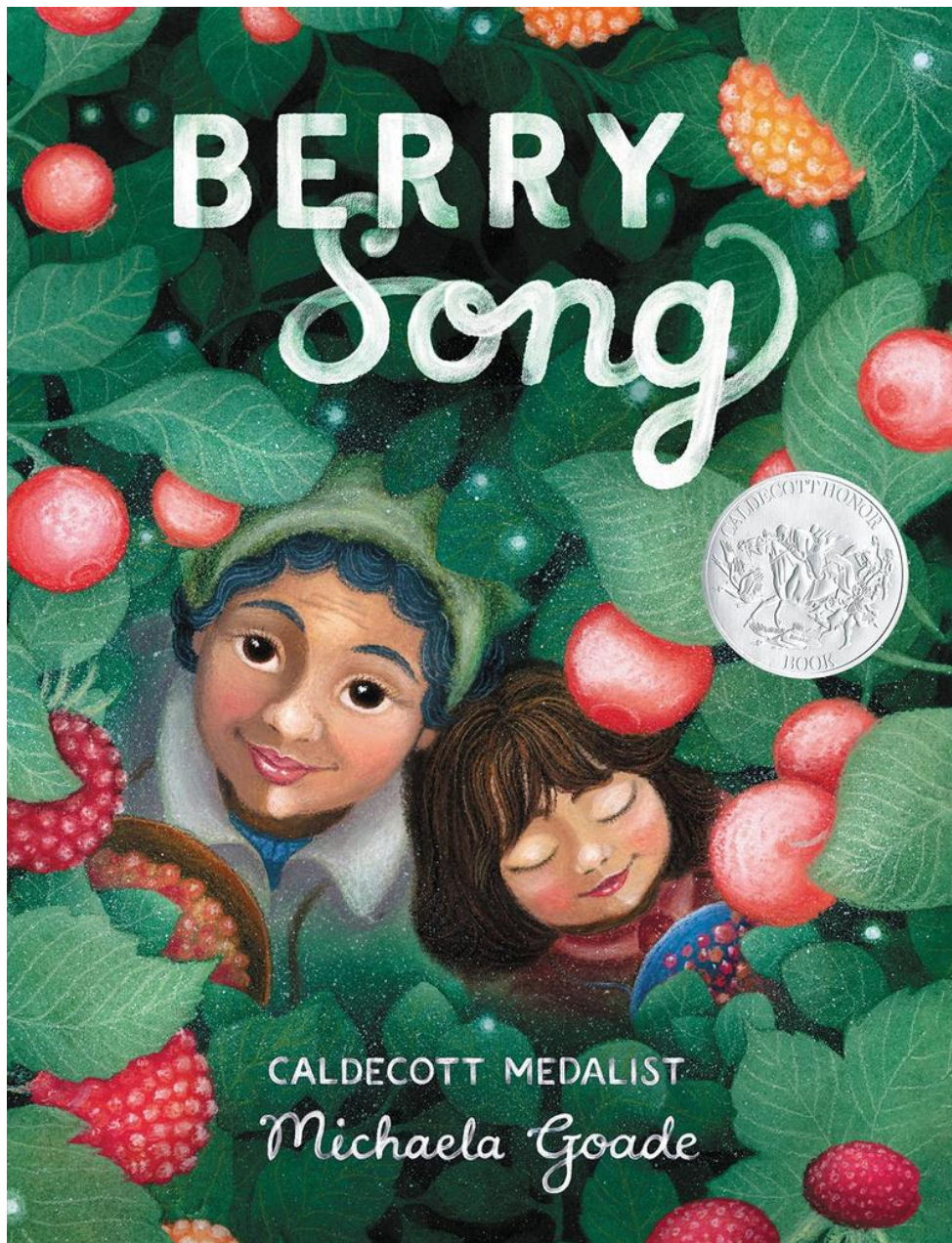
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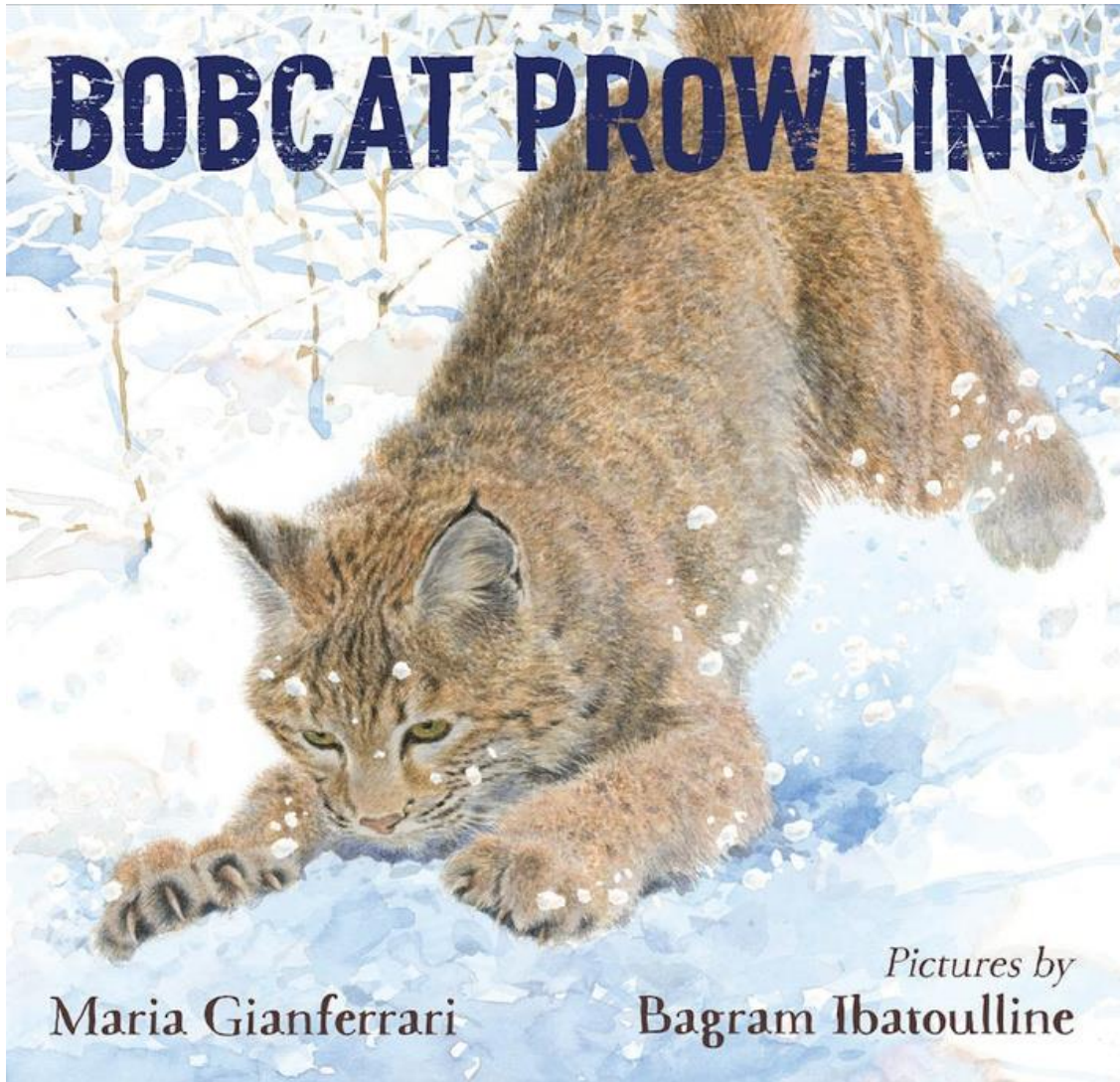
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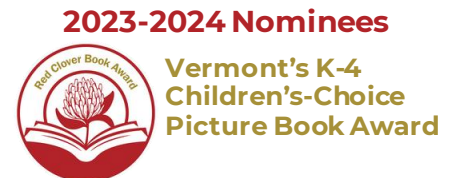


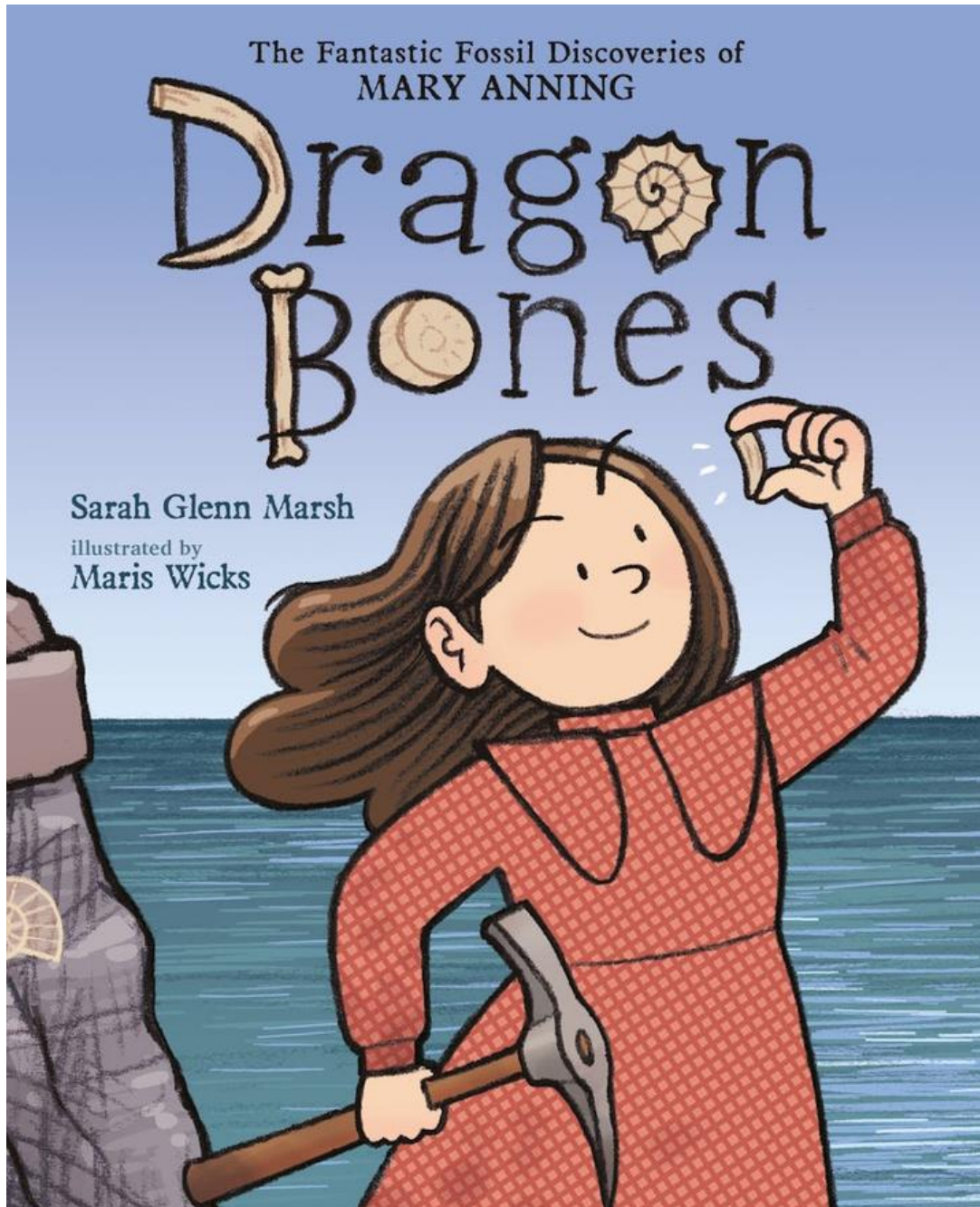
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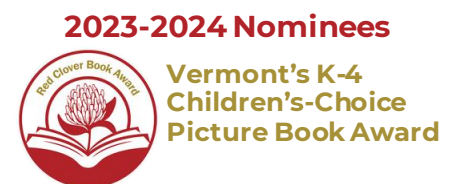
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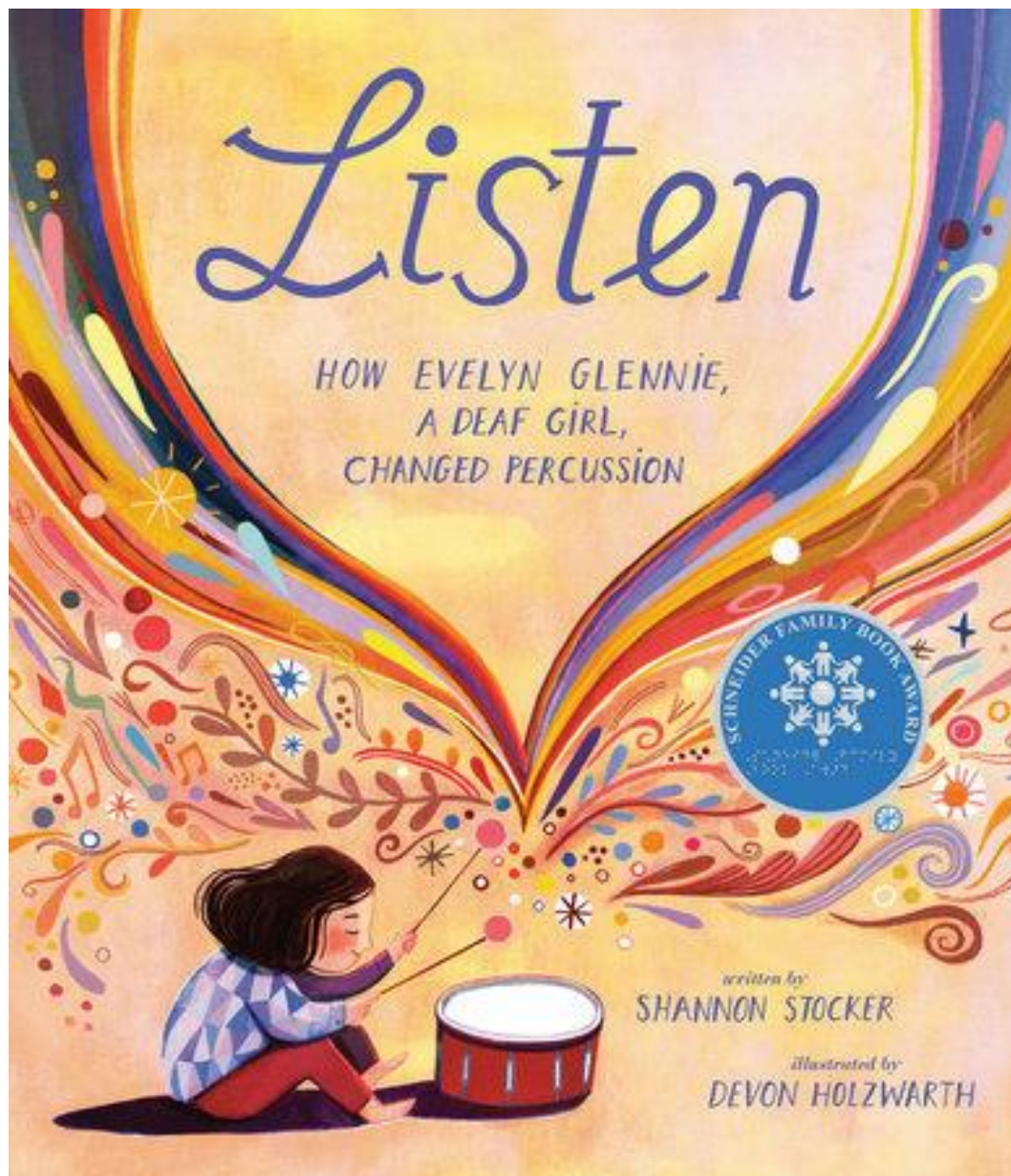




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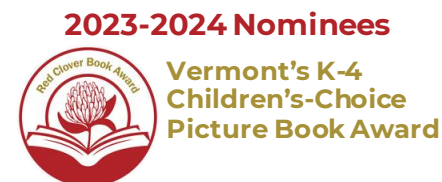


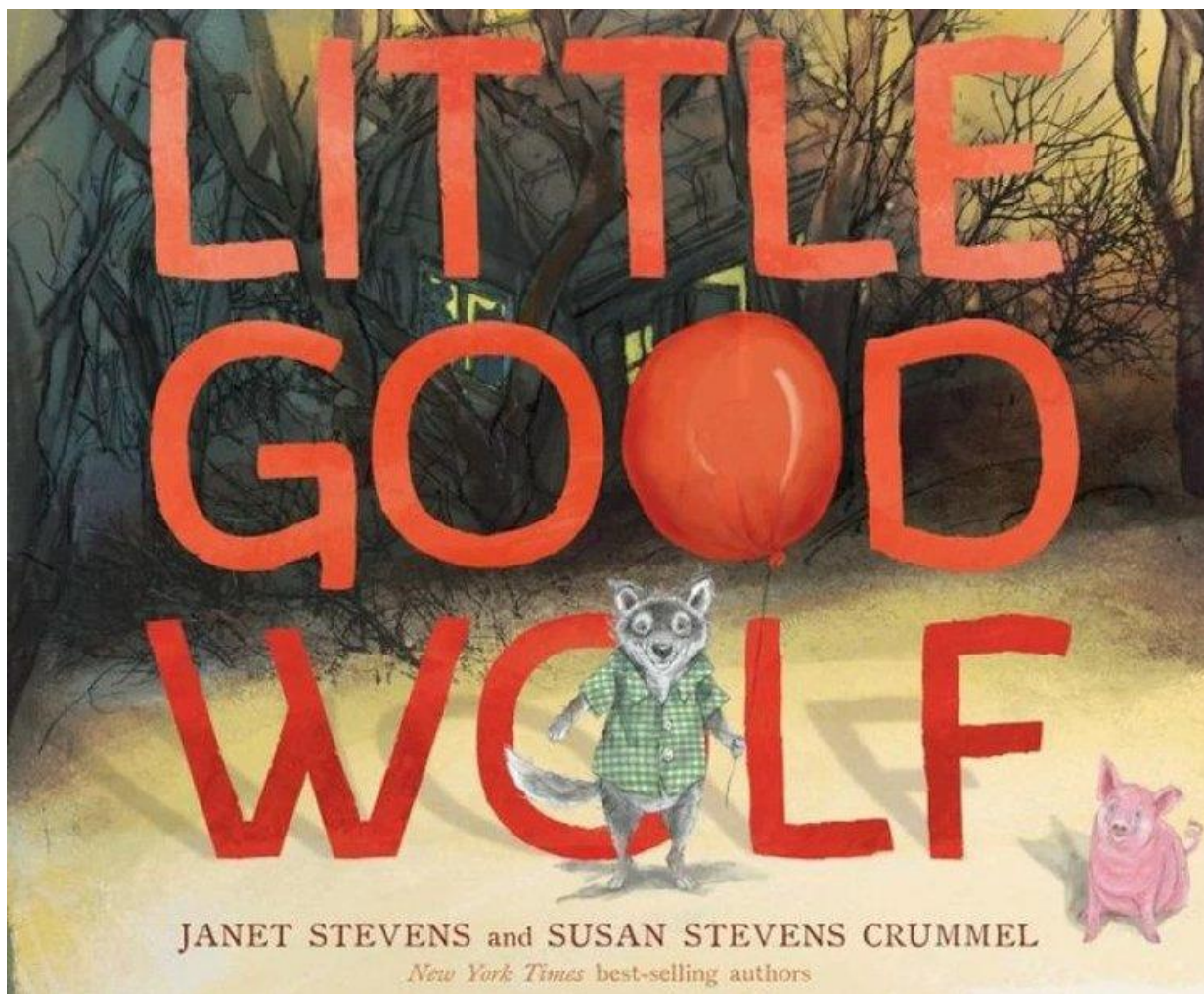
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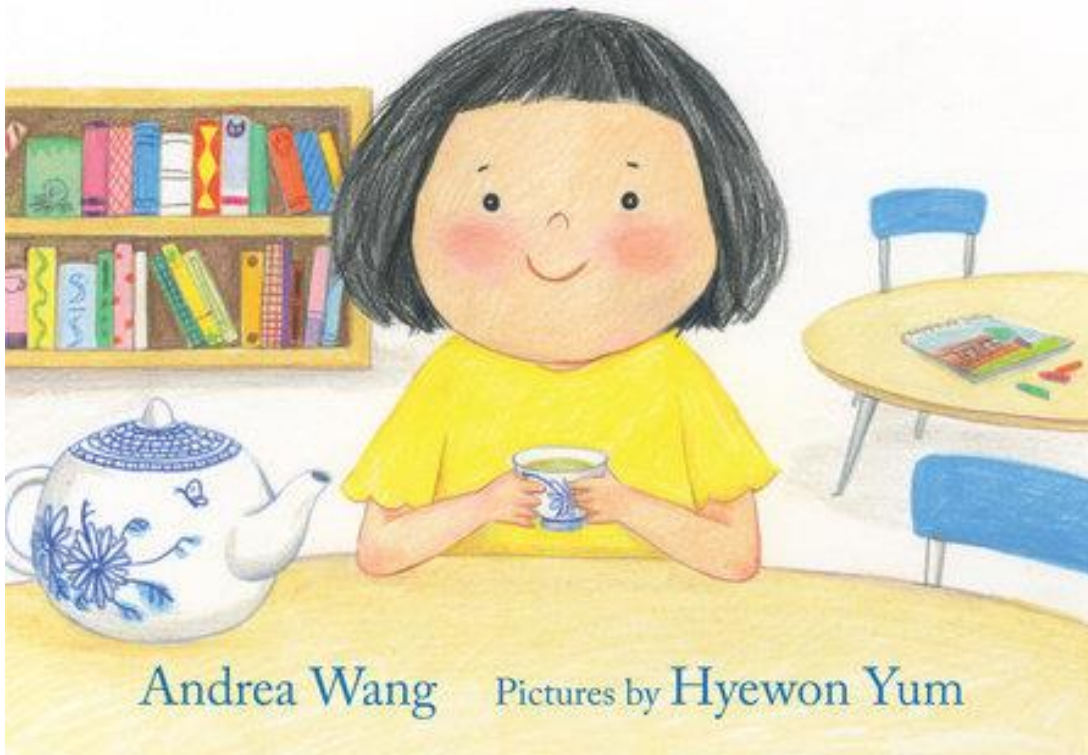


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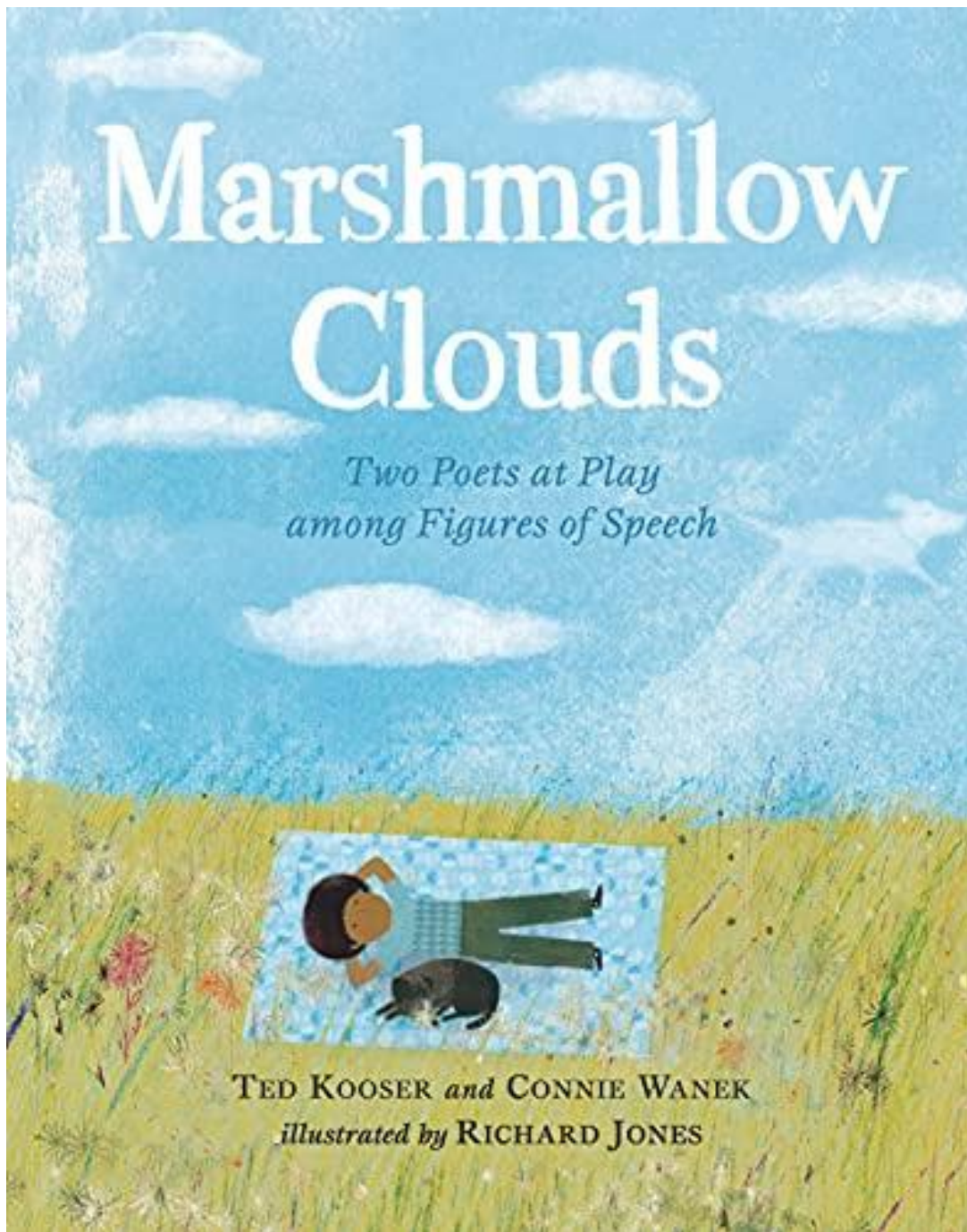
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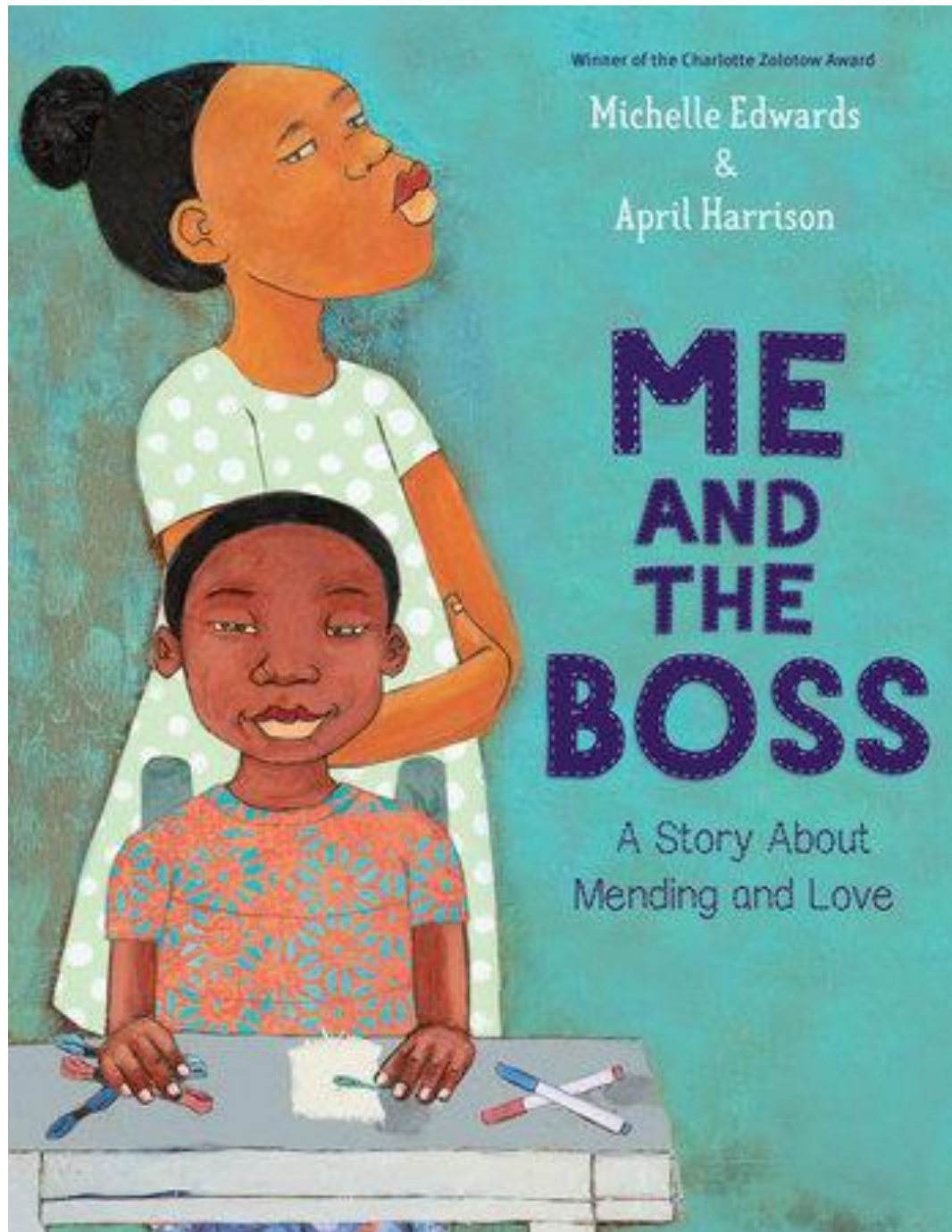
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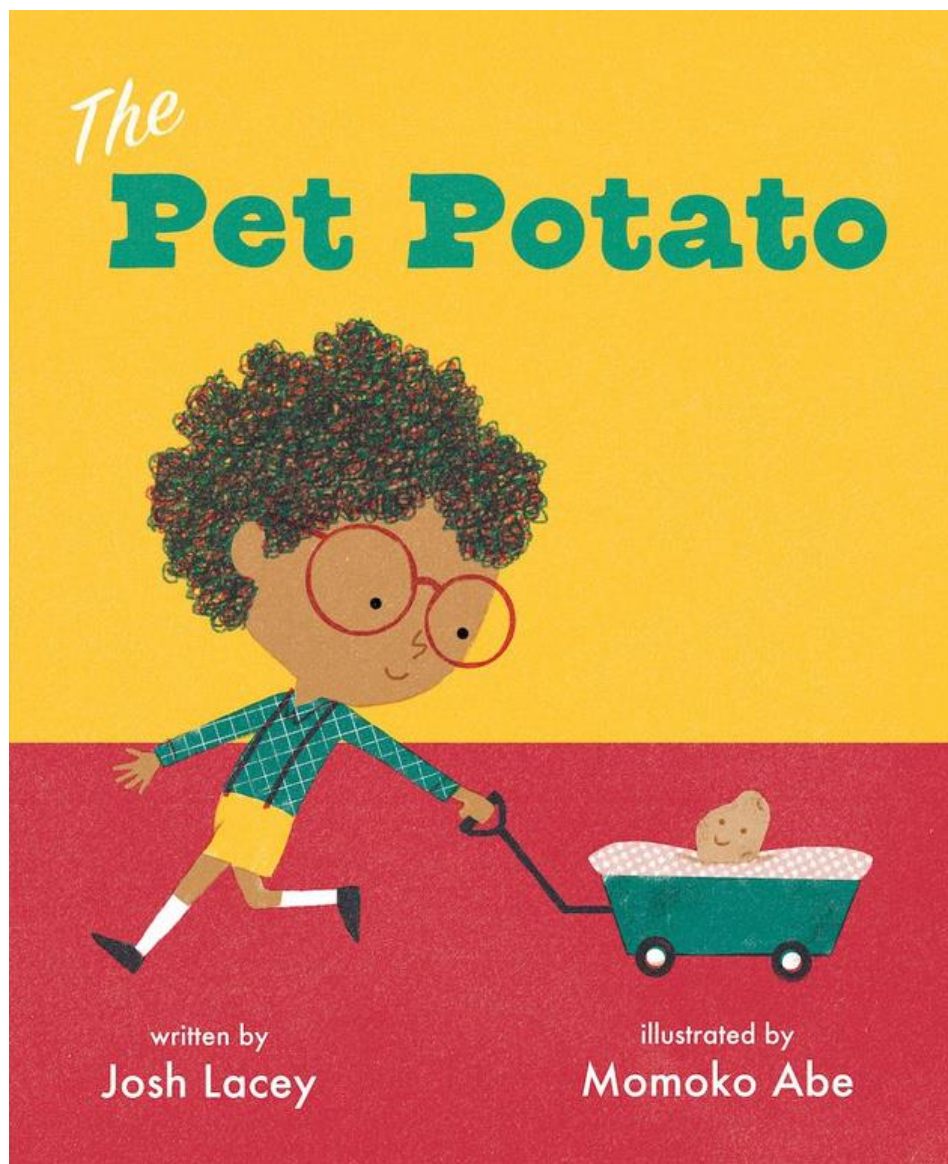
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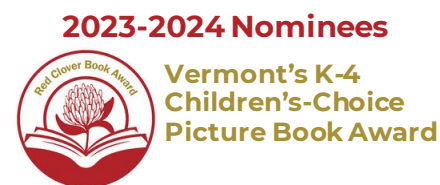


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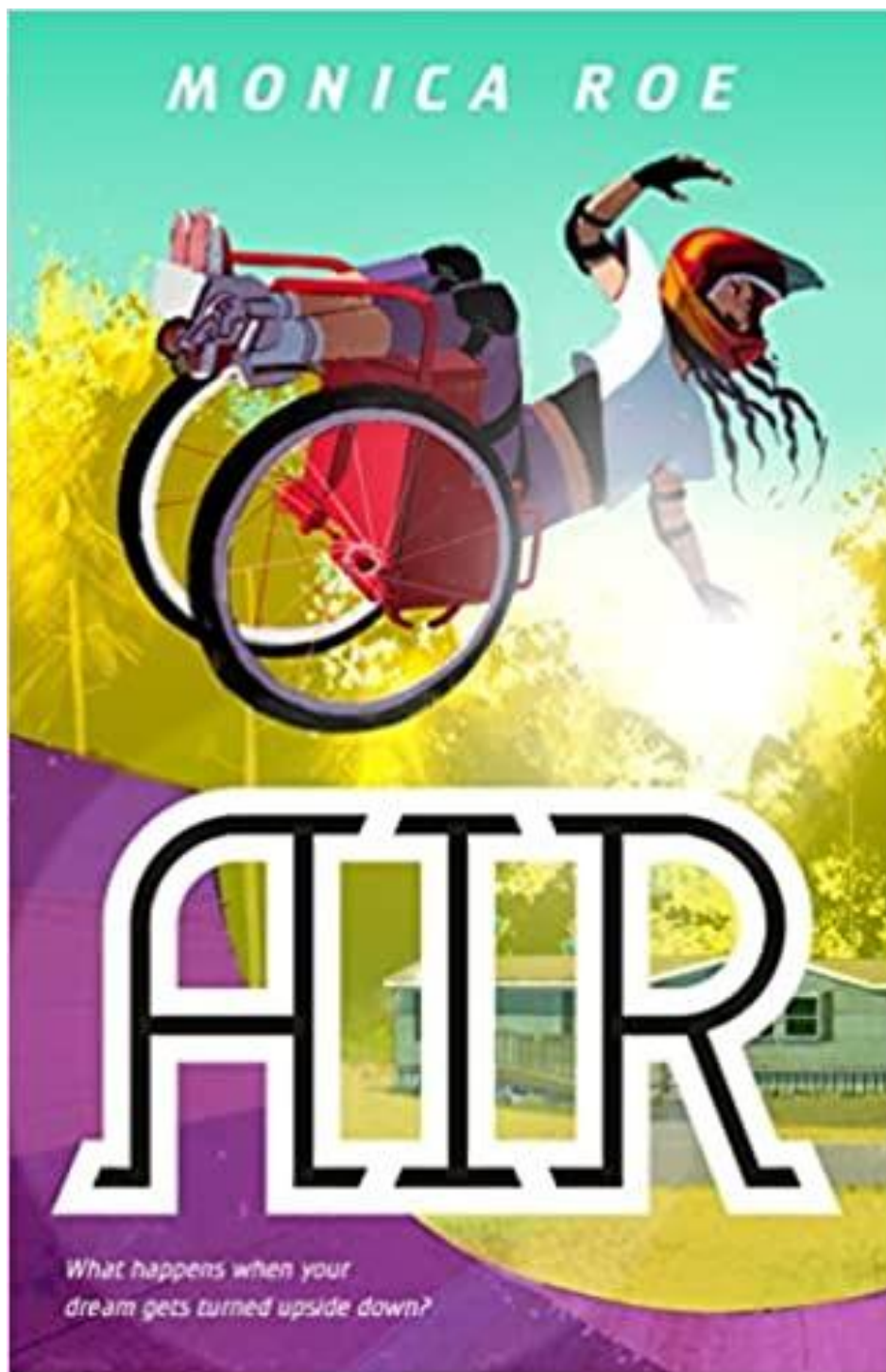
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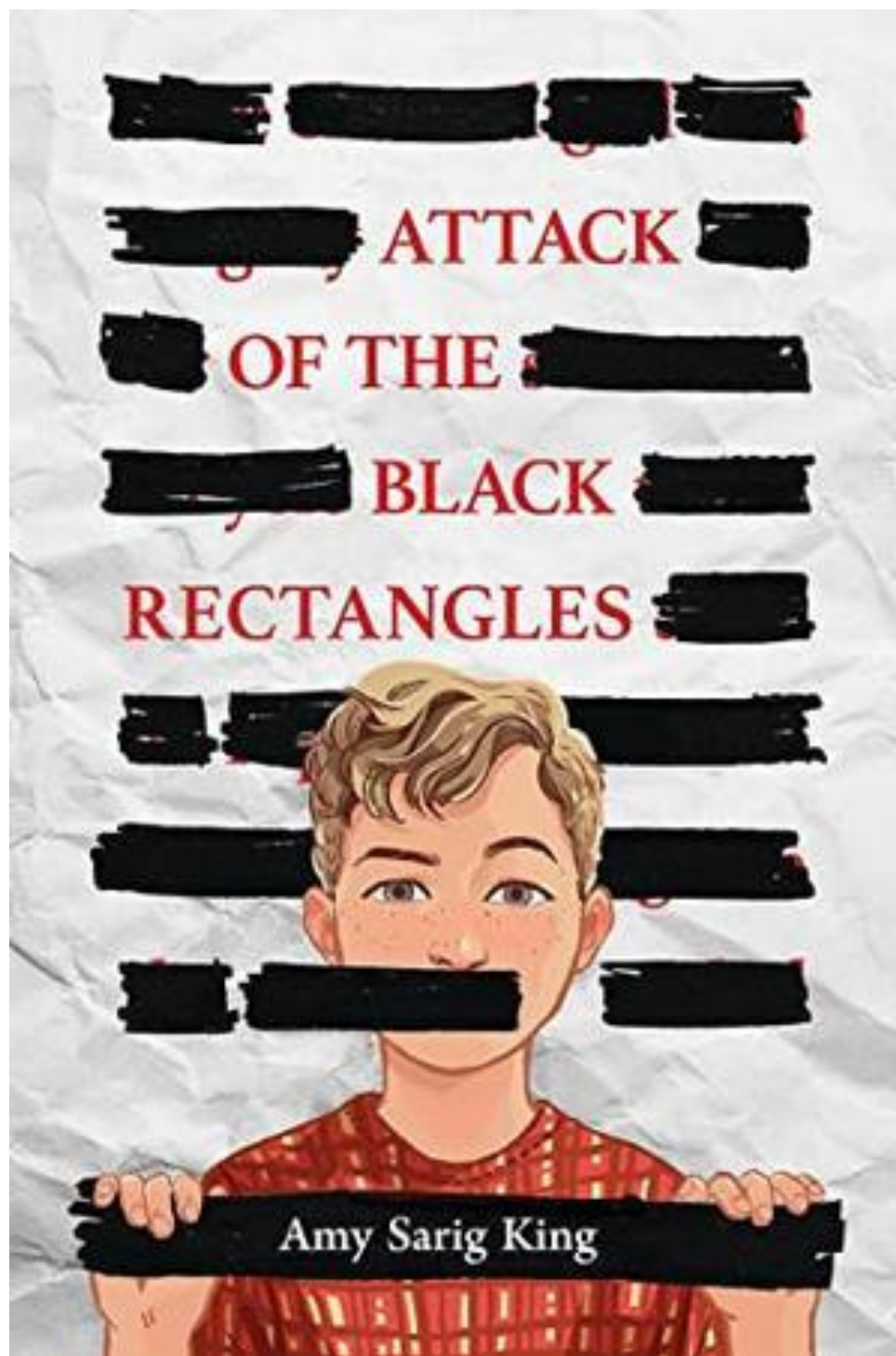
Grades 5 and up



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***Attack of the
Black Rectangles***
by A.S. King
Grades 5 and up



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Book Award



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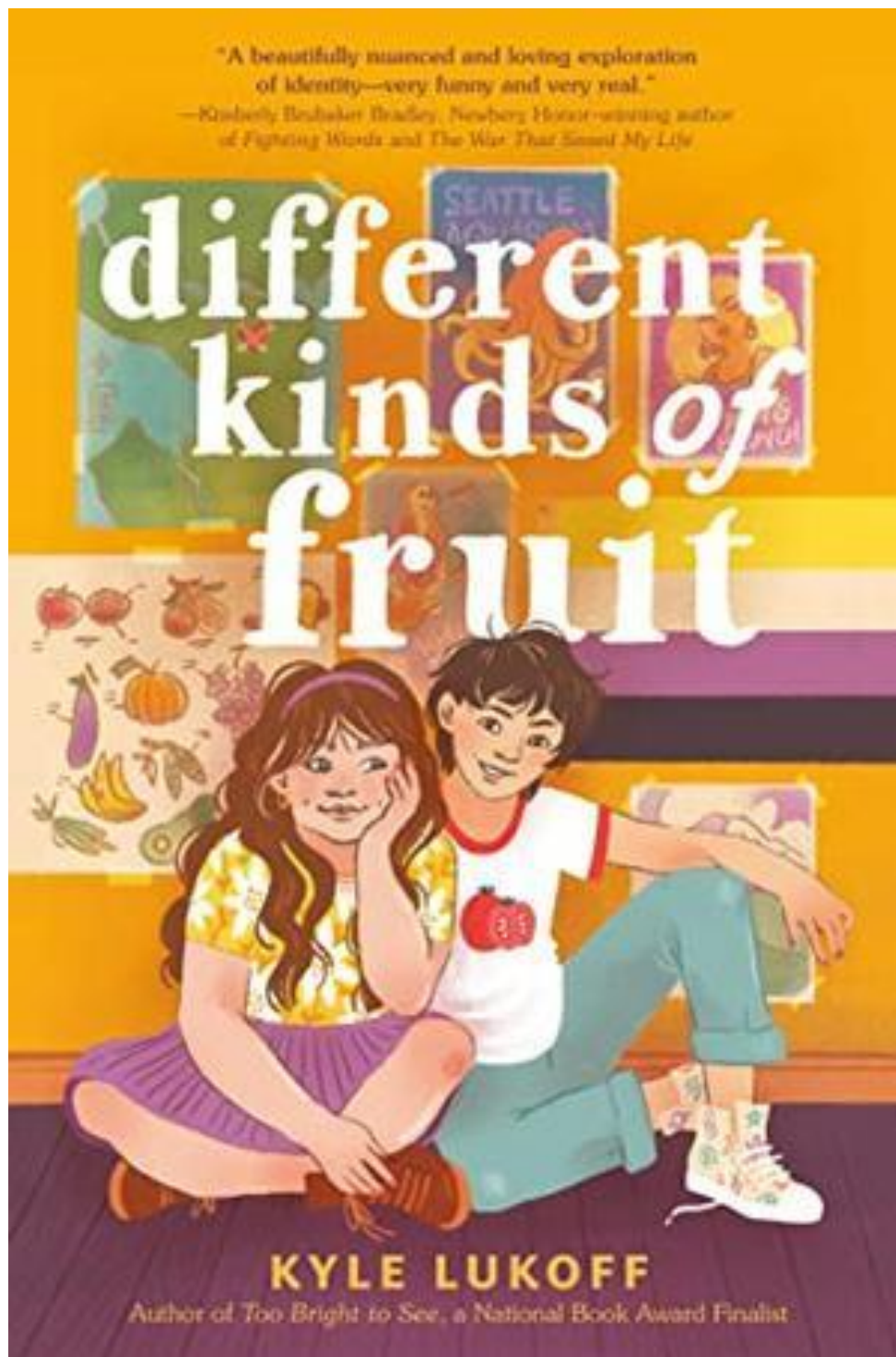
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Book Award



Different Kinds of Fruit

by Kyle Lukoff

Grades 5 and up



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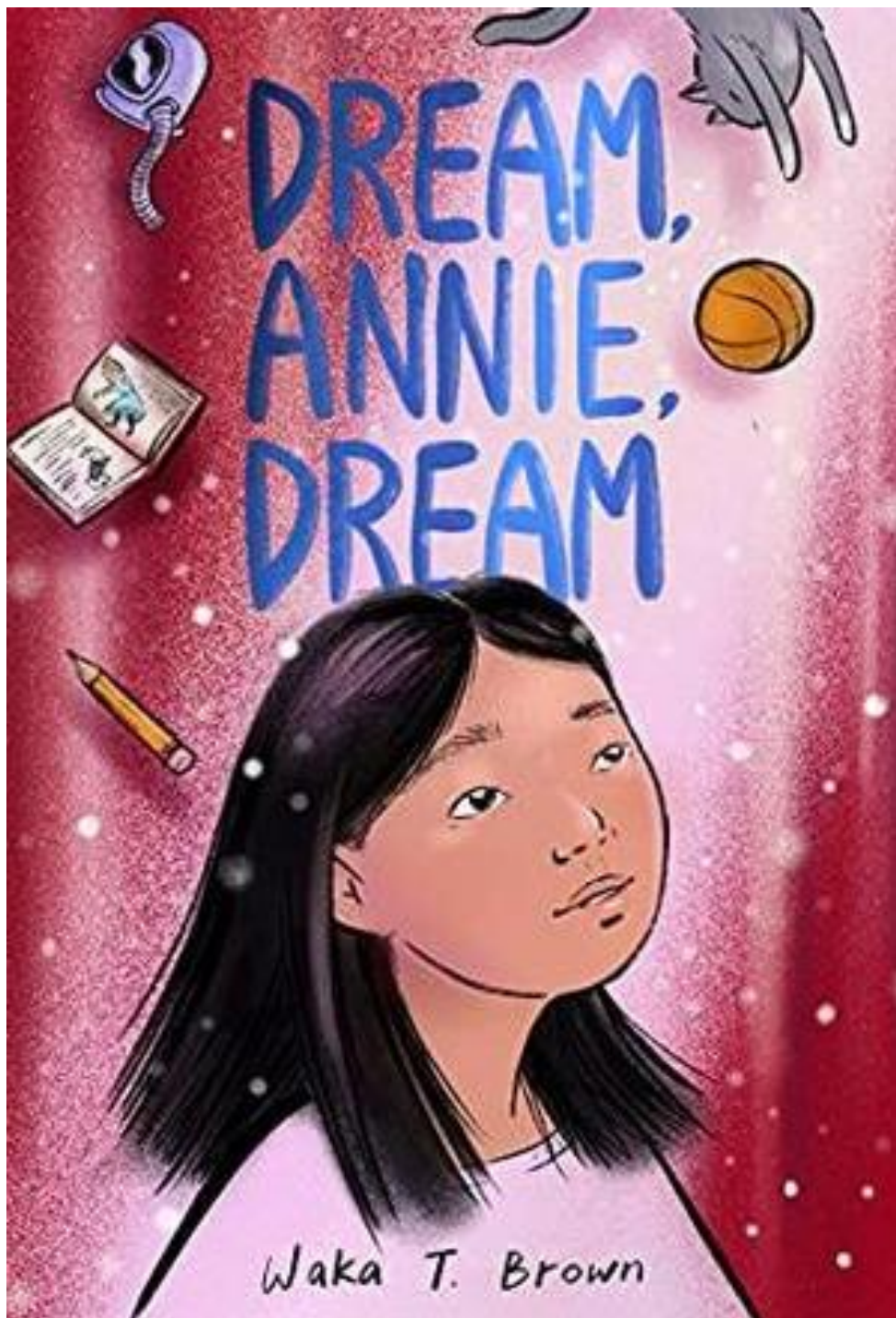
The Door of No Return
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Grades 7 and up



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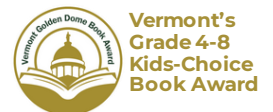
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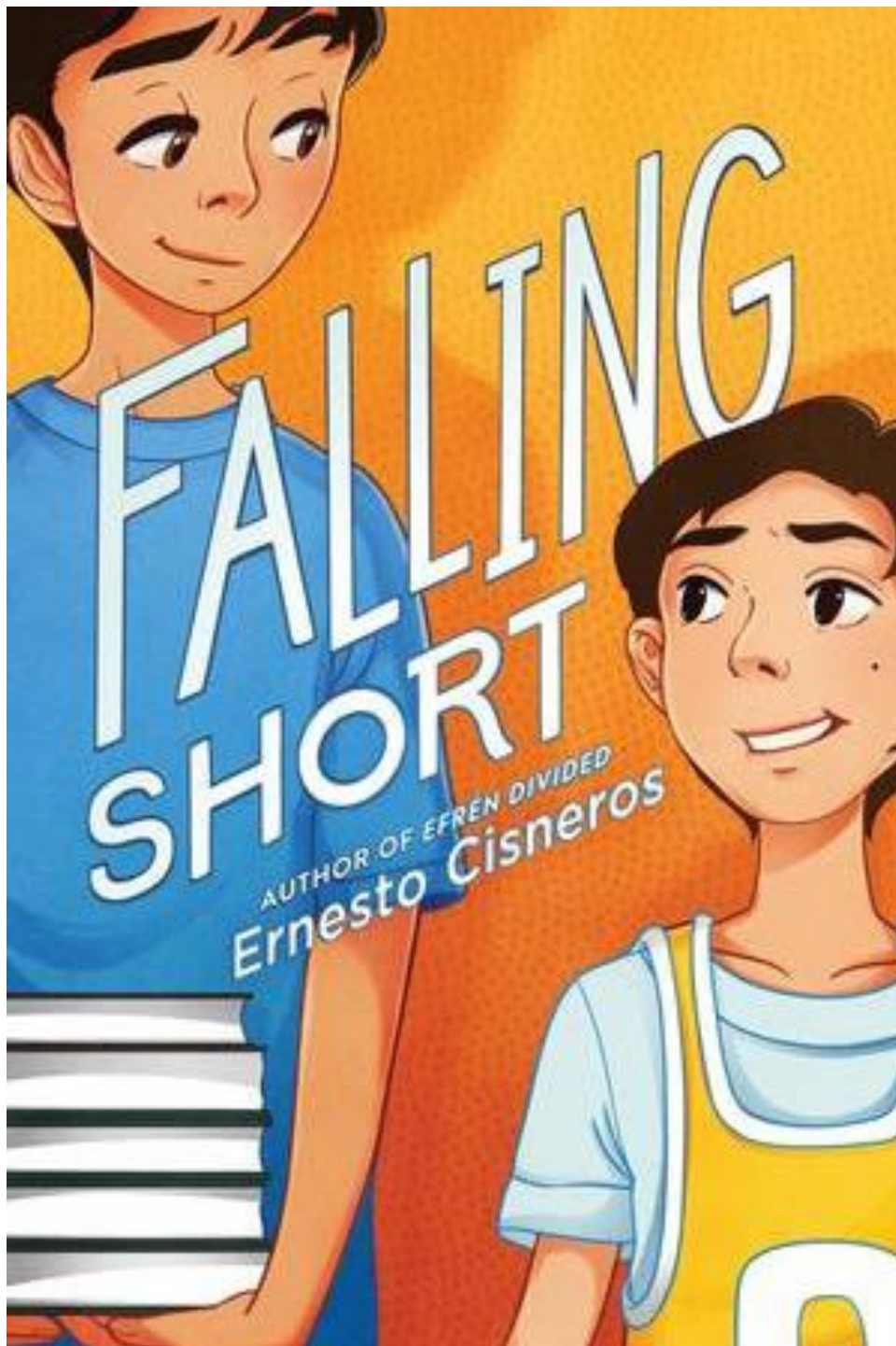
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Grades 5 and up



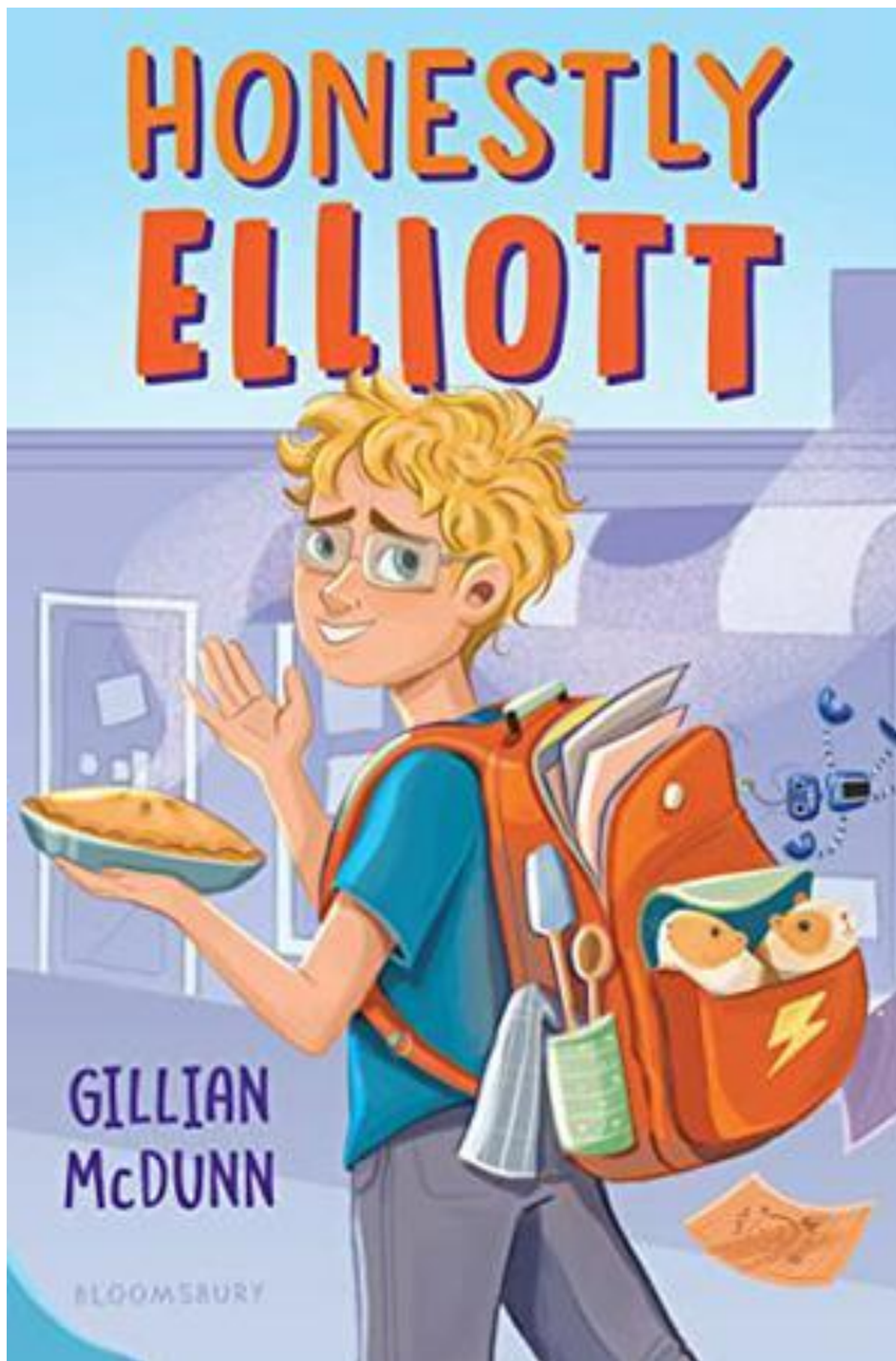
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Falling Short
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Grades 5 and up



Honestly Elliott

by Gillian McDunn

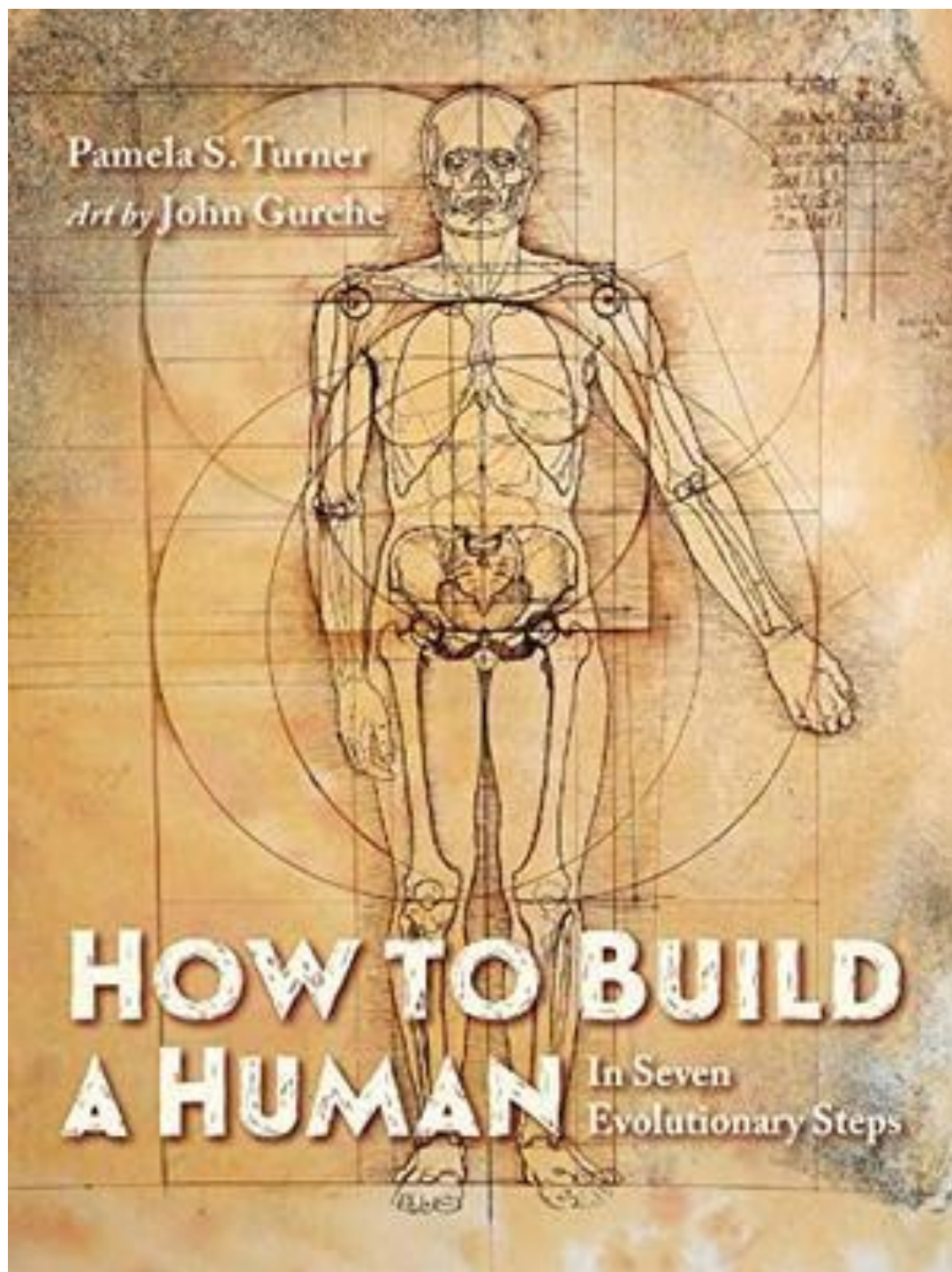
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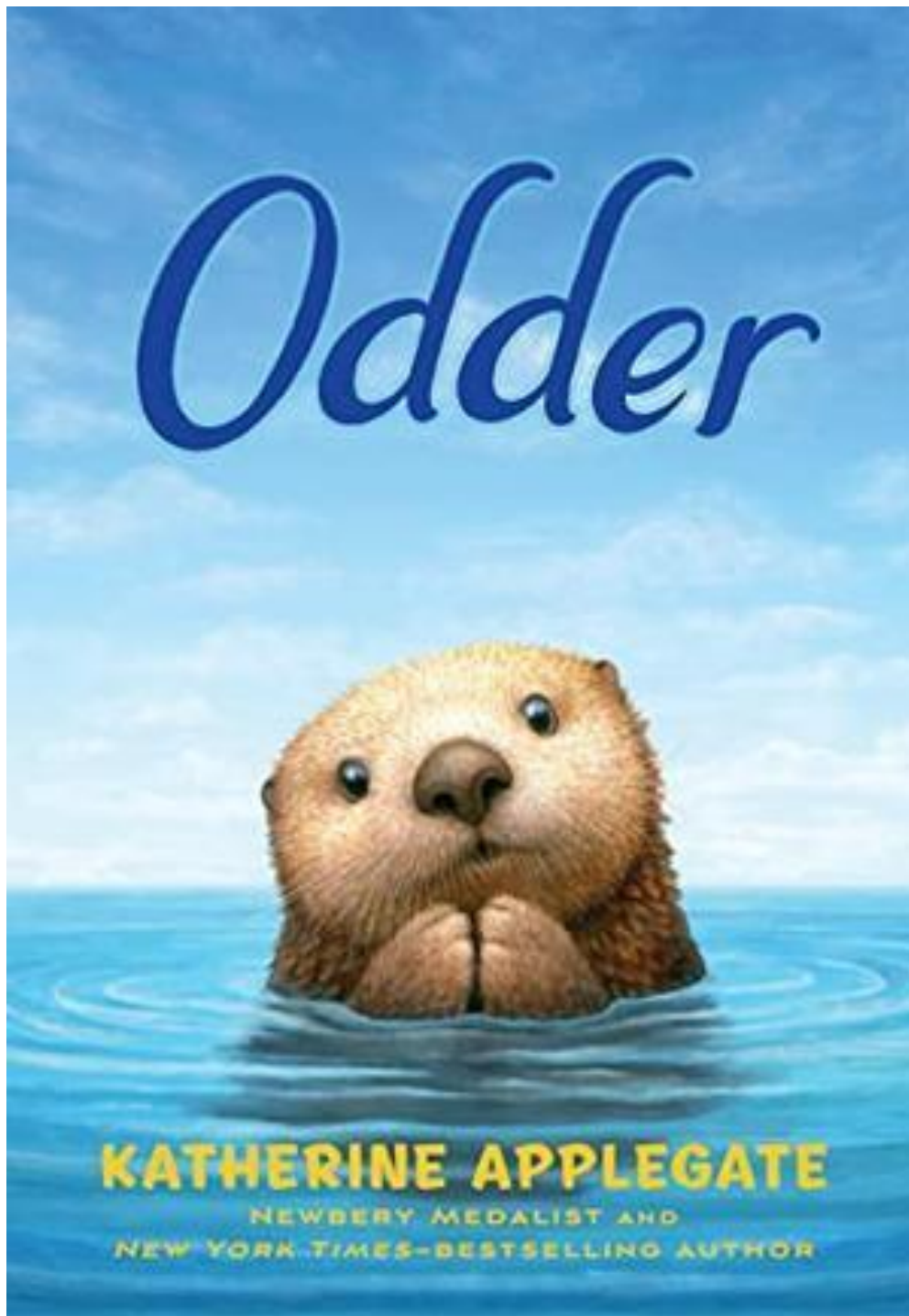
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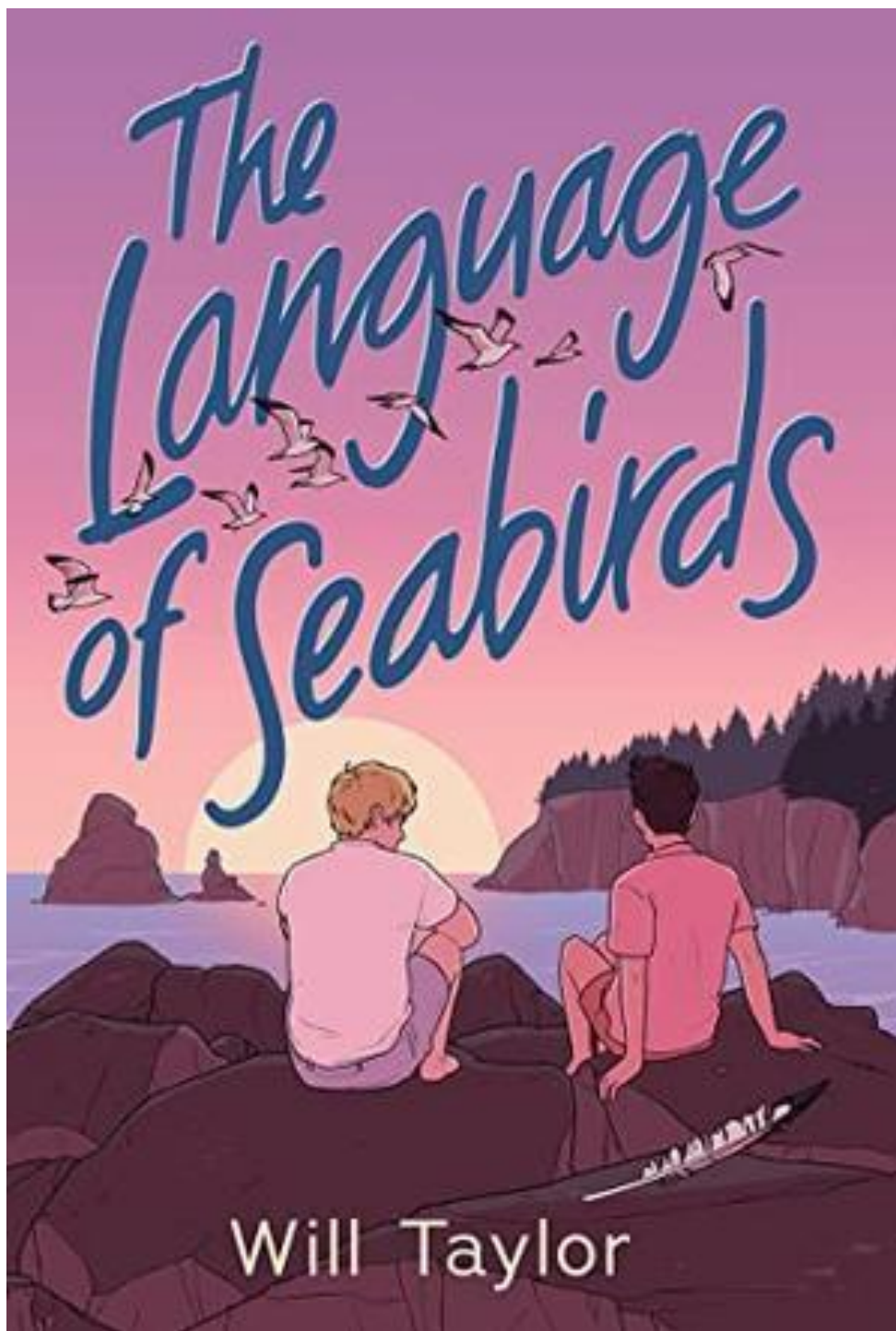
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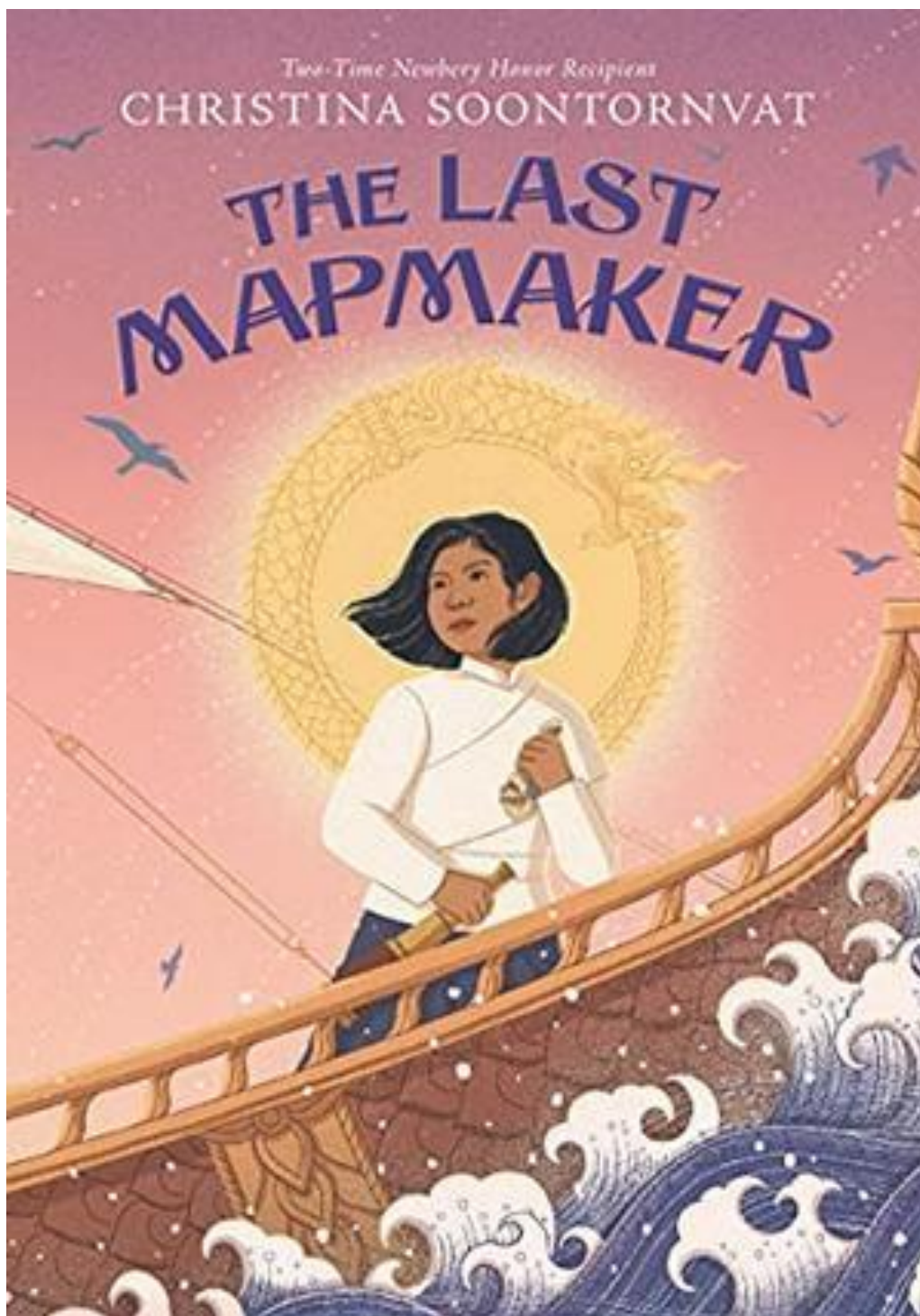
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by Will Taylor
Grades 6 and up



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The Last Mapmaker
by Christina Soontornvat
Grades 5 and up



Maizy Chen's Last Chance
by Lisa Yee
Grades 5 and up



Manatee Summer

by Evan Griffith

Grades 4 and up



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My Aunt Is a Monster

by Reimena Yee

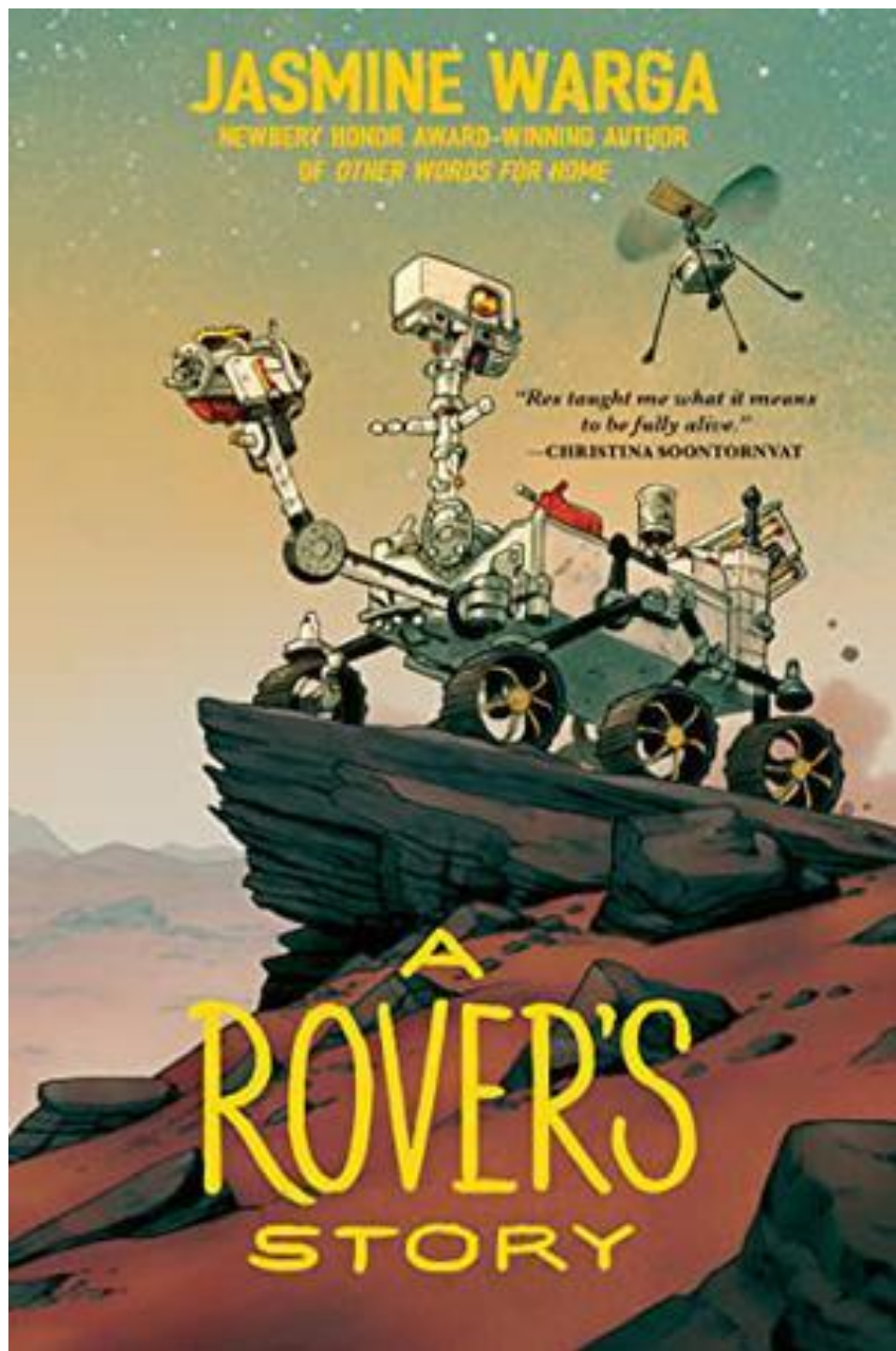
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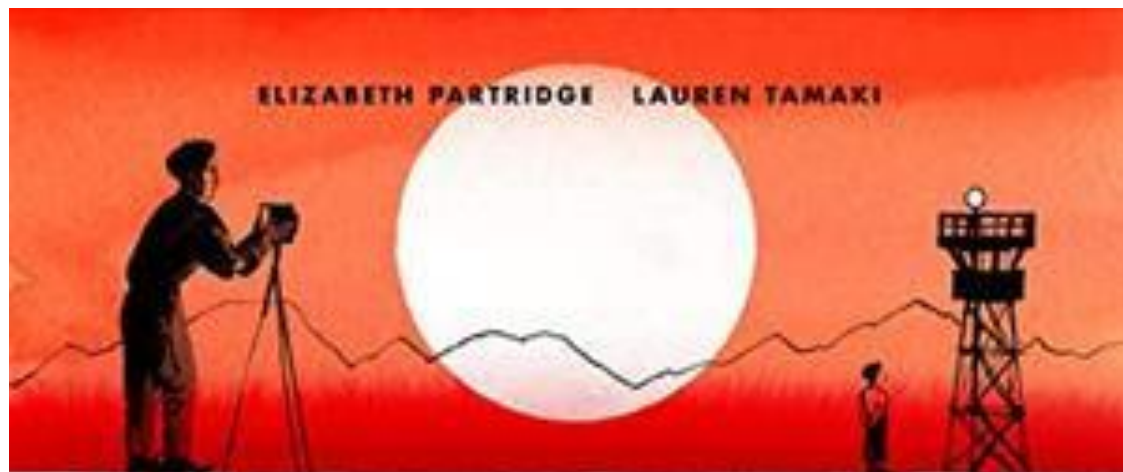
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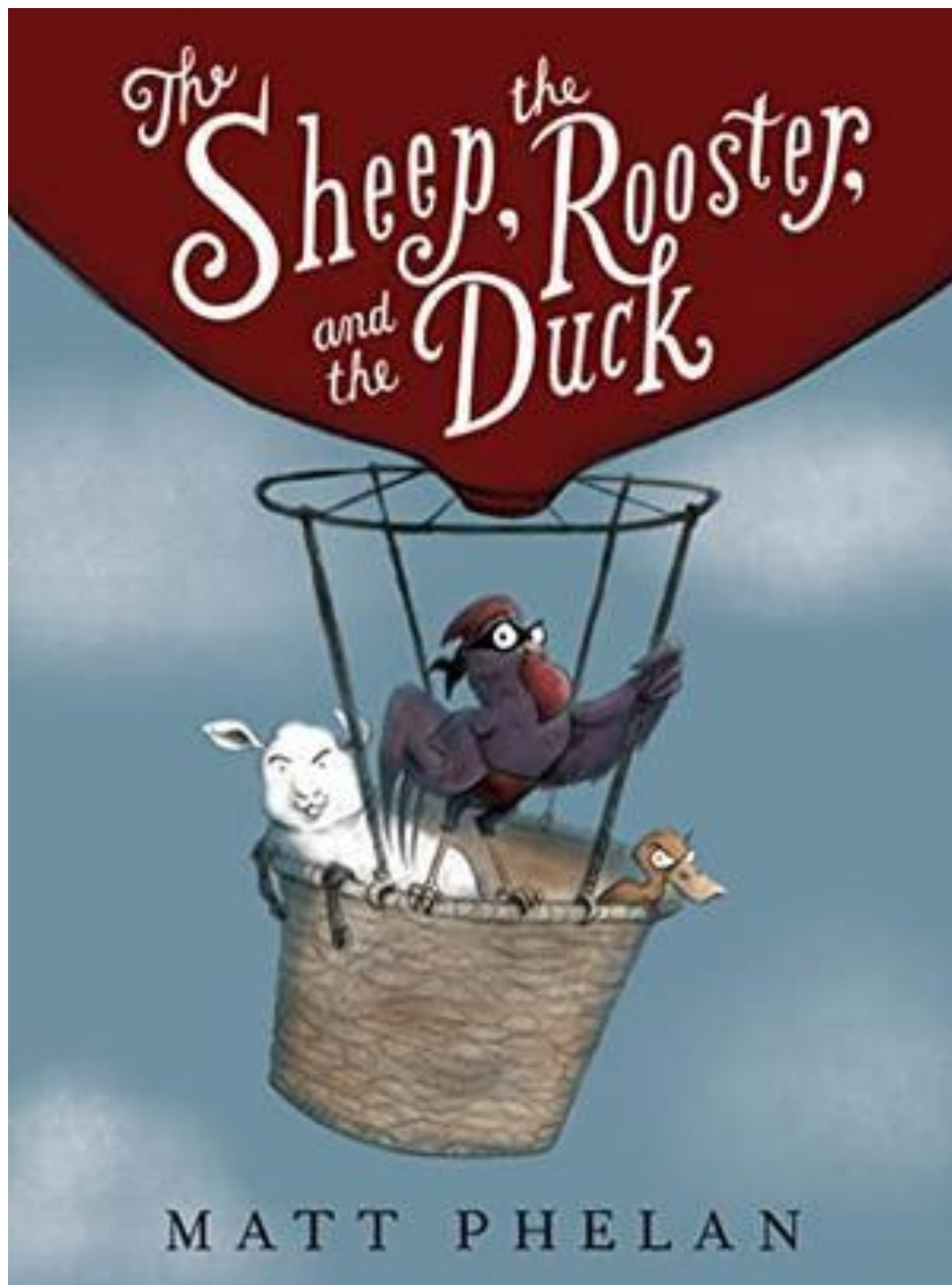
Seen and Unseen
by Elizabeth Partridge
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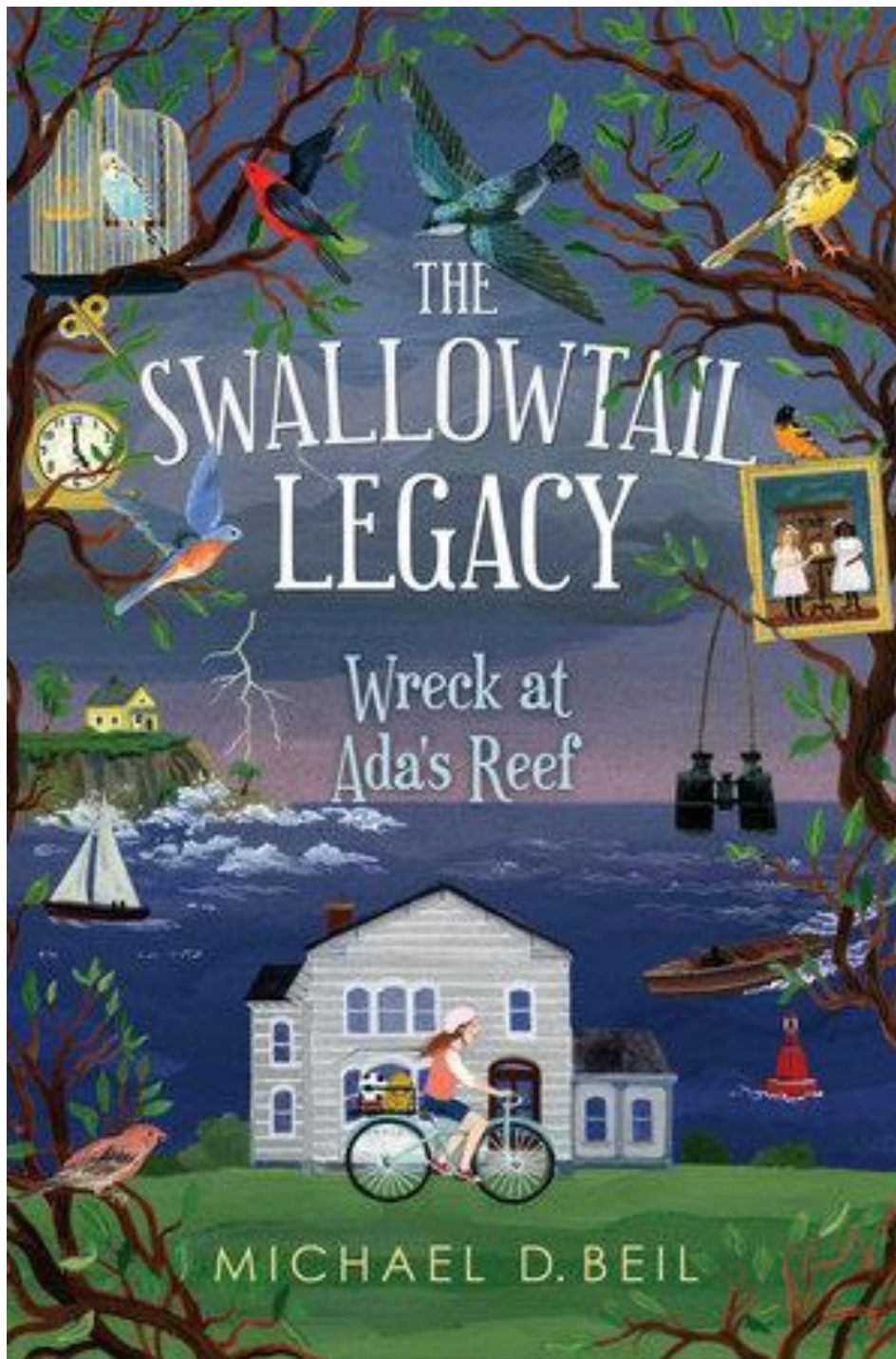
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Grades 4 and up



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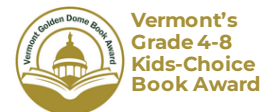
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***The Swallowtail Legacy:
Wreck at Ada's Reef***
by Michael Beil
Grades 5 and up



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Swim Team

by Johnnie Christmas

Grades 4 and up



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by Aya De Leon

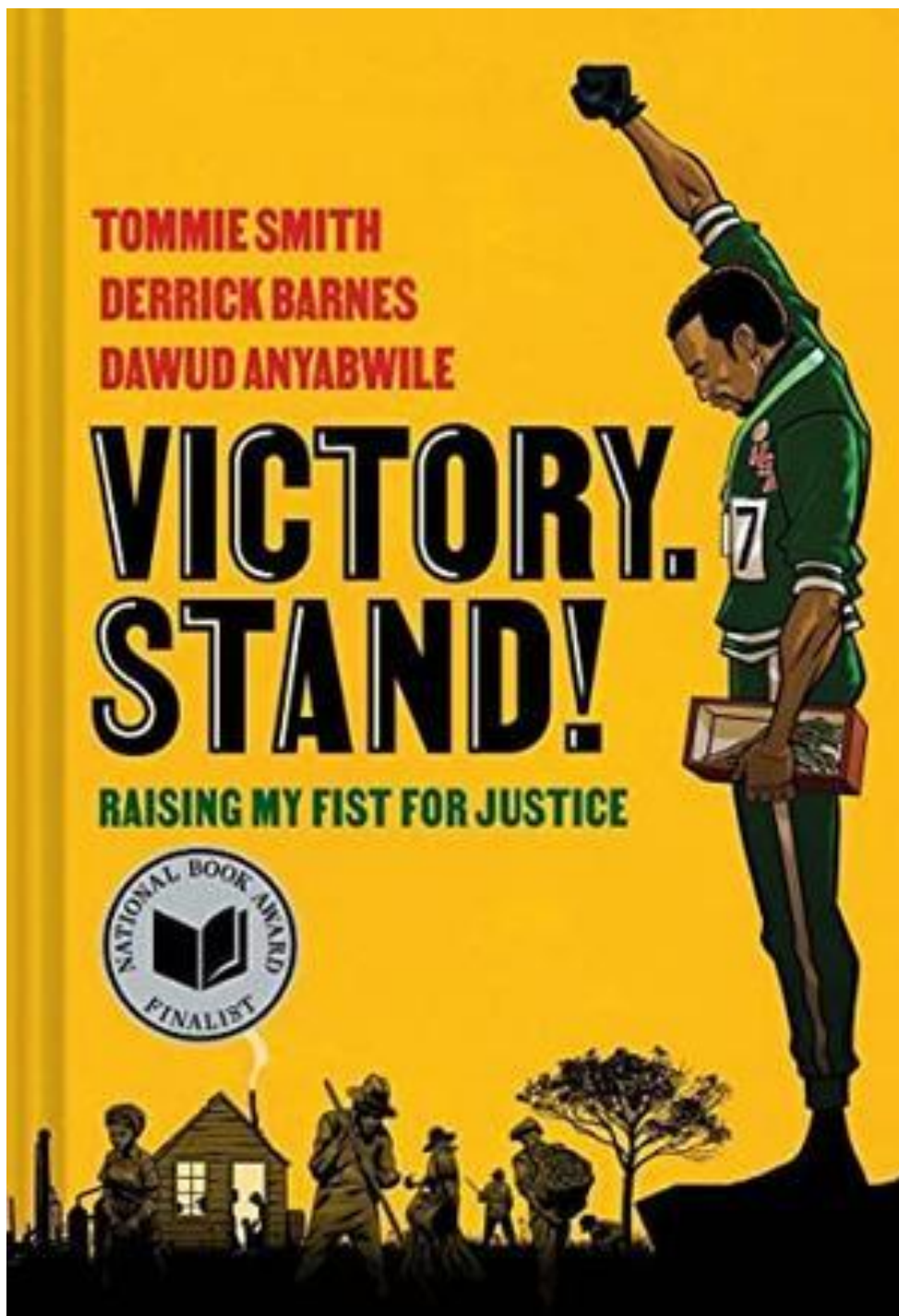
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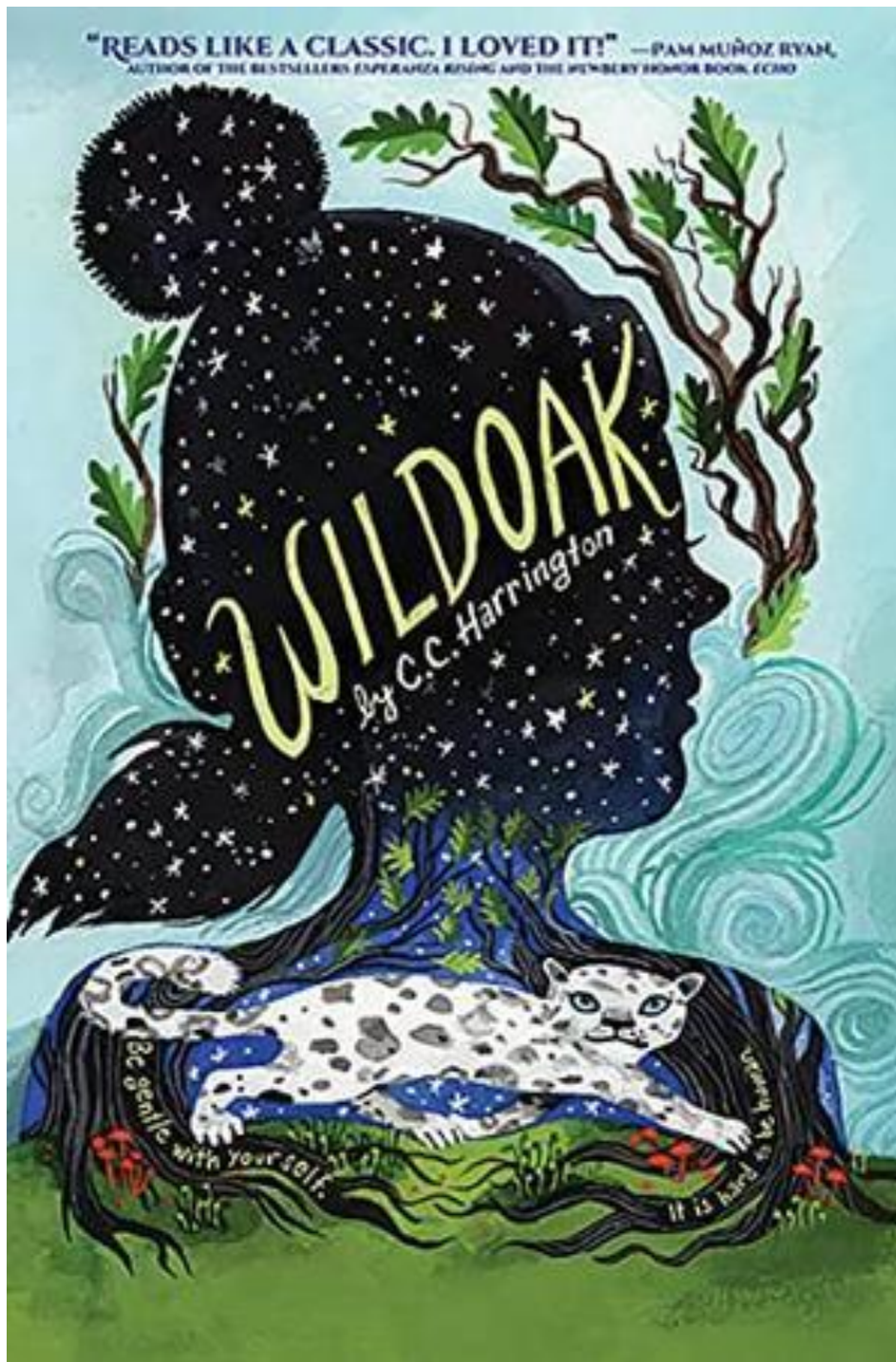
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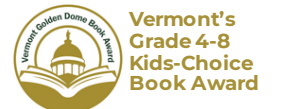
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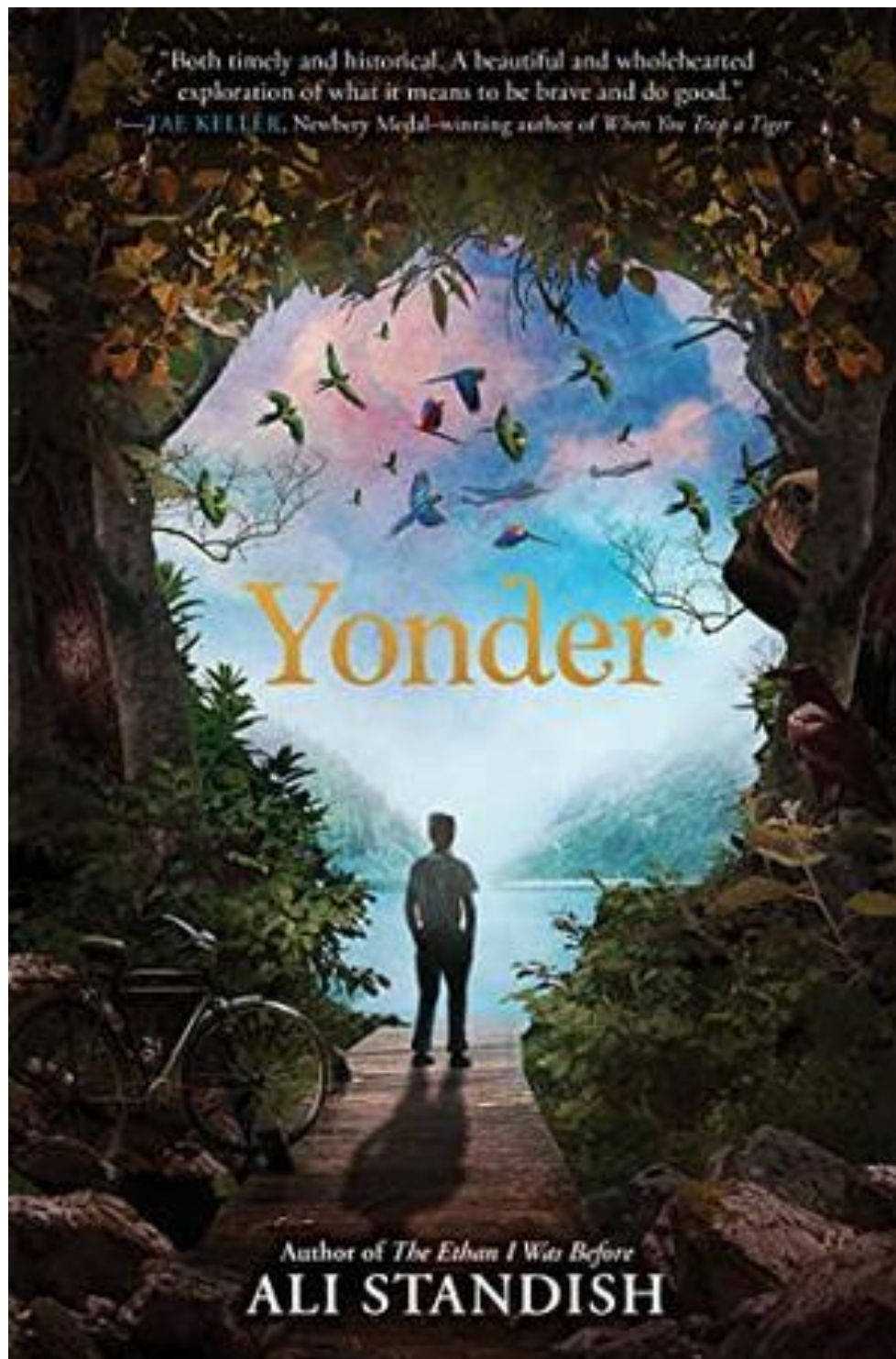
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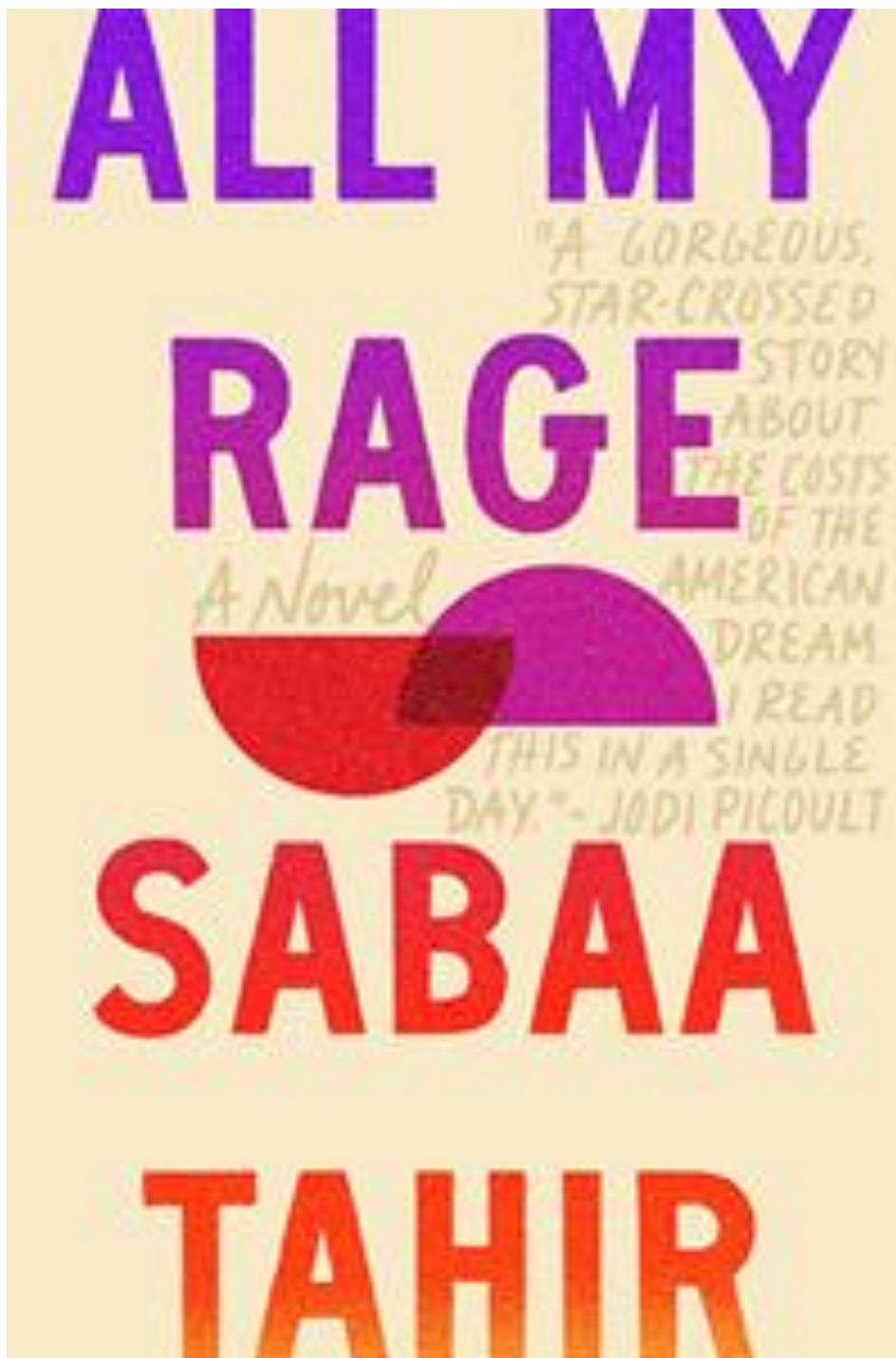


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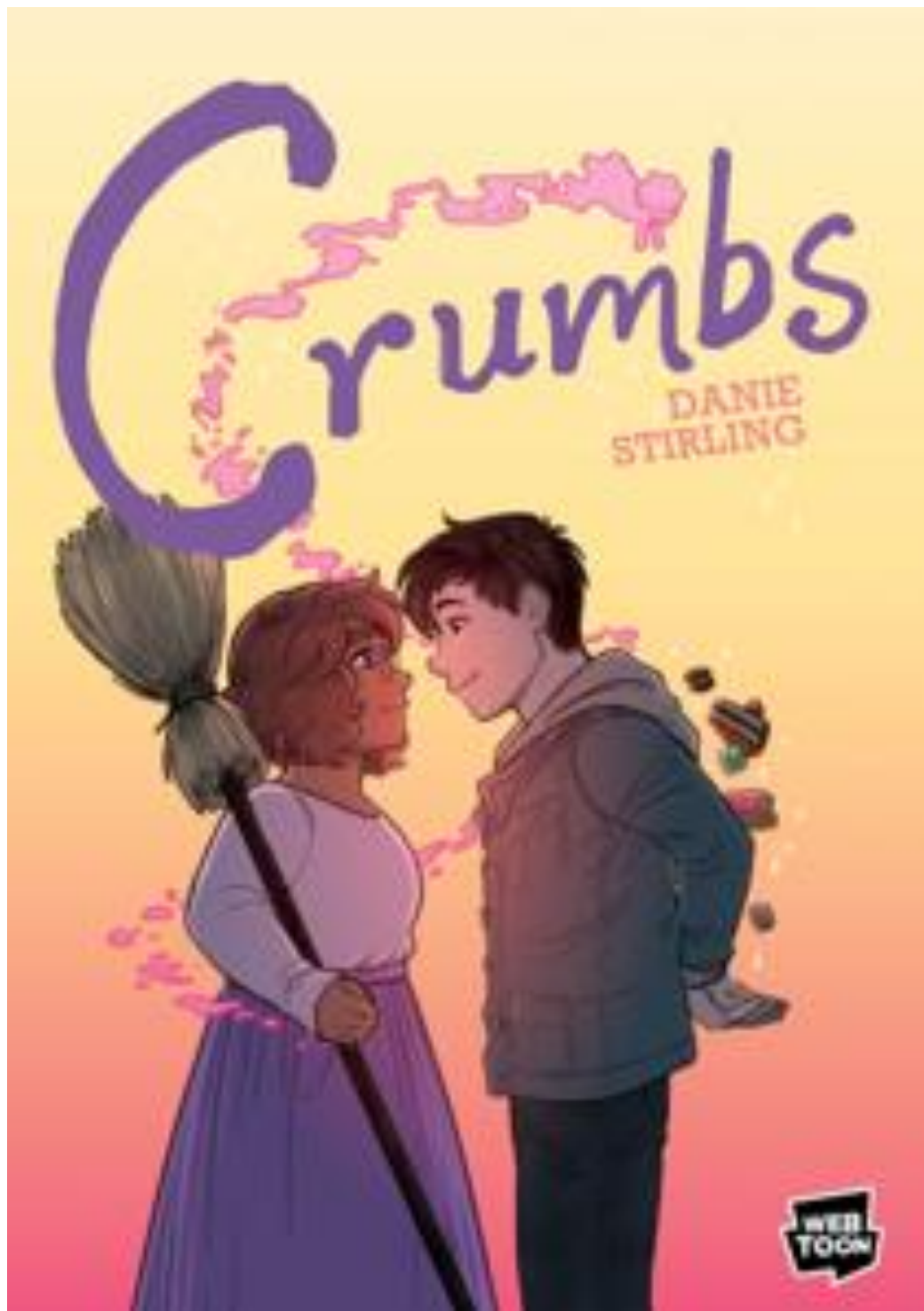
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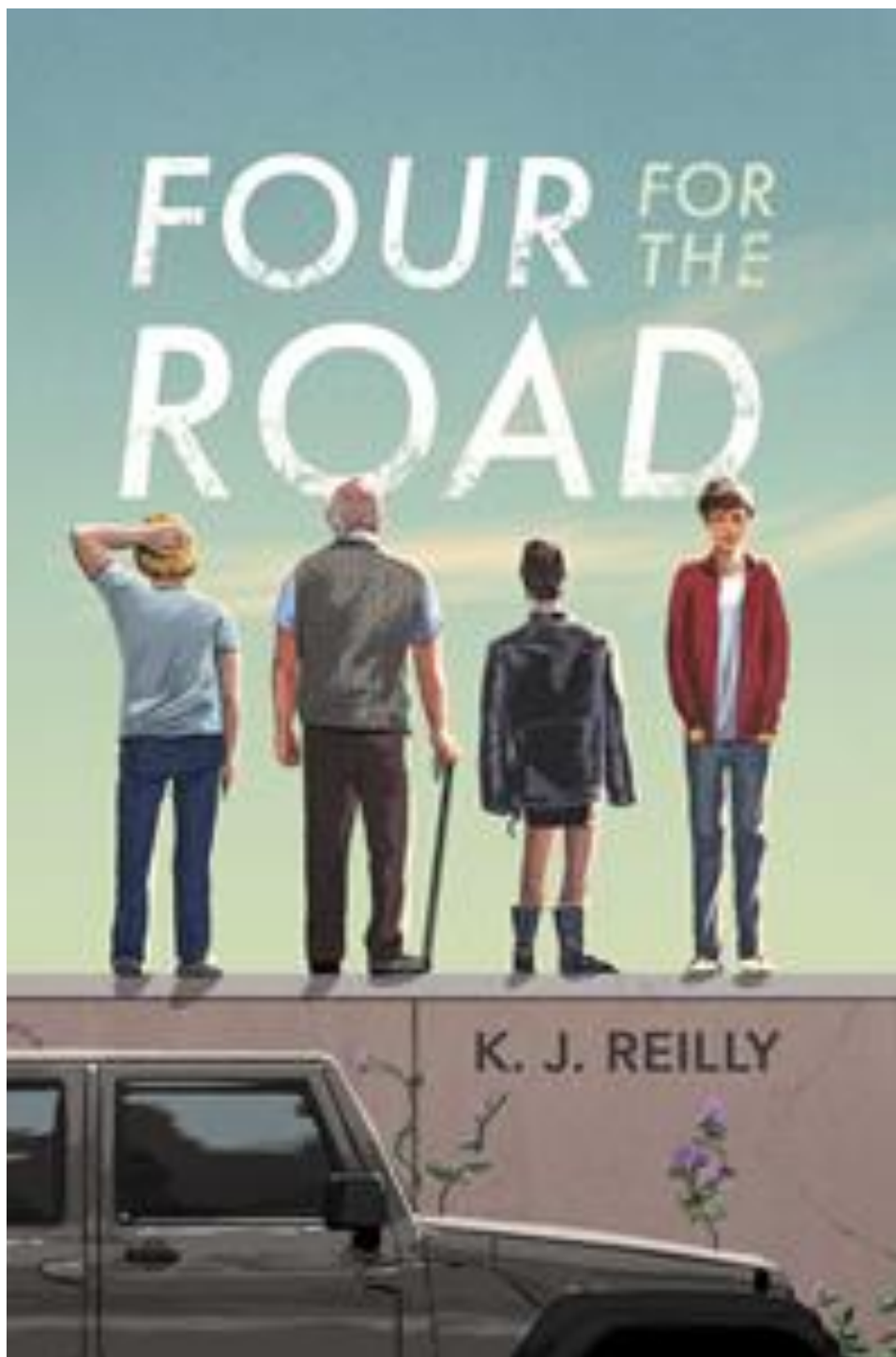
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Four for the Road
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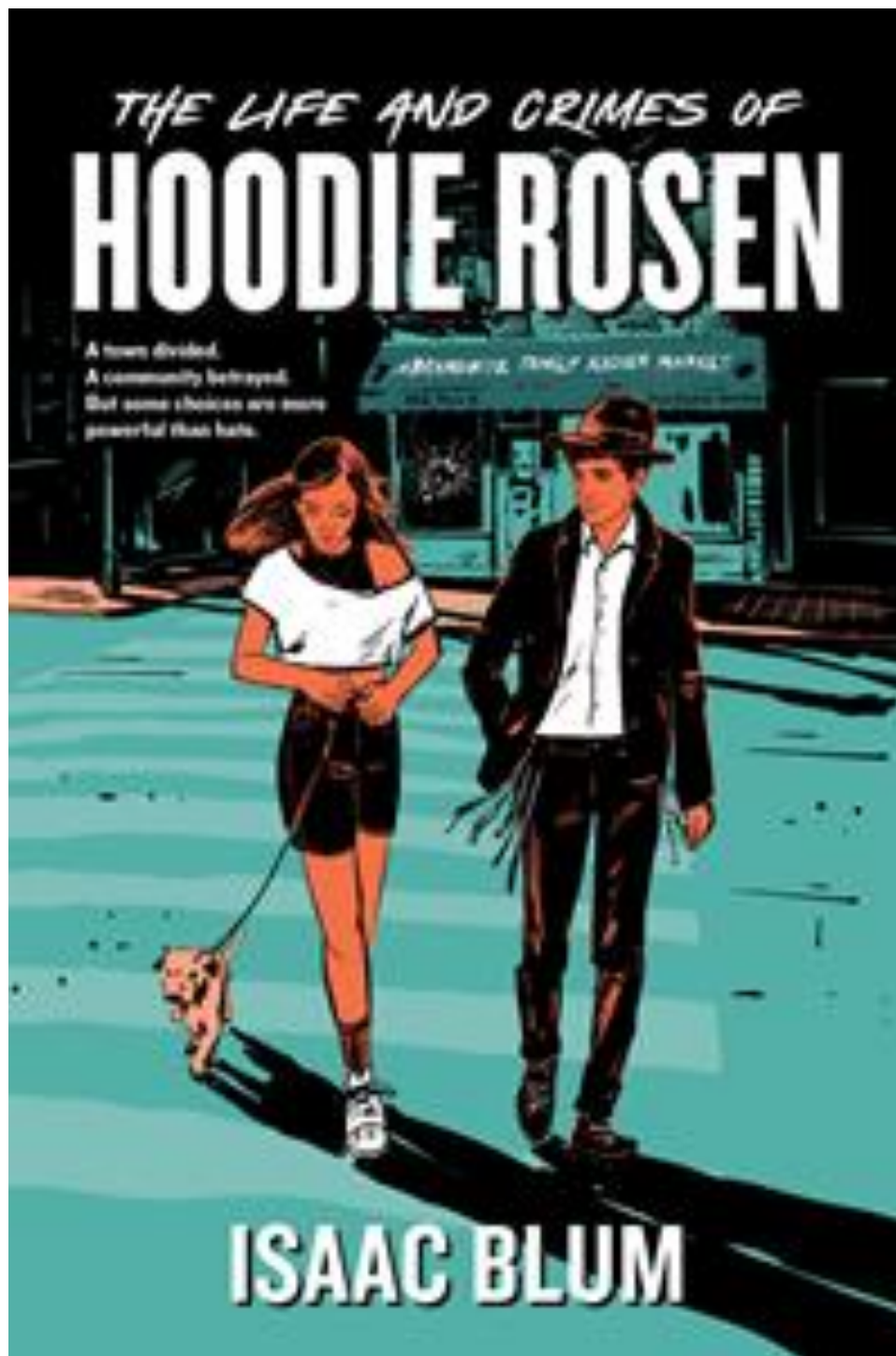
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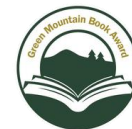
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by Zoulfa Katouh



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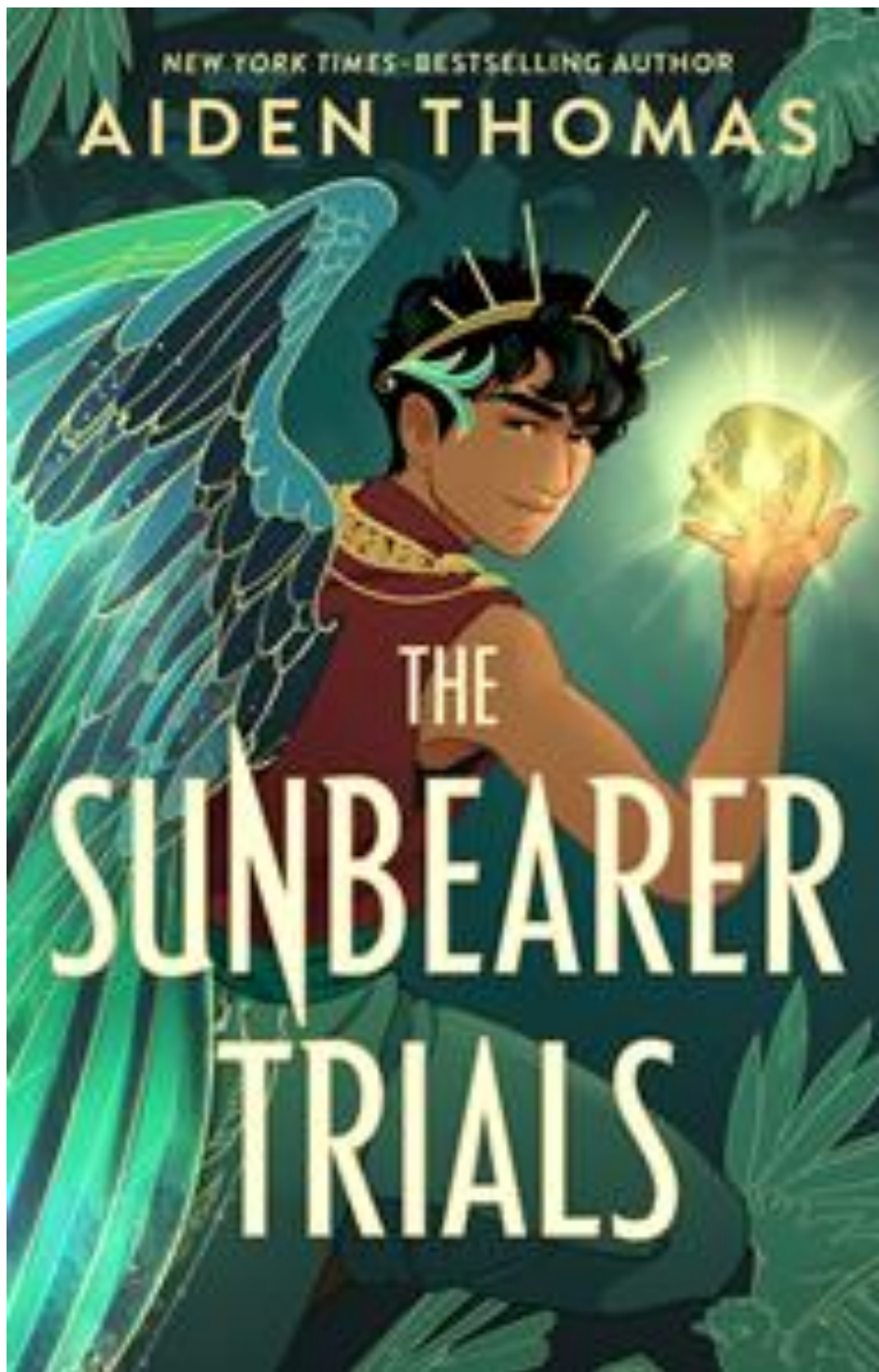
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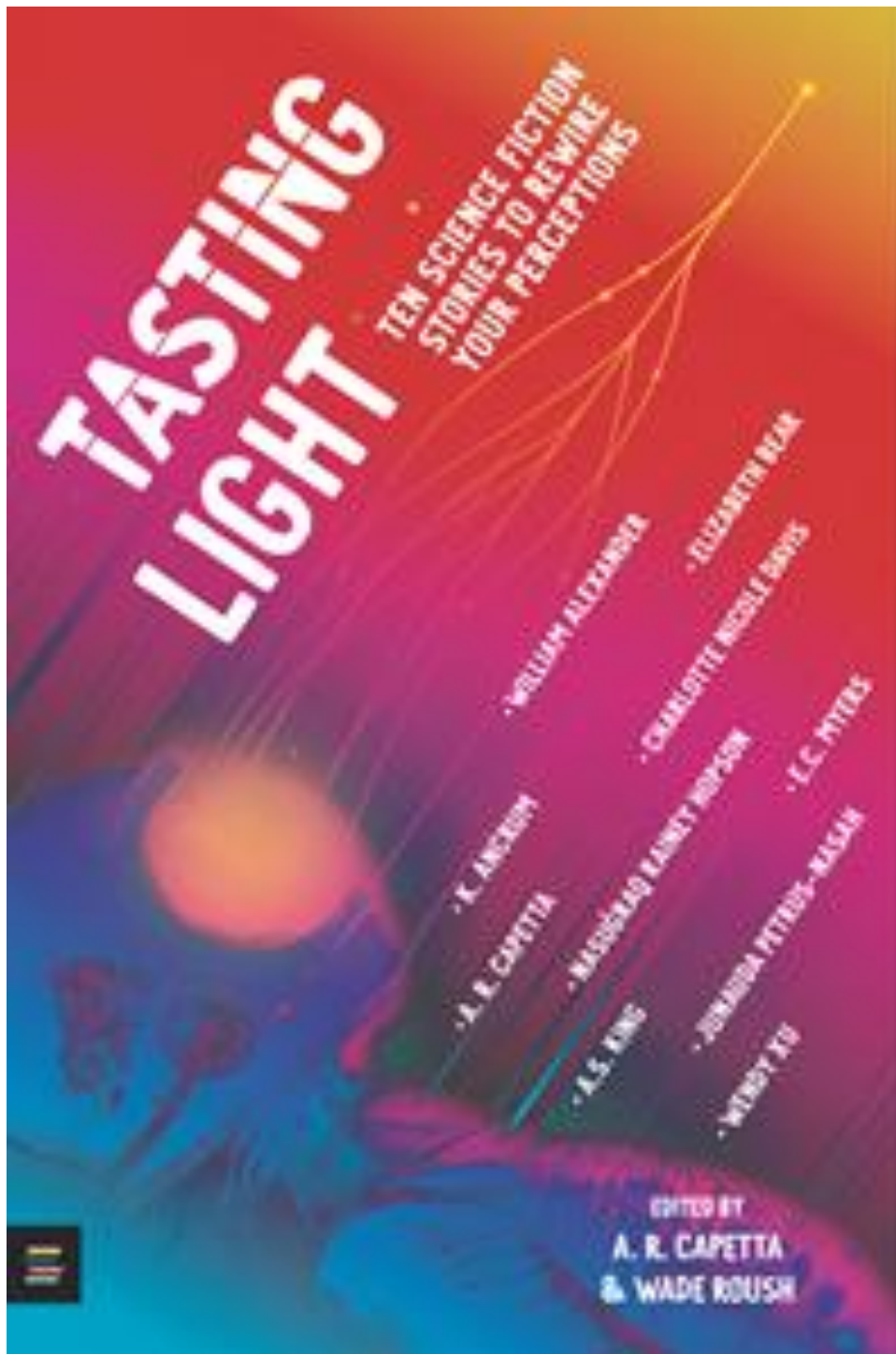
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Monuments***
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The Weight of Blood by Tiffany Jackson



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