

# CHILDREN'S BOOKS CATALOGUE PT KANISIUS 2024

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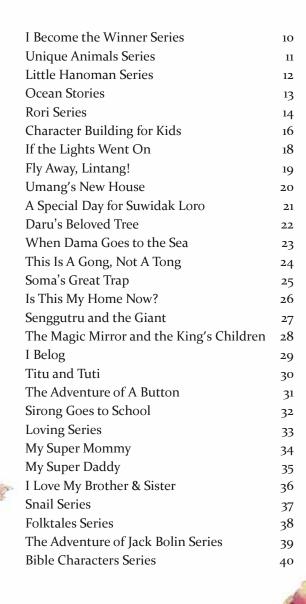
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## Niko's World Series

The book series, *Niko's World* tells a story of friendships between four special needs (SEN) children with individual uniqueness. Navigating new situations and social interactions at school is not an easy task. The main character is Niko, a child with Autism. Although he often shows unawareness of daily social situations, his friends do not treat him differently. They help him adjust and feel comfortable. Slowly but surely, they all find ways to adapt to the changing environment.



New School Experience ISBN 978-979-21-7835-7 (Bahasa Indonesia)



Surprising School Report ISBN 978-979-21-7837-1 (Bahasa Indonesia)

#### About The Author

Alda Trisda resides in Kortenberg, Belgium with her husband and two children. The book series was inspired by her second child, Niko, who was born with non-verbal Autism. However, since receiving treatment for Apraxia, he has developed communicative abilities. The author shares this experience through her blog https:// medium.com/@aldatrisda in hopes that it can help other children in similar situations.

#### About the Illustrator

NIKO AND A

Niko's World Series 2023 Children Book/Picture Book All rights available 24 pages 21 x 21 cm Niko and the Magic Show ISBN 978-979-21-7836-4 (Bahasa Indonesia) Maman Sulaeman resides in Bandung, Indonesia. He has worked as an illustrator for children's books since 1993. In 2006, he established the Mantox Studio for illustration work. Some of his works are available on his Instagram account @maman\_mantox.

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## Let's Manage Money Series

*Let's Manage Money* series of books is an educational books for children to introduce financial literacy through simple daily practice acts. Aside from the knowledge, it is hoped that the children will have senses and concerns through habit formation based on the stories in these series.



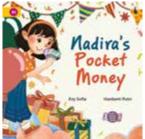
The series consist of three different titles about how to save money well, how to manage pocket money and how to appreciate small change which is useful in selling and buying activities.

#### About The Author

**Evy Sofia** is domiciled in Solo City, Central Java, Indonesia. She graduated from the Faculty of Psychology, Gadjah Mada University for her bachelor degree and then achieved Master of Science in Psychology from Muhammadiyah Surakarta University. Evy involves in writing activities and occasionally becomes a guest speaker for live talk shows about psychology on Solopos FM radio. Some of Evy's writings can also be seen in various print and online media.

#### About the Illustrator

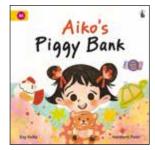
Hardanti Putri is currently working as a freelance illustrator and a full-timer in one of the government organization. Apart from illustrating editorial field, Danti is also specialized in illustrating pattern design. Her illustrations have been applied to various apparel products. Danti also likes to make digital content about illustration tips and tricks that can be found in various social media platforms.



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Rafi's Dime ISBN 978-979-21-7795-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)



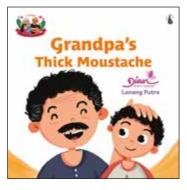
Aiko's Piggy Bank ISBN 978-979-21-7797-8 (Bahasa Indonesia)

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### I Love Grandpa and Grandma



Grandma and Grandpa's Mysterious Book ISBN 978-979-21-7433-5 (Bahasa Indonesia)



Grandpa's Thick Moustache ISBN 978-979-21-7591-2 (Bahasa Indonesia)



**Grandma's Wrinkled Hand** ISBN 978-979-21-7592-9 (Bahasa Indonesia)

I Love Grandpa and Grandma series consists of 3 books that motivates children to realize the love of grandparents in their life. Through the grandparents' unique ways of loving their grandchildren, this series support the children to learn how to respect older people. In addition, it also encourages the children to feel the neverending affection of grandparents deeply.

#### About Author

**Dian Nofitasari,** a mother of three boys who lives in Banjarnegara. She was graduated from English Literature UGM and became the principal of an elementary school in Yogyakarta. She loves to read and read stories. Being part of childhood across the country is one of the motivation of writing children's stories. Any interesting things about her can be seen on Instragram @dian11nofitasari.

#### About Illustrator

Lanang Putro lives Yogyakarta. His passion for drawing children's books has begin since 2017. Nowadays he develops learning media to draw and create works in www.kecilberkarya. com. His illustrations can be seen on Instagram @nanglanangg. He is glad to answer it by email lanangstudio41@gmail.com.

**Evina Dean** is a freelance illustrator who likes to play the violin, eats meatballs, and lives in Bandung. Since childhood, she loved coloring activities. She was graduated from Sekolah Tinggi Desain Indonesia, majored in Design and Communication Visual. Some of her works can be seen on Instragram @nipipin.

#### I Love Grandpa and Grandma

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### Let's Respect Each Other Series



Pipi Learns to Line Up ISBN 978-979-21-7597-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)



Lolo Learns to Listen ISBN 978-979-21-7596-7 (Bahasa Indonesia)



Nana Learn to Say Magic Words ISBN 978-979-21-7595-0 (Bahasa Indonesia)

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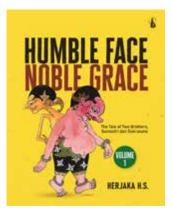
*Let's Respect Each Other series* tells about how to behave well to others in daily activities. It teaches the children the importance of being polite, having great attitude, respecting others, listen to others, saying "excuse me" and "thank you", and being orderly. The funny characters of this series can also motivate the children to be more enthusiastic to learn moral value.

#### About the Author and Illustrator

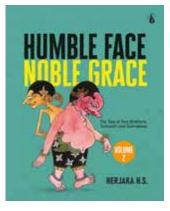
**Stella Ernes** was born in Jakarta, January 6, 1983. She graduated from Tarumanegara University, Faculty of Visual Art and Design in 2005. She is interested in writing and drawing, especially picture books and becomes an illustrator for her own books or other writers' books. Her passion for children books lets her write a lot of picture books and children stories for newspaper or magazine. Now she lives in Bogor with her family.



### Humble Face Noble Grace



Humble Face Noble Grace: The Tale of Two Brothers, Sumantri and Sukrasana Vol. 1 ISBN 978-979-21-7600-1 (Bahasa Indonesia)



Humble Face Noble Grace: The Tale of Two Brothers, Sumantri and Sukrasana Vol. 2 ISBN 978-979-21-7601-8 (Bahasa Indonesia) Humble Face Noble Grace: The Tale of Two Brothers, Sumantri and Sukrasana is an Indonesian puppet story of two siblings who have contradictive characters. Sumantri is so handsome and powerfull, while Sukrasana has a humble face, kind, and love the nature. One day Sumantri got a problem and Sukrasana tried to help him. Unfortunately, Sumantri was so ambitious and didn't admit Sukrasana as his younger brother because of his physical appearance. Through these books the readers can encourage themselves to love every creature and as well as be keep the peace in the world.

#### About the Author and Illustrator

**Drs.** Petrus Agus Herjaka, a Department of Fine Arts graduate at IKIP Yogyakarta who has regulary participated in art exhibitions since 1985. Until 2023, participated in 66 group exhibitions and held 15 solo exhibitions. Some of the group exhibition were held at several places in Indonesia, also in Phnom Penh, Cambodia and Consulate General of Chicago in USA.

In addition to painting, he also actively engaged in writing and has published several *wayang* books. These include *Dewabrata Lahir* 'The Born of Dewabrata (Lembaga Studi Asia, 1995), a semi-comic series on *Mahabharata* published by Kanisius in Indonesian (2005) and English (2006). His Works can be viewed through the website herjaka.com or Herjaka Art. Additionally, he can be contacted via email at bajang\_ar@yahoo.co.id and through his mobile phone at +6281328859556

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### **OGGI AND FRIENDS**



OGGI AND FRIENDS, Story of Faith, Hope, and Love 2023 ISBN 978-979-21-7475-5 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children Book/Picture Book All rights available 48 pages Oggi is a cute co 21 x 27 mm baying his own



#### **About Author**

Martin Chandrawinata is a construction engineer who dreamed of building bridges and tall buildings. He worked on the construction of St. Regis San Francisco and the New Bay Bridge. His wife, Wenny, likes to cook and eat delicious food. Both were born and raised in Indonesia. Together they like traveling, seeing new places, taking photographs, and reading bedtime stories to their children, Chelsea and Peter.

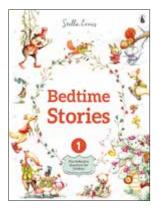
#### About Illustrator

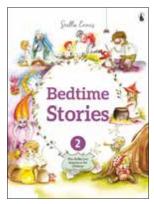
Ariel Hsu is an illustrator, licensing designer and concept artist. She works in both digital and traditional media and likes to simplify some complicated things with shapes and bright colors! Ariel enjoys finding inspiration from nice and kind people, animals, and musical shows. Ariel completed her MFA degree of Visual Development and graduated from the Academy of Art University in 2017. She now lives in Taiwan and works as freelance illustrator.

Oggi is a cute corgi dog. He likes to cook and eat desserts. He dreams of having his own bakery. Can he succeed? Many trials and challenges lie ahead. Does he give up? Will he continue or pray for help? What will happen to Oggi's dream? Find out in this book, *Oggi and Friends, Story of Faith, Hope, and Love.* 

This book consists of four stories. They are *The Gritty Oggi, The Wise King's Diamond, The Secret Berry,* and *The Power of Good Name.* These stories carry a message of perseverance, faith, hope, and love for God and compassion for others. This book is illustrated in a series of funny characters with the hope they will spur good deeds and actions for generations to come.







BEDTIME STORIES 1 ISBN 978-979-21-6412-1 (Bahasa Indonesia)

BEDTIME STORIES 2 ISBN 978-979-21-6413-8 (Bahasa Indonesia)

Bedtime Stories 1 and Bedtime Stories 2 are collection stories books. Each book has 24 stories which could be read separately. Beside teaching moral values, this book also helps developing children's imagination and empathy. It encourages the readers to think critically through reflective questions at the end of each chapter.



#### About the Author and Illustrator

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**Bedtime Stories** 

2020 Children's Book/Picture Book 80 pages 20 cm x 27 cm



### I Become the Winner Series

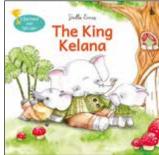


THE WALNUTS' GREAT DAY ISBN 978-979-21-5609-6 (Bahasa Indonesia)

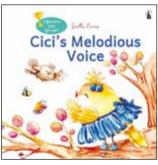


THE CARROT CANDY ISBN 978-979-21-5611-9 (Bahasa Indonesia)





THE KING KELANA ISBN 978-979-21-5613-3 (Bahasa Indonesia)



CICI'S MELODIOUS VOICE ISBN 978-979-21-5612-6 (Bahasa Indonesia)

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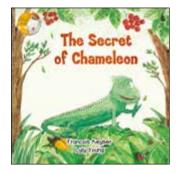
I Become the Winner Series consists of 5 titles that tell about winning experiences through daily activities that can be experienced by children. The word "win" is often interpreted simply, such as defeating opponents and being the best. Through the stories in this series, children are taught the meaning of a broader winner, that not only related to the race. The real winner means honesty, compassion, empathy, wisdom, courage, and avoiding selfishness.

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I Become the Winner Series 2018 Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 23 cm x 23 cm

### **Unique Animals Series**

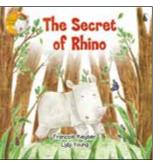




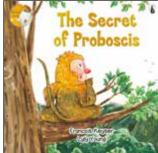


#### About Author

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THE SECRET OF PROBOSCIS ISBN 978-979-21-5843-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)



THE SECRET OF RHINO ISBN 978-979-21-5842-7 (Bahasa Indonesia)

This series teaches various moral values in the background of life in the forest. In addition, to stimulate children to aware the critical thinking field, this series also provides knowledge about the uniqueness of each animal character. Children are introduced to the endangered species with the "Unity in Diversity" theme. Francois Keyser is a South African author who writes in multiple genres. He wanted to be an author since he was a child and finally decided to pursue his childhood dream in 2010. Since then he has authored a number of children's books including the "Junglies" series. He has also established a Family Creative Center with his wife and a partner in Bandung, Indonesia.

#### About Illustrator

Lyly Young graduated from graphic design and has illustrated some children's books since 2010. She also teaches drawing art to young children. The books she illustrated have been published locally as well as internationally.

#### **Unique Animals Series**

2019 Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 23 cm x 23 cm

### Little Hanoman Series

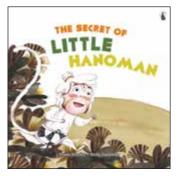


**THE DREAM OF LITTLE HANOMAN** ISBN 978-979-21-6387-2 (Bahasa Indonesia)



HANOMAN AND LINTANG RINO ISBN 978-979-21-6837-2 (Bahasa Indonesia)

Little Hanoman series tells the story of the adventures and efforts of Little Hanoman to be able to meet his father in heaven. Although Hanoman is different from children in general, but his heart and attitude are really kind. This series introduces the unique Indonesian puppet character and can be a role model for children. This series presents folklore in a modern picture book format.



THE SECRET OF LITTLE HANOMAN ISBN 978-979-21-6386-5 (Bahasa Indonesia)

## Little Hanoman Series

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#### About the Author

Yoana Dianika was born in Madiun on January 18. After graduated from Japanese Literature at Airlangga University, she currently resides in Madiun. Aside from being a writer and editor, she also expand her capability in photography and make-up artist.

#### About the Illustrator

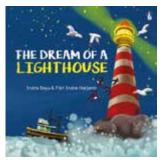
**Kezia Josephine** is a freelance illustrator and designer who was born and grew up in Bandung. Now, she studies more about Visual Communication Design at the Institut Teknologi Bandung. While continuing his studies, Kezia explored the world of illustration with various media explorations to recall her childhood with children's books.

### **Ocean Stories**

This ocean story series entitled *Rudi and an Old Tug Boat, The Dream of a Lighthouse,* and *The Shiny Anchor* present ships, lighthouses, and anchors as interesting characters to encourage children knowing the life in the ocean. Behind the stories presented, there are moral messages as well as interesting knowledge as valuable materials for children. In Rudi's story, children are invited to honor an older person. Besides, children are invited to accept themselves, as well as the anchor story. Enjoy the wonderful illustrations and feel the adventure of the character stories!



RUDI AND AN OLD TUG BOAT ISBN 978-979-21-5370-5 (Bahasa Indonesia)



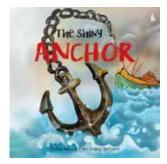
THE DREAM OF A LIGHTHOUSE ISBN 978-979-21-5371-2 (Bahasa Indonesia)

#### **About Author**

Fitri Indra Harjanti was born in Magelang and lives in Yogyakarta with her family. She is a Training Officer at Rifka Annisa, an NGO that concern on women problems. She describes herself as firework because she is cheerful, energetic, and lively.

#### **About Illustrator**

**Indra Bayu** is a freelance illustrator. He lives in Yogyakarta with his family. He has been interested in the world of drawing since childhood. He likes to learn new things and studies illustrations on his own.



THE SHINY ANCHOR ISBN 978-979-21-5372-9 (Bahasa Indonesia)

#### **Ocean Stories**

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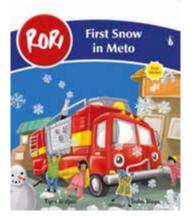


*Rori Series* tells about the unique adventures of Rori, a fire truck, along with other community-helper cars. Rori has the ability to squirt snow and likes to help his friends happily. This series supports the parents to teach some important values such as the desire to be useful, disappointment, failure, and self-acceptance.

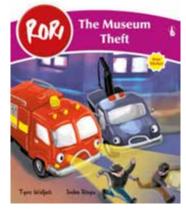




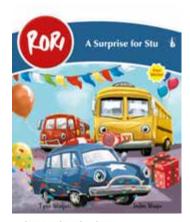




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#### **About Author**

Tyas Widjati is a writer who often travels to different cities and experiences the wonders of the different cultures in Indonesia. Her dream is to capture those beautiful memories into writing. *The Rori Series* is her first published book.

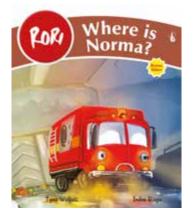
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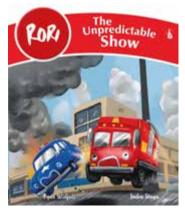
#### **Rori Series**

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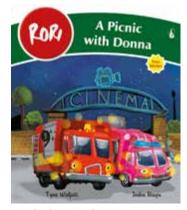




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THE UNPREDICTABLE SHOW 2019 ISBN 978-979-21-6213-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)



A PICNIC WITH DONNA 2019 ISBN 978-979-21-6214-1 (Bahasa Indonesia)

### Character Building for Kids

*Character Building for Kids* series consists of seven books. The newest titles are *I Love My Family* and *I Love My Friends*. Each book has interesting activities to encourage the children's affection. It will motivate them to enjoy both reading the story and expressing their feelings through the activities eagerly.



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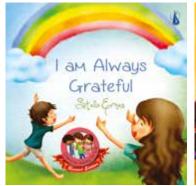
I LOVE MY FAMILY 2017 ISBN 978-979-21-5169-5 (Bahasa Indonesia)

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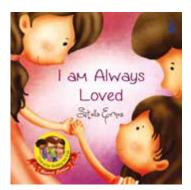
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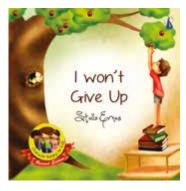
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#### Character Building for Kids 2013 Children's Book/Picture Book 32 pages 20,5 cm x 20,5 cm

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### If the Lights Went On



Light can be easily found. At home, on the highway, in the city park, on the beach, and at some other places.

Lights serve many purposes: lighting, controlling traffic, decoration, and so on. If the lights went out, all activities could be distracted.

#### About the Author

Avan Fathurrahman was born in Batuputih Laok Village, Sumenep, Madura. Currently serving at SDN Batuputih Laok III, Batuputih District, Sumenep. Apart from writing books, he is active as a storyteller, reporter and broadcaster on Radio Pornama FM Sumenep. He is also active in mobilizing the Sumenep storytelling community and managing the Nurul Fajriah Library. Some of his writings were published in book form. His writings in the form of articles, poetry, essays and short stories were published in several mass media.

#### About the Illustrator

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Rizqia Sadida, familiarly called Dida, is a Bekasi-born illustrator. Since childhood, Dida really liked to draw and read story books. Through the illustrations she made, Dida hopes that they can be useful and give meaning, and bring lots of smiles, especially for children.

## IF THE LIGHTS WENT ON



If the Lights Went On 2020 ISBN 978-979-21-6362-9 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 21 cm x 29 cm



### Fly Away, Lintang!

Lintang is getting ready to join stilts race. This is his first race. Lintang is a bit nervous. In the middle of the race, Lintang is shaky and falling down. However, Lintang does not want to give up. With full of struggle and enthusiasm from his friends, Lintang is able to make it to the finish line. Lintang is not win the race, but he is happy to end the race until the finish line.

#### About the Author

**Veronica W.** is a freelance writer and editor based in Yogyakarta. Vero worked as a reporter and writer for Bobo Magazine. Some of her children's books are *The Secret of a Story, The Adventure of a Button,* and *the Eduventure si Bolang Series.* She was graduated from UGM Faculty of Psychology, Gadjah Mada University. Writing children's stories is an exciting adventure for her.

#### About the Illustrator

Hilman Makhluf is an illustrator from Kesesi, Pekalongan who decided to live in Yogyakarta after graduated from DKV ISI Yogyakarta in 2017. His interest in illustration started when little Hilman, who liked to paint on walls, wanted to look after Digimon. However, because it was impossible, he ended up drawing it. Children's book illustrations were chosen as communication to show the passion of love for their lives.



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### Umang's New House



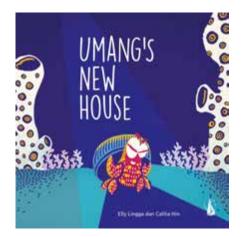
Umang's hermit crab house is too small. He needs to find a new one. He looks on the beach and under water. Umang finds a lot of interesting stuff. Unfortunately, those stuffs were garbage. Umang tries various kinds of garbage to make a house, but nothing suits and comfort. Finally, Umang finds the right shell to be his new house.

#### About the Author

**Elly Lingga** was born in Pontianak, West Kalimantan. Elly loves reading and drawing with her two children. Starting from the request of her children, she started trying to write children's stories.

#### About the Illustrator

**Calita Hin** believes that curiosity, empathy, and creativity are the keys to a better world. She also believes that books are the perfect medium for cultivating curiosity, empathy, and creativity. Calita has a dream that one day she can build a library full of books. Umang's New House is the first picture book she illustrates.



#### Umang's New House

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### A Special Day for Suwidak Loro

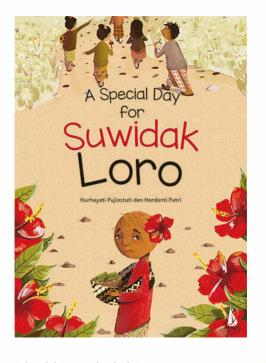
Today there is a party at the palace. Suwidak Loro has prepared special dish. She has worn beautiful dress too. Suwidak Loro has also made botok special to take to parties. But she still feels nervous, if the Princess and her friends doesn't like her and the botok she brought. Surprisingly, the princess likes and her friends like the botok. They also like to play with her. Today is a special day for Suwidak Loro.

#### About the Author

Nurhayati Pujiastuti has enjoyed writing since elementary school. Nur has received an award from IKAPI for the best children's novel in 2012 and several other writing awards. Actually, Nur wants to become a teacher, reporter, psychologist, and has a reading garden. Her current activities are writing, sharing her writing knowledge in several schools, also managing a private library and teaching children in her neighbourhood.

#### About the Illustrator

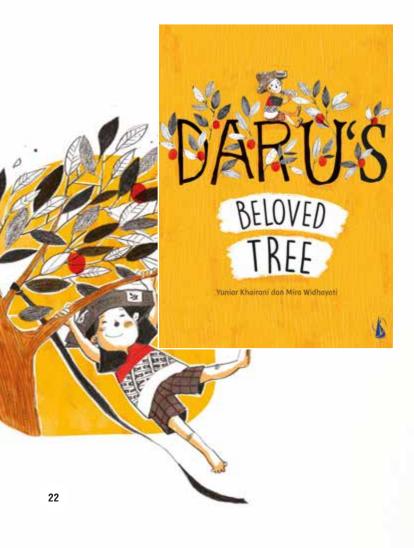
Hardanti Putri usually called Dantee, was born in Tangerang 22 years ago. Dantee is very fond of watercolor and digital drawing. Workmanship issues that usually raised are not far from everyday life, ideas based on the subconscious, or things about dreams. Since 2015 Dantee has enjoyed writing zines and publishing them independently.



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### Daru's Beloved Tree

Daru has a tree that he loves so much. But the tree is moved to the city park and Daru becomes very sad. One day, his Father offers to take him to the park to visit his beloved tree. A big surprise awaits Daru when he meets his tree again.





#### About Author

Yuniar Khairani was born in Yogyakarta. She grew up in a house that full of books and a father who always told her stories. Yuniar writes stories for children because she feels that there is a part in herself which never grew up. For Yuniar, writing makes her happy and she wants that every children can feel the same happiness too.

#### About Illustrator

**Mira Widhayati** was born in Bandung on February 6, 1991 and graduated from Visual Communication and Design, Institut Teknologi Bandung. Some of her works got awards when she was working as a graphic designer and illustrator at a magazine company in 2012. Currently she works as a freelance illustrator of books, novels, and children's stories.

Daru's Beloved Tree 2019 ISBN 978-979-21-5154-1 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 21 cm x 29 cm



### When Dama Goes to the Sea

Dama joins his father and goes fishing in the big sea. He learns to catch fish with nets and traps. Suddenly, he sees a very large fish approaching their boat. What will Dama do with the fish as it gets near their boat?





#### **About Author**

**Evi Z. Indriani** was born in Bandung. She writes with her love and hopes that her little readers feel the love. Her writings in Room to Read 2015 program titled Mantel Emas won the Samsung Kids Time Authors' Award 2016. Through this her third book When Dama Goes to Sea, she wants to share her happiness with all Indonesian kids.

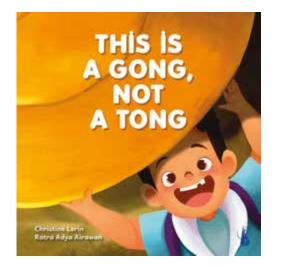
#### About Illustrator

Alvinxki began to focus his career in illustration at the beginning of 2015 and he has illustrated several children's story books and covers of novels. He loves the illustration world, especially children's book illustrations because this type of illustration has unlimited freedom in terms of either ideas, style, or media. Alvin is also a graphic designer and an animator.

When Dama Goes to the Sea 2019 ISBN 978-979-21-5828-1 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 23 cm x 23 cm

### This Is A Gong, Not A Tong

Toro meets Ajeng, his new neighbour in the village. Ajeng's family has a set of Javanese gamelan. Toro is amazed with one of the gamelan pieces called gong. What kind of sound will the giant gong make?



#### About Author

**Christine Lerin** joined social tabloid making and learning teaching activities, as a form of pay it forward. Every time she makes an art or writes a new book, she has only one expectation, that it is inspiring and becoming useful for many people.

#### About Illustrator

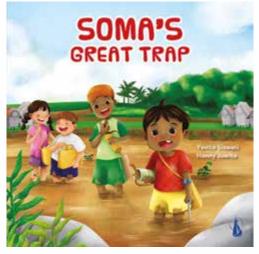
**Ratra Adya Airawan** or usually called Aira is an illustrator from Malang. He graduated from Faculty of Psychology, Gajayana University, Malang. He is an illustration and digital pictures retailer through social media.

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### Soma's Great Trap

Soma wants to join his elder brother and friends to catch eels in the rice field. He tries to make an eel trap with the other kids. He places the trap in the field and leaves it overnight. The next day, Soma finds a big surprise waiting for him!





#### About Author

Yovita Siswati has written tens of picture children books and also some children novels. One of her novels, Misteri Kota Tua [Old City Mistery] was included in 2016 in the Honor List and List of Commendable Works from International Board on Book for Young People (BBY). Graduated from the Architecture Engineering Department of Gadjah Mada University and now works in the finance department. She makes an effort in writing because it makes her happy. She can be contacted at www.yovitasiswati.com.

#### About Illustrator

Hanny Juwita was born in Jakarta on June 1991. Painting and playing are her hobbies that she cannot leave since she was a child. It brings her to become a designer as well as an illustrator.

#### Soma's Great Trap

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### Is This My Home Now?

A group of toad eggs hatch in a pond. A tadpole and her brothers come out of the eggs and swim with the help of their tails. They eat and play in the pool. Over time their tails disappear. What happens to the tadpoles?





#### **About Author**

**Evi Z. Indriani** was born in Bandung. She writes with love and expects that her little readers are able to feel her love. Her writings in Room to Read 2015 titled Mantel Emas got the Samsung Kids Time Authors' Award 2016.

#### About Illustrator

Yosia Raduck was born in Palembang in 1994. Since he was a kid, he has liked painting and watched cartoon films. In his opinion, illustration can bring someone to play with their imagination. Since he took DKV Department at Institut Teknologi Bandung in 2012, he becomes more confident with his dream to be an illustrator.

Is This My Home Now? 2019 ISBN 978-979-21-5825-0 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 23 cm x 23 cm



### Senggutru and the Giant

A baby giant lives in a cave near a village. He meets a tiny girl named Senggutru and they become friends. Will the giant also learn to be friendly with other children?

Senggutru

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#### **About Author**

Nancy Sitohang is a mom who likes baking chocolate cakes and loves watching children movies with her daughter. It was such an honour for her to be able to join Writers Workshop 2016 by Room to Read AcceleratorTM. She hopes that all Indonesian children will be able to read many good storybooks written by local writers.

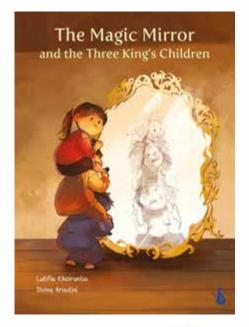
#### About Illustrator

**Gufront Vedian** was born in Jakarta on June 6, 1992. He likes the cartoon world on TV and comics. It makes him imitating his favourite cartoon character and visualizing it on the paper. He loves drawing since kindergarten until entering college where he studies right now at the Institut Seni Indonesia Yogyakarta.

Senggutru And The Giant 2019 ISBN 978-979-21-5155-8 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children's Book/Picture Book 32 pages 21 cm x 29 cm

### The Magic Mirror and the King's Children

The King's magic mirror has special powers. His children want to test the mirror's magic tricks. What do you think the children will discover about the mirror with magical powers?



#### About Author

Lutfia Khoirunisa is a graduate of the Communication Science Department of Gadjah Mada University. Her interest in children literacy has made her join the children's book discussion named Bledug Mrapi. She has also once been a children's book editor in a publishing company in Jakarta. Now Lutfi lives in Depok with her husband and son.

#### About Illustrator

**Divina Ariadini** was born in Jakarta, June 8, 1997. She studied Visual Communication Design at Institut Teknologi Bandung. Actively experienced as a graphic design for campus events, she once worked as a freelance illustrator in Haru Publishing, and did an internship in Gong Studios.

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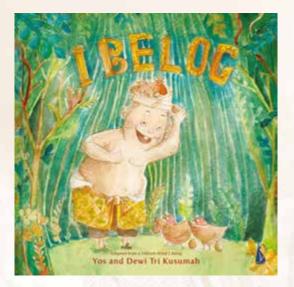
I Belog needs to buy ten eggs, two hens, and a sack of rice for the village feast. On his way home, the sack with rice gets torn, five eggs fall to the ground, and two hens escape. I Belog has a big problem to solve!

#### **About Author**

**Yos** is a mathematics teacher by profession and also a part-time translator. Although facing numbers every day, he likes literature. Right now he is administering a group in goodreads.com Sci-Fi Indonesia while finishing his first novel. I Belog is his first published picture book.

#### About Illustrator

**Dewi Tri Kusumah** has liked the world of illustration and graphic design since childhood. Her inspiration comes from kids. Dewi has illustrated several books those nominated in Nami Concours 2015 in Korea, Samsung Phinisi KidsTime Author award and got 2nd winner Scholastic Children Book.



#### I Belog

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### Titu and Tuti

Tuti likes to learn to read a book like her elder sister Titu. But first, the two little mice need to run and find a safe place to read. Where is the best place for Titu and Tuti to read a book?

#### **About Author**

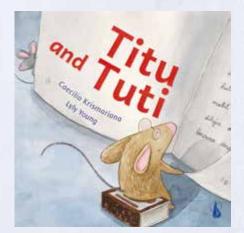
**Caecilia Krismariana** lives and works as a translator in Yogyakarta. Her hobby in reading children's book makes her also writes them. Krismariana feels happy knowing that her storybooks widely distributed and read by many kids.

#### About Illustrator

Lyly Young graduated from graphic design and has illustrated some children's books since 2010. She also teaches drawing art to young children. The books she illustrated have been published locally as well as internationally.

#### Titu and Tuti

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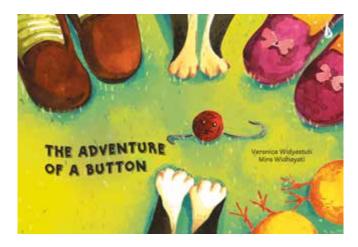






### The Adventure of A Button

A button falls down and rolls on the ground. No one cares. Nobody wants to play with it. Then a girl ties it on a balloon. The button flies high in the sky. This is fun! But, it only happens for a short moment. Finally, the button finds the right place to stay and is excited with its adventure.



#### About Author

Veronica W. is a freelance writer and editor based in Yogyakarta. Vero worked as a reporter and writer for Bobo Magazine. Some of her children's books are *The Secret of a Story, The Adventure of a Button*. She was graduated from UGM Faculty of Psychology, Gadjah Mada University. Writing children's stories is an exciting adventure for her.

#### About Illustrator

**Mira Widhayati** was born in Bandung on February 6, 1991 and graduated from Visual Communication and Design, from Institut Teknologi Bandung. Some of her works got awards when she was working as a graphic designer and illustrator at a magazine company in 2012. Currently she works as a freelance illustrator of books, novels, and children's stories.

The Adventure Of A Button 2015 ISBN 978-979-21-5011-7 (Bahasa Indonesia) Children's Book/Picture Book 24 pages 29 cm x 21 cm



### Sirong Goes to School

Sirong is getting very bored. If only Sirong could read, he wouldn't have been bored. So, Sirong decides to go to school. But, doesn't Sirong look scary? His friends will be scared of him. Sirong then does some actions to join the class. It turns out that his friends can accept him because of his funny dancing.



#### **About Author**

Watiek Ideo was born in Lumajang on April 29, 1982. She writes children's books and has published more than 110 titles. In 2014, her book, *Kisah Kota Kita*, was awarded a special commendation by President of Indonesia. She established a reading house named Lintang where more than fifty children borrow books and engage in various educational activities.

#### About Illustrator

Ferlina Gunawan is an illustrator and web designer who lives in Kediri, East Java. She was born on June 1, 1988 and graduated from Visual Communication Design of Petra Christian University. She is interested in the world of children and creates various illustrations of typical Indonesian children. *Sirong Goes to School* recalls her good times in her childhood when she was a student.

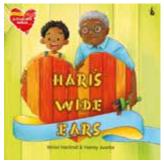
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### **Loving Series**

The stories in this book are about the spirit of loving in the family as a basis for character education through various ways. This series gives guidance to the reader to think critically about the meaning of love. All stories contain moral values of love that can be integrated in character education at schools.



ROSA'S MAGIC WORDS ISBN 978-979-21-5615-7 (Bahasa Indonesia)



HARI'S WIDE EARS ISBN 978-979-21-5614-0 (Bahasa Indonesia)

#### About Author

Wrini Harlindi was born in Kota Batu in 1970. She has written some books and many children stories in various printed medias. Writing children stories is her biggest interest, as she said "It is in the soul of children that basic education and living values are first introduced."

#### About Illustrator

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#### Loving Series

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WIDYA'S DOUGHNUTS ISBN 978-979-21-5616-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)



### My Super Mommy

*My Super Mommy* series tells about mother's love for her children through extraordinary ways, though sometimes children do not realize it. Through this story, children are expected to honor mother's role for the sake of her children's happiness. The books come with a paper frame to keep picture of mother and child who own this book.

#### **About Author**

**Christine Lerin** was born in Semarang, Central Java, Indonesia, on February 11, 1977. Becoming an author is one of her dreams. She tries to embrace the world of writing and successfully produces some books, such as children's books, motivational books, and biographies. She loves her job as an independent writer. Writing is a journey, a dream, a school, and worship for her. By writing ideas, she can learn and grow from the process.

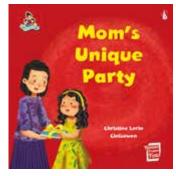
#### About Illustrator

**Cinisowen,** originally named Cynthia Maharani, comes from Magelang, Central Java. Her great skill in drawing and designing various media has brought her to become designer and part-time illustrator. By using a digital or traditional medium, she hopes her images can bring happiness for all.





MOM AND MY SPECIAL YOUNGER BROTHER ISBN 978-979-21-5378-1 (Bahasa Indonesia)



MOM'S UNIQUE PARTY ISBN 978-979-21-5377-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)



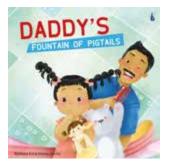
MOM'S LOVE CARDS ISBN 978-979-21-5379-8 (Bahasa Indonesia)

### My Super Daddy

*My Super Daddy* series presents father and child relationship that is expected to foster pride in the role of his father's child. On the other hand, this series provides knowledge about an important priority of father for his child in several ways. The story is presented attractively and laden with love. The books come with a paper frame to keep a picture of father and child who own this book.



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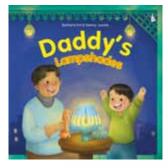
DADDY'S FOUNTAIN OF PIGTAILS ISBN 978-979-21-5373-6 (Bahasa Indonesia)

#### About Author

**Barbara Eni** was born in Sidoarjo. She likes writing since she was still at elementary school. Her writings have been published in some national magazines. The ideas of her writing were obtained from her observations of her students when she became an elementary school teacher for 22 years.

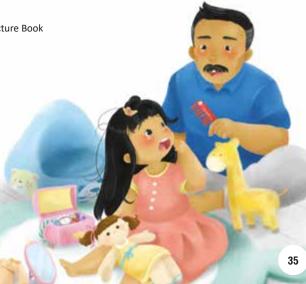
#### About Illustrator

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DADDY'S LAMPSHADES ISBN 978-979-21-5374-3 (Bahasa Indonesia)

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### I Love My Brother & Sister

I Love My Brother and Sister Series tells about kinship among children—with their brother, sister, and cousin. Sometimes they quarrel, annoy each other, and are selfish, and so on. However, children always find their way to get along later. Look at how they handle the conflict and manage their emotions. You can also use this series for reading lesson.



**BE CAREFUL, BERTO!** ISBN 978-979-21-5381-1 (Bahasa Indonesia)

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#### **About Author**

**Caecilia Krismariana** lives in Yogyakarta. She likes collecting children storybooks and enjoys reading children's books. She wants to go around Indonesia or at least her books can be enjoyed by children all over Indonesia.

#### About Illustrator

Yuphita Nofihantiwi lives in Yogyakarta. She sometimes sketches or paints with oil painting in her spare time. She worked for a few years as a 2D artist in a game studio until decided to focus on the illustration as a freelancer.



A PRESENT FOR ARUNA ISBN 978-979-21-5382-8 (Bahasa Indonesia)



THE TWINS AND BABON ISBN 978-979-21-5380-4 (Bahasa Indonesia)

### **Snail Series**

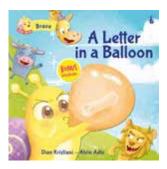
Snail Series tells the stories of friendship between a snail and some other animals. The stories of friendship and its similar problems are likely to be experienced by children in general. In addition, this books also teach the value of bravery, responsibility and mutual help that can be imitated by children.



THE COLORFUL HAT ISBN 978-979-21-5173-2 (Bahasa Indonesia)



A NEW NEEDLE ISBN 978-979-21-5177-0 (Bahasa Indonesia)



A LETTER IN A BALLOON ISBN 978-979-21-5175-6 (Bahasa Indonesia)

#### **Snail Series**

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#### About Author

Dian Kristiani was born in Semarang on June 12, 1974. This mother with two children graduated from Faculty of Philosophy, Gadjah Mada University in 1997. At the beginning, Dian only wrote for her kids. However, since 2009, some of her writings have begun to be published nationally, and also were published in various children magazines. Since then, Dian focuses on writing books for children. She has already written more than a hundred books.

#### About Illustrator

Alvin Adhi Mulyono was born on May 20, 1993 in Semarang. Alvin is a story and comics illustrator, especially the ones related with children. Because of his passion for pictures, cartoons and story telling, he focused his study in the Visual Communication Design Department in Surabaya. He also teaches picture art and digital painting.



### **Folktales Series**

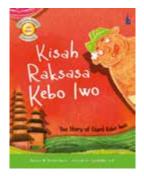
The writers present stories that come from Indonesia and some other countries in bilingual story book with illustration. Through these stories, the writers hope that children are able to learn the moral values while increasing their English reading and translating ability.

#### **About Author**

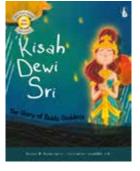
**Suroso** worked as a translator at Foster Parents Plan International since he became an active college student. Together with several colleagues, he founded the English Bureau, an agency of translation and English private lessons. Having earned a bachelor's degree, he worked in the editorial department at the school-book publishing. During his life, he actively wrote textbooks and story books for children.

#### **Folktales Series**

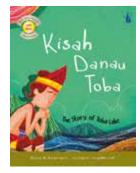
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Endah Pamulatsih often called Endy, was born on

October 19, 1990. Graduated on November 26,

About Illustrator

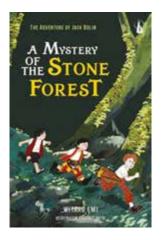
Yogyakarta.

**Sony Prasetyotomo** was born on January 2, 1986. He studied Visual Communication Design at Institut Seni Indonesia, Yogyakarta. He has created some murals, illustrated books, and other freelance designs around Indonesia.



JAKA AND THE MAGIC BEAN TREE ISBN 978-979-21-0368-6 (Bahasa Indonesia)

### The Adventure of Jack Bolin Series





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### A Mystery of the Stone Forest

Jack disregarded Lin Lin's order not to enter Stone Forest. He was curious why Lin Lin forbade him to go there. When Jack entered the forest, he met Bobol, his friend. Suddenly a woman with a long hair and white cloth appeared; her face was scary. She was Suminten, a woman with mental disorder who roamed in that forest. Jack and

A Mystery of the Stone Forest ISBN 978-979-21-7218-8 (Bahasa Indonesia) 152 pages Bobol ran away when they saw her. Jack realized that there was something wrong in Stone Forest.

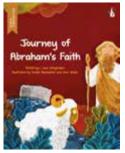
#### A Mystery of a Red Ghost

Jack moves to Ngulup Village, a small village in Ponorogo, to live with his grandfather, Mbah Suro. Jack had to adapt to the new place and people. One of the new friends he met was Lin Lin, a girl the same age as Jack. She always followed him. One day Jack was harassed by Awang's gang when he met them on his way to a forest. Since Jack did

A Mystery of a Red Ghost ISBN 978-979-21-7219-5 (Bahasa Indonesia) 120 pages not want to fight, Jack posed a challenge to enter the reputed haunted house, Villa Banaspati, on Friday night. Those who did not flee became the winners.

#### **About Author**

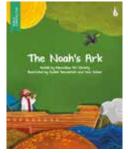
Witaru Emi known as a writer in the thriller, horror, and mystery genres from Indonesia. Since 2005 she has successfully published 11 big screen adapted novels and dozens of other independent novels.



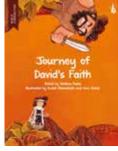
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This series of Bible Characters narrates some characters of

the Bible stories, both in the Old Testament and the New

Testament. Through reading this series, children are invited

to know those characters closer, especially on the virtue of

each character. Besides knowing the characters better, the

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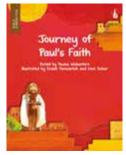
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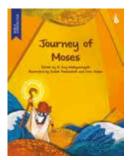
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#### About Illustrator

Endah Pamulatsih often called Endy, was born on October 19, 1990. Graduated on November 26, 2013, she majored Visual Communication Design from Institut Seni Indonesia, Yogyakarta. She has been working as a freelance illustrator and book cover designer for local and national publishers.

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#### **About Author**

This series are retold by the team of Kanisius' editors. They retold the story and constructed these picture books of some characters in the Bible in an interesting manner that hopefully will attract the children's and teenagers's curiosity in perceiving some characters in the Bible better.

#### reading these books and afterwards reflect on it together.



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