

# 2023 CEA Book Buzz: Picture Book Edition

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| Title  | Notes   |
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| <i>Psalms of Wonder</i><br>Carey Wallace           | Poems inspired by the book of Psalms<br>Use for Bible study and devotions |
| <i>Fish and Crab</i><br>Marianna Coppo             | Friendship   Big Feelings   Anxiety & Worry                               |
| <i>How to Count to 1</i><br>Caspar Salmon          | Not your average counting book  |
| <i>I Am Stuck</i><br>Julia Mills                   | Friendship   Big Feelings   Frustrated & Helpless                         |
| <i>Butt or Face?</i><br>Kari Lavelle               | Animal Characteristics  |
| <i>A Delicious Story</i><br>Barney Saltzberg       | Beginning the Year   Writing  |
| <i>Bitsy Bat, School Star</i><br>Kaz Windness      | Accepting Differences   Autism<br>God's Big Words Devotions   IMAGE       |
| <i>How to Party Like A Snail</i><br>Naseem Hrab    | Accepting Differences   Introverts  |
| <i>We Are Going to Be Pals!</i><br>Mark Teague     | Friendship   What does it take to be a friend?                            |
| <i>Not All Sheep Are Boring!</i><br>Bobby Moynihan | This one is just funny. 😊   |

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| <i>Cocoa Magic</i><br>Sandra Bradley                       | God's Big Word Devotions   COMPASSION   |
| <i>This Story Is Not About a Kitten</i><br>Randall deSeve  | God's Big Words Devotions   COMPASSION<br>Community   Helping                 |
| <i>BIG</i><br>Vashti Harrison                              | Big Feelings   Hurt & Shame<br>God's Big Words Devotions   IMAGE              |
| <i>Tree Hole Homes</i><br>Melissa Stewart                  | Outdoor Education   Animal Habitats   |
| <i>Beneath</i><br>Cori Doerrfeld                           | Grandparents   Grief   Big Feelings<br>God's Big Words Devotions   COMPASSION |
| <i>Dear Mr. G</i><br>Christine Evans                       | Friendship  |
| <i>When PB Met J</i><br>Katelyn Aronson                    | Friendship  |
| <i>Nothing's Wrong!</i><br>Jory John                       | Friendship<br>God's Big Words Devotions   TRUTH                               |
| <i>Elena Rides</i><br>Juana Medina                         | Early Reader<br>God's Big Word Devotions   PERSEVERANCE                       |
| <i>Maurice</i><br>Jessixa Bagley                           | Friendship   Big Feelings   |
| <i>My Baba's Garden</i><br>Jordan Scott                    | Grandparents  |
| <i>Never Forget Eleanor</i><br>Jason June                  | Grandparents   Alzheimers   |
| <i>On the Corner of Chocolate Avenue</i><br>Tziporah Cohen | Biography about Milton Hershey  |
| <i>Destiny Finds Her Way</i><br>Margarita Engle            | Informational Text  |

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| <i>Wants vs. Needs vs. Robots</i><br>Michael Rex          | Economics/Social Studies   Needs and Wants                          |
| <i>How to Say Hello to a Worm</i><br>Kari Percival        | Introduction to the Outdoors and Gardening<br>Outdoor Education     |
| <i>Groundhog Gets It Wrong</i><br>Jess Townes             | Holiday   Groundhog Day<br>Problem-Solution Story                   |
| <i>The Candy Dish</i><br>Kobi Yamada                      | Appreciating What You Have  |
| <i>The Things God Made</i><br>Andy McGuire                | Creation Story   Bible, Science, & Art<br>Best for upper elementary |
| <i>Snake's Big Mistake</i><br>Sarah Kurpiel               | God's Big Words Devotions   TRUTH<br>Friendship   Restoration       |
| <i>Mr. S</i><br>Monica Arnaldo                            | Back to School Fun!   |
| <i>God, I Feel Sad</i><br>Michelle Nietert & Tama Fortner | Big Feelings   Sadness  |
| <i>The Bright Side</i><br>Chad Otis                       | God's Big Words Devotions   ATTITUDE                                |
| <i>A Little Ferry Tale</i><br>Chad Otis                   | God's Big Words Devotions   IMAGE                                   |
| <i>Hot Dog</i><br>Doug Salati                             | Bringing Peace to Chaos   |
| <i>Ups and Downs</i><br>Mike Wohnoutka                    | Big Feelings   Emotion Overview                                     |

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