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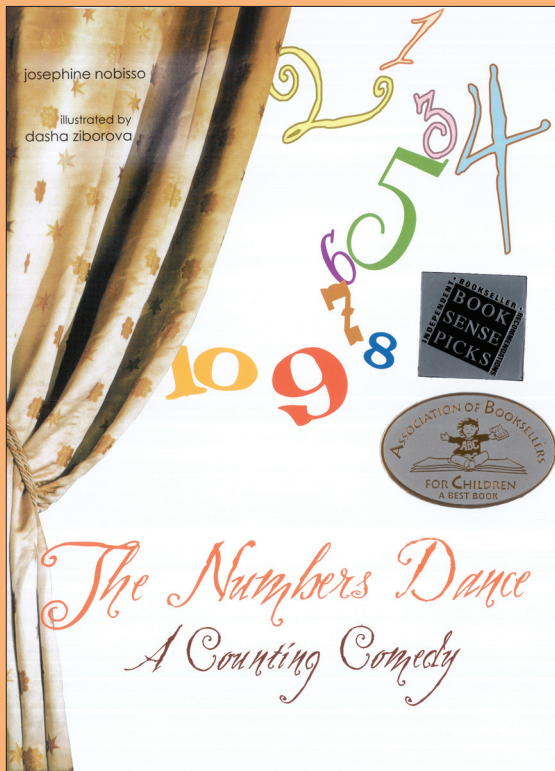
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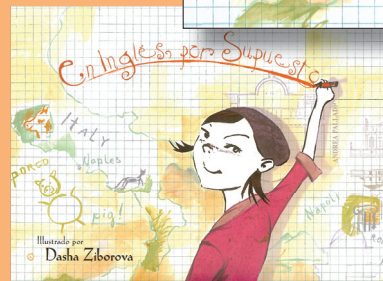
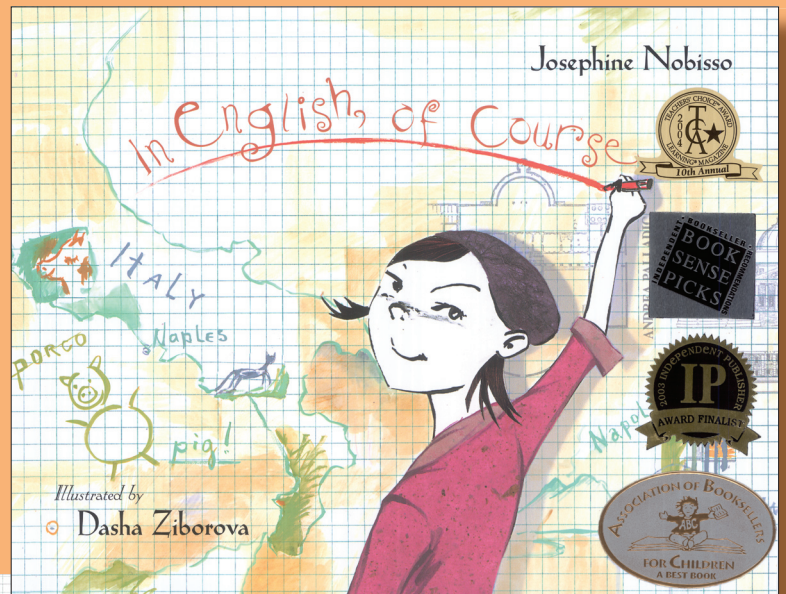
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Humorous hi-jinks prove the not-to-be-trifled-with concept that numbers are fun, and that a number convinced against its will is of the same opinion, still!

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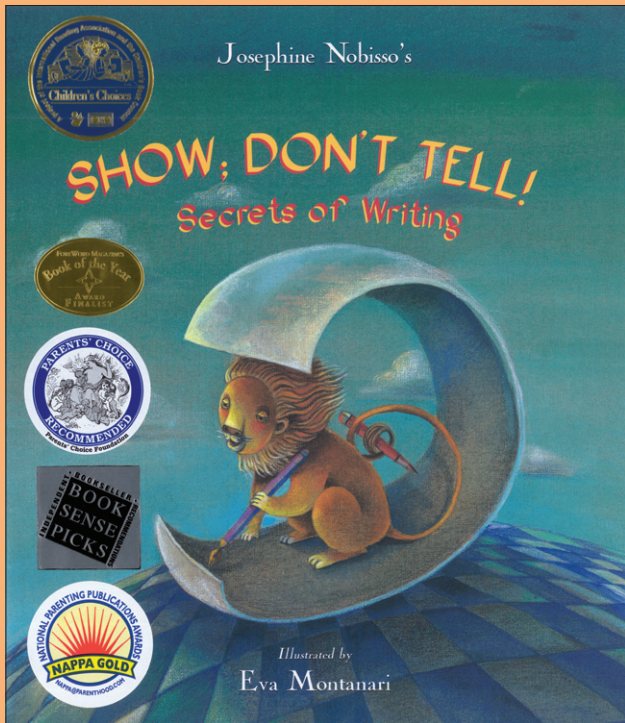
- TEACHERS' CHOICE AWARD
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-AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS ASSOCIATION
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-AMERICAN BOOKSELLERS ASSOCIATION
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-NAPPA
- BOOK OF THE YEAR AWARD FINALIST
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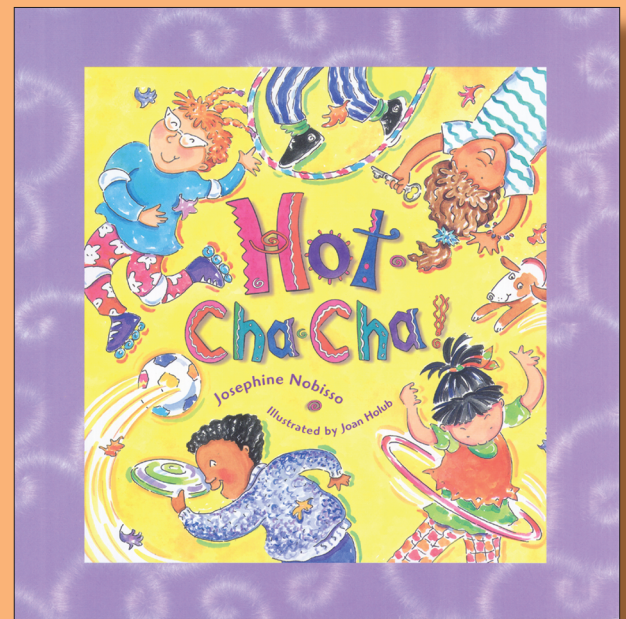
Offers readers the author's stunning and visionary writing strategies, using interactive sense elements.

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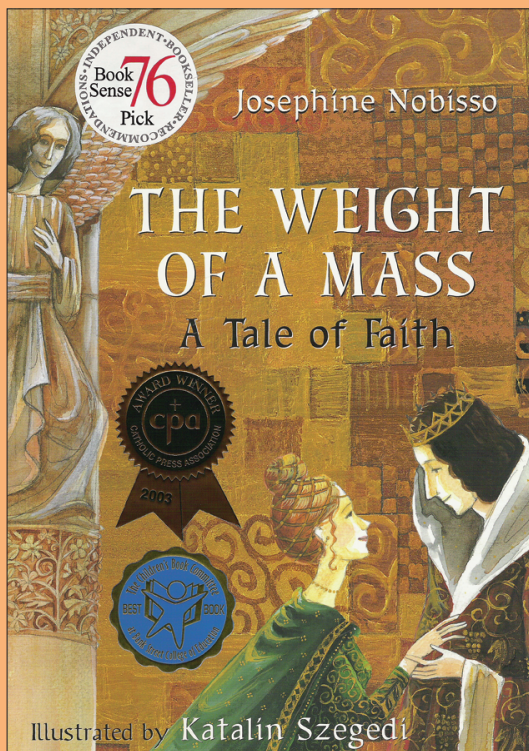
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In this original fairy tale based on a true event, a miracle converts the hearts of a once-cold kingdom when a widow begs stale bread in return for offering her participation in the royal wedding Mass.



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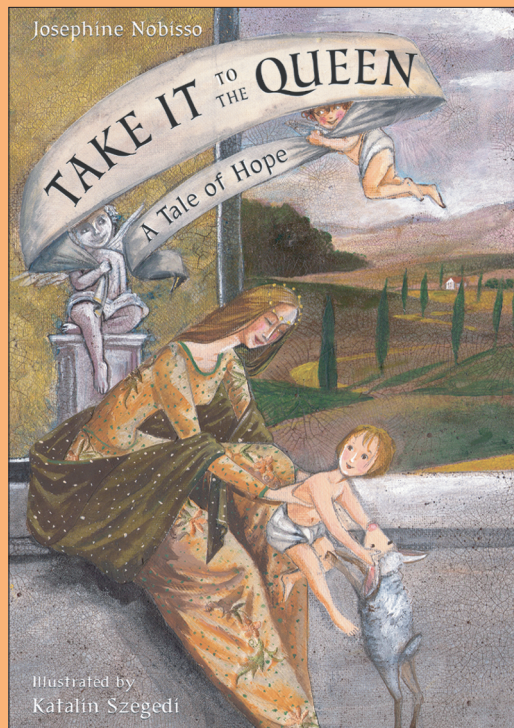
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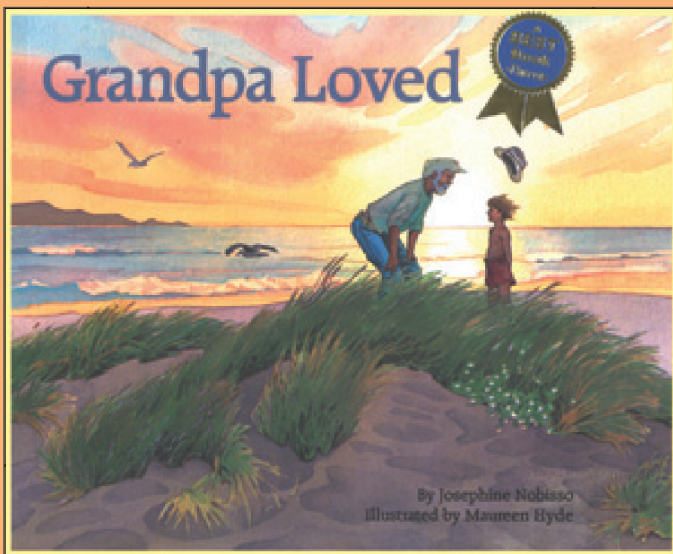
Reduced to desolation after they sin against their superlative king and prince, the people of a once-favored village decide to seek the intercession of the queen, who is a native of their town.



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- "ONE OF THE BEST KIDS BOOKS OF THE YEAR"
-PARENTS MAGAZINE
- ONE OF THE ALL-TIME PICTURE BOOKS WITH
"THE MOST UNFORGETTABLE LANGUAGE"
-RALPH FLETCHER IN WHAT A WRITER NEEDS

Because a boy senses that his grandpa is always with him during this densely atmospheric reminiscence of their times shared on the beach, in the forests, in the city, and in the landscape of their family, we share in his charge of hope even after we discover that the grandpa has died.

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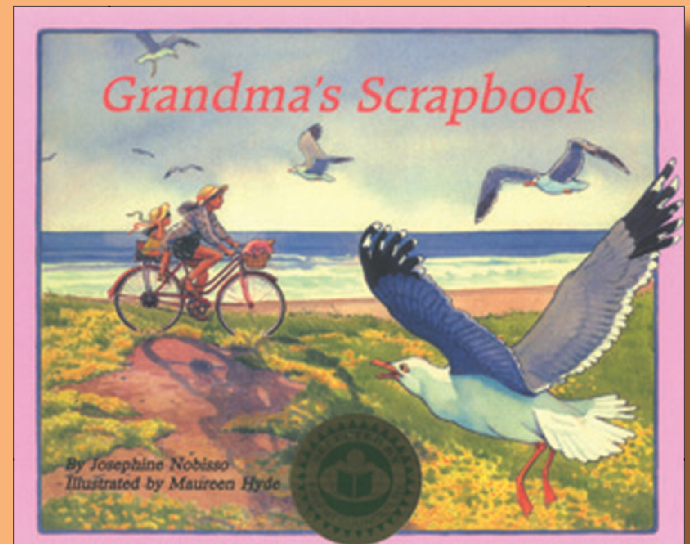
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-THE PARENT COUNCIL

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CAPTURES WHAT FAMILY
MEMORIES ARE ALL ABOUT: LOVE."
-CREATING KEEPSAKES MAGAZINE

As an older girl shows us pages from the scrapbook her grandmother kept to chronicle their summers together, we share in the adventures they had--from the girl's babyhood to her adolescence. Discovering that Grandma has died fills us not so much with sadness as with tender awe over the power of love.

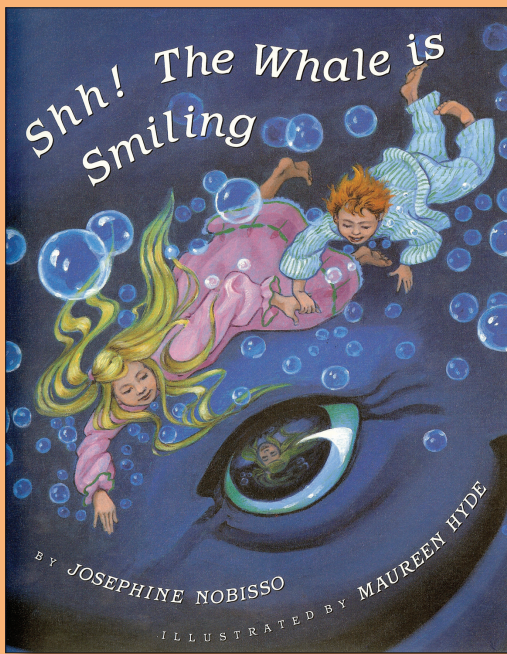


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-EarlyChildhood News
- "A RHYTHMIC LULLABY OF A BOOK... GENTLE, LILTING AND FULL OF SIBLING LOVE AND ADVENTURE... PERFECT BEDTIME TALE."
-Copley News Service

While the rest of the family sleeps in this rhythmic lullaby, an older sister takes her brother on a fantasy voyage with a humpback whale. No longer frightened by a storm, he embarks on the joy-filled odyssey to swim and breach with the gentle creature. The ending finds him home, fast asleep.

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In 2000, we launched with the successful reprinting of only three important but endangered books. We have since released four original titles (two of them in Spanish, also) that, combined, have won 19 awards, have earned 100's of raves from our most respected colleagues and the best review venues in the field, have been included in book club, fair, and catalog offerings, and have been translated into several languages around the world.

When a book's format can support it, we release in both hard and soft covers simultaneously so that all of our titles may be accessible to anyone, and for any respective purpose. We employ the highest quality production values to ensure lasting enjoyment for our readers, and because fans of our books tend to acquire them also for others, and to work on creating collections of all our titles, we maintain a firm commitment to keeping all our books in continuous print.

As for the debut of our fifth title, TAKE IT TO THE QUEEN, A TALE OF HOPE, it is our fondest wish that it will find its way into the hearts of not only the readers of its already-beloved companion volume, but that it will win new friends for our press.

We wish you and yours wondrous experiences through books, and throughout life, and we proffer our gratitude for your interest and support!

--Maria Nicotra, Creative Directress