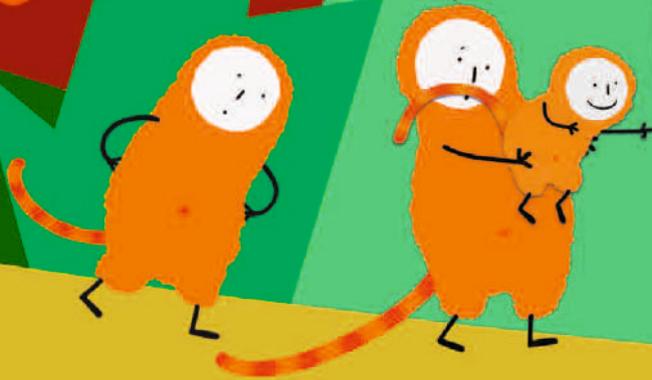


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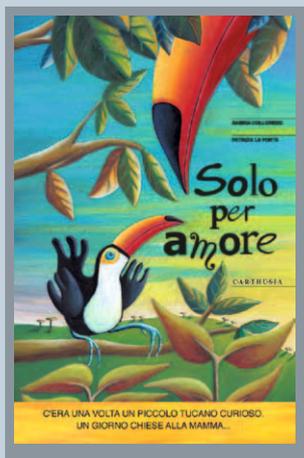
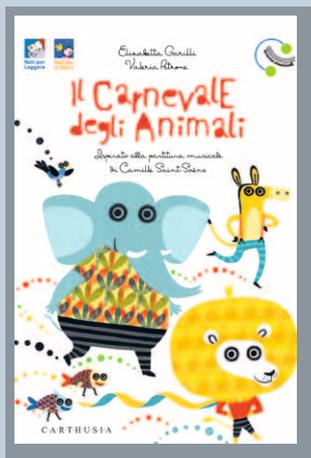
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THE CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS

NpM edition

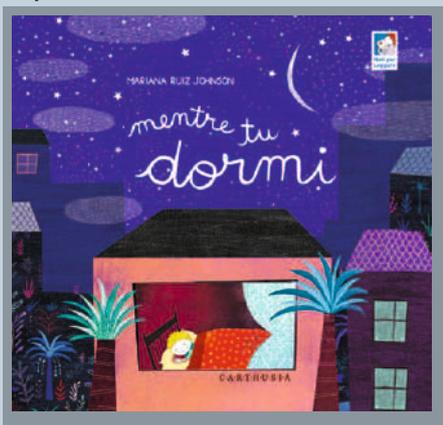
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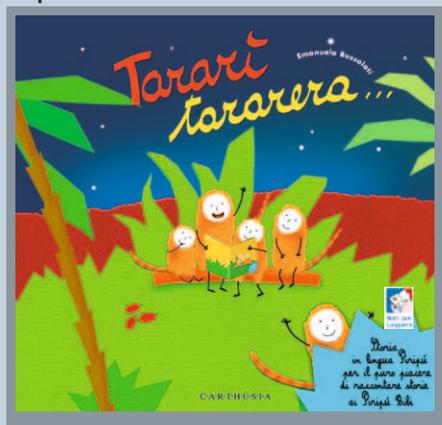
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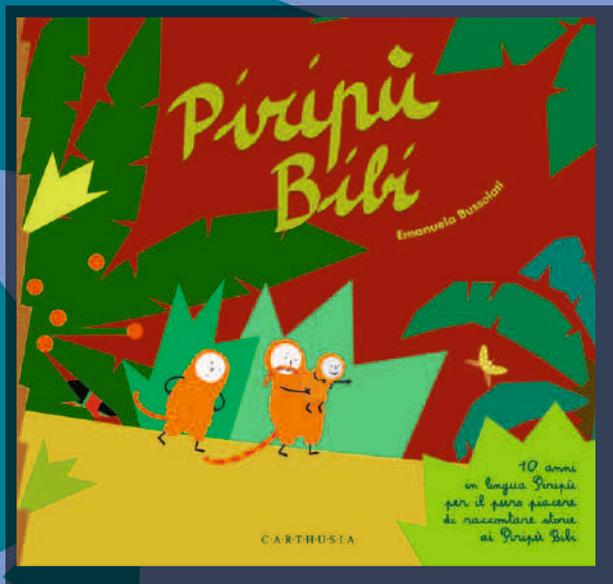


TARARÌ TARARERA...

NpL edition



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PIRIPÙ BIBI

Conceived and illustrated by **Emanuela Bussolati**

40 pages • Age 1+... for everyone!

Size 25 x 23,5 cm

€ 14,90

The arrival of a new puppy in the family brings much happiness, but a little confusion too. Piripù So and Piripù Be know it well, because in this new and very funny prequel they have to deal with the birth of the little Piripù Bibi. A new book in Piripù language in which you can go over the joys and sorrows brought by the coming of a baby and discover the very first adventure of Piripù Bibi!

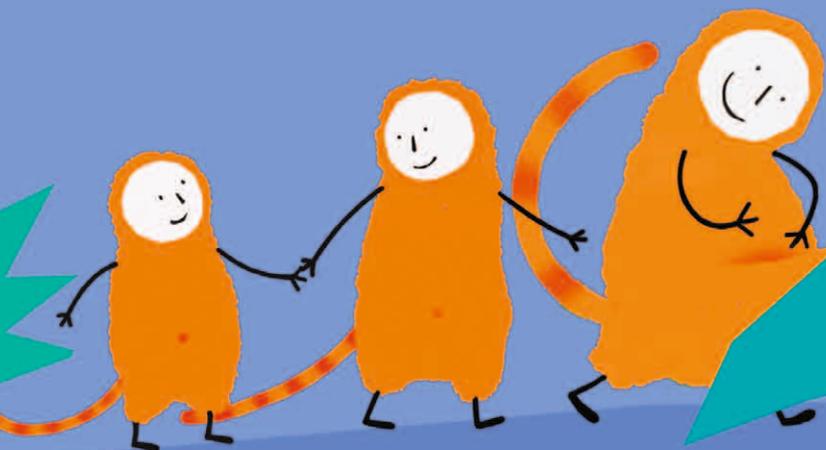
Series: Piripù's library

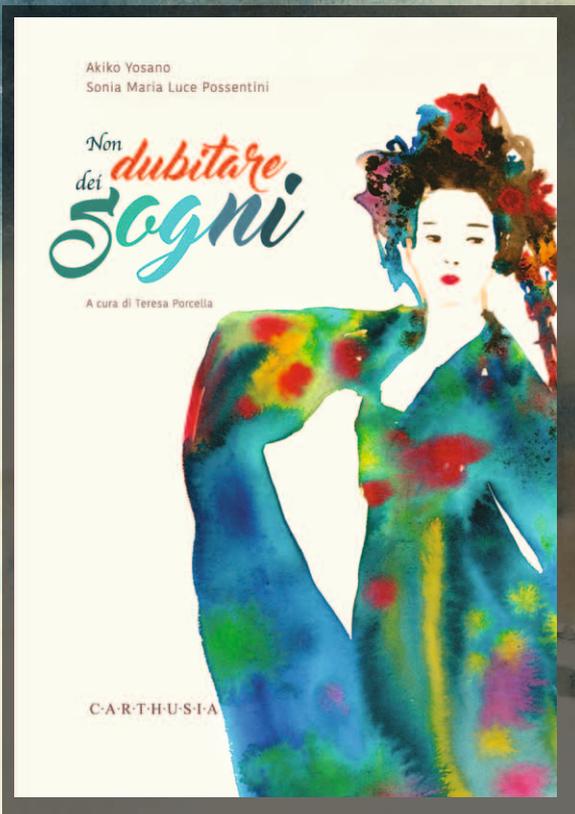
Dendè...

Piripù Mâ e Piripù Pâ

sesa tittiri tittiriti.

«Lilù, Piripù Bibi!»





DON'T DOUBT DREAMS

Tanka by **Akiko Yosano**

Illustrations by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**

32 pages • For everyone

Size 23 x 34 cm

€ 17,90

Akiko Yosano was a great Japanese writer and poet of the early twentieth century. Her poetry, light and sensual, real but dreamlike, leads us to the discovery of the enchanting Japanese landscapes and their rarified atmospheres. In this illustrated book some of her best tanka are marked by the passing of the seasons and enhanced by very refined illustrations.

Series: Magnificent verses

*The mist covers the plum trees' plan,
dyeing red the mountains in the morning.
Beautiful is the landscape, beautiful am I who look at it.*





LITTLE ARON AND THE LORD OF THE WOOD

Text by **Francesco Niccolini**

Illustrations by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**

32 pages • Age 7+

Size 21 x 28 cm

€ 16,90

Aron is five years old and he lives in a village at the foot of a great mountain. A bad day the people of the village, his animal friends and the nature around him were strained by a harsh winter and a torrid summer. Little Aron has therefore to go on a solitary journey through the wood to meet a fantastic creature: the only one able to restore peace and harmony between men and nature.

Series: What an adventure!

There was a huge being in front of him: half man, half animal, half tree.

«Who are you?» Aron asked.

«I am the Lord of the Wood».



TARTINI THE FENCER VIOLINIST

Text by **Elisabetta Garilli**

Illustrations by **Giulia Orecchia**

Music performance by

Orchestra di Padova e del Veneto

32 pages • Age 6+

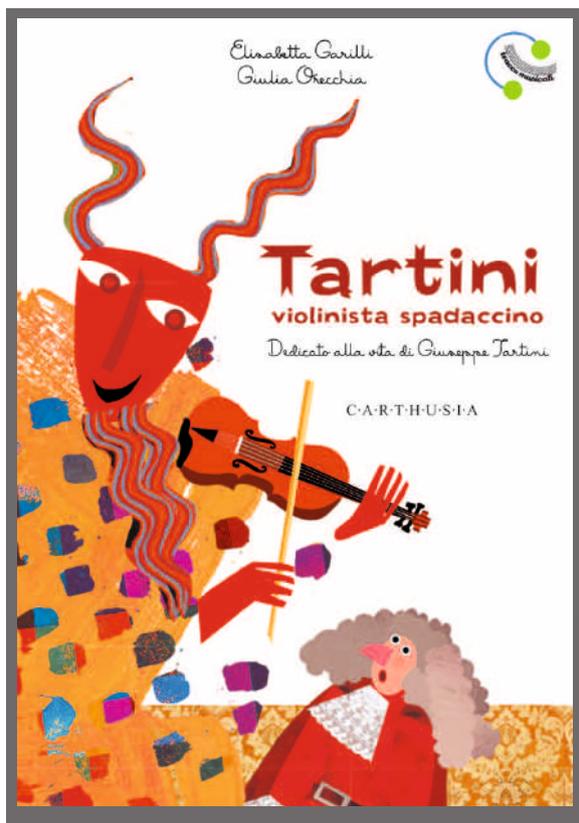
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With the seventh book of our musical series we want to celebrate the 250th anniversary of the death of the great Giuseppe Tartini: excellent musician, prolific composer and founder of a renowned violin school. He danced with the bow as an expert fencer and composed and dreamed about music with his mind. His most famous composition, in fact, was the result of a dream.

Series: Painted music, a bit outlandish

*That trill I have dreamed,
it has impressed me so much
that through the woods, for whole days,
I wandered in my thoughts.*



A PIANO, A DOG, A FLEA AND A GIRL

Text by **Elisabetta Garilli**

Illustrations by **Daniela Iride Murgia**

Music performance by **Nathalia Milstein**

32 pages • Age 6+

Size 23 x 34 cm

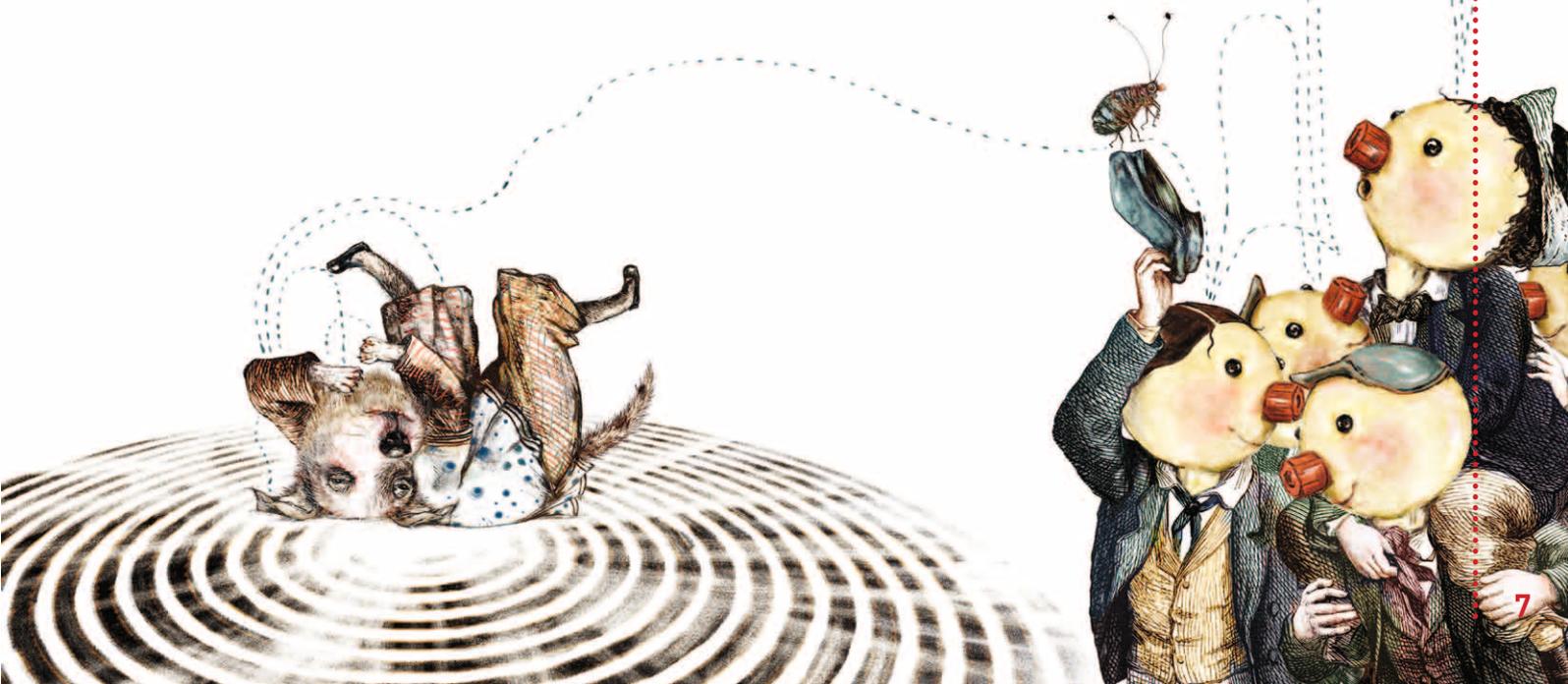
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In this new illustrated book, dedicated to the compositions for piano of Mel Bonis, the story playfully dresses up “word of notes”, interweaving with twenty musical feats for children.

The scene is the puppet theatre where musical pieces become characters and the protagonist is a silly gang that have an adventure that recalls Rodari’s tales.

Series: Painted music, a bit outlandish

*That Monday, it was morning yet,
a dog, a flea and a girl
all want to hear a story
as that piano can still tell us.*





NATURE KNOWS ALMOST EVERYTHING

Text by **Alberto Casiraghy**

Illustrations by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**
and **Gabriel Pacheco**

36 pages • Age 6+

Size 28,5 x 28,5 cm

€ 20,00

An illustrated book that, through refined and evocative aphorisms and four-handed illustrations, invite you to take your time to think about your relationship with Nature, the vital connection with its elements and the importance of understanding, loving and preserving it.

Series: The books of the Creative Culture Festival

*I am constantly looking for symphonies
in the restless sky*

WHAT A FEVER!

Conceived and illustrated by **Rina Allek**

36 pages • Age 3+

Size 28,5 x 28,5 cm

€ 19,90

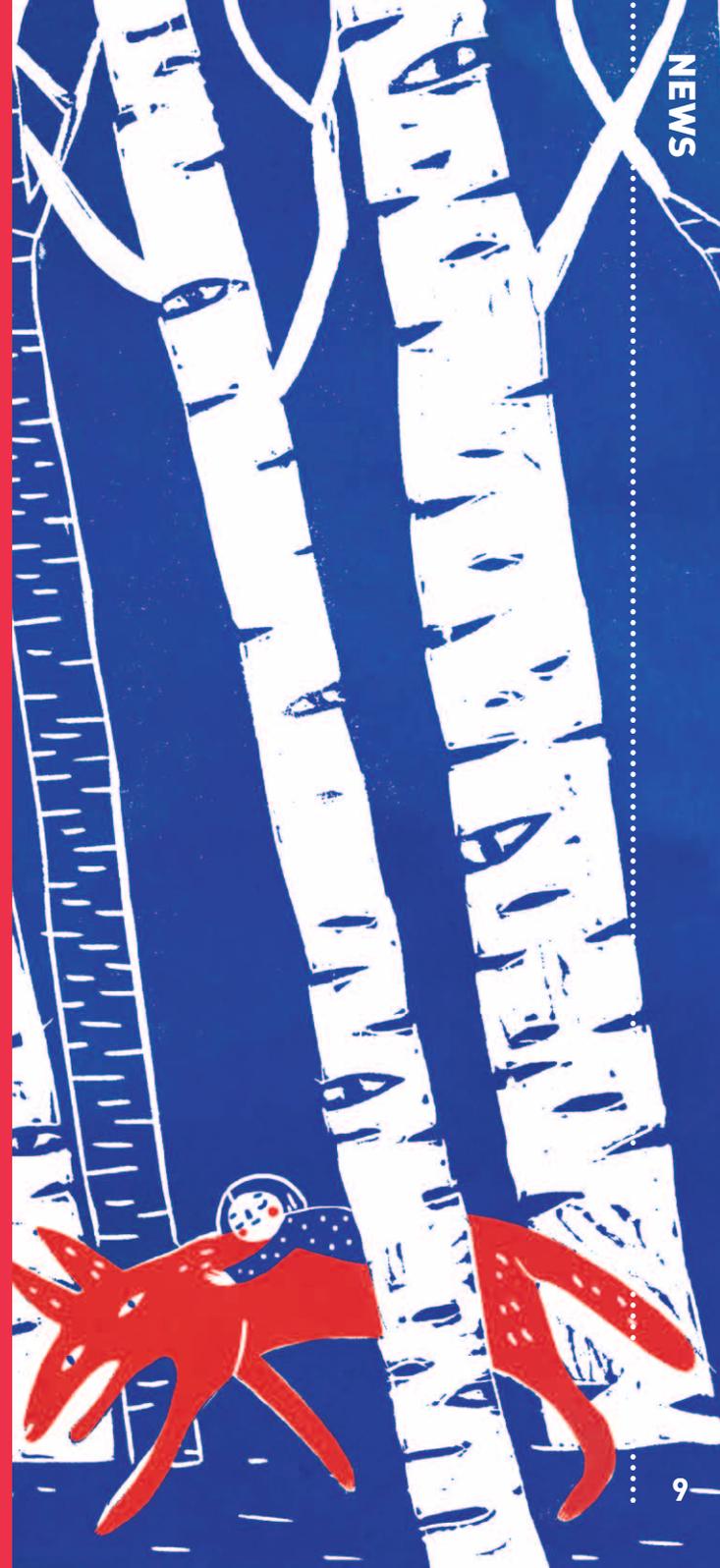
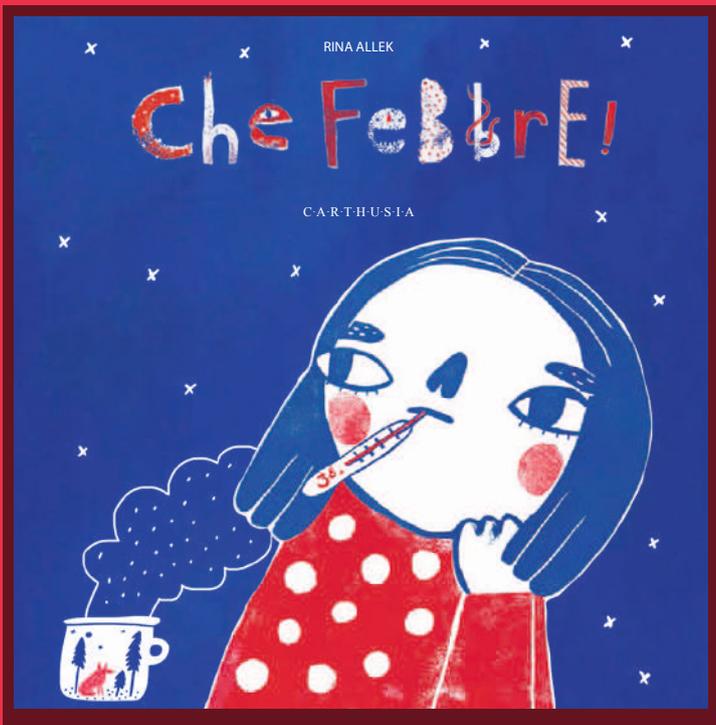
How you can get through a long night while you are sick and forced under the covers?

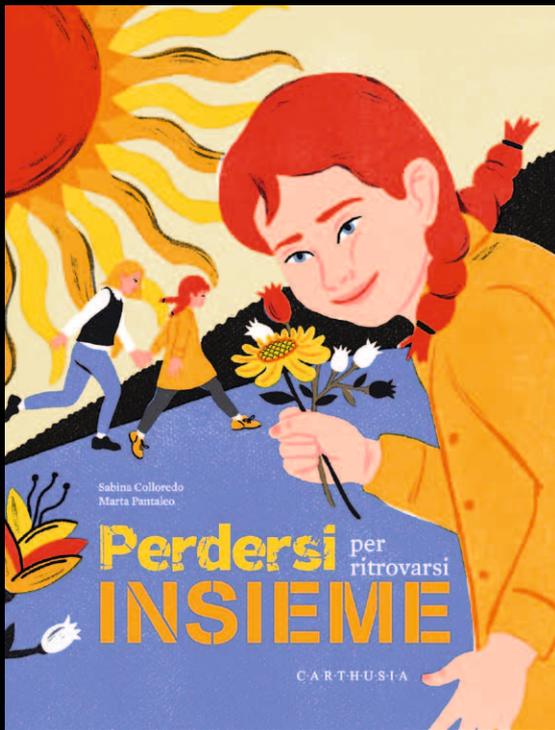
While the city is asleep under a sky full of stars, the little protagonist of this new silent book finds out that the old red sofa is much more than it seems... a special adventure companion who will be able to take care of her and make her feel better, thanks to a touch of imagination that makes dreams possible.

Series: Silent book



Winner
of the Silent Book Contest 2020 –
Gianni De Conno Award





GET LOST TO FIND OURSELVES TOGETHER

Text by **Sabina Colloredo**

Illustrations by **Marta Pantaleo**

32 pages • Age 8+

Size 24 x 32 cm

€ 19,90

“The guys from the library” are a group of schoolmates who manage to study and spend time together every afternoon. One fine day, during a solar eclipse, they witness something that will forever change their way of seeing and perceiving the world. An event that will teach them what the important things are: stay united, fight together and preserve the planet, a common good.

*We, guys from the library,
have been through a lot,
because the group is like a magnet,
but one thing I want to tell you.
It's the adventure that has changed us the most...*





ADVENTUROUS WOMEN WHO MADE THE HISTORY OF MILAN

Text by **Patrizia Zelioli**

Illustrations by **Ilaria Mauriello** and **Elena Tarantola**

36 pages • Age 8+

Size 28,5 x 28,5 cm

€ 20,00

A book which collects the story of twenty-eight great women, very different from each other but all endowed with passion, courage and determination. Adventurous women who have passed through Milan and who have left their mark. Artists, poets, revolutionaries, actresses and scientists who deserve to be remembered or told.

Series: Big squared stories

*I was born on March 21st and,
like the spring,
I was reborn more than once.
Every time with a different poem.*
Alda Merini





THE MONSTERS COLLECTOR

Text by **Lodovica Cima**

Illustrations by **Paolo Rui**

64 pages • Age 9+

Size 14,5 x 21 cm

€ 13,50

The young Amabile, called Cencia, works in the great palace of the Vallisneri family. Every day she attends to her duties undisturbed, but she always keeps an eye out because she doesn't trust that strange professor who brings into the house weird things. But, when she finds the courage to get into the world of Vallisneri, she discovers a great desire to learn.

Series: Free stories

Supervision and final infosheets by University of Padua

“Come on Cencia, you can do it!”. I enter the Doctor's rooms again and go all the way, and once more I see bones, scales, and a huge open mouth full of sharp teeth too... Brrr!



THE SECRET OF THE FUTURE

Text by **Paola Zannoner**

Illustrations by **Paolo d'Altan**

64 pages • Age 9+

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Lauro is a 13 year old boy who lives in Padua with his sister and his dad, a famous inventor and university teacher. He loves spending time with Giannina, an impertinent but brisk country girl: he runs, plays and argues amiably with her. One fine day, however, the two friends will discover and share a secret capable of projecting them into the future.

Series: Free stories

Supervision and final infosheets by University of Padua

*«Let's bet» he proposes.
It is not like her to refuse a race, a challenge,
so she accepts: «Let's bet».
«It's a secret you can't even imagine».*



Sonia Maria Luce Possentini

Gabriel Pacheco

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Series **PIRIPÙ LIBRARY**

The series tells the adventures of little Piripù Bibi. Simple stories told in a fantasy language: a happy sequence of sounds that invites the adult reader to play around with the intonations of the voice, facial expressions and body movements... and thus creates a playful and cheerful complicity.

Hardback volumes · 40 pages · 25 x 23,5 cm · Age 1 +... for everybody! · € 14,90

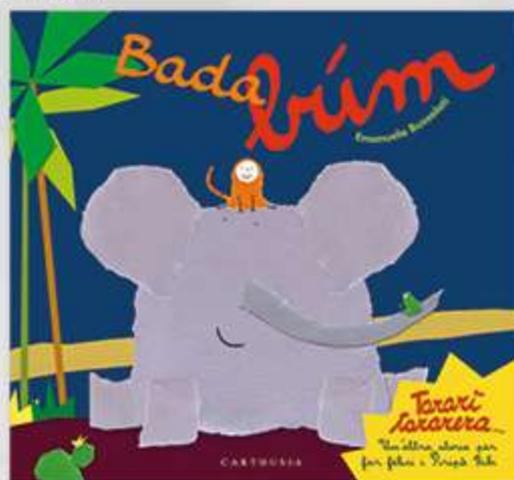
**RULBA RULBA!**

Second reprint

Piripù Bibi always lingers observing things around: animals, flowers, rocks... But he'd better hurry to learn what adults are already able to do. This time though, his curiosity and imagination will be very useful and Piripù Bibi will save the whole family!

Series conceived
and created by
**EMANUELA
BUSSOLATI**

THE MAGIC
OF
STORYTELLING
WITHOUT
WORDS



Third reprint

BADABUM

A new poetic adventure for Piripù Bibi... told in Piripù language! Piripù Bibi is out walking with his big friend Gonende when they are surprised by a thunderstorm... but it isn't Piripù who is frightened: because sometimes it's the big ones who need the little ones.

Tenth reprint



Andersen Award 2010
Best Book 0-6 years
Super Andersen
Award 2010
Best Book of the year

TARARÌ TARARERA...

Piripù Bibi, the baby of the family, isn't happy to wait around for the others to come back from collecting fruit, and so he sets off into the forest looking for trouble!

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The first Tarari Tararera Kamishibai, to tell aloud the stories in Piripù language



KAMISHIBAI IN PIRIPÙ LANGUAGE

Tarari Tararera...

Contains 18 slides from "Tarari Tararera..."

Closed 53 x 33 cm

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Piripù family comes on stage with the new Kamishibai and its coloured tables with the text of the story in Piripù language written on the back.

The first title is Tarari tararera..., soon followed by the other titles of the series.

How does it work?

As in the Japanese Kamishibai, the storyteller places himself in the back of the theatre and tells the story in the funny Piripù language, following the text behind the tables, while children sit in front of the theatre watching the illustrations.

The slides are numbered and the text of the first illustration can be read on the back of the last table.

The storyteller scrolls the pages from the front to the back.



Project conceived and created by
EMANUELA BUSSOLATI

RULBA RULBA ILLUSTRATED BOARDS!

18 illustrated boards

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The irresistible Piripù Bibi is back: using the boards in this box set together with the Kamishibai you will give life to a new adventure of the Piripù's family.



With
free-to-listen
music tracks

Series **PAINTED MUSIC, A BIT OUTLANDISH**

With this series Carthusia starts a new adventure, synchronizing the illustrated album with the breath of music. Through the resonance of the words and the vivacity of the images, the young readers will learn to "listen to" the images and, meanwhile, to "see" the music.

Hardback volumes • 32 pages • 23 x 34 cm • Age 4+ • € 17,90



TRUNKERUMPAMPUMPERA

Musics and texts by
Elisabetta Garilli
Illustrations by **Valeria Petrone**
Musical performances by
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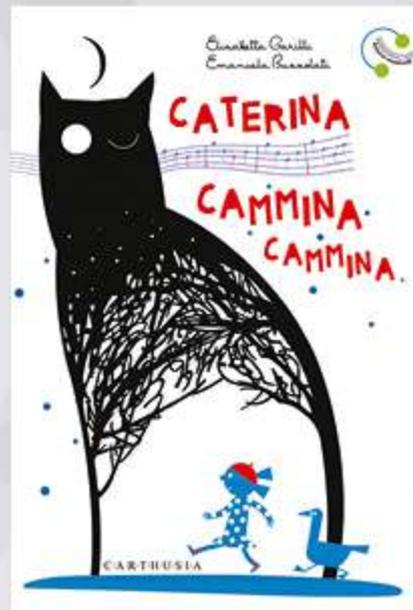
Five cats are looking for a special destination: coming from different places and searching for a place that can welcome them all, where they can feel at home. A simple and profound story, written in an invented language to go beyond any border.



CHOUCHOU AND THE MOON

Texts by **Elisabetta Garilli**
Illustrations by
Sonia Maria Luce Possentini
Musical performances by
Roberto Paruzzo

Claude Debussy: one of the greatest exponents of musical impressionism, but also a father who, out of love for his daughter Claude-Emma, his Chouchou, composed a suite: a musical "album" where he "picked up" music to remember the most beautiful moments of his daughter's childhood.

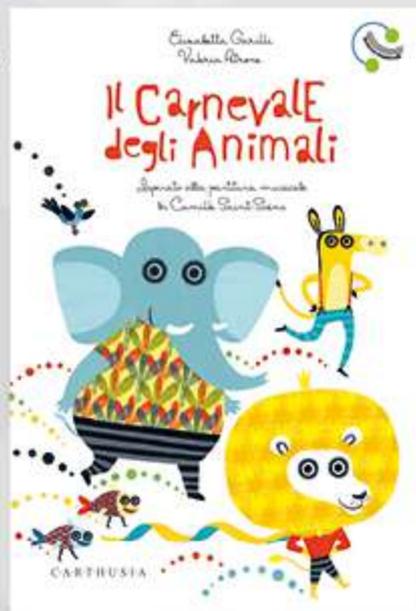


CATERINA WALKS, WALKS

Musics and nursery rhyme by
Elisabetta Garilli
Illustrations and texts by
Emanuela Bussolati
Musical performances by
Garilli Sound Project

In a full moon evening, after a quarrel with her brother, little Caterina decides to run away and go searching for her prince. As soon as she takes the path behind her house, she becomes the protagonist of an enchanted world, fulfilled with surprises, music and magic. Will our heroine find her prince and go back home?

First reprint



THE CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS

Texts by **Elisabetta Garilli**
 Illustrations by **Valeria Petrone**
 Musical performances by
Orchestra di Padova e del Veneto

Based on *The Carnival of the Animals* by Camille Saint-Saëns and its theatrical transposition, here comes this splendid, cheerful and fun parade of animals led by the Lion King. Through images, texts and music, the little readers will roar, cluck, bray and so on.

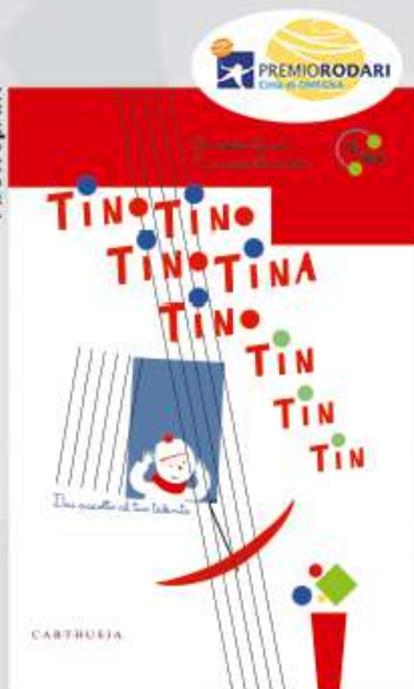


THE FOUR SEASONS

Texts by **Elisabetta Garilli**
 Illustrations by **Gek Tessaro**
 Musical performances by
I Virtuosi Italiani

In playful fusion of music, words, images and colours *The Four Seasons* by the great Antonio Vivaldi are recalled in this book in which children could walk through thoughts and feelings of a past time in an emotional way.

First reprint



TINOTINO TINOTINA TINO TIN TIN TIN

Texts by **Elisabetta Garilli** and
Emanuela Bussolati
 Illustrations by **Emanuela Bussolati**
 Musical performances by
Garilli Sound Project

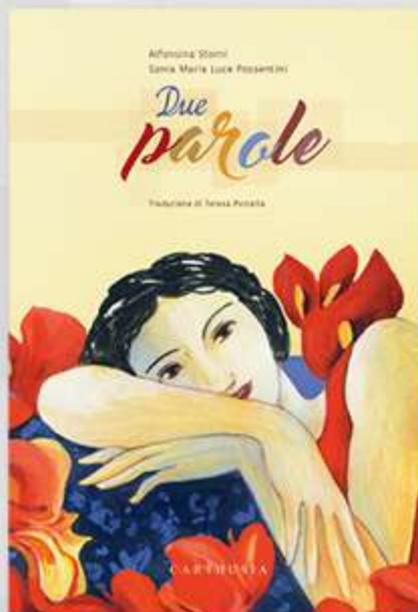
All the children have a dream in life just as Tinotino, the protagonist of this story, who wants to grow up to be a percussionist. Elisabetta Garilli and Emanuela Bussolati conceived this illustrated album that have the power to summon up music and sonorities through words and images.

Winner of:
2018 Gianni Rodari Award
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Series **AMAZING VERSES**

Every poem carries some images in its verses capable of expanding our mind. The challenge of this series is to find, among the poems of all time, those with the most hidden images, in order to be revealed by someone who can imagine with hands, as the great illustrator **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**.

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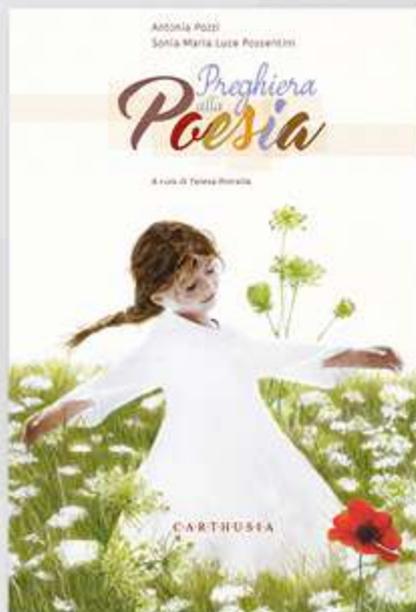


TWO WORDS

Text by **Alfonsina Storni**
Translated and edited
by **Teresa Porcella**

Alfonsina Storni was a great journalist, but above all an extraordinary poet. This incredibly charismatic and tenacious woman knew how to put into words everything she saw.

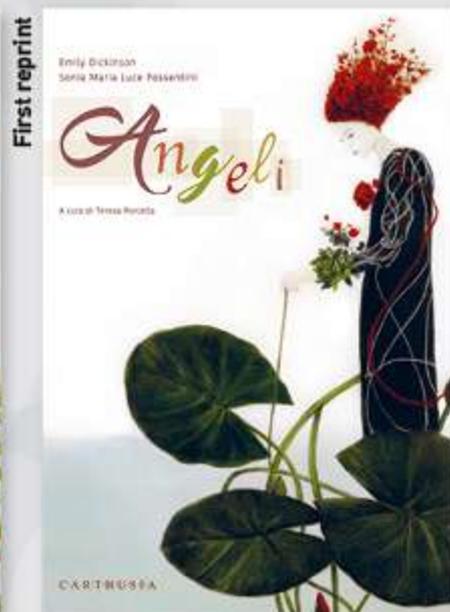
With this poem, she leads us into the universe of lovers playing, chasing each other and whispering simple words in their ear.



PRAYER TO POETRY

Text by **Antonia Pozzi**
Edited by **Teresa Porcella**

Antonia Pozzi was a poet and photographer who lived in Milan in the early 1900s. She had a vulnerable and passionate soul and she used to express it in her notebooks as well as in her poetry. All her poems are characterized by deep intensity, remarkable sensitivity and a great love for nature.



ANGELS

Text by **Emily Dickinson**
Edited by **Teresa Porcella**
Translated by **Paola Loreto**
and **Fabia Tolomei**

Who are the inner hosts who dwell in our silences? The lines of Emily Dickinson and the images of Sonia Maria Luce Possentini dialogue with the strength and the grace of the actual art. Through all this, they manage to give us that fragment of solitude capable of revealing the intimacy of a soul, the unpredictability of the gaze and the persistence of care.

Series **SILENT BOOK**

Large scale books without words for telling stories using just the magic of images. Respected authors have taken part in the prestigious Silent Book Contest, the first international award dedicated to books without words. **Hardback volumes - 28,5 x 28,5 cm**



THE DREAM GARDEN

Conceived and realized by **Maïke Neuendorff**
36 pages - Age 3 +
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Every night, in their dreams, two little brothers cross the door of an enchanted world: a secret garden, where old trees, giant water lilies and colorful birds coexist in harmony. A magical place all for them, where you can discover and admire the uncontaminated nature.

Discovering an enchanted garden, guardian of dreams

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SILENT BOOK



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Conceived and realized by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**
36 pages - Age 3 +
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On a beach by the sea, a little girl discovers with amazement the little things of the world around her: a colorful bucket, the splashes of water on the shore, the grains of sand between her fingers and a shell that brings distant sounds... This refined silent book tells the game of discovery through the perspective of those who watch.

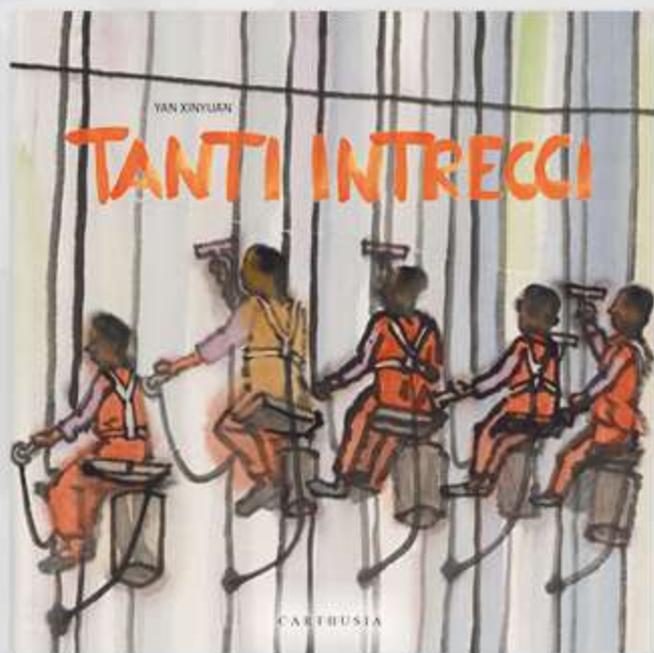
the world seen through a child's eyes

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A rope can tie, secure, rescue, support and wrap, but it can also force and drag. In this book without words, the famous Chinese illustrator Yan Xinyuan offers us a series of "snapshots" on the uses of ropes in rural China, telling us how such a simple object can become a metaphor for joy, hope and comfort, but also for fatigue.

A daily object
and a thousand
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STARBUILDERS

Conceived and realized by **Soojin Kwak**
36 pages · Age 3 +
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How are the stars born? Perhaps we have never thought about it, but behind each of them lies a great teamwork, the one of the star builders. The illustrator Soojin Kwak reveals this poetic and mysterious venture in a luminous silent book, like a starry night.

Winner of the 2019 Silent Book Contest

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THE BAG

Conceived and realized by
Angelo Ruta
 36 pages · Age 3 +
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This is the story of a dream. A dream kept inside a large bag, dragged along by a boy struggling away from a desolate world, devastated by violence and war. Out of the bag there's only rubble and pain. Inside, the dream of a happy life and a family, which the child is firmly devoted to.

Finalist of the 2018 Silent Book Contest



Special mention at the award
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NOISE

Conceived and realized by
Luca Ralli
 36 pages · Age 6 +
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In a crowded, noisy and intrusive world, silence becomes a powerful but peaceful revolution, which can be gentle and in the meantime deafening. And the connection with your own inner music seems to be the only way not to be overwhelmed and frightened by the dizzying world in which we live. This silent book, thanks to its scathing black and white illustrations, can make noise and shake the reader.

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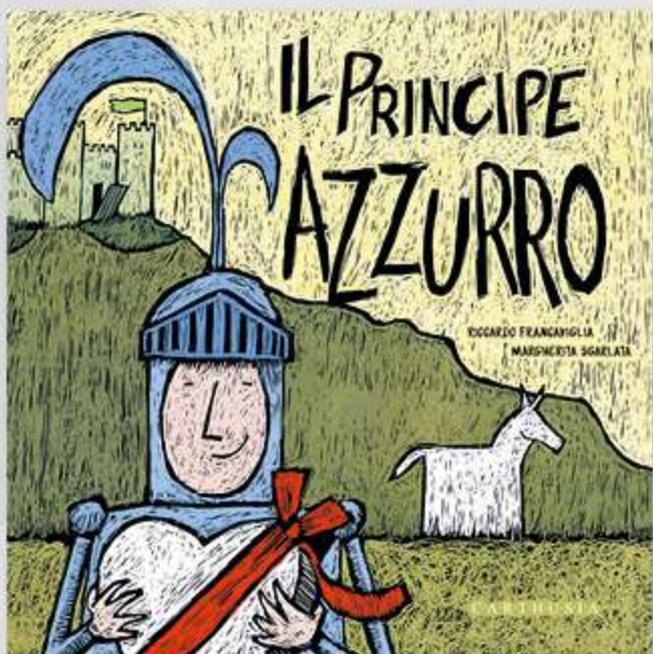
Conceived and realized by
Anastasia Suvorova
 44 pages · Ages 3 +
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Imagination is a powerful resource for children which allows them to enrich their lives. The protagonist of *Imagination*, drawing on a wall the characters and places of an extraordinary world, little by little becomes a part of it, starting a unique adventure that will crown him the undisputed king of the realm of fantasy.

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THE PRINCE CHARMING. THE LOVELY PRINCESS

Storytelling by **Margherita Sgarlata**
 Illustrations by **Riccardo Francaviglia**
 36 pages · Age 3 +
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Follow the adventures of the Prince Charming who faces dragons and crosses the seas to rejoin a castle. And once you get there... turnaround and follow the whole different story of the Lovely Princess. Two stories that are intertwined in this amusing and ironic silent book, which can be read from left to right as well as from right to left.

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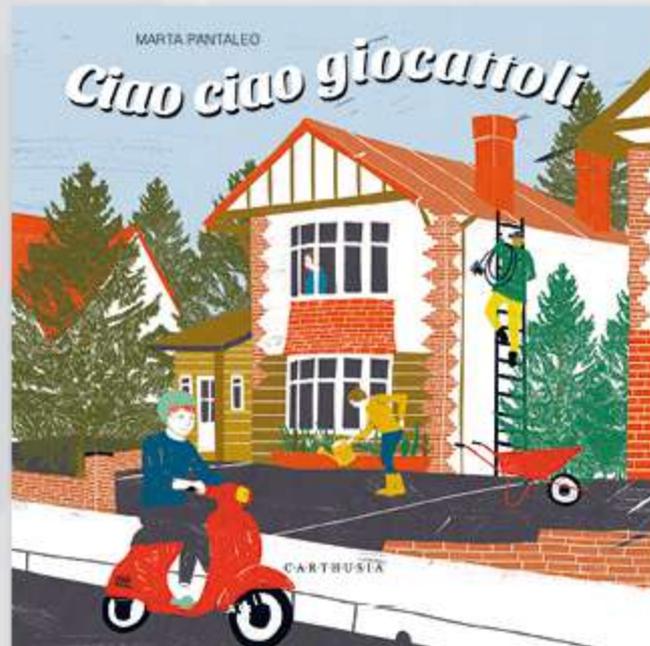
Conceived and realized by **Arianna Papini**
44 pages - Age 3 +
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A revolutionary silent book in which Arianna Papini, using the force of the images only, leads the "reader" to the discovery of the evolutionary circle, in its mysteries and intersections.

The story begins with two creatures, very different from each other, that one day met and fell in love. They give birth to a baby, who fell in love either, and so on until the evolution brings us back to the couple which had started all, making the circle complete.

Winner of the 2017 Silent Book Contest

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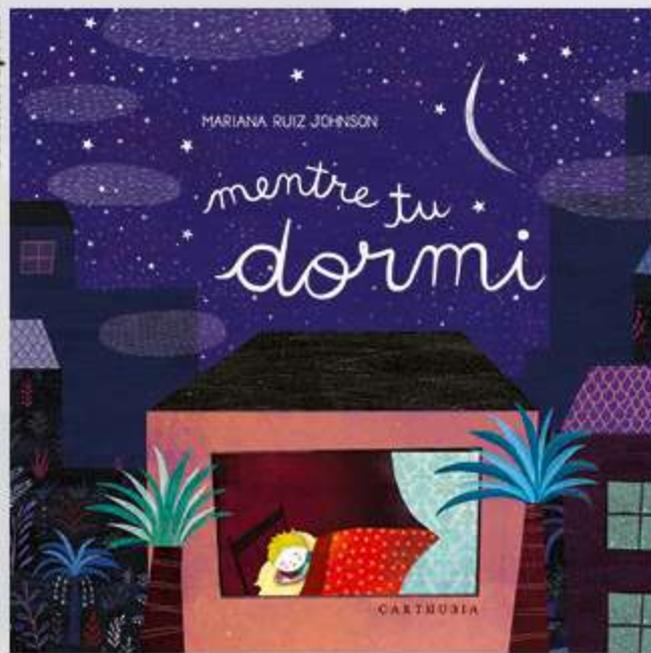
GOODBYE TOYS

Conceived and realized by **Marta Pantaleo**
36 pages - Age 6 +
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A poetic and coloured silent book talking about "growing up" by showing the journey that brings a boy's old toys to new adventures. A book devoted to the memories of a child, to changing, to melancholy but in the end to the naturalness and joy of growing up and leaving a part of ourselves to who is still a little boy.

Winner of the 2016 Silent Book Contest

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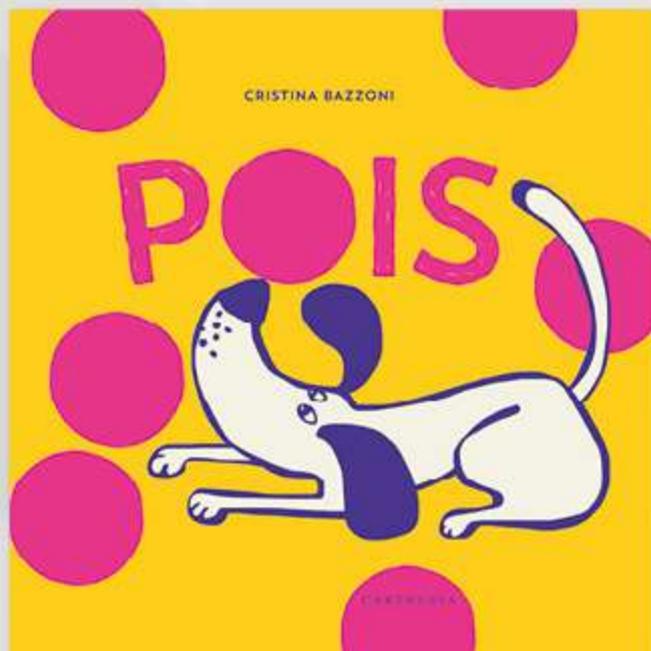


WHILE YOU ARE SLEEPING

Conceived and realized by
Mariana Ruiz Johnson
 36 pages · Age 3 +
 € 19,90

A highly colourful and richly detailed book: each page is a journey... A book without words conceived especially for parents and children at the moment of bedtime, because in dreams, stories and characters become alive and the world of fantasy becomes reality.

← **Winner of the 2015 Silent Book Contest**



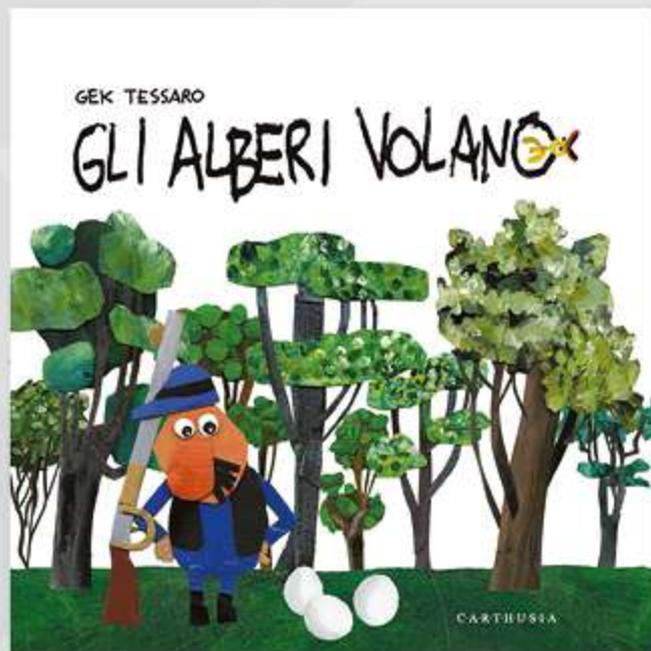
POIS

Conceived and realized by
Cristina Bazzoni
 36 pages · Age 3 +
 € 19,90

Where did the fuchsia dots of the yellow dress go? Up a tree or under the sofa? A tangle of colours for a curious story without words that never ends...

← **Finalist of the 2015 Silent Book Contest**





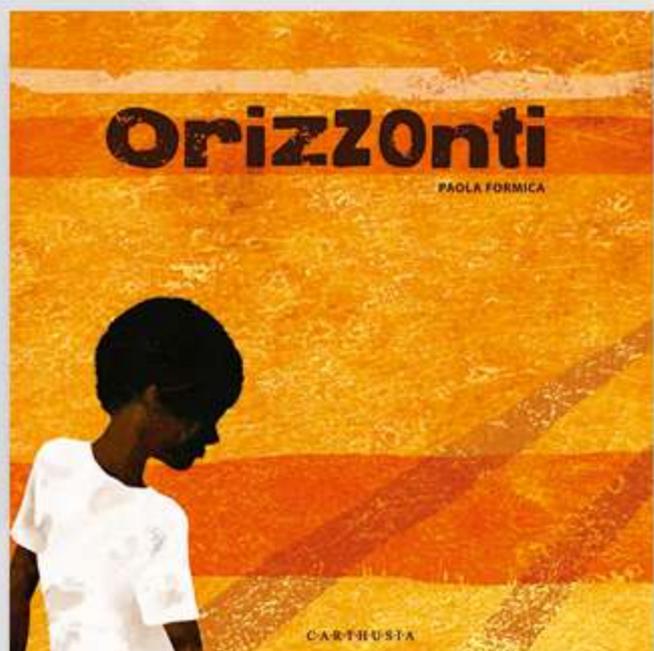
THE TREES ARE FLYING

Conceived and realized by **Gek Tessaro**
36 pages · Age 6 +
€ 19,90

The trees are flying tells the adventures of a comical and bizarre hunter who goes into the woods one fine day and has a tremendous surprise, which frightens him so much that he ends up believing that it is not the birds who are flying, but the trees too!

Finalist of the 2014 Silent Book Contest

SILENT BOOK
2014



HORIZONS

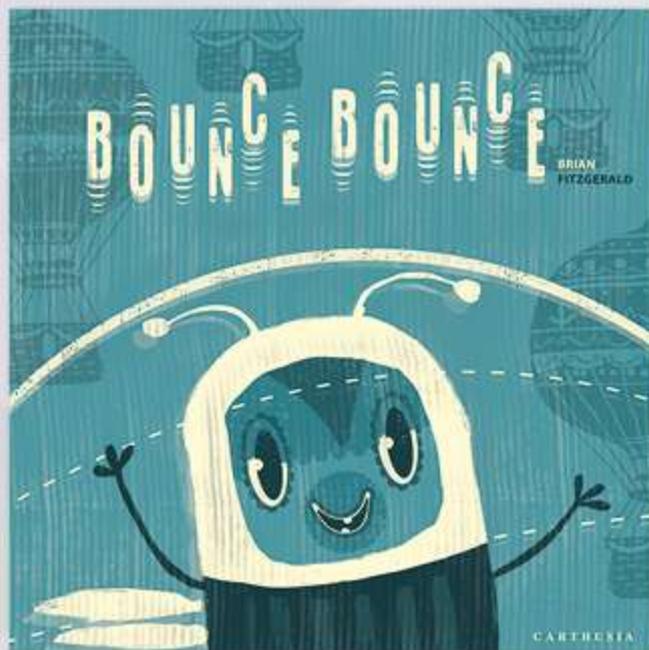
Conceived and realized by **Paola Formica**
36 pages · Age 6 +
€ 19,90

In a poetic, original and powerful way *Horizons* looks at one of the most complex current issues: immigration.

Told through the compelling rhythm of the images, this is the story of the journey of a boy as well as a lot of people who are forced to get away from their own country.

Finalist of the 2014 Silent Book Contest

SILENT BOOK
2014



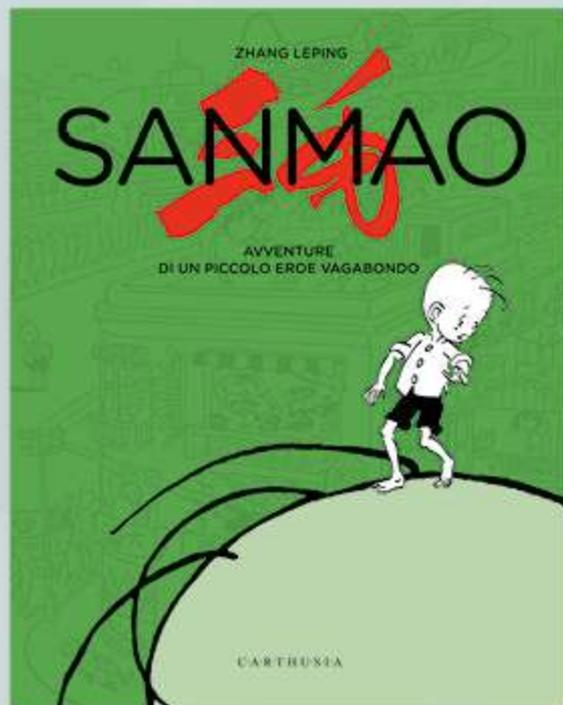
BOUNCE BOUNCE

Conceived and realized by
Brian Fitzgerald
 64 pages · Age 3 +
 € 22,00

Entertaining silent book aimed at the youngest readers. A book without words that tells the adventure of a little animal inside a bubble that “bounces and flies” in the sky, in space, in the sea... A journey between dream and reality, a story that involves the reader right up to the last page.

← **Winner of the 2014 Silent Book Contest**

SILENT
 BOOK
 2014



SANMAO

THE ADVENTURES OF A LITTLE WANDERING HERO
 Narrative path and illustrations by **Zhang Leping**
Hardback volume
 80 pages · 22,5 x 29 cm · Age 6 +
 € 17,90

Born in 1935, Sanmao – his name meaning “three hair” – is the most famous character made up by Zhang Leping. Sanmao is an orphan who lives in the streets of Shanghai. The silent, black and white stripes denounce society, government and the historical period, but at the same time they tell the story of an optimistic child, capable of discovering many little joys and showing a kind of humor towards the world that surrounds him.

**Special award of the Jury from
 the Silent Book Contest 2018 to Zhang Leping**

SILENTBOOKCONTEST2018
 GIANNI DE CONNO AWARD

Series **THE BOOKS OF THE CREATIVE CULTURE FESTIVAL**

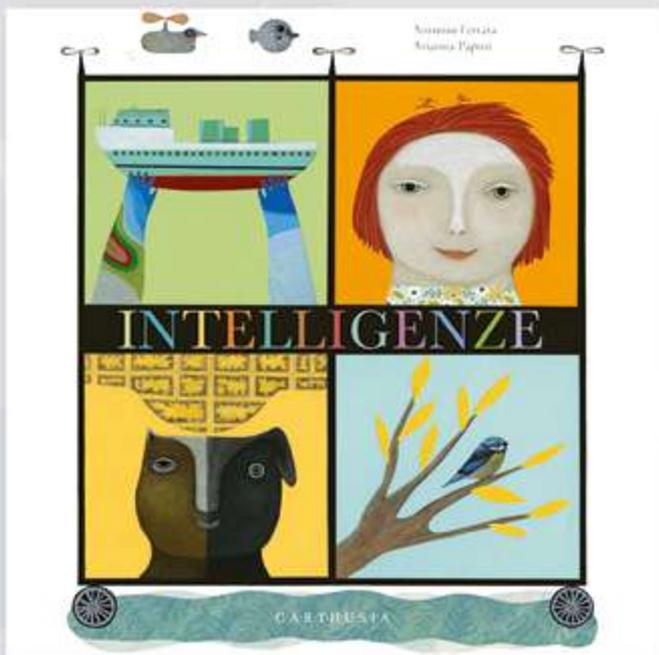
Big format illustrated albums which deal with important and current issues, realized for the Creative Culture Festival, with ABI - Associazione Bancaria Italiana. **Hardback volumes - 36 pages - 28,5 x 28,5 cm**

**NATURE KNOWS ALMOST EVERYTHING**Text by **Alberto Casiraghy**Illustrations by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**
and **Gabriel Pacheco****Age 6 +****€ 20,00**

This new illustrated book is dedicated to Nature and to four of its elements – air, water, earth and sky – which, through illustrated aphorisms, reveal the secrets of our planet, to understand the essential relationship we have with it, but also to understand ourselves.

Learning to listen
to the voice of Nature





INTELLIGENCES

Texts by **Antonio Ferrara**

Illustrations by **Arianna Papini**

Age 6 +

€ 20,00

What is intelligence? It's a 360 degrees talent that allows people, animals and nature to successfully face and solve new or unknown situations and problems. This book, the sixth title for the Festival of Creative Culture, is dedicated to young people, to talk about the importance of cultivating the thousand faces of their intelligence and creativity.

First reprint



WHAT A MASTERPIECE!

Conceived and created by **Riccardo Guasco**

Age 6 +

€ 20,00

The fifth illustrated album dedicated to the Festival of Creative Culture arises from the well-established cooperation between Carthusia and Abi. A "silent book" which, page by page, tells the strange story of a child who, one Sunday morning, ventures in his fantasy among some of the most famous works of art of our cultural heritage.

Third reprint

**THE GOOD JOURNEY**

Texts by **Beatrice Masini**
 Illustrations by **Gianni De Conno**
Age 8 +
€ 20,00

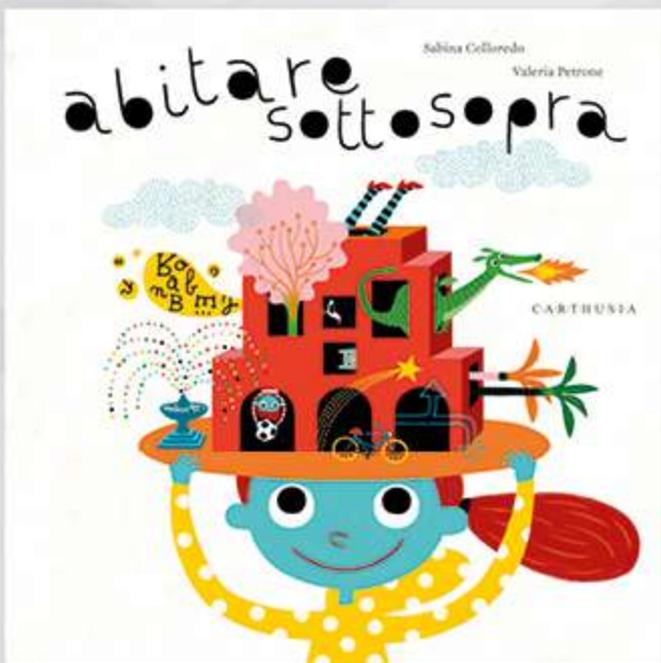
Travelling is mostly a personal growth experience which can enrich the traveller, no matter how or where he goes. And this is the core of this book, precious for the poetry of its texts and for the magic of its images.



Bancarellino Award
Special critic's prize
 Category: "Best graphic-text consistency"

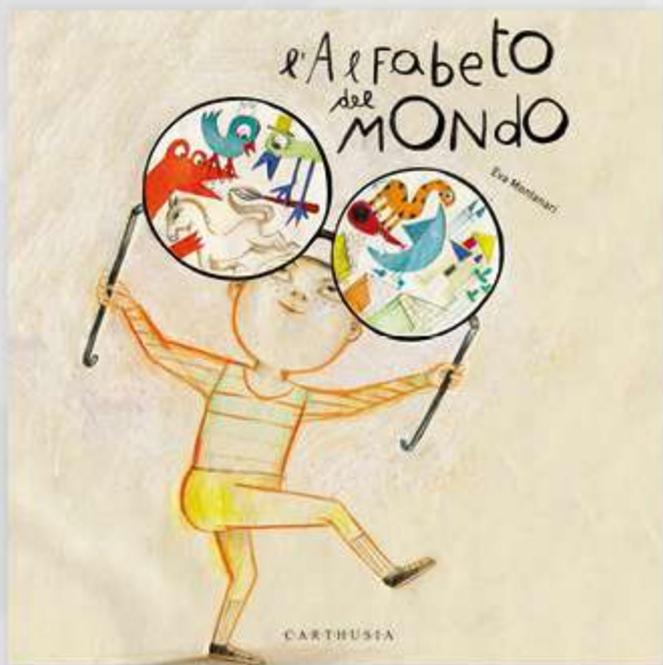


Special Prize of the Jury and Super Premio Andersen 2018 - Book of the year

**LIVING UPSIDE DOWN**

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
 Illustrations by **Valeria Petrone**
Age 6 +
€ 19,90

A cheerful and funny text in rhyme that tells the story of the unusual day of two children lived through their emotions... An invitation to "live" our own and others' emotions, not to be afraid but to live them and share them even when they make you feel upside down.



THE ALPHABET OF THE WORLD

Texts and illustrations

by **Eva Montanari**

Age 6 +

€ 19,90

The world around us is a curious and original alphabet, a set of signs for discovering how to see and describe reality from a different point of view. This is what happens to Paolo who thanks to a pair of magic glasses is able to see what was previously concealed, to create new stories and find the pleasure of sharing them with others.



First reprint



THE IMAGINARY MUSEUM

Texts and illustrations

by **Gek Tessaro**

Age 6 +

€ 20,00

A wonderful illustrated book that uses rhymes to discover a museum that goes beyond physical space and becomes a collection of what each of us feels we want to personally collect, keep and share with others.



**Winner of the national Award
"Un Libro per l'Ambiente 2017"**
Category: "Best graphic-text
consistency"



Series **BIG SQUARED STORIES**

"Large format" illustrated books in which great writers and illustrators tell simple yet universal stories that deal with important issues. At the end of each book several interactive pages invite the reader to get involved.

Hardback volumes - 36 pages - 28,5 x 28,5 cm - € 19,90



ADVENTUROUS WOMEN

WHO MADE THE HISTORY OF MILAN

Texts by **Patrizia Zelioli**

Illustrations by **Ilaria Mauriello** and **Elena Tarantola**

Age 8 +

€ 20,00

They are artists, poetesses, revolutionaries, actresses, scientists and much more, and often more than one thing at the same time. Above all, they are women who have made of their lives, full of courage and adventure, an example of passion and determination. Twenty-eight splendid women who passed through Milan and left their mark, donating a part of themselves to the city and receiving in exchange the possibility of being remembered forever.

The story of 28 revolutionary women



IF I CAN, YOU CAN DO IT TOO

Texts by **Roberta Brioschi** and **Annarita da Bellonio**

Illustrations by **Lorenzo Sangiò**

Age 4 +

€ 20,00

When an early spring awakens the animals of the forest, Turtle and Bear begin the journey to the top of the hill. Along the way, the two friends will meet many animals who, having overcome Bear's first gruff approaches, will join the caravan. This way, an assorted company will be formed, which step by step will teach Bear how beautiful it is to cooperate for a common goal.

Discovering the beauty and the importance of doing things together



THE BREATH OF EVERYONE

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
 Illustrations by **Marco Brancato**
Age 6 +
€ 20,00

One fine day, three unusual, pink animals arrive in the forest, disturbing the peace of its inhabitants. They come from a different environment, and besides they act oddly. But something comes up and changes the balance...

A delicate story that deals with the issue of fragility, cohesion and mutual comprehension. To teach the children how much important it is to lend a hand.

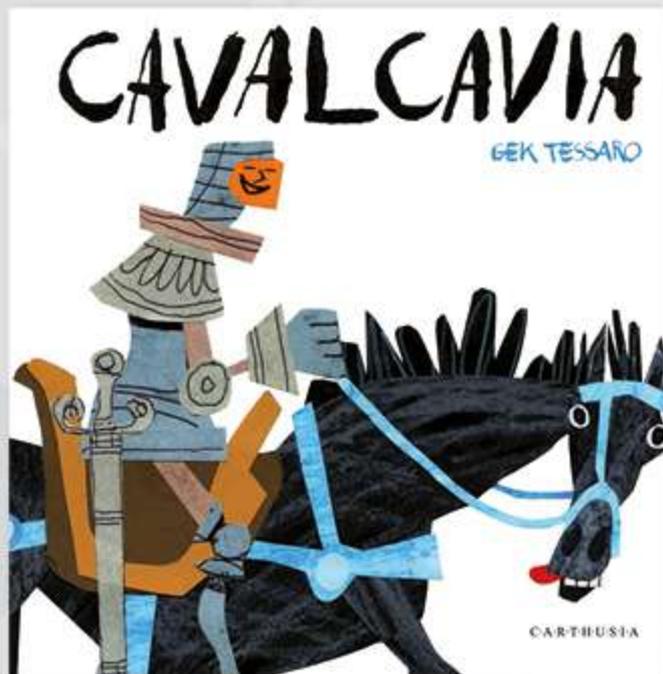


I WANT TO WRITE A POEM

Texts by **Bernard Friot**
 Illustrations by **Arianna Papini**
Age 8 +
€ 20,00

The lines by Bernard Friot, written for the first time in Italian directly, are intertwined with the poetical illustrations by Arianna Papini, in order to tell daily life and to appreciate the poetry of small things. From an encounter, almost by chance, comes this book of poetry which looks at people.





RIDE AWAY!

Texts and illustrations by **Gek Tessaro**

Age 6 +

€ 20,00

“Ride away!” are the magic words for a suggestion: for every knight parading in this finely illustrated volume, but also for readers. Leave, escape, save yourself from the senseless logic of fighting and war. Ride away!



DON'T TEACH THE CHILDREN

Text by **Giorgio Gaber, Sandro Luporini**

Illustrations by **Gianni De Conno, Alessandro Ferraro, Arianna Papini, Antonello Silverini**

Age 6 +

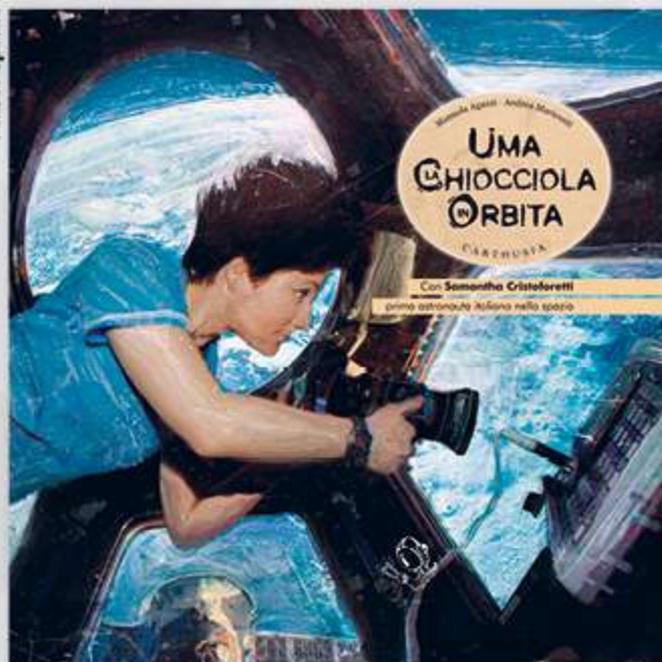
€ 20,00

Children and boys are sociable and confident, they are the future: their minds shouldn't be influenced by adults, but set free and lovely supported to discover the magic of life. This is the message coming from the brave cooperation between four of the best Italian illustrators and two of the greatest authors in the Italian musical tradition.

First reprint



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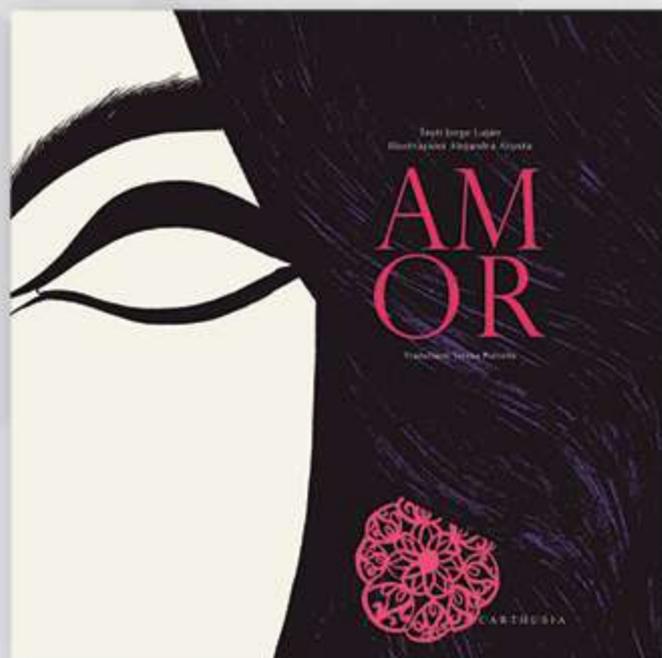


UMA

THE SHELL IN ORBIT

Preface by **Samantha Cristoforetti**
 Texts by **Manuela Aguzzi**
 Illustrations by **Andrea Mariconti**
Age 6 +
€ 19,90

An entertaining adventure which looks at space exploration and scientific research, but also at how courage, creativity, and curiosity are essential ingredients in everyday life, not just extreme situations.

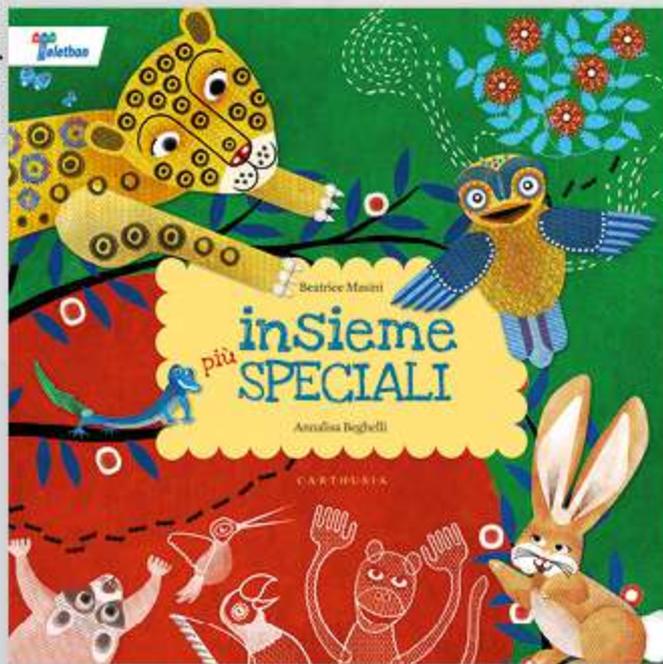


AMOR

Texts by **Jorge Luján**
 Illustrations by **Alejandra Acosta**
 Translation by **Teresa Porcella**
Age 6 +
€ 19,90

An exotic and fantastic story in which four letters are continuously interwoven and make up the love story between Maro and Omar. A fable from times past about having the courage to fully live one's emotions.





MORE SPECIAL TOGETHER

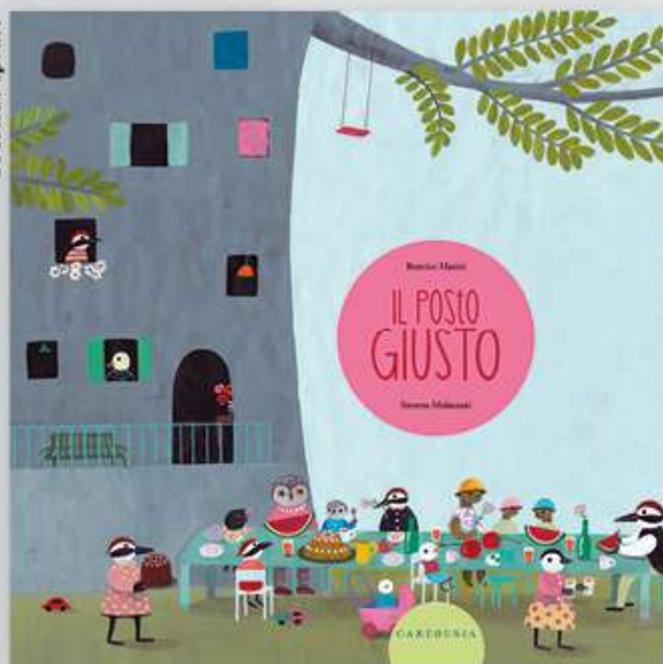
Texts by **Beatrice Masini**

Illustrations by **Annalisa Beghelli**

Age 6 +

€ 19,90

After the party the jaguar and the lizard are tired and have lots to think about. Something is missing - something they have lost. So the owl, the monkey, the spider and all the other animals get busy with their paws, colours and imagination to give them what they want. Because there are things that you can and should try to put right, and it should be done together...



THE RIGHT PLACE

Texts by **Beatrice Masini**

Illustrations by **Simona Mulazzani**

Age 4 +

€ 19,90

After the long winter, Squirrel sets out to find a place that he doesn't yet know but which he feels the need to find. Along the journey he asks Woodpecker, Turtle, Tit, Mole and Owl what the right place is, and thanks to them he chooses "a big tree with deep roots and branches that are wide and long" that can accommodate all their needs and where no-one is never alone...





THE GIRL WHO POLISHES DREAMS

THE STORY OF A PARK BECOME A REALITY

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**

and **Francesca Lenzi**

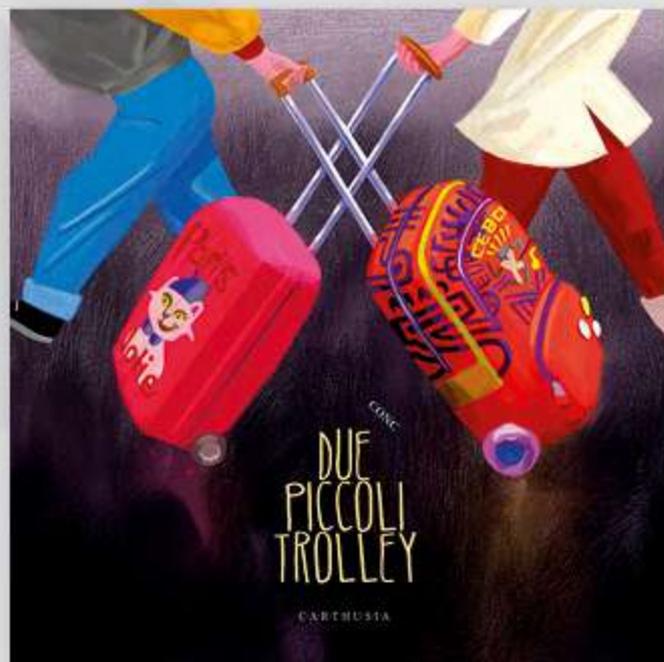
Illustrations by **Chiara Carrer**

Age 7 +

€ 19,90

Playful rhymes and beautiful illustrations to tell the story of a dream come true.

A project born out of the enthusiasm of a very special girl and all the people who believed in her dream.



TWO SMALL TROLLEYS

Texts and illustrations by **Conc**

Age 6 +

€ 20,00

The story of Andrea and Giulia, two classmates, and their two small trolleys, tells us the route that every weekend brings from mum's to dad's house. Or vice-versa.

A book to talk about parents separation, but also about friendship and mutual understanding.



Series **SQUARED STORIES**

Illustrated albums, with short simple stories aimed at the youngest readers, and with activity pages at the end. A series collecting stories aimed to talk about important topics with soft and delicate words.

Hardback volumes - 40 pages - 25 x 23,5 cm - Age 3 +



A book which talks to children about effort and rebirth

THE LITTLE RED FOX

Texts by **Emanuela Nava**

Illustrations by **Annalisa Beghelli**

36 pages - € 16,90

Zoe is a fox that lives at the base of a mountain. One day she will have to push herself along a steep and tiring path. But thanks to special travel companions, she will discover that she is braver than she thought.

**TARABARALLA**

THE TREASURE OF THE BARONESS CATERPILLAR

Musics and texts by **Elisabetta Garilli**

Illustrations by **Valeria Petrone**

Musical performances by **Garilli Sound Project**

36 pages - € 17,90

The baroness caterpillar dreams of gold wings to fly, but has nothing to give in exchange. Her friends, however, have put away a nice "treasure". But together they will discover the value of friendship.

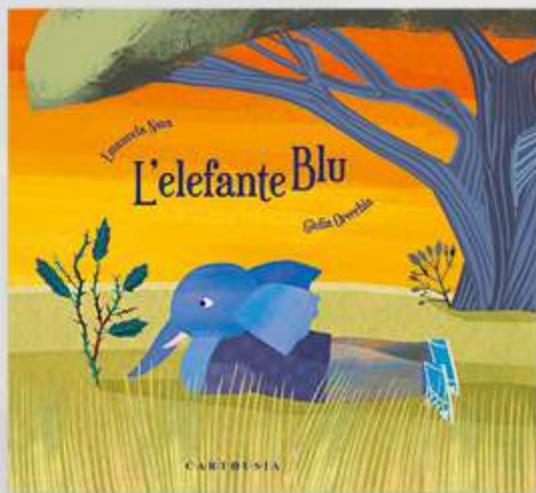
**CAM'S JOURNEY**

Texts by **Arianna Giorgia Bonazzi**

Illustrations by **Arianna Papini, Giulia Orecchia, Ninamasina, Vittoria Facchini, Emanuela Bussolati, Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**

36 pages - € 14,90

Cam is a small seed traveling to different countries where EMERGENCY's hospitals are located. Here he meets some children and visits special gardens, places of care and wellness.



THE BLUE ELEPHANT

Texts by **Emanuela Nava**

Illustrations by **Giulia Orecchia**

36 pages - € 16,90

Blu is not like the other elephants of the savanna: its skin is blue and he can only eat delicate flowers and buds. That's why he's not happy: he would like to eat better and tastier things. But one morning, a special meeting will change his life forever...



OMAR 2020 Award

Category "Best publishing through photos, comics, illustrations, artistic installations"



I FLY WITH YOU

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**

Illustrations by **Marco Brancato**

€ 16,90

This is the story of two very different girls traveling to the limits of the world to find Diego, a friend and brother who got lost. An adventure that will make all three stronger and finally able to believe in themselves.



THE GATE ON THE WATER

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**

Illustrations by **Annalisa Beghelli**

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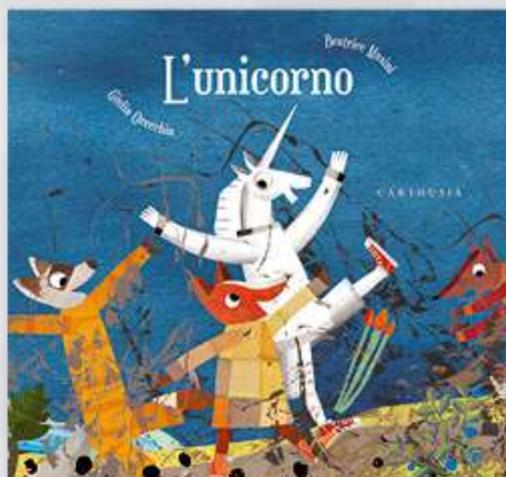
Chiara, Orlando and Fabia are three tiny animals who live on a river, which is their life. One day the river dried out, and the three friends began an adventurous journey to find the only key that could reopen the Great Gate that governs the waters...



CORA'S DREAM

Texts by **Emanuela Nava**
 Illustrations by **Marco Brancato**
 € 16,90

The little artist Cora used to do difficult stunts taught by her dad, but when one day he suddenly disappears she understands that something is going wrong despite the reassuring words of her mother. *Cora's dream* is a book conceived to talk about the imprisonment of a parent with delicacy and depth.



THE UNICORN

Texts by **Beatrice Masini**
 Illustrations by **Giulia Orecchia**
 € 16,90

The unicorn is a loner, because he is special – as his mother always tells him – and because he's white, and he has to be careful not to get dirty. But sometimes he gets tired of this solitude, and he wishes he could be just like the others. Even if it means getting a little dirty. Will he be able to achieve his dream?



THE LITTLE TRAIN

Texts by **Elisabetta Garilli**
 Illustrations by **Serena Abagnato**
 € 14,90

A good toy is 10% toy and 90% child! This book is dedicated to children's right to be free to create, modify, destroy and start again. Through creativity and imagination children will learn to discover the world and meanwhile to know themselves.



A FORMIDABLE DANCE COMPETITION

An idea by **Annarita Adduci**
 Texts by **Emanuela Nava**
 Illustrations by **Patrizia La Porta**
€ 16,90

A book that teaches how to face life's challenges with courage and determination, just as the Red Chick does. A tender and gripping story to talk to kids about the strength of their mothers who deal with an illness.



THIS IS THE STORY OF TOPOLINA

Texts by **Emanuela Nava**
 Illustrations by **Simona Mulazzani**
€ 16,90

In a spring day the snow falls unexpectedly, hiding TopoLina's hole. Fox, Budger, and the other animals of the wood will have to understand their new little friend in order to help her. An illustrated album dedicated to those children who have difficulties in communication.

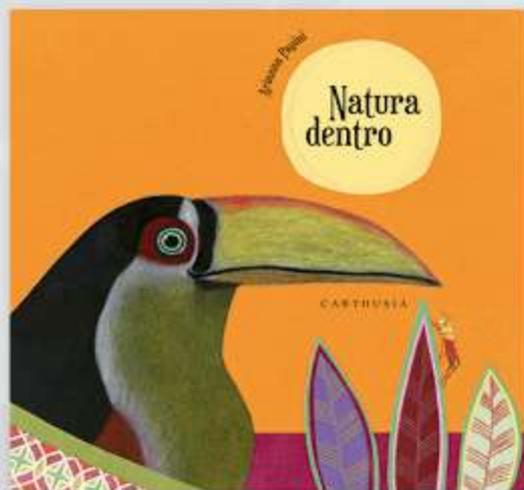
First reprint



THE ISLAND

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
 Illustrations by **Valeria Petrone**
€ 16,90

Does it exist a place where all the little animals who are ill could be healed? Yes, it does. It is the Island where the little eagle and many puppies receive the treatments that will heal them. A metaphorical as well as enthralling story to help children facing the days in hospital.



NATURE INSIDE

Texts and illustrations by **Arianna Papini**
 € 16,90

The animals from this story lead us through the beauty of nature and the creativity of every creature, along the adventure of giving shape and colour to our own emotions, to discover ourselves and learn to feel good.



HEART OF TIGER

Conceived and created by **Paola Formica**
 € 16,90

The hero of this story is a little girl who finds inside herself her own tiger and rides it to escape from her destiny of child bride. A silent book to discover courage and the power of freedom and self-respect.



Honorable mention of the award
 "Un libro per l'Ambiente 2018"
 promoted by **Legambiente**



MILO AND HIS CASTLE

Texts by **Emanuela Nava**
 Illustrations by **Annalisa Beghelli**
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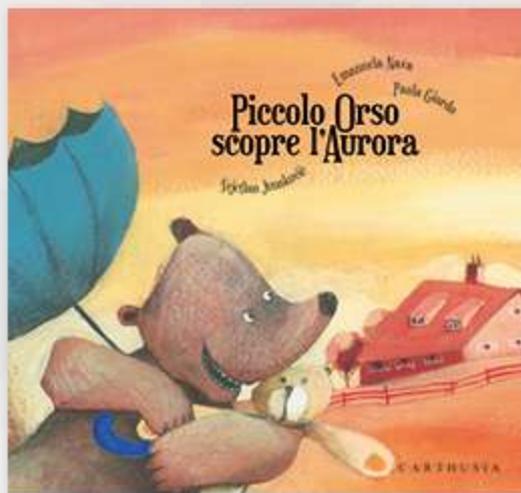
The story of Milo the beaver is a universal story about learning to love ourselves in our childhood, together with the help of our parents, in order to take care of ourselves independently. Which is fundamental for a child affected by cystic fibrosis, but it's important for all children, too.



LIVY. YESTERDAY AND TODAY'S STORIES

Texts by Sabina Colloredo
 Illustrations by Marco Brancato
 € 16,90

To commemorate the 2000th anniversary from the death of Livy, here is a funny novel telling about two children, Titus and Livia, putting on stage the tales of the History of Rome, the very same tales that the great historian has passed down in his writings. A book to help children to discover the pleasure of knowing History.

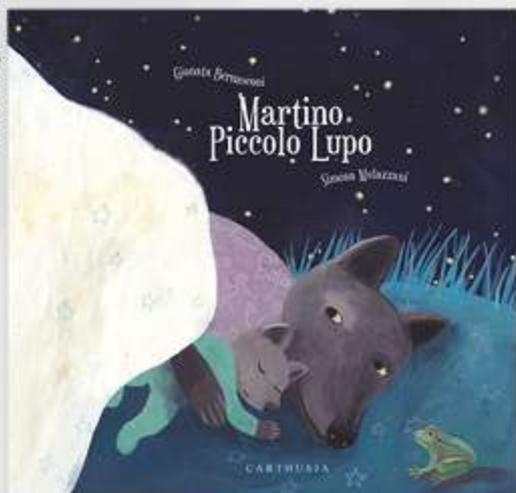


LITTLE BEAR DISCOVERS THE DAWN

Texts by Emanuela Nava
 Illustrations by Sjetlan Junakovic
 € 16,90

A story featuring animals in which domestic violence is looked at through the use of metaphors and a way of hope is found together.

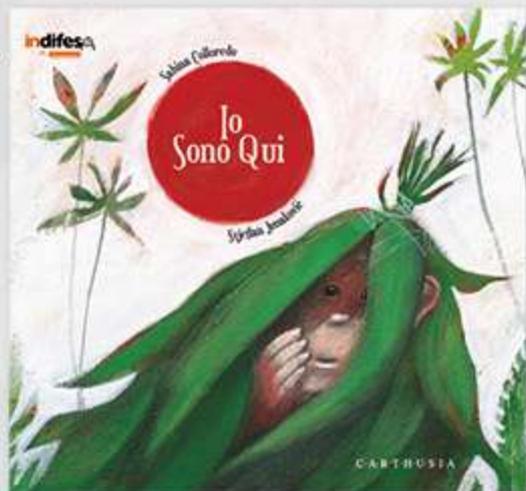
Third reprint



MARTIN THE LITTLE WOLF

Texts by Gionata Bernasconi
 Illustrations by Simona Mulazzani
 € 16,90

Martino was born during a night of thick fog. He is a little wolf who doesn't howl at the moon, he's fond of cherries and he will teach the whole pack that you have to see past appearances in order to be really strong. A story for promoting a proper culture with regard to autism and helping children, parents and teachers to see "more clearly".



I'M RIGHT HERE

Texts by Sabina Colloredo

Illustrations by Sijetan Junakovic

€ 15,90

Tendra is a little monkey who was born invisible to everybody, but who wants to find out about life and the world all around her.



THE CAT WHO LOST HIS TAIL

Created by Gabriele Carabelli and Sarah Frasca

Texts by Emanuela Nava

Illustrations by Annalisa Beghelli

€ 15,90

This is the story of a cat who lost his tail, and thus the possibility of showing his feelings, and the long journey he has to undertake to get it back, so becoming a hero.



LOOK AT THIS!

Storytelling by Emanuela Nava

Illustrations by Chiara Bongiovanni

€ 15,90

A book made only by a sequence of images, a delicate, engaging and poetic story to talk about the special encounter between two seemingly distant worlds: the deaf people's world and the hearing people's world.

First reprint

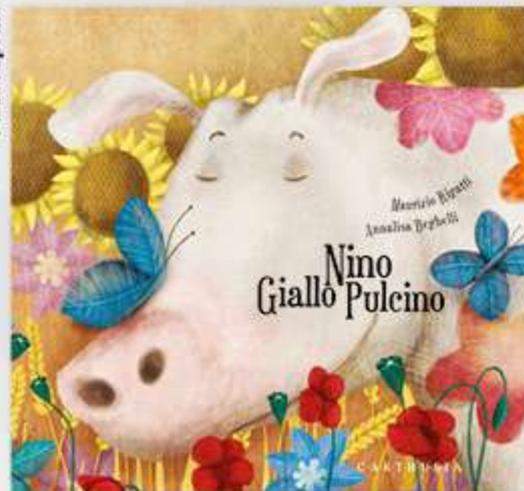


THERE WAS ONCE A TINY LITTLE DOLPHIN

Texts by Emanuela Nava
Illustrations by Giulia Re
€ 16,90

A delicate tale which tells the story of the unexpected premature birth of a tiny little dolphin, of its vulnerability in the stormy seas all around, and how important it is to have the love and support of all those around on the new journey that is life.

First reprint

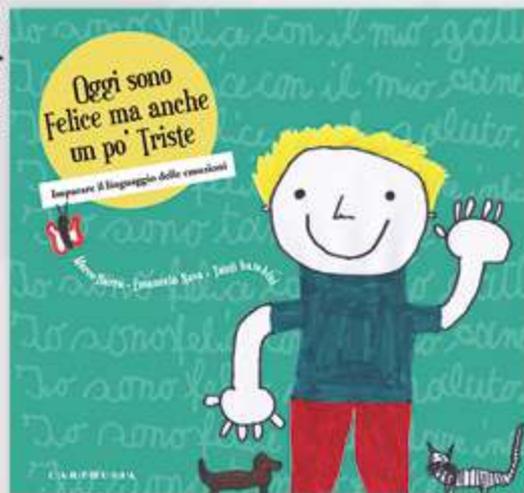


NINO THE LITTLE YELLOW CHICK

Texts by Maurizio Rigatti
Illustrations by Annalisa Beghelli
€ 15,90

Nino little yellow chick is the nickname of a very special little calf who, right from birth, is very different from all the other animals in the farmyard.

First reprint



TODAY I FEEL GOOD BUT A LITTLE SAD TOO

Texts by Emanuela Nava, Marco Barra,
and children from Piemonte's primary schools
€ 15,90

An amazing book illustrated by children and aimed at children, designed to help them to reflect on what makes them feel good and what makes them unhappy.

Series **SQUARED RHYMES**

Rhymes let you play with words and their sounds, they make stories fun and full of life. Svjetlan Junakovic's poetic illustrations are the inspiration for fantastic journeys full of emotion.

Hardback volumes - 40 pages - 23,5 x 23,5 cm - Age 3 +

Second reprint

**A HOME THAT I LIKE**

Texts by Roberto Piumini

€ 13,90

Third reprint

**WHEN CURIOUS NINETTA SEES A STAIR...**

Texts by Alfa Beta

€ 15,90

Series **LITTLE MONTESSORI ADVENTURES**

Books dedicated to the adventures of Nenè, inspired by the principles of the Maria Montessori Method.

Hardback volumes - 36 pages - 20 x 20 cm

Age 3 + - € 15,00

NENÈ DOES IT BY HIMSELF WITH WATER

Idea, storytelling and texts by Ruggero Poi

Texts by Sabina Colloredo

Illustrations by Giulia Orecchia

Nenè is a curious child who experiments water pouring, getting dressed and undressed, using the clothes dryer... with "seriously" comic results and by never giving up.

Series **INDISPENSIBLES**

Collection of very different books, united by a rare ability to touch the innermost points of our emotions and the deepest feelings.

Hardback volumes - 36 pages - 23 x 23 cm - Age 3+ - € 15,90



The beauty and importance of bees told to children

FABLE

Texts by **Massimo Papini**

Illustrations by **Arianna Papini**

A poem that sweetly speaks the language of children, touching their imagination, to tell the beauty and importance of bees, which are so industrious and vital for our world.

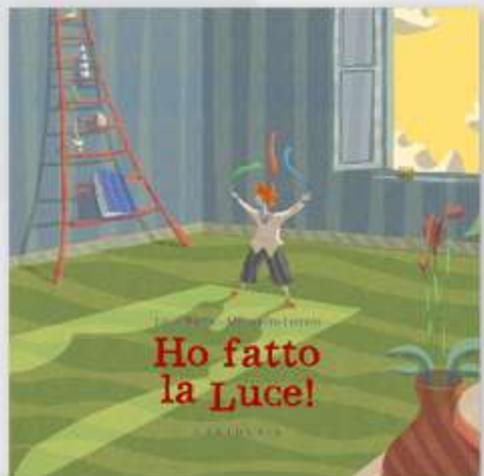


SIMONA'S CAKES

Texts by **Simona Galimberti**

Illustrations by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**

There are pies that are like cuddles, others that help to drive away the boredom of a long afternoon, others that really put everyone in agreement. Here are twelve of the favorite recipes of Simona, all followed by refined illustrations, which make the imagination travel in the kitchen, with the desire to be together.

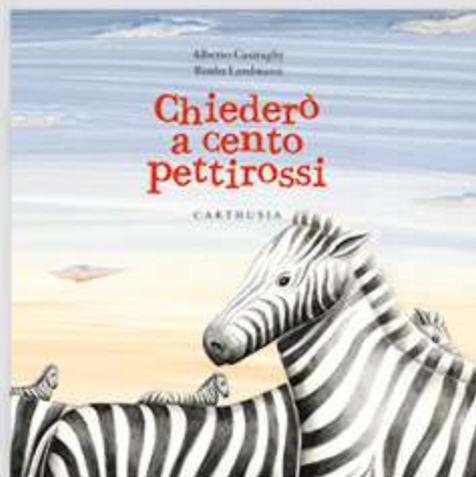


I MADE THE LIGHT!

Texts by **Luisa Mattia**

Illustrations by **Alessandro Ferraro**

Wanda is eight years old, she has three collections and a lot of imagination. She collects pebbles of a thousand shapes that she draws and colors. She collects labels and paper clippings with which she invents stories. She also collects transparent and colored plastic scraps with which one day, like magic, she fills her world with lights and colors.



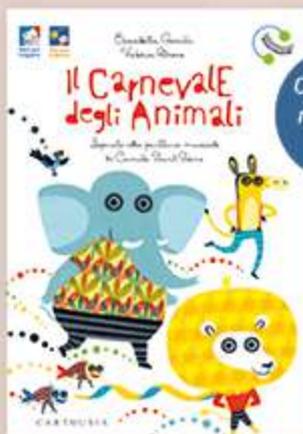
I WILL ASK A HUNDRED ROBINS

Texts by Alberto Casiraghy
Illustrations by Bimba Landmann

An illustrated book which collects a selection of aphorisms written by one of the greatest authors of this particular way of writing: small thoughts dedicated to animals, enhanced by strongly evocative illustrations, building a visual path that lead children in a deep dimension of reflection.

Series **MIGNON**

A series that collects some Carthusia classics in reduced format. Universal stories, guardians of dreams and a thousand adventures, to always carry with you and read at any time. **Hardback volumes**



THE CARNIVAL OF THE ANIMALS

Texts by **Elisabetta Garilli**
Illustrations by **Valeria Petrone**
Musical performances by
Orchestra di Padova e del Veneto
32 pages · 14,2 x 21 cm
Age 3 + · € 10,90

A fun parade of animals, led by the Lion King, where young readers will hear roars, clucks, brays and so on.



WHILE YOU ARE SLEEPING

Conceived and realized by
Mariana Ruiz Johnson
36 pages · 18 x 17,5 cm
Age 3 + · € 9,90

A book dedicated to the reading made by parents to children before they fall asleep, because in the night and in dreams the stories can come alive, and the world of fantasy can become reality.

Second reprint



TARARÌ TARARERA...

Conceived and realized by
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40 pages · 18 x 17,5 cm
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The first book written in the Piriipù language tells the misadventures of Piriipù Bibi, the little one in the family looking for trouble! A story told in a fantastic language.

Series **FROM TALE TO TALE**

Fairy tales and classics wear new clothes in this new "squared" series, with big and colourful illustrations and short texts designed to get the youngest reader closer to the magic of timeless stories.

Hardback volumes - 40 pages - 23,5 x 23,5 cm - Age 3+ - € 15,90

**THE TALE OF THE FISHERMAN AND THE FISH**

From a tale of Aleksandr Puškin

Illustrations by **Elena Ceccato**

36 pages

One morning in a long time ago, a fisherman found a golden fish in the net who, in exchange for freedom, promised to fulfill his every wish. The good fisherman didn't ask for anything, but he hadn't dealt with his little wife's greedy heart...

**THE THREE LITTLE PIGS**

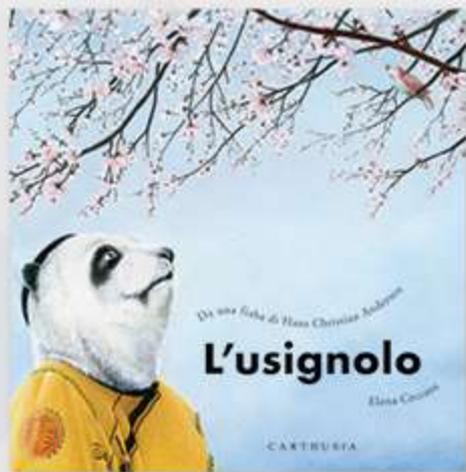
From a fairy tale of the European tradition

Illustrations by **Lorenzo Sangiò**

36 pages

Once there were three little pigs who lived with their mum near the woods. One day mum said: "Dear little pigs, now you are grown up. It's time for you to go out into the world and build your own home".

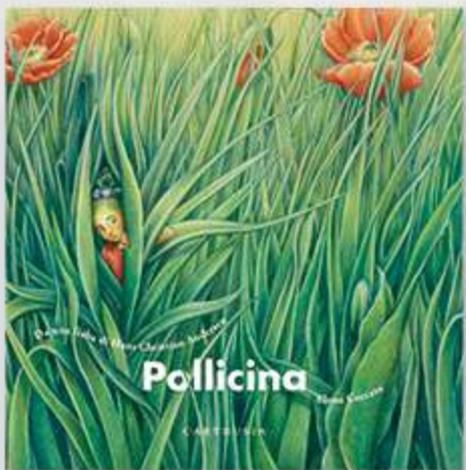




THE NIGHTINGALE

From a tale by **Hans Christian Andersen**
Illustrations by **Elena Ceccato**

Many years ago, the emperor of China used to live in such a beautiful kingdom that visitors came from all over the world to admire it. However, the greatest prodigy of that kingdom was a nightingale whose singing was the sweetest ever heard. One day the emperor asked his servants to bring the extraordinary bird to the palace, to let him sing for his court, although...

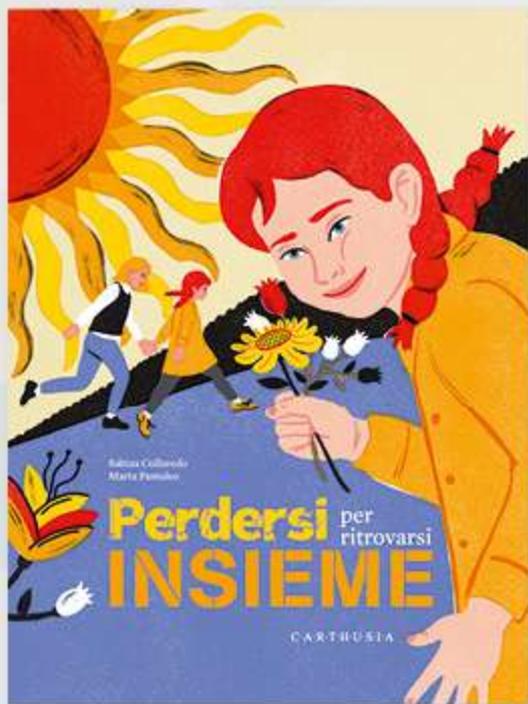


THUMBELINA

From a tale by **Hans Christian Andersen**
Illustrations by **Elena Ceccato**

Thumbelina is a very little girl born from a button in order to make happy a woman who had not children. Kidnapped and moved through a world full of creatures little for us but as big as hippos for her, finally she will find a prince as special as her.





GET LOST TO FIND BACK OURSELVES

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**

Illustrations by **Marta Pantaleo**

Hardback volume · 32 pages · 24 x 32 cm

Age 8+ · € 17,90

They are “The boys of the library”, and they are inseparable friends, who study, play and grow together. They have gone through many, because their group is a magnet for adventures... but one above all deserves to be told. The one in which an eclipse has changed their way to look at the world. Thanks to a sudden blackout, the children of the library shed light on the really important things: their energy and the energy of our precious planet, which we should protect and care for.

To understand how important it is to take care of our planet



Series CHILDREN, LET'S GIVE A HAND... FOR A BETTER WORLD

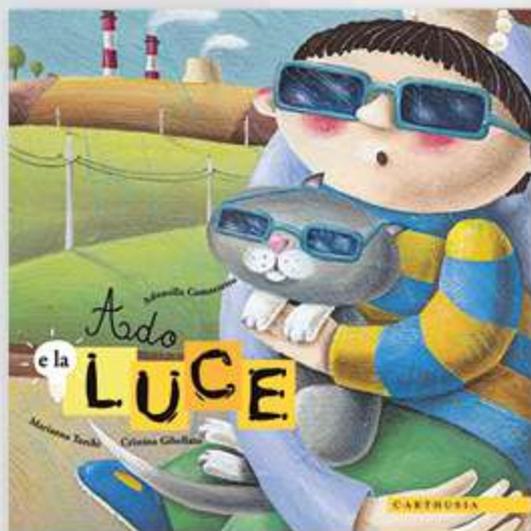
Large format volume aimed at teaching children to have respect for the environment. Identifying with the characters in each story allows the readers to discover the importance of little everyday gestures and deeds to make a better world! The volumes contain games and activities dedicated to teaching about the environment.

Hardback volumes - 30 pages - 31 x 31 cm - Age 4+ - € 15,90


LEO FEELS LIKE MOVING

Illustrations by **Paola Depero**

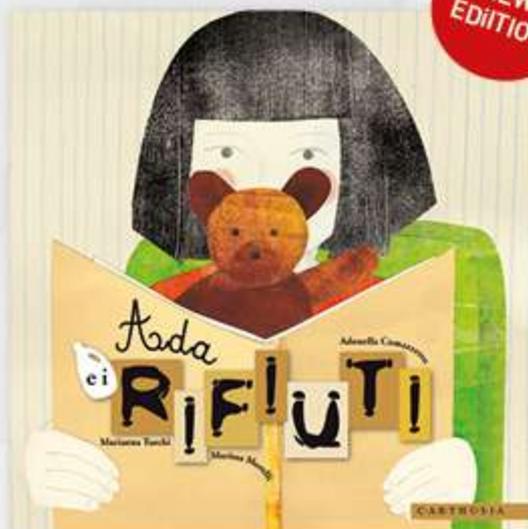
One day, Leo doesn't go to school by car; instead he walks there with his grandfather... an opportunity for a walk full of surprises. An experience to repeat again and again!


ADO AND THE LIGHT

Texts by **Adonella Comazzetto** and **Marianna Turchi**
 Illustrations by **Cristina Gibellato**

Children will discover how important is to turn off the light when you don't need it because it can't stay on all the time. Light has to have a rest as well, to save energy.

**LITTLE EVERYDAY GESTURES
 MAKE A BETTER WORLD!**


ADA AND THE RUBBISH

Illustrations by **Marissa Morelli**
28,5 x 28,5 cm - € 17,90

Together with Ada, children discover that the things that we throw away can be used again... but only if our rubbish is divided and separated!



Second reprint

THE HEART OF QUIXOTE

Texts and illustrations by Gek Tessaro

Hardback volume · 64 pages

28,5 x 28,5 cm

Age 9 + ... for everybody!

€ 27,90

With this free revisiting of the immortal character of Don Quixote, the multi award-winning illustrator Gek Tessaro looks at the idea of wandering hearts, the feeling and passion within everything.

CONTAINS THE DVD OF THE PLAY

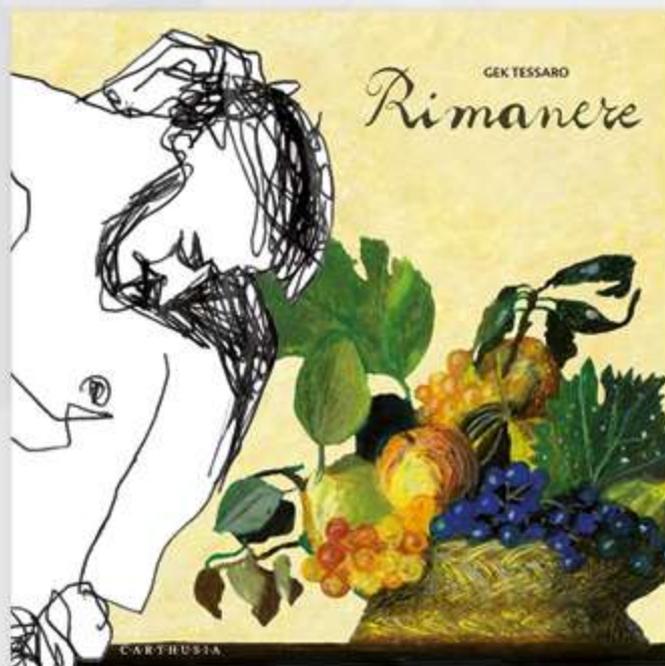
Texts and direction by Gek Tessaro

Service direction Lella Marazzini

Production Arrivano dal mare



The heart of Quixote
Andersen Award Best
illustrated volume 2012



REMAINING

BECAUSE ART IS A MEETING WITH NO CONCEPT OF TIME

Texts and illustrations by Gek Tessaro

Hardback volume

64 pages · 28,5 x 28,5 cm

Age 9 + ... for everybody!

€ 21,00

The most important works in the history of Italian art as interpreted by the genius of Gek Tessaro: a poetic journey through encounters, returns and epiphanies to discover that before anything else, art is an unbreakable link of friendship between people.



THE EXPOSED EXPOSITION

TRIP BEHIND THE SCENES OF A CONTEMPORARY ART GALLERY

Project conceived by **Leo Guerra** and **Cristina Quadrio Curzio**
 Storytelling and texts by **Cristina Quadrio Curzio** and **Emanuela Nava**

Visual pathway and illustrations by **Gek Tessaro**

Paperback volume

64 pages · 28,5 x 28,5 cm

Age 9 +

€ 16,90

The book explains what is an art gallery, who are the people working in, how they select an artist, how they plan the space...



GIGINA AND GIGETTA

Texts and illustrations by Gek Tessaro

Hardback volume

40 pages · 25 x 23,5 cm

Age 3 +

€ 14,90

Playful, humorous picture book that through a cheerful rhyme text, describes the world seen through the eyes of Ggina and her little sister Gigetta: a huge and wonderful game. A never ending discovery of the world designed by adults, that children are able to rethink, twist and adapt to suit them.



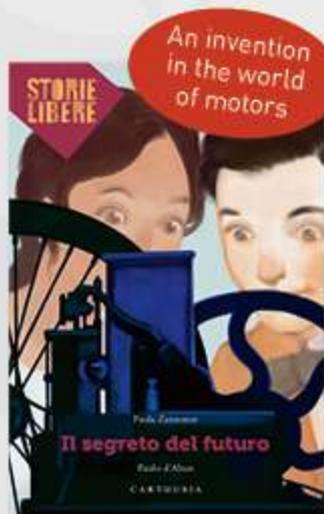
Soligatto Award 2015

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Series **ON THE WINGS OF FREEDOM**

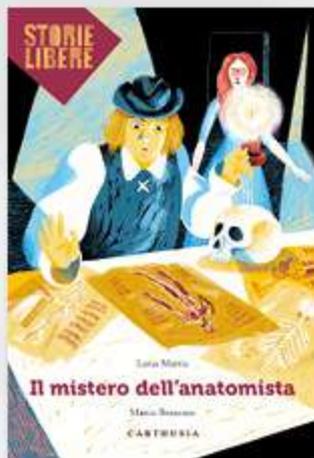
There have been men and women who struggled to see beyond other people's judgments, beyond the social rules and the goals already achieved by their predecessors. These are the brave stories of those ones who had the courage to think for themselves and look ahead with their own eyes. Supervision and final info-sheets by University of Padua.

Paperback volumes - 64 pages - 14,5 x 21 cm - Age 9+ - € 13,50

**THE SECRET OF THE FUTURE**

Texts by **Paola Zannoner**
Illustrations by **Paolo d'Altan**

Who is Enrico Bernardi? For Lauro, he is a brilliant dad, but also an esteemed and famous university teacher. For Giannina, a wild country girl, he is an awe-inspiring professor. But Enrico Bernardi is much more: he is an inventor who designs and builds new vehicles to change everyone's life and project it into the future.

**THE MYSTERY OF THE ANATOMIST**

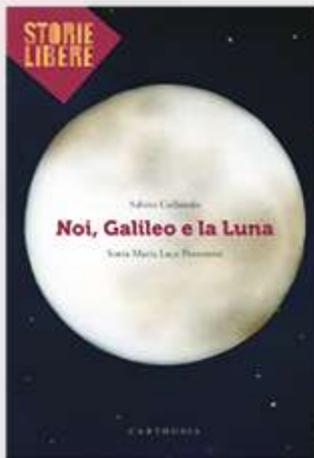
Texts by **Luisa Mattia**
Illustrations by **Marco Brancato**

Who is Andrea Vesalio? In Padua he is the anatomy professor who came from distant lands, the great scientist who studies the human body; for the young Menego, on the other hand, he is an unexpected ally, who will help him solve a complicated mystery and understand that, even if knowledge sometimes is scary, it is invaluable, like friendship.

**MILLA**

Texts by **Antonio Ferrara**
Illustrations by **Angelo Ruta**

Who is Massimilla Baldo Ceolin? Everybody calls her Milla and she is a tenacious woman, a great Italian physicist known all over the world, a researcher determined to find the invisible. She is able to look with new eyes and from new points of view, and to dive easily in the sea of science.

**GALILEO, THE MOON AND US**

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
Illustrations by **Sonia Maria Luce Possentini**

Who is Galileo Galilei? To Virginia Galileo is Gali, the elder brother to watch the stars with on summer nights. But he's also the great academic, the admired scientist. Many years later, to the "other Virginia", Galileo is a rough but complicit father who could take her to conquer the universe.

Series FROM TREASURE TO TREASURE

A series of fascinating books that take inspiration from objects, artefacts and symbolic treasures from the past and create enthralling stories.

Hardback volumes · 96 pages · 12 x 21 cm
With further information pages

THE HEROES COMING FROM THE SEA

THE MYSTERY OF THE RIACE BRONZES

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
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Other texts by **Museo Nazionale di Reggio Calabria**
Age 12+ · € 12,50

The discovery of the Riace Bronzes made the news worldwide. But there is a story within the story that no-one has ever told.



GARIBALDI'S JEANS

OR HOW CELESTINA WON HER BATTLE

Texts by **Luisa Mattia**
Illustrations by **Paolo D'Altan**
Other texts by **Marco Pizzo** of the Museo Centrale del Risorgimento di Roma
Age 8+ · € 12,50
First reprint

A novel which tells of the journey which will lead two brave children to find out that Garibaldi wore strange trousers...

English language edition
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€ 11,50

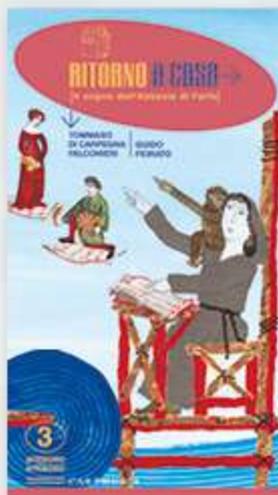


THE LOOK OF MONA LISA

OR THE SECRET OF MELTING

Texts by **Roberto Piumini**
Illustrations by **Gianni De Conno**
Other texts by **Luigi Paladin**
Age 8+ · € 12,50

The author gives us a possible solution to the mystery of all mysteries: who is the Mona Lisa? And since, like cherries, one mystery leads to another, that of the Mona Lisa leads to another...

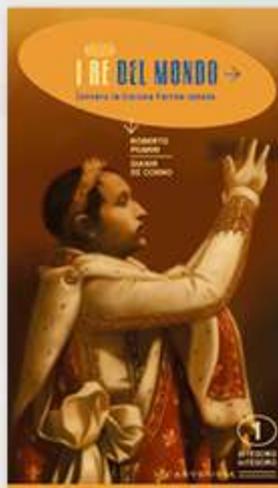


BACK HOME

THE DREAM OF FARFA ABBEY

Texts and fact sheets by **Tommaso di Carpegna Falconieri**
Illustrations by **Guido Fiorato**
Age 8+ · € 11,90

In the Middle Ages, a pilgrim returning home from Jerusalem saves three children from pirates. They have numerous adventures together on their journey back to the banks of the river Tevere, where, guided by a vision, the pilgrim founds Farfa Abbey.



THE KINGS OF THE WORLD

OR THE STOLEN IRON CROWN

Texts by **Roberto Piumini**
Illustrations by **Gianni De Conno**
Other texts by **Marilena Caimi** and **Enrica Meregalli**
Honour List 2006 IBBY International for best illustrator
Age 8+ · € 11,50

An intriguing detective story which goes from the theft of the Iron Crown to the eve of Napoleon's coronation.

Series **GROWING UP WITH NO SIDE EFFECTS**

PSYCHOLOGY IN THE HANDS OF A CHILD

Text by Domenico Barrilà · Illustrations by Emanuela Bussolati

An innovative series aimed at helping the youngest with their fear of being inadequate. The idea is to give them a clear and simple tool which can help them to feel more comfortable and self confident.

Hardback volumes · 40 pages · 23,5 x 23,5 cm · Age 4 +

**THE COURAGE TO THINK ABOUT GOD**

GROWING UP WITHOUT FORGETTING THE BIG THINGS

€ 14,90

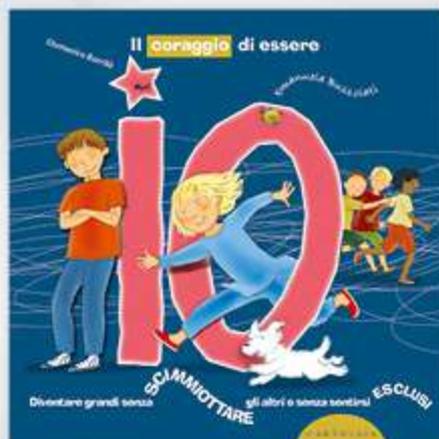
God is in the thoughts of everyone, even those who don't believe in him. This book tells children about the need that man has always had for spirituality and the need to make sense of the world and all it contains.

**THE COURAGE TO BE OPEN-HEARTED**

GROWING UP WITHOUT FORGETTING THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS: FEELINGS

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A book written to help children to deal with topics such as feelings, emotions and the meaning of bonds, but above all to help them find the right distance between them and their peers.

**THE COURAGE TO BE ME**

GROWING UP WITHOUT APING OR IMITATING OTHERS AND WITHOUT FEELING LEFT OUT

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Page by page, in a dialogue inspired by the experiences of different children, the main characters deal with the important theme of having the courage to be yourself.

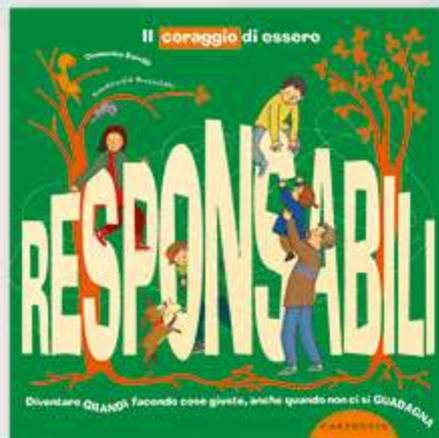
Third reprint

**THE COURAGE TO BE BRAVE**

GROWING UP WITHOUT BEING SNEAKY AND WITHOUT FEELING STUPID AS A RESULT

€ 15,90

The main character is a new kind of bravery, full of hope for children: no more heroic virtue, instead the ability to tolerate failure, to keep trying again, to ask for help in overcoming feelings of inadequacy.



Fifth reprint



THIS IS ME

I LEARN TO GET TO KNOW MYSELF, TO LOVE MYSELF AND TO DEFEND MYSELF AGAINST BULLIES

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This book was inspired by the conviction that developing a sense of self-respect and awareness of one's own feelings and emotions is the right way for young and old people to approach the highs and lows of daily life.

THE COURAGE TO BE RESPONSIBLE

GROWING UP BY DOING THE RIGHT THINGS, EVEN IF YOU DON'T GAIN ANYTHING

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The concept of responsibility is passed on to children by giving them the knowledge that they are not the only creatures living on the planet, and that their lives and those of their fellow travelers, also depend on their personal behaviour.

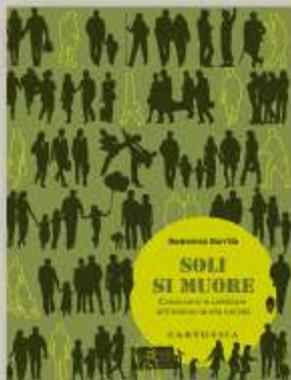
Series

THINKING-EDUCATING, WITHOUT SIDE EFFECTS

Series aimed at those looking for an all round knowledge, able to integrate psychology into everyday life. The series offers the opportunity to refine one's reflective capabilities and improve one's educational skills.

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For adults · € 10,90

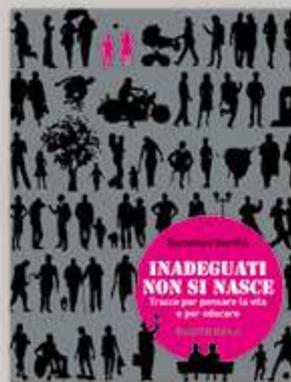


ALONE YOU DIE

GETTING TO KNOW YOURSELF AND CHANGING THROUGH YOUR SOCIAL LIFE

In the same way that a wave and a cliff change reciprocally, a person and their social life interact so as to establish their reciprocal future. The author takes us into the universe of social and emotional ties, the real creators of our lifestyles.

Available in ebook version



YOU AREN'T BORN INADEQUATE

CLUES ON HOW TO THINK ABOUT LIFE AND TO EDUCATE

If you aren't born inadequate, it means that you become inadequate. The author helps us to look for the clues to a sense of inadequacy in our everyday thoughts and deeds, using the magnifying glass of psychology.

Available in ebook version

THE CARAVAN OF THE PEACEFUL

Texts by **Luciana Bertinato, Emanuela Bussolati, Roberto Papetti**
Mini kit - Format 21 x 21 cm
For everybody
€ 24,90

The box contains:

- 1 guide of 96 pages for teachers
- 1 concertina-folded leaflet of 12 pages for children

The Caravan of the Peaceful goes out on the streets, with its colorful invasion of paper figurines made by children, and invites everyone to reflect on the theme of peace and to contribute with actions. The goal of this kit is to share the experiences of those who have already embarked on this journey, and to give ideas to educators and teachers so that they can replicate this project made of creativity, respect and peace.

Guide for the teachers



A path of reflection to "think" and "play" peace



WHERE DO MY EYES COME FROM?

Texts by **Domenico Barrilà, Margherita Gallina, Ornella Faranda**

Mini kit - Format 21 x 21 cm
Age 3-6; 7-10; 11-14
€ 27,90

The box contains:

- 1 manual-guide aimed at social workers, educators and parents
- 3 personalized books / notebooks in relation to 3 different age groups

Following the example of the English "Life Story Book", this project was conceived for children in delicate situations who are supervised by social services or far from their original families.

The goal is to allow them to share a honest and trusting journey with the social worker, rebuilding their story in order to preserve their identity.

Guide for the social worker/educator



Series **I NEED A STORY** Texts by **Beatrice Masini**

Illustrated albums which tell beautiful stories able to deal with important and difficult themes in a delicate way.

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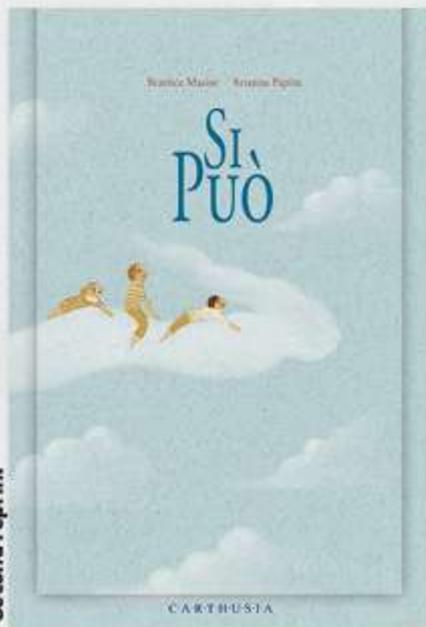
Second reprint

THE QUEEN'S JOURNEY

Illustrations by **Gianni De Conno**
Age 5+ · € 17,90

A fable to explain the journey of a parent through an illness, the things that change, the courage, fear and strength. Because nothing like a fable has the power to explain the truth to children in a clear and simple way.

2016 Gianni Rodari Award



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YOU CAN

Illustrations by **Arianna Papini**
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In an indirect, delicate and poetic way this book tells of the terrible experience of losing a close family member, a death that disrupts the life of a child and its family... a chasm that opens... but that is not the end of everything.



Second reprint

I'M NOT SPLITTING UP

Illustrations by **Monica Zani**
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This book talks about the story of separation, as seen through the eyes of a child. It is a journey taking into account the whole set of emotional problems as encountered by children together with the positive aspects that link a child to each parent.



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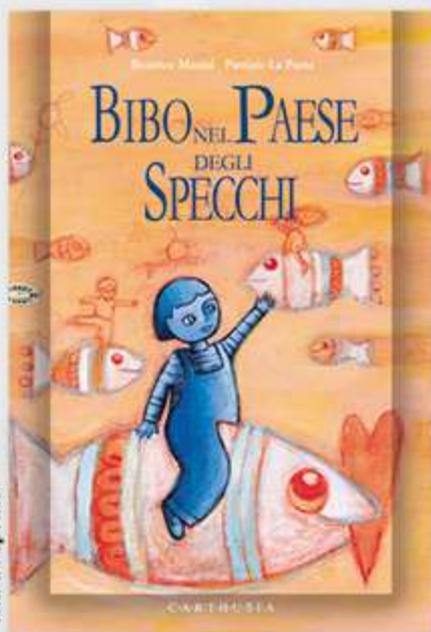


MY SISTER IS A FOUR-LEAF CLOVER

Illustrations by **Svetlan Junaković**
Age 5+ • € 17,90

When Mimosa was born, Viola understood immediately that something wasn't right. Mum, Dad and even Granny were behaving strangely. Viola realised that Mimosa was different but that she was also very special.

Third reprint

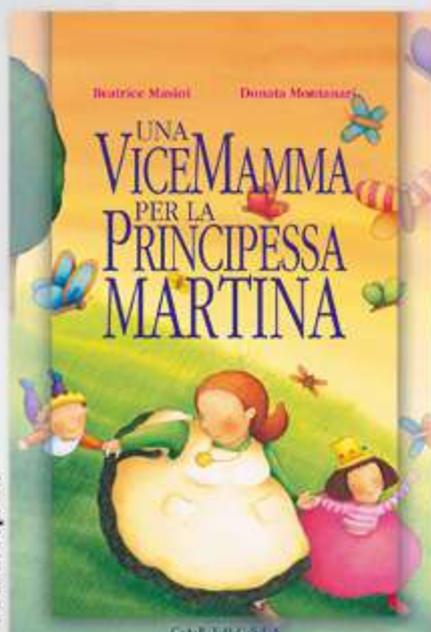


BIBO IN THE LAND OF MIRRORS

Illustrations by **Patrizia La Porta**
Age 3+ • € 17,90

Once upon a time there was a far distant land where Bibo discovered a special door that changed his life for ever... A story about adoption at an international level.

Fourth reprint



A FOSTER-MOTHER FOR PRINCESS MARTINA

Illustrations by **Donata Montanari**
Age 3+ • € 15,90

Princess Martina had a problem: her mother was melancholic and ill and her father was far away... a story dealing with fostering and other situations involving absences.





THE HOUSE WITH MANY WINDOWS

Illustrations by **Donata Montanari**

Age 3 + • € 14,50

A beautiful story about horses and knights to deal with the experience of being in hospital.

**National Award
"Salute Apuane" 2005
Special Jury Prize**



THE SKY NEVER GOES TO SLEEP

Texts by **Emanuela Nava** •

Illustrations by **Patrizia La Porta**
Hardback volume • 48 pages
23 x 34 cm • Age 5 + • € 20,00

The stories of Marianna, Liù, Mido and Gianni are dedicated to all children who every day, at home or at school, follow the slow and patient rhythm of the Earth. Our planet is the most precious treasure we have, a treasure to take care of and protect with the right actions. With a lot of activity pages at the end.



ANNA FINDS HER DREAMS

Illustrations by **Daniela Villa**

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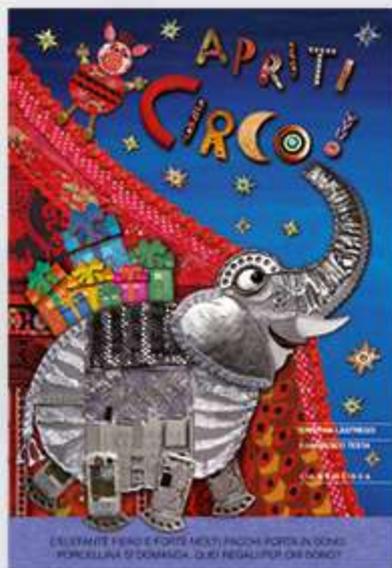
This story deals with the difficult subject of child abuse and is dedicated to children in difficulty who need warmth and attention.

First reprint

Series **THE STORY CIRCLE**

Paperboard bound books, designed for the youngest readers; to read, to look at and to discover a fabulous picture which unfolds from page to page, creating a book which seems endless.

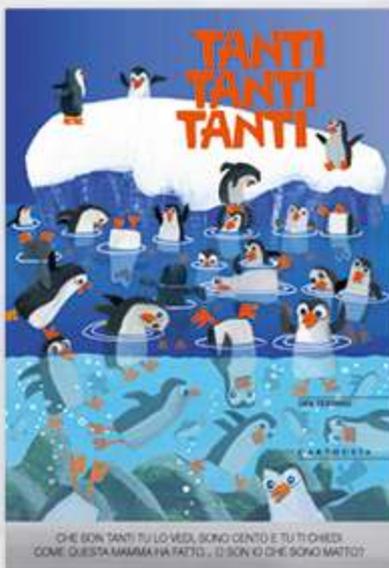
Paperboard bound volumes concertina folded - 16 pages - Close 22 x 33 cm - Open 176 x 33 cm - Age 18 months +



OPEN CIRCUS!

Texts and illustrations by **Cristina Làstrego** and **Francesco Testa**
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A book which seems endless just like the magic of the circus.



LOTS AND LOTS AND LOTS

Texts and illustrations by **Gek Tessaro**
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The funny story of a mother penguin and her hundred little ones...



ICE CREAM MOON AND SWEETIE SUN

Texts by **Chiara Carminati**
Illustrations by **Simona Mulazzani**
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A nursery rhyme on the complicity of the relationship between brothers and sisters.



A CURIOUS TALE OF KINGS, PRINCES AND TOYMAKERS

Texts by **Mirella Cicala**
Illustrations by **Cristina Gibellato**
20 pages - € 21,90

A funny and tender fairy tale that manages to describe disabilities.



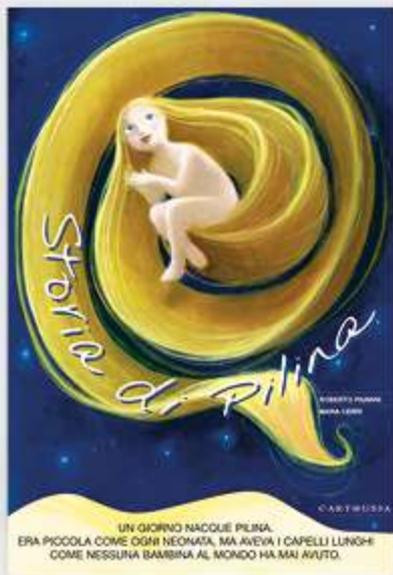


HANDY MAN DADDY

Texts by **Bruno Tognolini**
Illustrations by **Piotr Socha**
€ 19,90

The story of how becoming a dad can be a real adventure.

Soligatto Award 2007



PILINA'S STORY

Texts by **Roberto Piumini**
Illustrations by **Mara Cerri**
€ 19,90

The simple and timeless tales of growing up.

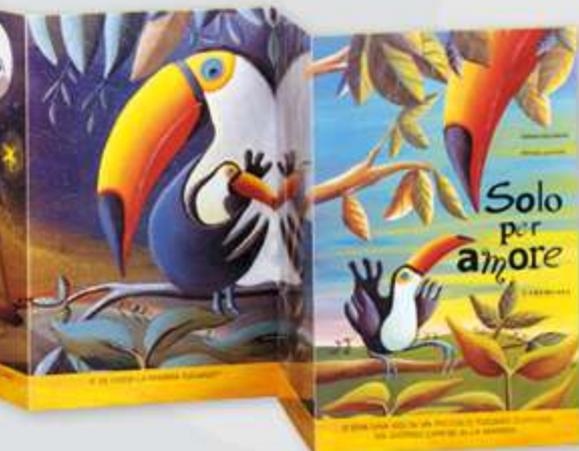
"Il Gigante delle Langhe" Award 2005
First prize for the illustrations



FRIENDS FOREVER

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
Illustrations by **Patrizia La Porta**
€ 19,90

The game of "If I were..." between two close friends.



ONLY FOR LOVE

Texts by **Sabina Colloredo**
Illustrations by **Patrizia La Porta**
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A simple and poetic story, a tender and playful dialogue between a little toucan and his mother.



Second reprint

Series **MINI STORY CIRCLE**

After the success of the big-format volumes, here comes the MINI Story Circle. Smaller, cheaper, but always with the magic of an endless illustration.

Paperboard volumes concertina folded - 16 pages - Close 12,5 x 20 cm - Open 100 x 20 cm - € 10,50 - Age 18 months +

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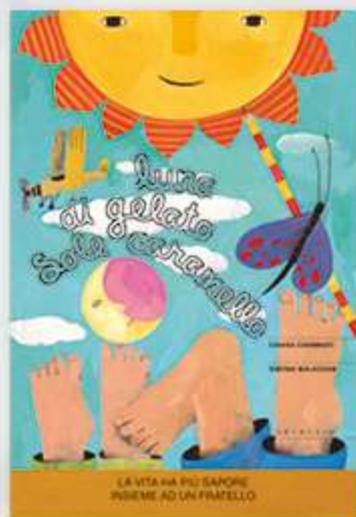
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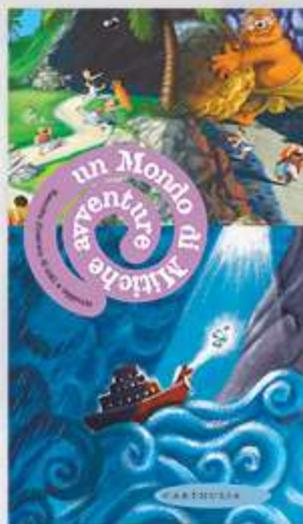


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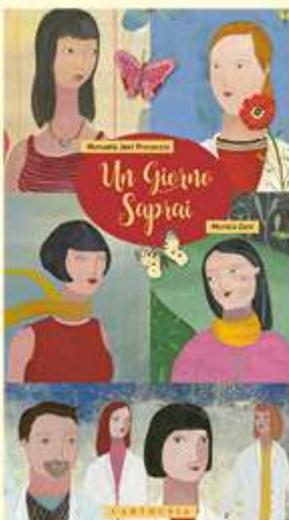
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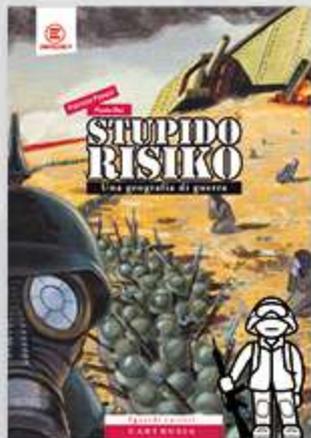
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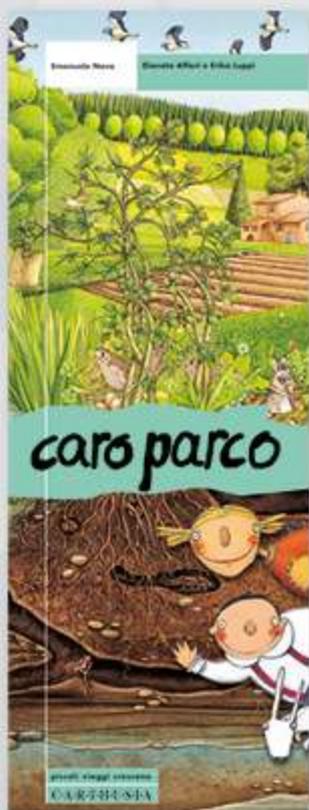
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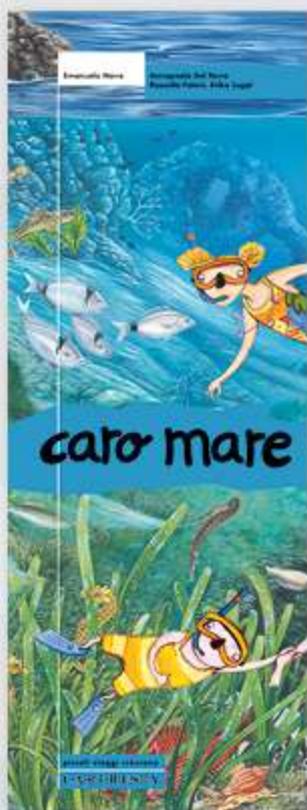
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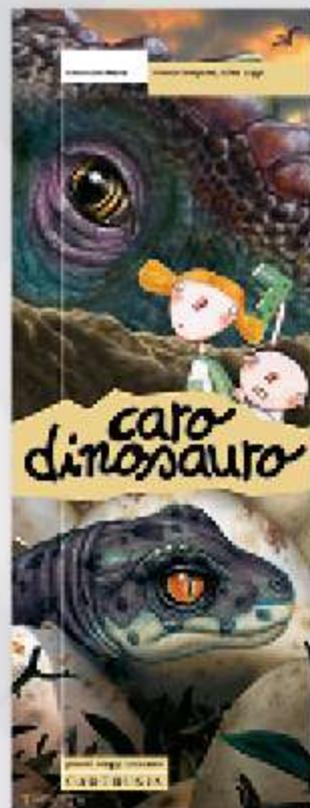
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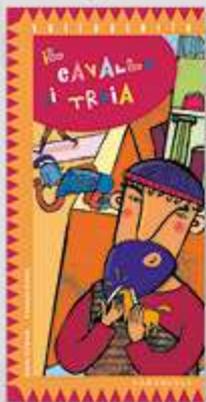
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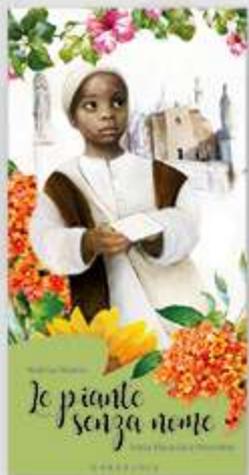
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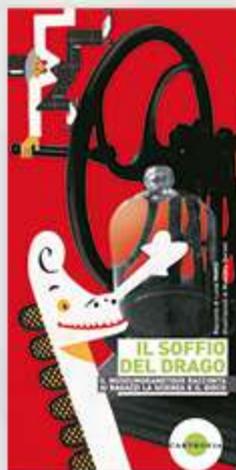
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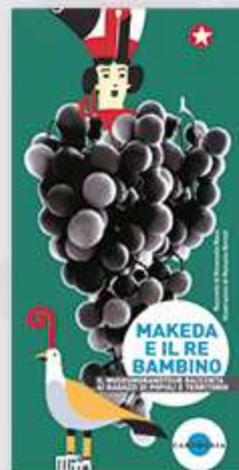
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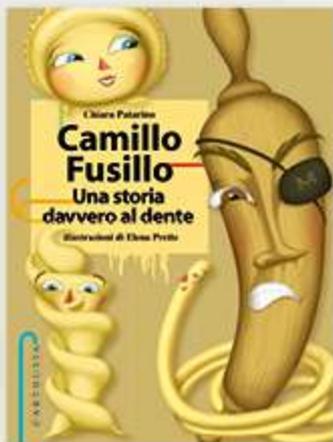


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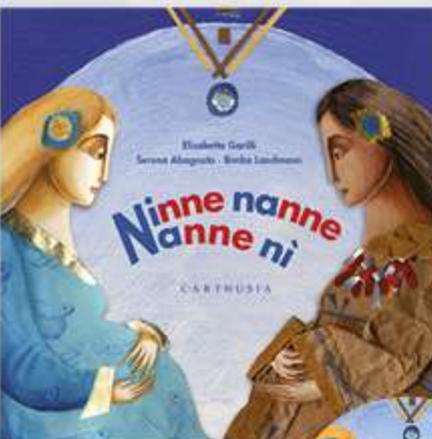
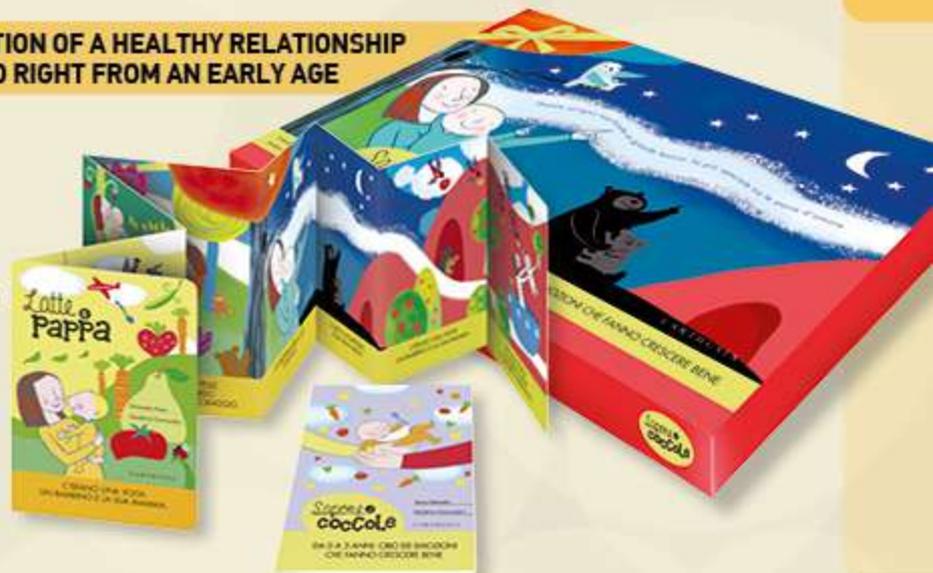
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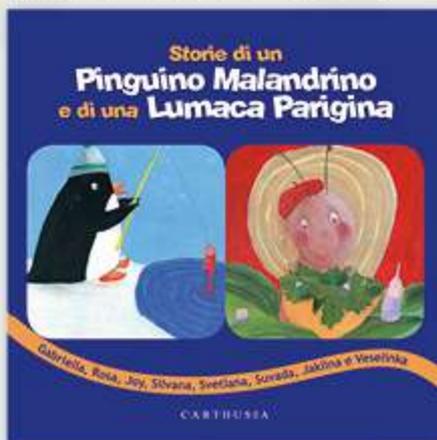
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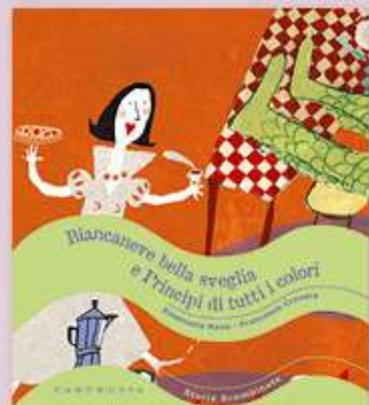
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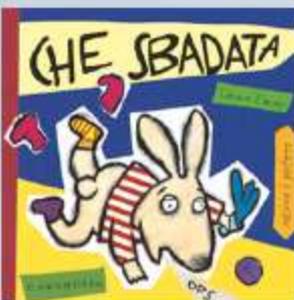
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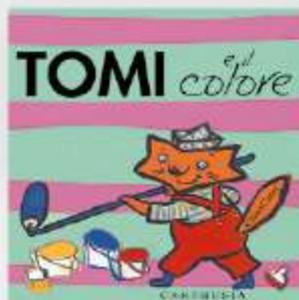
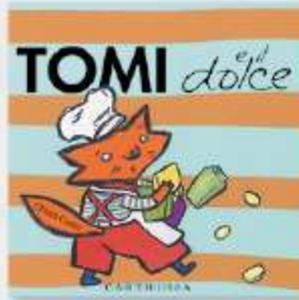
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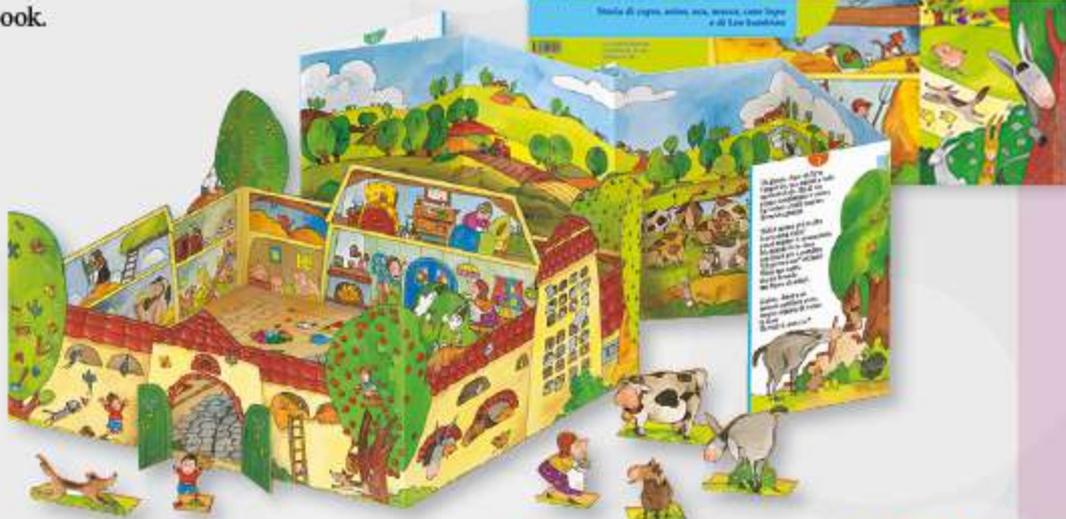
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