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## **‘Goodnight, Campsite’ Wins Coveted Purple Dragonfly Book Award**

CHANDLER, AZ (June, 2016) – The judges of the **Purple Dragonfly Book Awards** contest, which recognizes excellence in children’s literature, have spoken, and *“Goodnight, Campsite”* by Loretta Sponsler, won 1<sup>st</sup> Place in the Outdoor Recreation category.

“Winning any place in the Purple Dragonfly Contest is a huge honor because in order to maintain the integrity of the Dragonfly Book Awards, a minimum score is required before a First or Second place or Honorable Mention will be awarded to the entrant – even if it is the sole entry in a category,” explains Linda F. Radke, president of Five Star Publications, the sponsor of the Dragonfly Book Awards. “Competition is steep, too, because there is no publication date limit as long as the book is still in print.”

*“Goodnight, Campsite”* is set in a beautiful nature park, and the story follow visitors as they explore the park during the day (hiking, biking, fishing, etc.), and then returns with them to their campsite at night. There is an emphasis on recreational vehicles (RVs), which sets this title apart from the many tent camping books on the market. It retails for \$9.95 print, and \$1.99 Kindle and can be purchased through Amazon.

For a complete list of winners, visit [www.FiveStarBookAwards.com](http://www.FiveStarBookAwards.com).

The next Purple Dragonfly Book Awards contest is already underway. Submissions postmarked March 1, 2017 or earlier are eligible for the Early Bird reward: a free e-copy of *The Economical Guide to Self-Publishing or Promote Like a Pro: Small Budget, Big Show* written by Radke. Final deadline for submissions is May 1, 2017. The Early Bird deadline for the Royal Dragonfly Book Awards Contest, which recognizes outstanding literature in all genres, is August 1, 2016. October 1, 2016 is the final deadline. For complete rules and submission forms for either contest, visit [www.FiveStarBookAwards.com](http://www.FiveStarBookAwards.com) and click on the contest of choice.

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