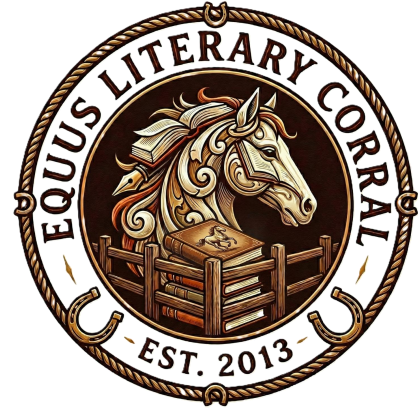




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Baby's First Book Of Horses

Author: Katlyn Garrett



Why you'll love it:

- ♥ Introduces real equine breeds
- 📖 Simple, engaging language for early learners
- 🌸 Encourages vocabulary development & curiosity
- 🐾 Nature-inspired, educational, and timeless
- 👤 Durable board book made for small hands

A sweet and meaningful addition to any little cowkid's library — especially for horse lovers, ranch families, and animal-loving littles. ✨ A must-have first book for your tiniest horse fan.

Baby's First Book of Horses introduces little ones to the beauty of real horse breeds through simple language and stunning, accurate illustrations. Designed for ages 0–3, this nature-based board book is the perfect first step into the world of horses—nurturing curiosity, connection, and early learning from the very start.

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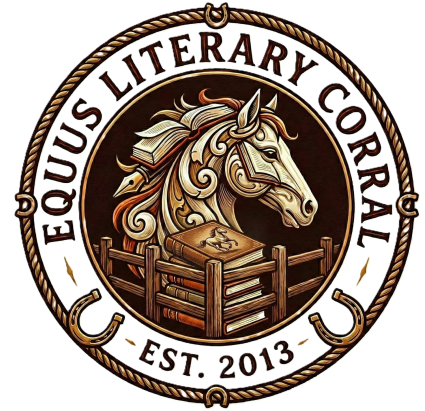
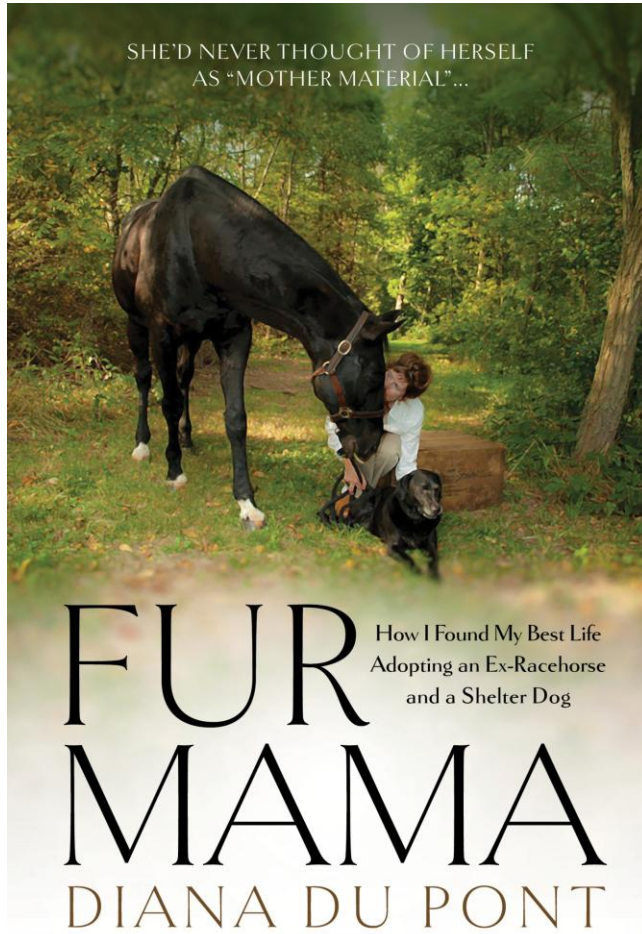
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Fur Mama: How I Found My Best Life Adopting an Ex-Racehorse and a Shelter Dog

Author: Diana du Pont



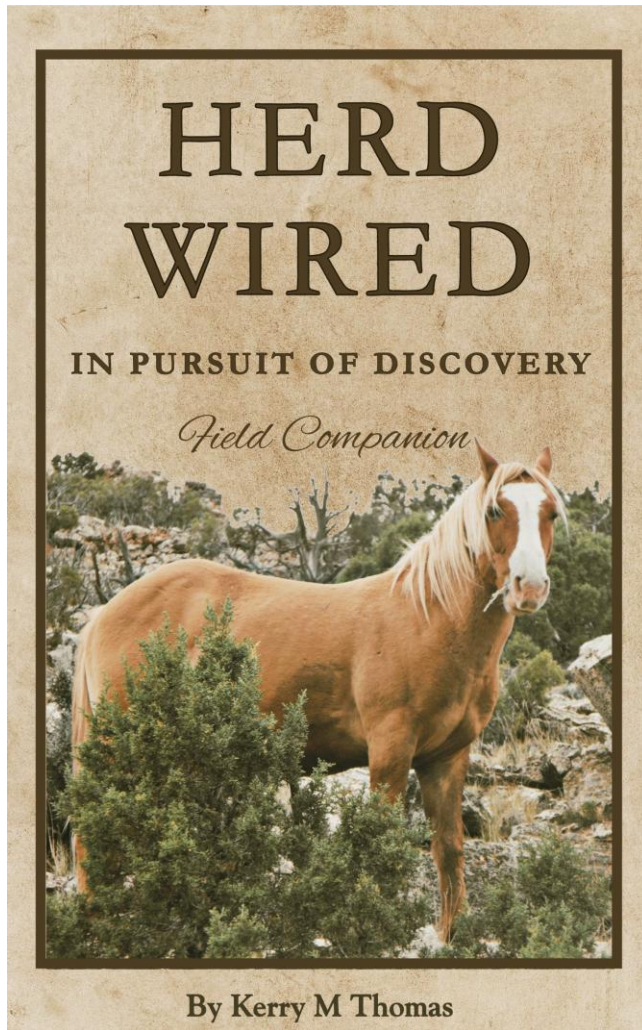
Fur Mama traces du Pont's moving transformation into a devoted animal parent as she introduces these two dependents, both entirely reliant on her for a new form of "family." Even as she's uprooted from all that is familiar and moves halfway across America, she finds herself unexpectedly consumed by the abiding need to love and care for these innocent, living beings as her own. Despite challenges in her animal relationships, du Pont gracefully navigates her new maternal role and what it might mean, in this context, to be a "good mother."

With intelligence and sensitivity, du Pont's powerfully moving memoir explores the social phenomenon of embracing and humanizing pets—and the benefits we discover when we do. Blending themes of career and motherhood with horses and dogs, Fur Mama adds a new twist to the ongoing cultural debate about "having it all" and the nature of true professional and personal success.

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Herd Wired In Pursuit of Discovery

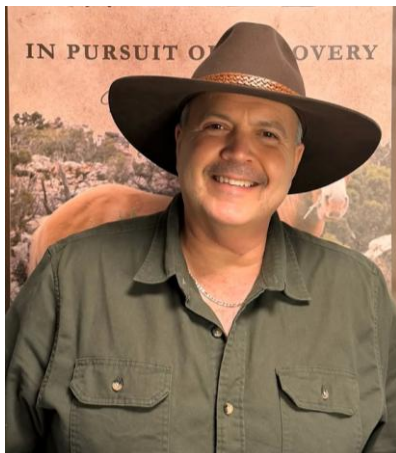
Author: Kerry M. Thomas



Herd Wired: In Pursuit of Discovery is not a training manual or a step-by-step methodology. It is a living field companion, part memoir, part field journal, part emotional codex, offering a rare and intimate exploration into the interior world of the horse.

Shaped by decades of global fieldwork with wild herds and elite performance horses alike, Herd Wired traces the emotional, sensory, and instinctive operating system that governs equine behavior long before training or learned intelligence takes hold. Through unfiltered field notes, real-world case studies, and reflective narratives, the book reveals how herd-wired patterns form, how emotional presence shapes response, and why surface behaviors often conceal vast inner landscapes.

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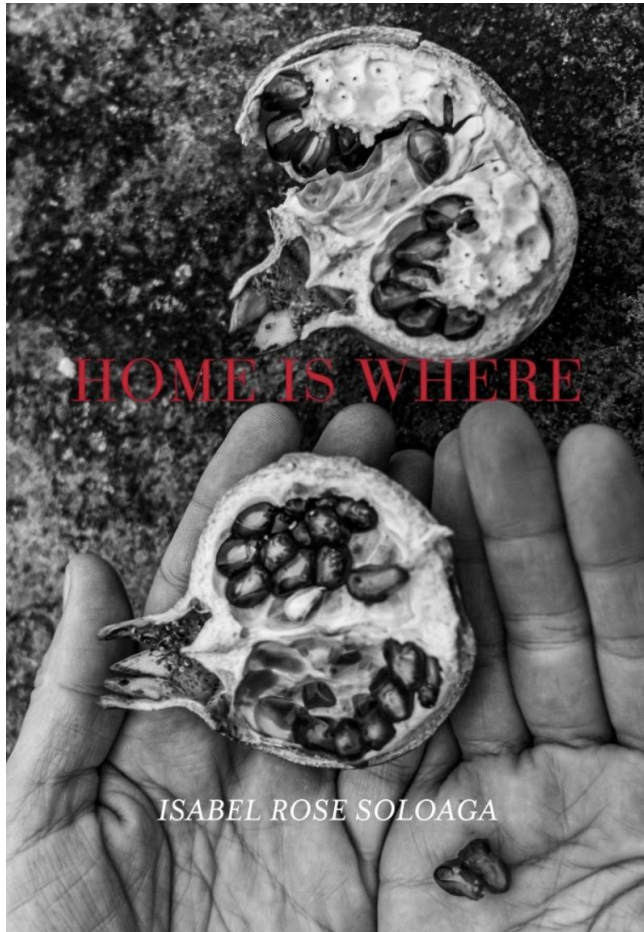


Author: Kerry M. Thomas

For nearly three decades, Kerry has walked this road alone, building, teaching, and sharing the emotional and behavioral science that connects horses and humans at their deepest levels. What began as a personal calling has become a global movement, now recognized by the Royal Dutch Equestrian Federation, universities, and equestrian professionals around the world.

Home is Where

Author: Isabel Soloaga



In *Home Is Where*, Isabel Rose Soloaga offers a powerful debut poetry collection that asks what it means to belong when home has been fractured by migration, displacement, and war. Drawing from years of work with refugee and immigrant communities, these poems move with tenderness and precision across borders, generations, and intimate rooms of memory. Fig trees, kitchens, borderlands, and inherited silences become sites where survival is not only endured but transformed.

Through it all, horses emerge time and time again as a place of healing, peace, and homecoming.

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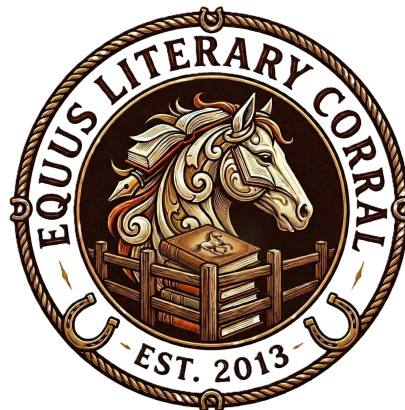


Author: Isabel Soloaga

Isabel Rose Soloaga is an award-winning documentary filmmaker, writer, and poet whose work explores displacement, intergenerational memory, and practices of homemaking. Shaped by more than a decade working alongside refugee and immigrant communities, her storytelling bridges art, research, and social justice. *Home Is Where* is her debut poetry collection.

In the Presence of Horses

Author: : Alicia Stephens Martin



In the Presence of Horses is an article encompassing the author's life-changing experience through her involvement at Talisman Therapeutic Equine facility. The article focuses on the emotional benefits of horses for both the participants and the volunteers. The article provides a positive and uplifting overview of the healing power of equines by simply being present and opening one's heart.

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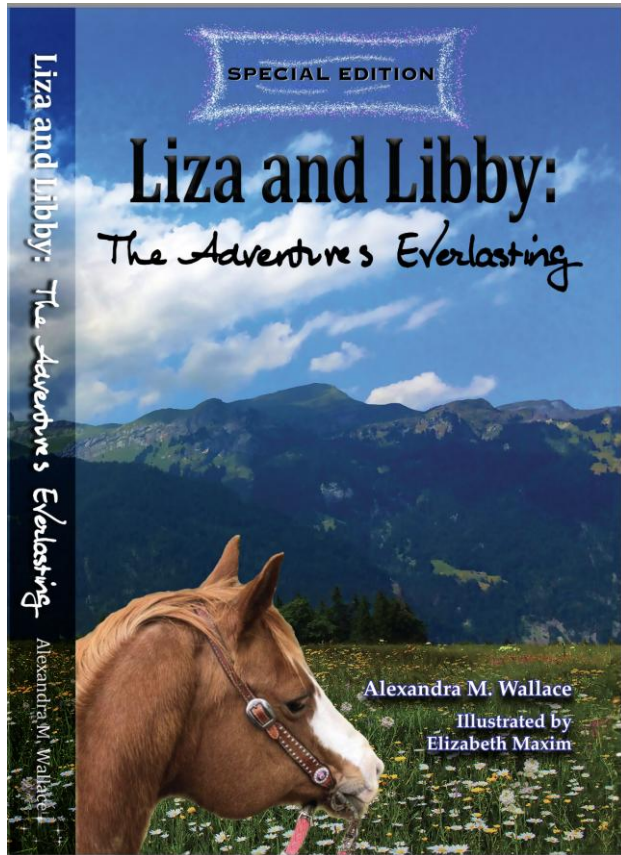
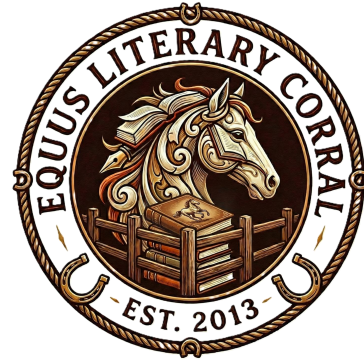
Author: Alicia Stephens Martin

Alicia Stephens Martin had three passions: writing, horses and hair. She attended Beauty School and mastered the craft as a successful stylist, salon owner and teacher. After losing her husband at 46, she searched for a new path. While managing a salon as a solo mom, Alicia obtained a bachelor's degree in creative writing. Her daughter, during this time, was a champion equestrian while Alicia learned to drive the fifth wheel. She published an interactive children's workbook called Let's Go to the Hairstylist. Alicia Stephens Martin's first novel Spurred to Justice was released after she turned fifty. Followed by a rom/com, Private Mom! She lives in south central Pennsylvania on a small farmette with her husband and Olde English Bulldog Scarlett!

Liza and Libby: The Adventures Everlasting

(Special Edition)

Author: Alexandra Wallace



The Traveler network has called out to cowgirl Liza and her beloved horse Libby once again, beckoning them on their most dangerous journey ever.

Join Liza and Libby on an incredible and exciting series of adventures as they face danger and struggle to find the meaning behind the mystery of their enchanting yet bewildering dreams.

They will journey through grizzly country, face a wild herd of mustangs, and experience the thrill of life in the Old West during dangerous times. Their quest will take them to distant lands once again, as they try to find the answers to the purpose of their journey.

Who is the dark and handsome Adam? What is the meaning of the mysterious visitor and what does the message mean for them and their future? Will they ever find Lila, Libby's beloved foal? Where is Anna? And why does Balthis travel to the place in the woods where the Traveler emblem calls out to those to know the secret?

Join Liza as she journeys with her beloved friend, her horse, Libby. It's a heartfelt and magical tale of love, kindness, devotion, choices and important lessons on life that readers of all ages will cherish.

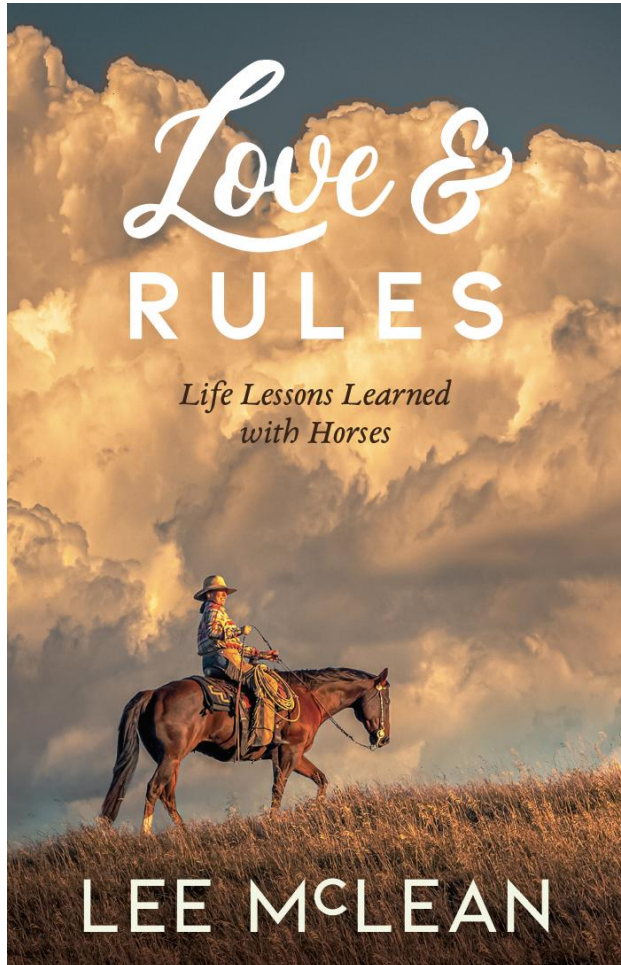
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Author: Alexandra Wallace

LOVE & RULES

Author: Lee McLean



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LOVE & RULES: Life Lessons Learned with horses is the second book of collected essays by trainer and best-selling author, Lee McLean. It covers the spectrum of live, fear, winning, loss, leadership, ageing, growth, illness and recovery... all through the medium of horsemanship.

From Lee McLean, the much-anticipated follow-up to her multiple best-selling novel, *Horse Woman*. 'Love & Rules' is a collection of essays by master horsewoman Lee McLean that covers the spectrum of love, fear, winning, loss, leadership, ageing, growth, illness and recovery — all through the medium of horsemanship. A stroke survivor, horse trainer, and best-selling author, Lee McLean has a legion of faithful followers on Facebook, a national equine magazine column, and appears at events from small-town horse shows to sidesaddle racing at the Calgary Stampede.

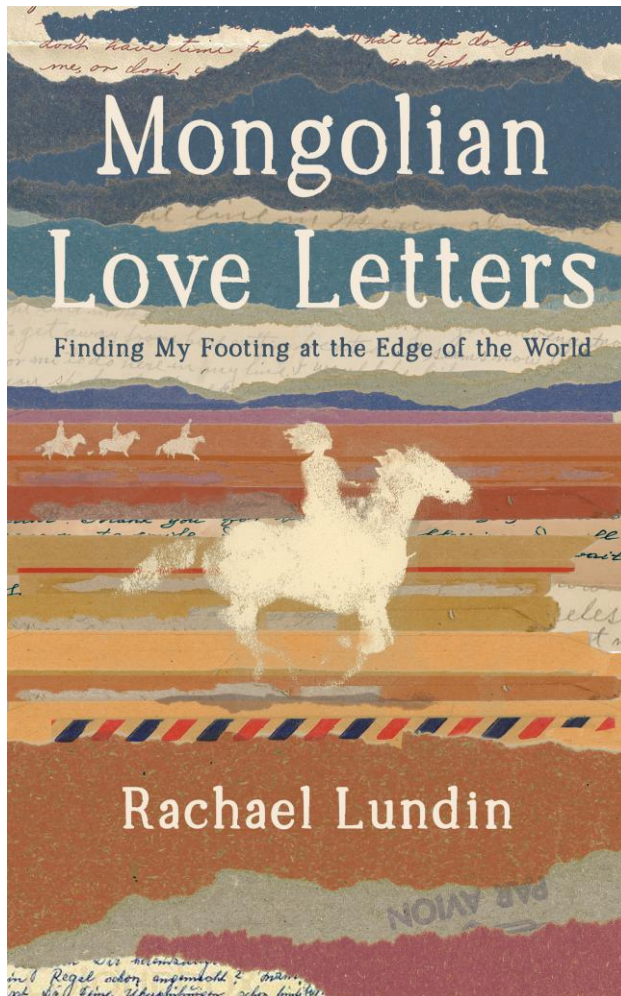
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Mongolian Love Letters

Author: Rachael Lundin



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One year after losing her husband to a sudden brain bleed, Rachael Lundin flew to Mongolia to ride 700 kilometers across the Gobi Desert on horseback — the longest annual charity ride on the planet.

She wasn't running away. She was trying to find out if she was still there.

The Gobi Gallop is not a gentle ride. It is trackless steppes and moonless nights, broken stirrups and soul-crushing trots that go on long past the point of endurance. The horses of Mongolia are small, tough, and ancient — bred for a landscape that does not forgive weakness. Riding them, Rachael discovered that grief looks the same way. And that the only way out is through.

Mongolian Love Letters is a memoir written as letters to Charlie — the husband she lost, the man who always knew what was needed before she thought to ask. But it is also a love letter to Mongolia itself: its vast silences, its impossible skies, and the horses that carried a grieving woman across a landscape with no room for pretending.

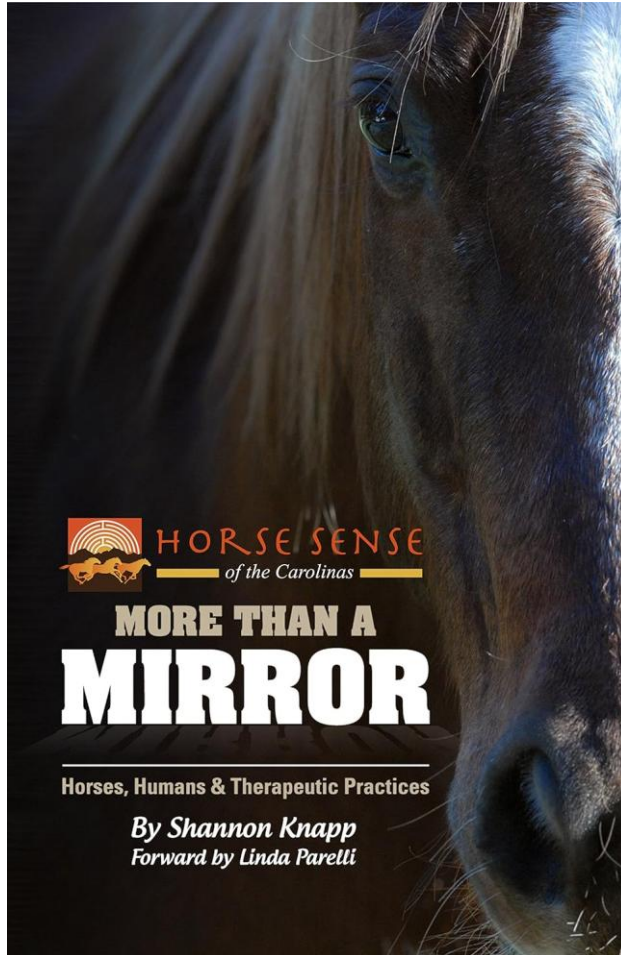
The woman who rode into Mongolia was not the woman who rode out. Somewhere between the gopher holes and the borrowed Western saddle, she found her way back.

For anyone who has ever stood at the edge of an impossible thing and wondered if they were brave enough — this is proof that it is possible. Not just to survive. But to ride.

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More Than A Mirror

Author: Shannon Knapp



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A deep and passionate study of both the theory and practice of EAP/EAL from Horse Sense of the Carolinas founder Shannon Knapp and other key leaders in the field. More than a Mirror offers an examination of the therapeutic process, including the role of the horse and the horse professional in creating meaningful, significant change for clients. With an intro by Linda Parelli!

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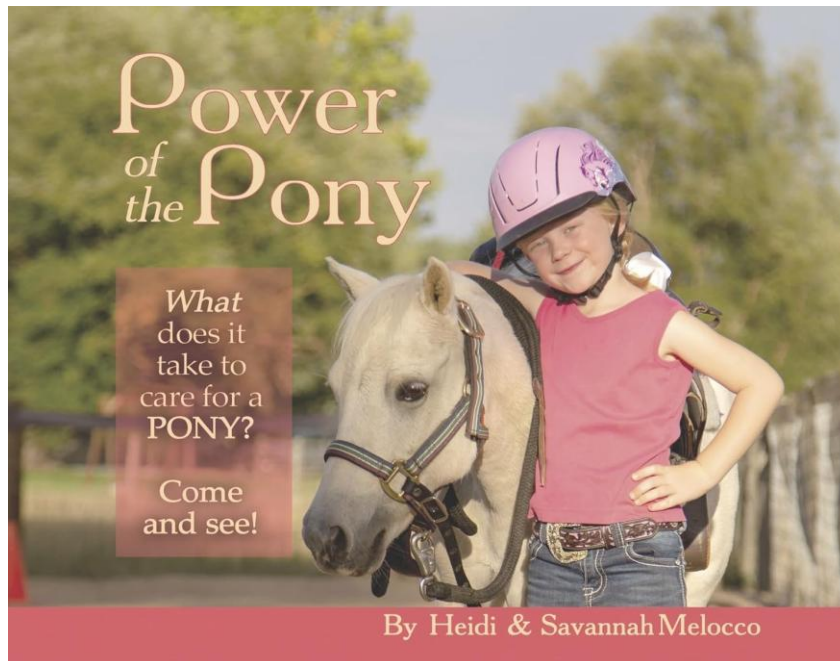
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Power of the Pony

Author: Heidi and Savannah Melocco

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This photographic book details what it is like to care for and ride a pony. Join in on a young girl's farm as she shares what she loves most about having a pony to ride. Written by Heidi and Savannah Melocco, the photos in the book feature their horse property and their amazing pony, Romeo. Heidi has written books for Western Horseman including several of the Legends series. She's also the author of Goodnight's Guide to Great Trail Riding with Julie Goodnight. Heidi's award-winning photographs have been featured on the covers of Horse Illustrated, Young Rider, The Trail Rider, The Certified Horsemanship Instructor Manual, and Hitch Up & Go, The Expert Guide to Horse Trailers & Safe Trailering. Her writing has earned top prizes with the American Horse Publication association. For this newest book, Heidi and Savannah teamed up to show others what it's like to have a pony at home and to make sure others know that learning to ride a horse is not out of reach.

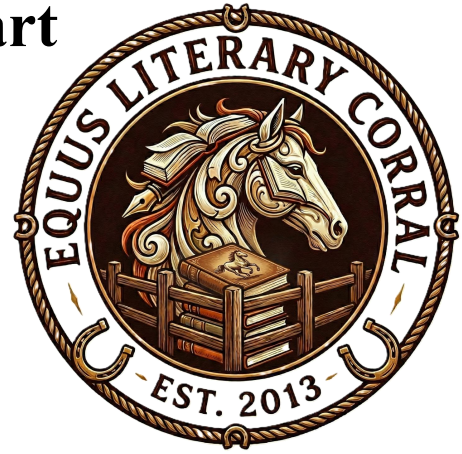
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Author: Heidi and Savannah Melocco

Remy Love Changed His Heart

Author: Sharon Stone



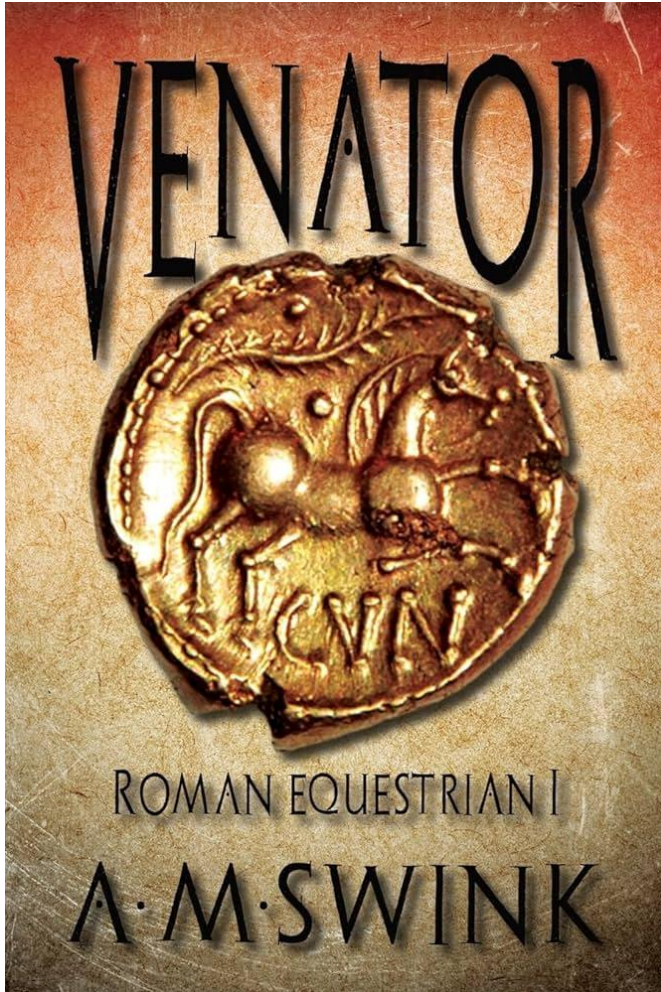
On a horse rescue farm, Remy is a scarred, frightened survivor—abandoned, broken, and certain humans only bring pain. Then Faith steps in, refusing to let him live his final chapter without love. With quiet patience and countless small wins, she earns his trust and Remy begins to heal. But when he passes in her arms, the story takes an unexpected turn: one last appearance, one final message—and a haunting reminder that love may not end at goodbye.

Author: Sharon Stone

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Roman Equestrian I Venator

Author: A. M. Swink



Decimus is a long-serving senior centurion who dreams of retirement in Rome. Luciana is a Cornovii princess devoted to the freedom and survival of her tribe. Connected only by a passion for horsemanship, the pair could not be more ill-matched. After a deadly conflict thrusts these enemies together, each is determined to fight their desires and triumph over the other. Who will ultimately control the other's heart?

But Decimus and Luciana are not the only ones on the hunt for supremacy; a desperate struggle over the province is beginning to simmer to a boil. There are whispers of mysterious Druids fomenting unrest among the western British tribes, whose inter-tribal divisions threaten to subsume them. The future of the Roman legions in the province is suddenly thrown into doubt as casualties begin to mount. Decimus and Luciana find themselves entangled within a web of characters, Briton and Roman, playing with Britannia's destiny to serve their own ends. The hunt for power is on, where only one side can emerge triumphant. But just who among these hunters will end up hunted?

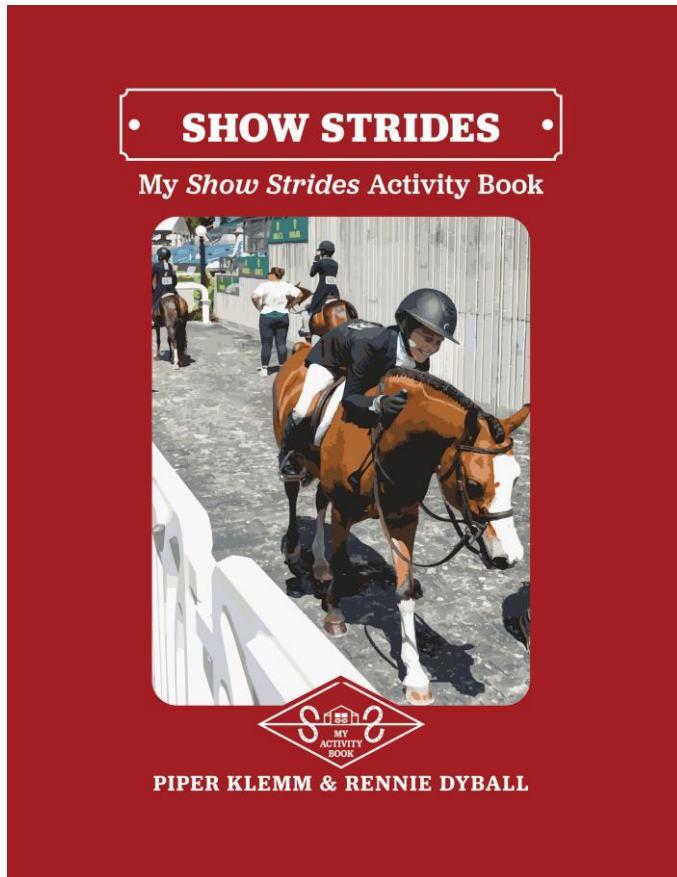
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Author: A. M. Swink

My book is the first in a historical romance series set in Roman Britain. Horses play a key role in bringing the protagonists together.

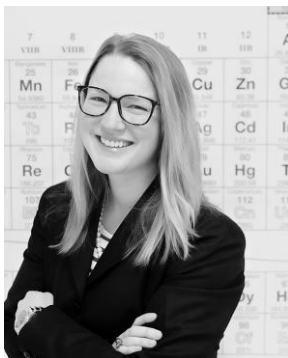
My Show Strides Activity Book

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
Connecticut



Show Strides readers, this book is for you. Literally! It's all yours to fill in the blanks, fill in the boxes, and design your own courses. After publishing My Show Strides Journal, we decided to add another DIY title to our library where you get to be the author and fill in your own answers. In My Show Strides Activity Book, we challenge you to solve horse-related calculations, design your own courses, and test your knowledge with a series of crossword puzzles and word jumbles. Keep learning and keep reading!

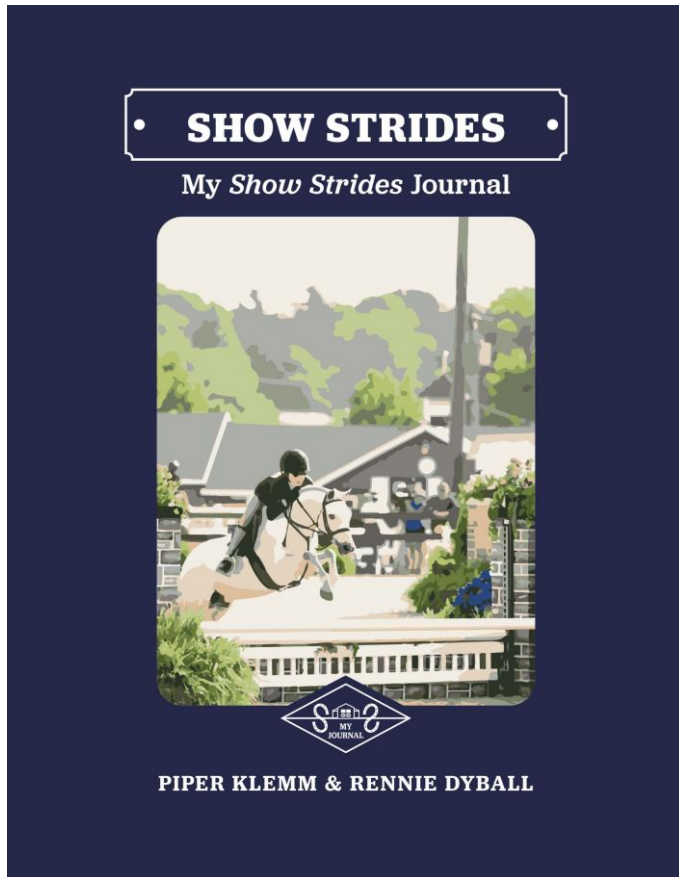
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My Show Strides Journal

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
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Show Strides readers, this book is for you. Literally! We love meeting fans of the series and learning about your own riding journeys, so we wanted to give you a chance to share your own. In this journal, you can share everything about the horses and ponies you ride, your horsemanship knowledge, your training and showing goals, and what you'd like to learn in the horse world. With 50+ prompts and lots of room to write, draw, and dream, we hope you'll enjoy making a record of your own strides-in the ring, in the saddle, and at the barn.

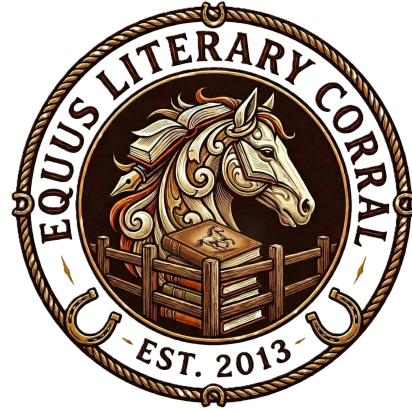
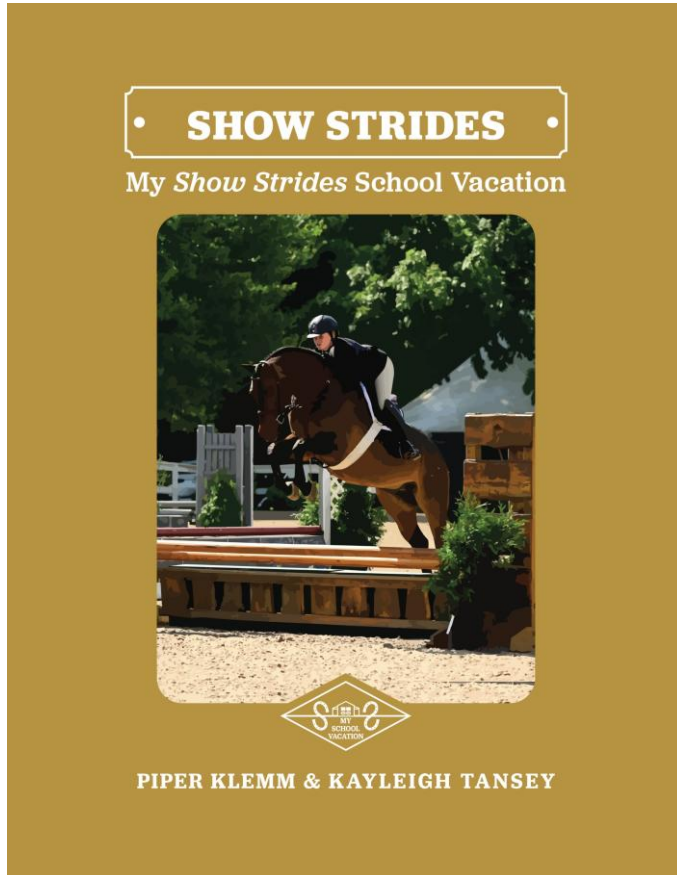
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**Authors: Piper Klemm &
Rennie Dyball**

My Show Strides School Vacation Workbook

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
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Show Strides is a vacation activity workbook, designed for horse-loving kids, ages 8-13, who want to keep their minds sharp, their math skills growing, and their connection to the barn strong, even when they are away from the horses. Every problem in this book is rooted in the real world of horse shows, barns, riding rings, and the daily life of the people who live and work in the equestrian world. Nothing here is invented just to fill a page. These are the kinds of calculations that real riders, trainers, barn managers, and horse show organizers make every single day.

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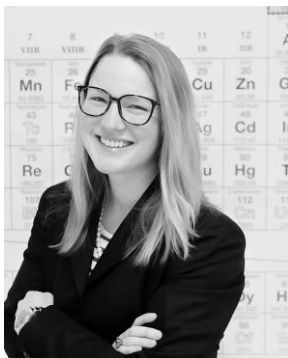
Show Strides Volume 7 - Building Trust

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
Connecticut



The Show Strides series continues with volume 7! Tally and her friends work as junior counselors at the first annual Quince Oaks horse camp. But Tally's 7-year-old camper Misha has recently fallen off a pony and is too scared to get back on. Instead of riding lessons, Tally and Misha focus on unmounted lessons in order to build trust between Misha and her pony, Gelati. In Maggie's riding, she discovers an unexpected quirk in her horse Pete that will require her to trust him, too.

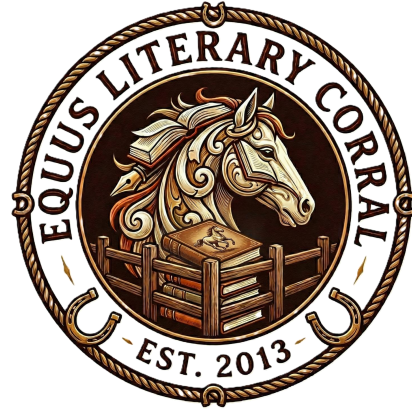
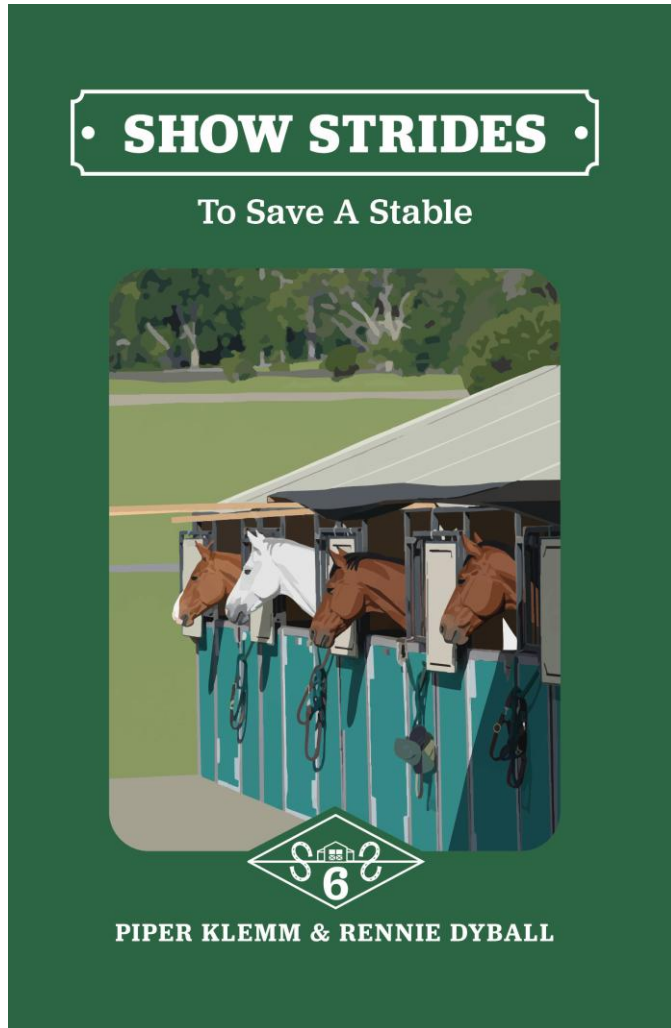
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Show Strides Volume 6 – To Save A Stable

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
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The Show Strides series continues with Volume 6: To Save A Stable. Tally, Mac, Maggie, and Jacob are all crushing their goals in the show ring. But when a storm causes major damage to the Quince Oaks school barn, the future of the lesson program is at stake. The four friends band together to save the school horses' home. Can they do enough to get the school stable rebuilt? Or will the barn be torn down, leaving kids who don't own horses with no place to ride?

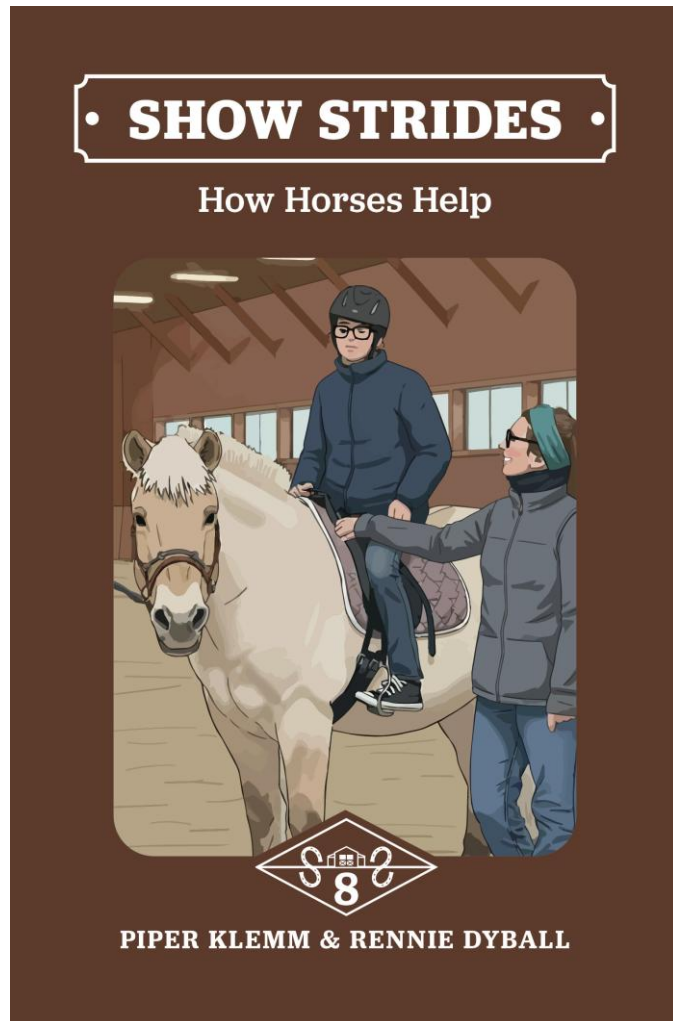
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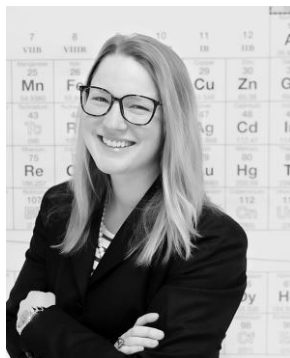
Show Strides Volume 8 – How Horses Help

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
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Tally and Kaitlyn are invited to volunteer at New Horizons Farm, an adaptive riding program where they learn about how horses work with people who have special needs. They get to know the instructors, riders, and horses at the program and learn just how much horses can help people—in ways they couldn't imagine. Meanwhile, back home at Quince Oaks, Ryan has an announcement for the riders that could change everything for Tally and her friends.

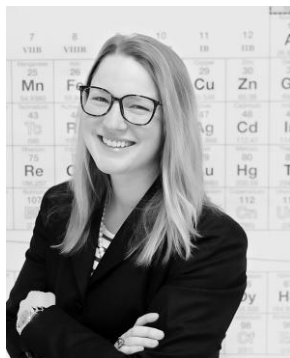
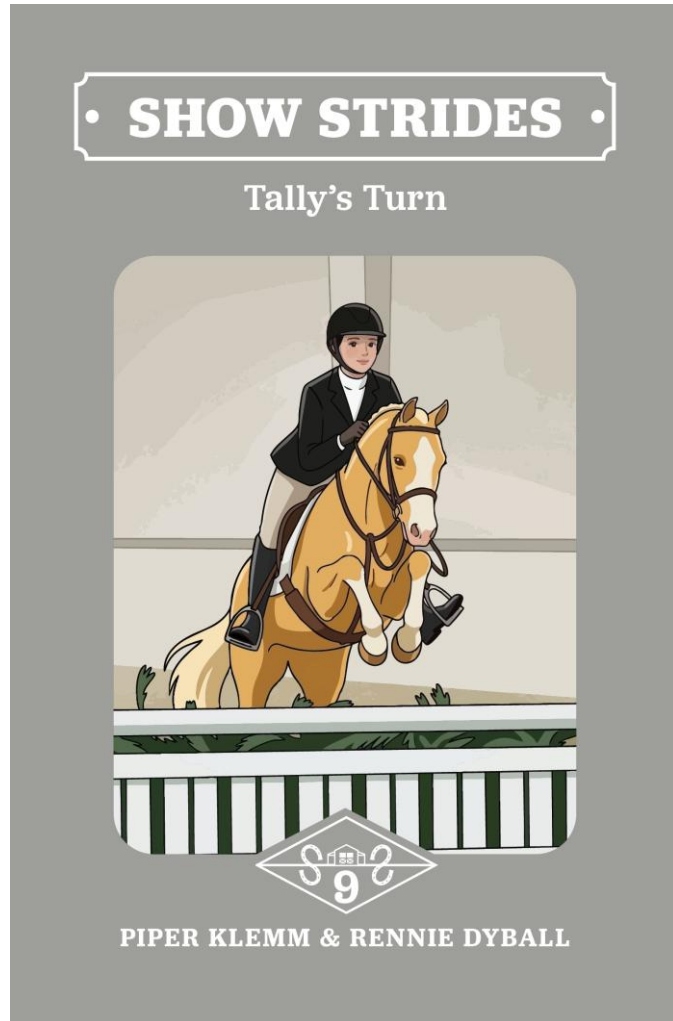
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Show Strides Volume 9 – Tally's Turn

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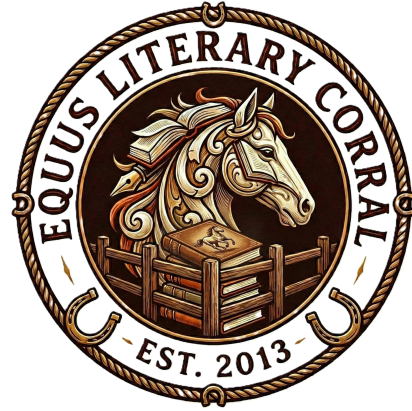
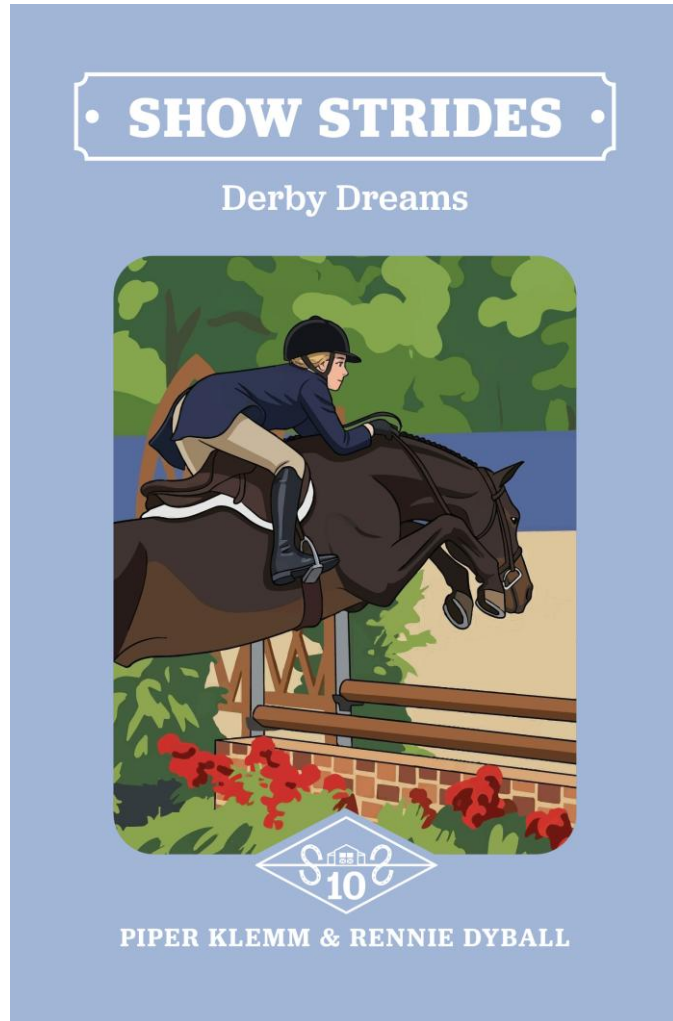
As Nona, the new trainer at Quince Oaks, gets settled in, she gives Tally a special opportunity. Nona's friend Emily Elek of Stonewall Ponies needs some extra help at a horse show, and Nona asks Tally to go. At the show, Tally gets to be a groom, an extra set of hands to assist the team, and even has the chance to take a lesson with Emily. But when a younger, greener rider is having trouble in the show ring with her pony, another junior rider will need to step up to help to school the pony and set up his owner for success. Will Emily ask Tally to step into the irons? And will Tally be up to the task?

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Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball

Show Strides Volume 10 – Derby Dreams

Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball
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Mac is getting ready for the national pony derby finals, so Nona decides to get her and her pony into top shape with some new lesson challenges—and the other riders get in on the fun, too. Meanwhile, Tally is getting to know two new horses at the barn, along with Nona’s daughter, Viv. Mac really wants to do well at the final and earn a ribbon, but all three girls know she needs to focus on the journey. Can Mac stay in the moment with her pony, or will her dream of a top derby finish distract her from the ride?

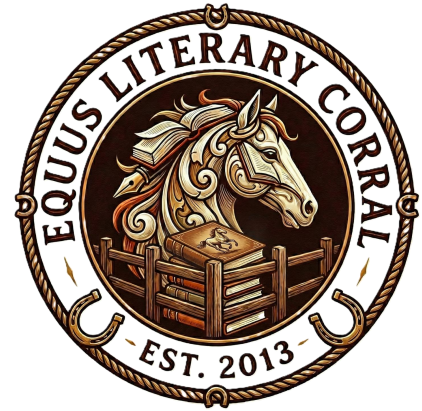
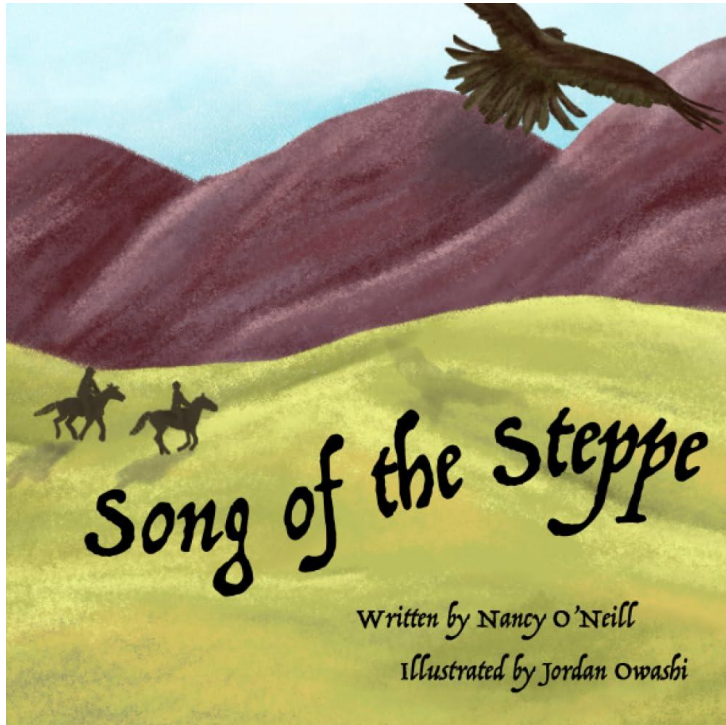
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Authors: Piper Klemm & Rennie Dyball

Song of the Steppe

Author: Nancy O'Neill



Escape to the breathtaking scenes in Mongolia in this story inspired by a mother-daughter team of Mongol derby riders. From marmots to yaks, this story highlights the harmonious nature that exists under the eternal blue sky.

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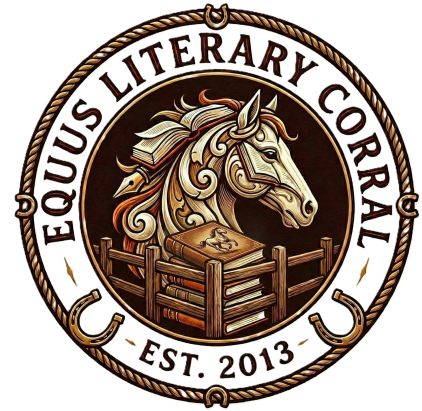
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Author: Nancy O'Neill

Stevie and Harley Coloring and Puzzle Book

Author: Diane Hansen



Activity book based on the Stevie and Harley cartoons and books.

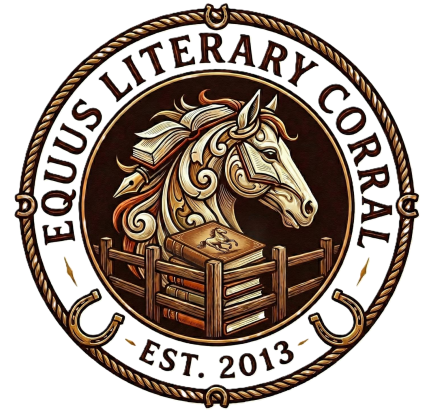
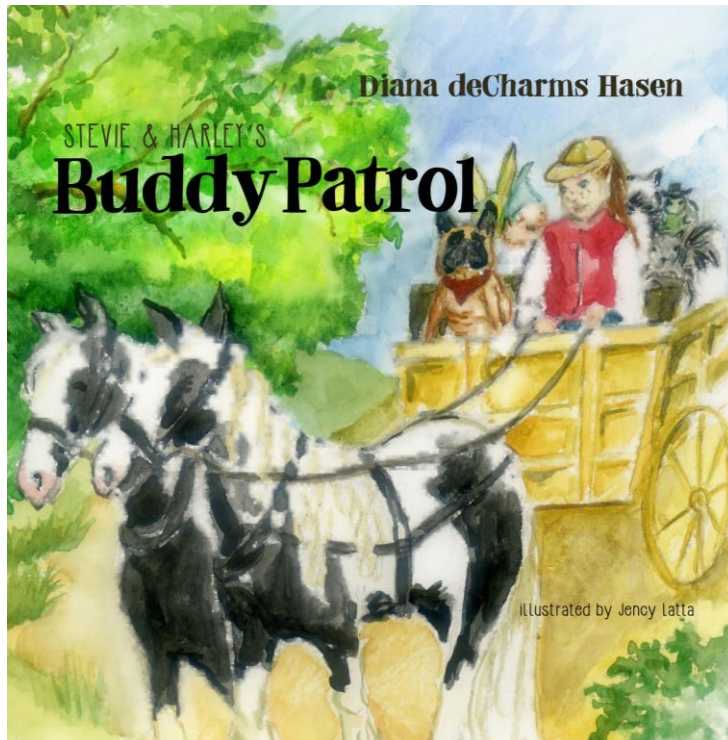
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**Author: Diane Hansen
With Stevie & Harley**

Stevie and Harley's Buddy Patrol

Author: Diane Hansen



Preparations for the forest festival are underway in the town of Burnt Aspen. Dharma offers to help the woodland folk pick up needed supplies in the village.

Stevie and Harley, Dharma's Gypsy Vanner horses, along with Wallace, her little dog set out on a journey that delivers trouble along the way. Will the group manage to escape danger?

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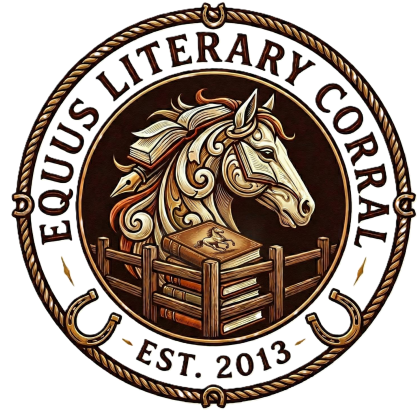
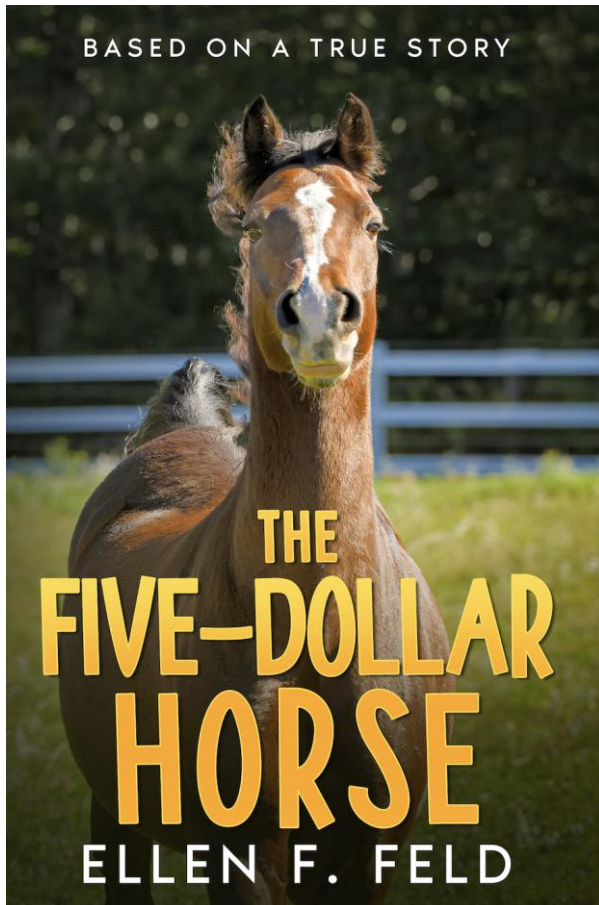
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The Five-Dollar Horse

Author: Ellen Feld



A boy, a horse, and an impossible dream...

When the school bully started teasing Drew Anderson, the young boy found solace riding his mother's old horse, Rusty. Whether spending time grooming the horse or galloping through the pasture, Drew found that the stresses of school and the constant bullying faded when he was with Rusty. When it was time to retire Rusty, however, Drew felt lost without a horse to ride. That was until he heard about a national essay contest where the first prize was a horse!

Based on a true story, *The Five-Dollar Horse* proves that no dream is impossible if you work hard and never stop believing.

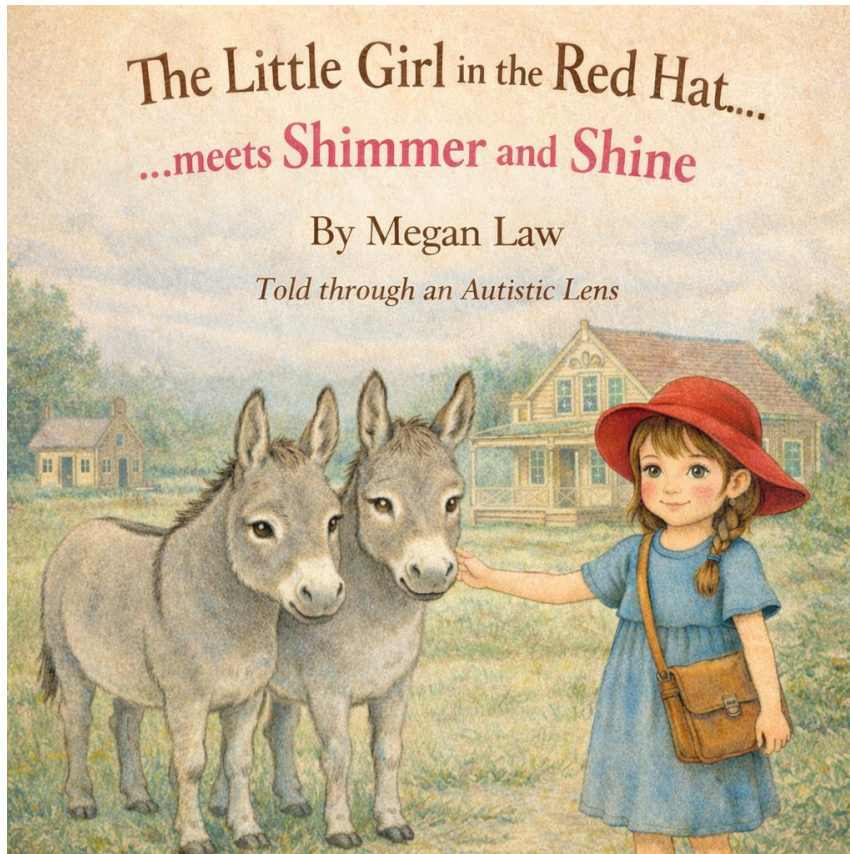
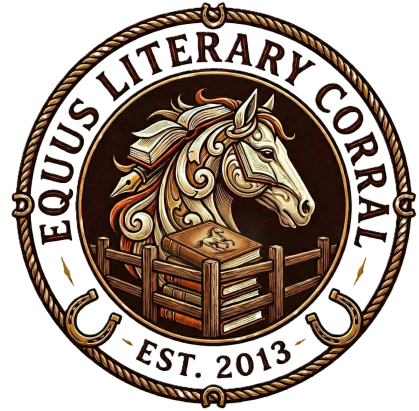
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The Little Girl in the Red Hat Meets Shimmer and Shine

Author: Megan Law



The Little Girl in the Red Hat is the first book in what promises to be a joyful lifelong journey of creativity, adventure, and storytelling - told through an autistic lens.

With the loving support and collaboration of her father, Robert Law, Megan's narrated tales have been thoughtfully transformed into beautifully illustrated children's books. Her stories reflect themes of wonder, kindness, perseverance, friendship, and courage - values she strives to live each day.

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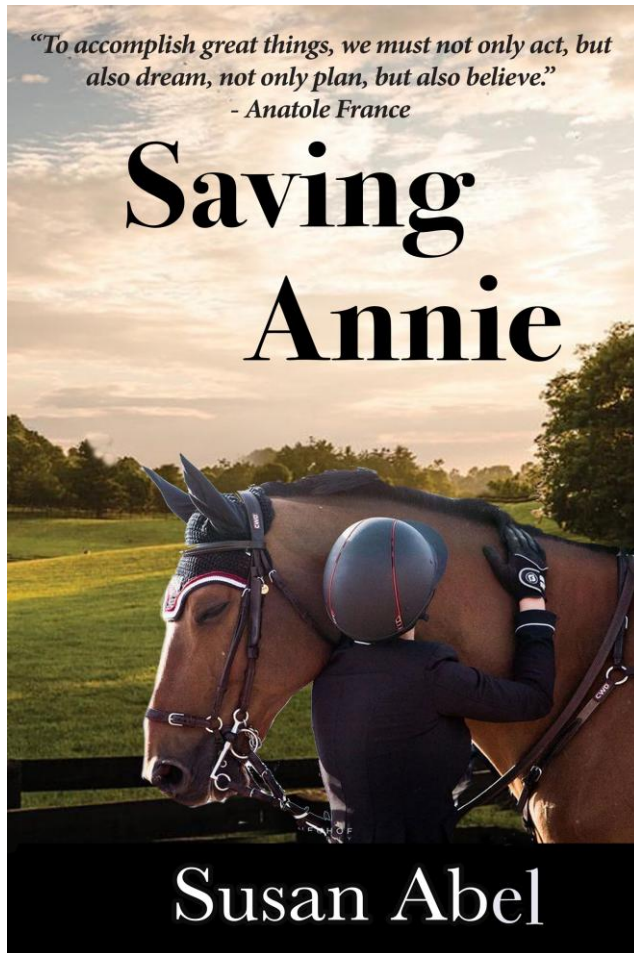


Author: Megan Law

Megan Law is a young author and imaginative storyteller from Slapout, Alabama. Diagnosed with autism at an early age, Megan experiences the world in a unique and creative way. While communication can sometimes be challenging, storytelling has always come naturally to her.

Saving Annie

Author: Susan Abel



JOSIE HAWKINS dreams of owning her own horse. But her mother, as single parent, can barely make ends meet. After cleaning kennels and picking vegetables for two years, Josie learns she still can't afford the horse of her dreams, a bay Thoroughbred. While riding along with a large animal vet, Josie gets the opportunity to obtain her dream horse...only it's a tiny, orphaned twin foal that is too weak to stand and is discarded by the breeder. Josie saves the filly who she names Annie. With the help of the vet, an old horse trainer and her best friend, Annie thrives. Years later, when Josie and Annie become a prize jumping team, a competitor tries to eliminate Annie from the competition. How far will he go to guarantee a win at the National Horse Show. Will Josie be able to save her Annie a second time.

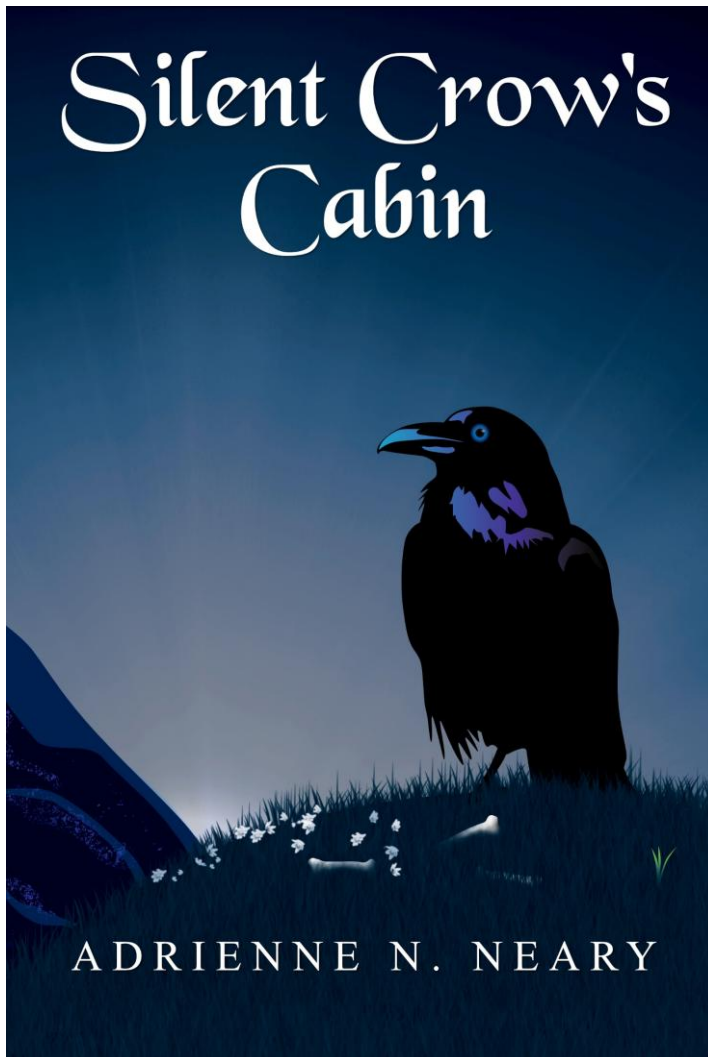
Set in the Lexington, Kentucky area, Saving Annie is a story of will and determination intertwined with a sweet teen relationship, while educating its readers on the finer points of horsemanship (horse term glossary included).

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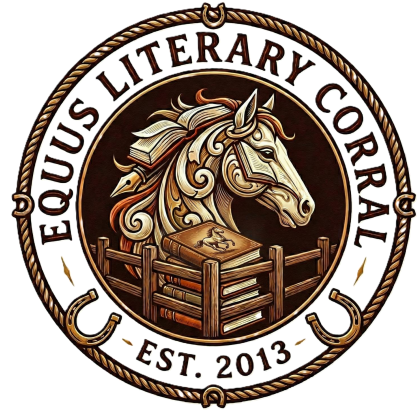
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Silent Crow's Cabin

Author: Adrienne Neary



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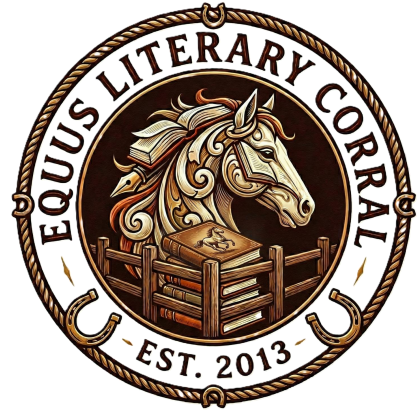
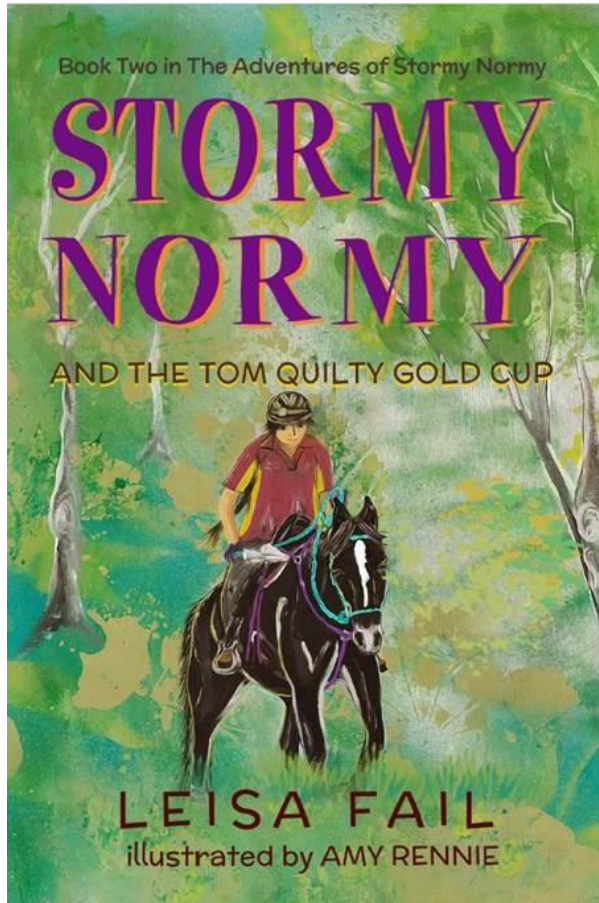
It's 2022 and Jesse Caldwell is a young man full of inner turmoil and rage. His problems can't be solved by using drugs or alcohol so he begins contemplating suicide as a solution. Circumstances and choices collide—some within his control and others not—and while his body is in a medically induced coma, Jesse is ushered into life beyond the physical. With a new perspective, he becomes desperate to find a remedy for his misdirected earthly self, and obtains valuable insights from surprising sources. When he returns to his material existence, he finds that he must overcome the relentless pressure of greed, lies and harmful behavior in order to express his innermost truths. Supported by a few caring people, his clever dog, Sheboo, and a wretched, dangerous horse, Jesse must figure out how to move into a new personal frontier or slip back into a life of pain.

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Stormy Normy and the Tom Quilty Gold Cup

Author: Leisa Fail
Australia



Set in the breathtaking Goldsborough Valley of Far North Queensland, this uplifting chapter book follows Stormy Normy, a lovable brumby colt, as he faces his biggest challenge yet.

When his rider Charlie sets their sights on the Tom Quilty Gold Cup, a legendary 160 km endurance ride completed in just one day, Stormy Normy must dig deep. Training is tough, doubts creep in, and others question whether he's is the right horse for Charlie. With Charlie's support and the power of positive thinking, he learns to overcome fear, build resilience, and believe in himself.

A heartfelt story, The Adventures of Stormy Normy: Book 2 is perfect for bedtime animal stories, early readers who love horses, or families searching for meaningful books about resilience and perseverance for kids.

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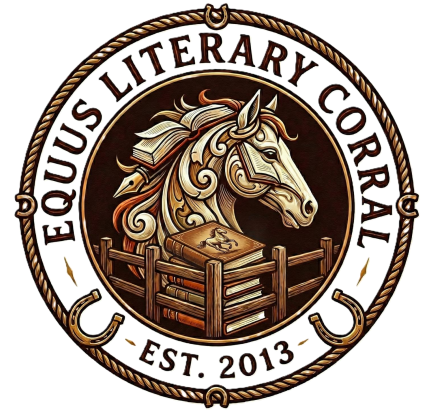
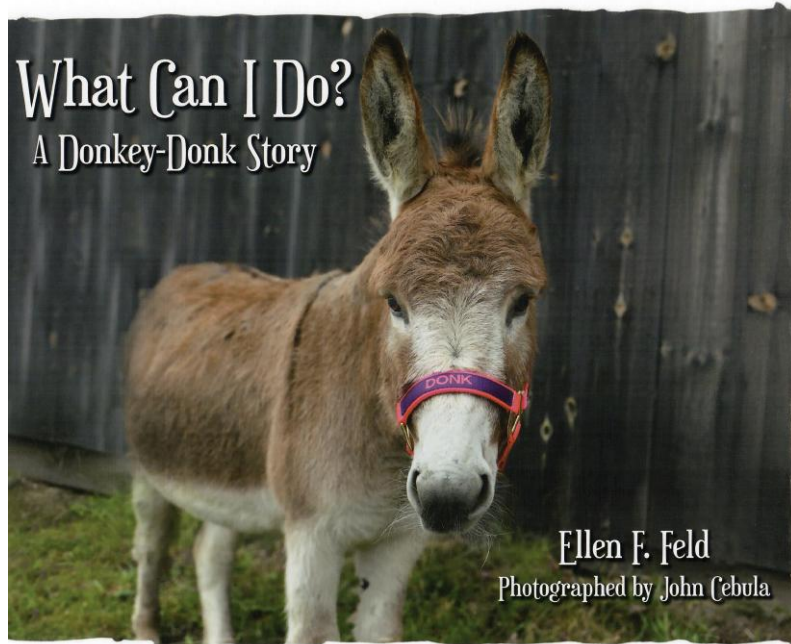
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Author: Ellen Feld

What Can I Do? A Donkey-Donk Story

Author: Ellen Feld



Donkey-Donk has moved to a new farm where all the horses and ponies have special jobs. But as much as Donkey-Donk tries, she just can't do any of those jobs. Will she ever find something that she can do?

Over twenty full-color photographs of "Donk" taken by wildlife photographer John Cebula help tell Donk's story.

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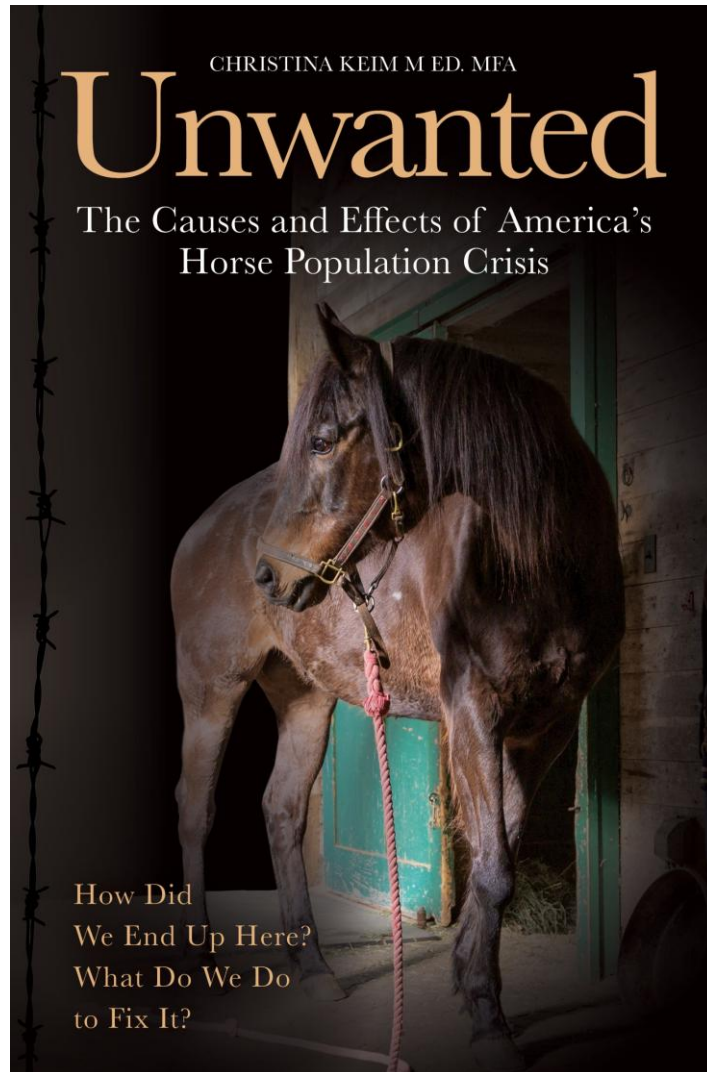


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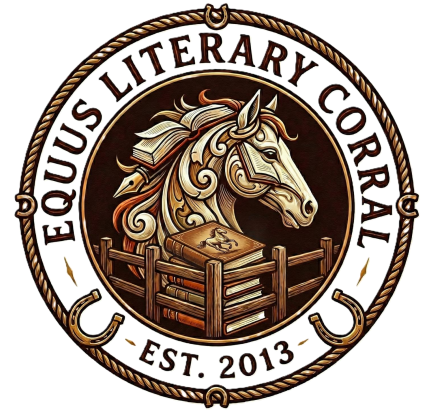


Unwanted: the Causes and Effects of Americas Horse Population Crisis

Author: Christina Keim



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Insightful, compassionate, and deeply researched, *Unwanted* confronts the complex realities of horse neglect, slaughter, and rescue in modern America.

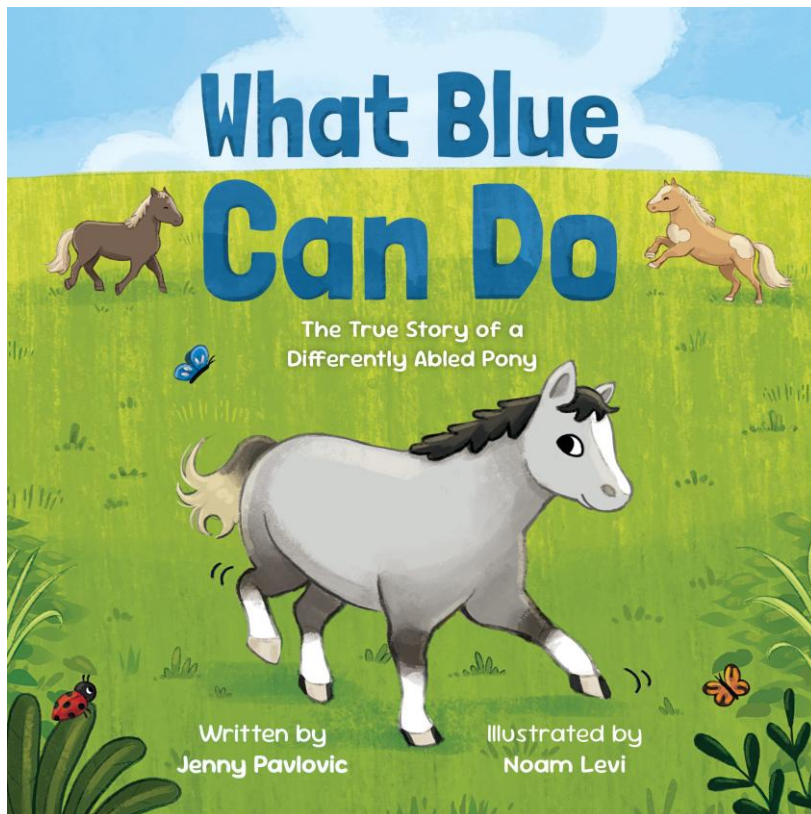
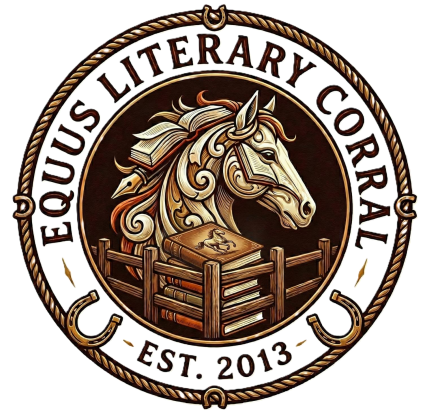
Author Christina Keim takes readers on a gripping journey through auctions, rescue operations, and policy debates to uncover the deeper systemic issues plaguing the U.S. equine population. From the emotional toll of neglect to the operational strains on rescues, *Unwanted* provides a holistic and humane perspective on why so many horses fall through the cracks. This book is a critical resource for equestrians, animal advocates, policy makers, and anyone concerned with ethical treatment of animals.

<https://www.amazon.com/Unwanted-Causes-Effects-Americas-Population/dp/1646012364>

What Blue Can Do: The True Story of a Differently Abled Pony

Author: Jenny Pavlovic

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This picture book, delightfully illustrated by Noam Levi, shares the uplifting true story of Blue, a pony who cannot give rides like other ponies — yet has extraordinary gifts that make her unforgettable.

What will happen to Blue? Blue wobbles when she walks and sometimes stumbles, too. Blue waits...and waits...and waits...for a home because she cannot walk like the other ponies. Then one day a woman asks what Blue CAN do. Read the inspiring true story of Blue the differently abled pony, who has much to give, even though she cannot give rides.



Written by award-winning author Jenny Pavlovic, this debut title in the new Can-Do Books for Kids series has a message for each of us, and especially for those who feel challenges associated with being different and everyone who wonders, “What good is a horse you can’t ride?”

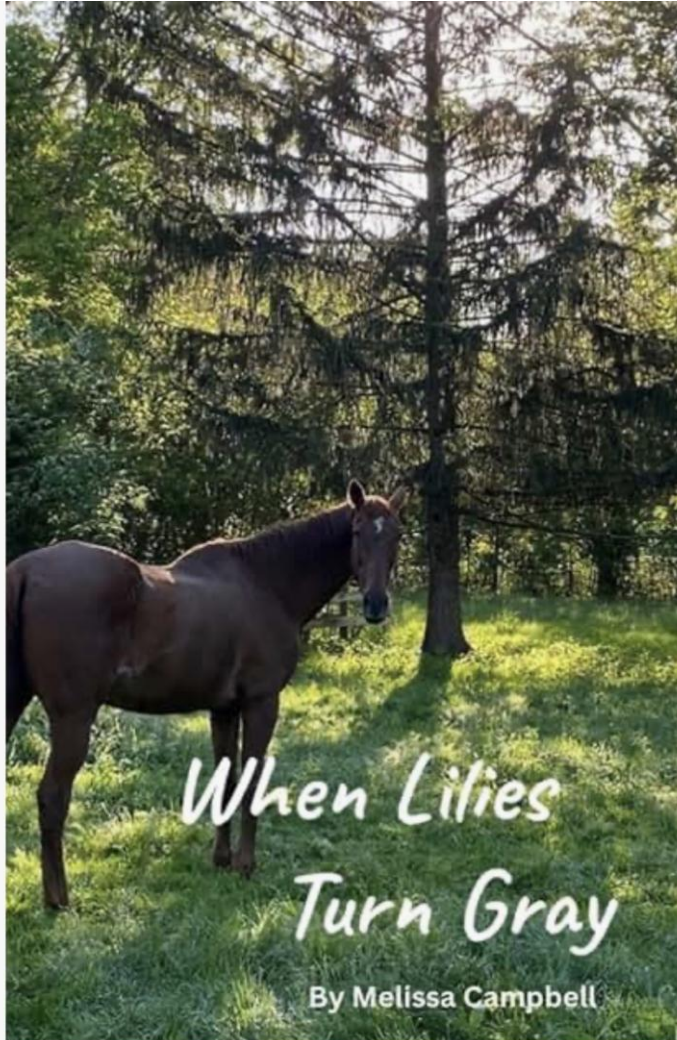
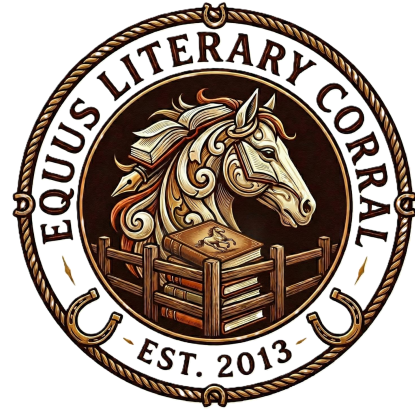
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Author: Jenny Pavlovic

When Lilies Turn Gray

Author: Melissa Campbell



In this heartfelt and deeply personal memoir, the author follows her lifelong dream of owning a horse-only to discover that love, when tested, demands more than she ever imagined. What begins as an exciting leap into the equestrian world quickly turns into a journey marked by devastating injuries, financial strain, and hard-earned lessons about trust, resilience, and advocacy.

Lila, a fiery and unpredictable Thoroughbred mare, is far from the perfect horse. But through countless setbacks-including life-threatening injuries, grueling recoveries, and heartbreaking betrayals-an unbreakable bond forms between horse and owner. As the years unfold, their story becomes one of survival, stubborn hope, and unconditional love.

Balancing a demanding teaching career, mounting expenses, and the realities of adulthood, the author refuses to give up-on Lila, on herself, or on the life she's fighting to build. Along the way, she discovers not only her strength, but also unexpected joy, second chances, and even love.

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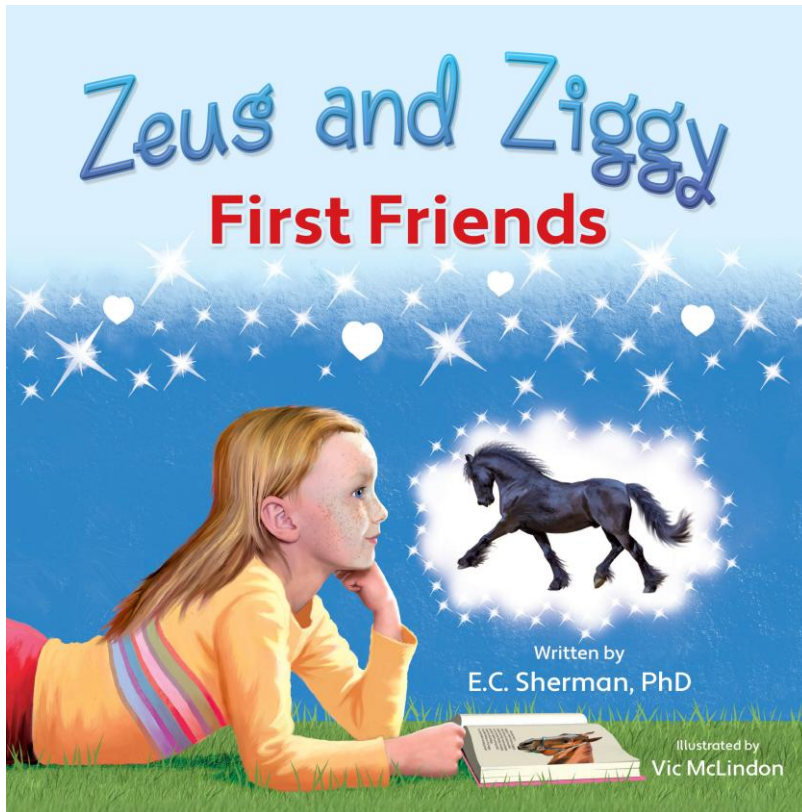
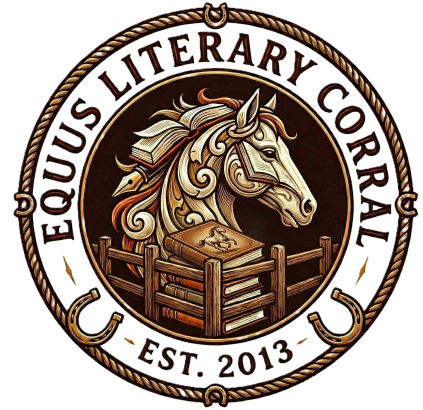


Author: Melissa Campbell

Zeus and Ziggy First Friends

Author: Eileen Sherman

www.ecshermanauthor.com



At Soft Whisper Farm, Ziggy is excited to meet their newest arrival-a Friesian horse named Zeus! However, before Ziggy can even think about riding, she needs to practice listening, understanding, and having patience with Zeus. This story is based on a real horse named Zeus and is a tribute to the Friesian horse and the amazing intuition they show when being introduced to new riders. Young riders will learn the value of establishing unconditional love, and what a true partnership really means.

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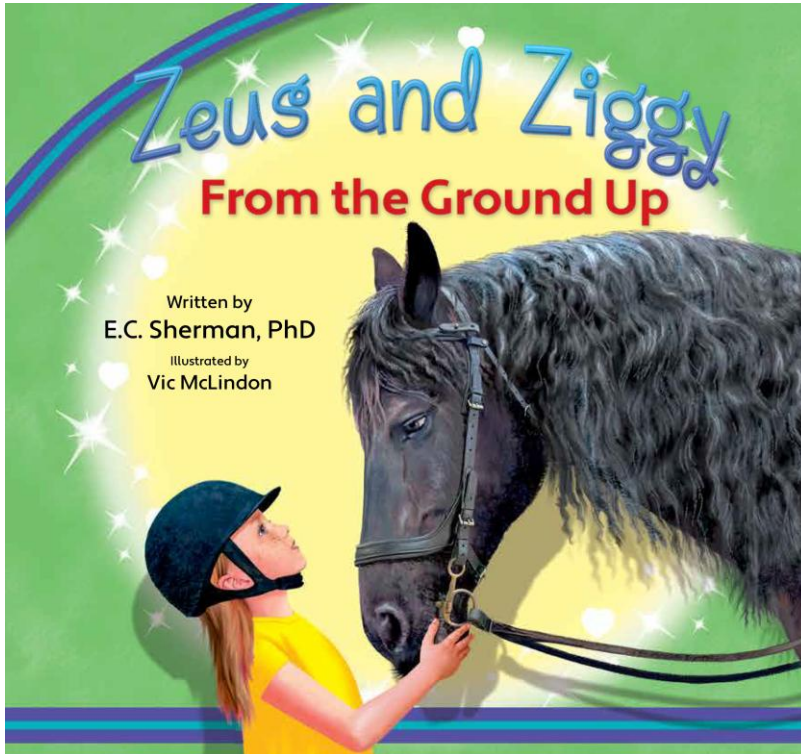
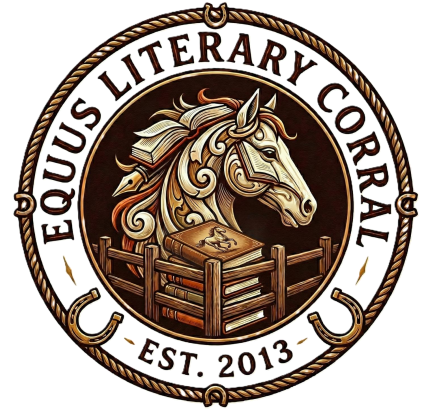


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Zeus and Ziggy From the Ground Up

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While Ziggy is excited to ride her new horse Zeus, she quickly finds out that there are several other lessons and movements with Zeus she needs to practice on the ground before they can do any riding. How will she be able to move such a large animal in the direction that she chooses? How will she become a leader to this beautiful Friesian partner? Join Ziggy as she continues to build confidence, trust, respect, and patience with Zeus, as the two friends create an even deeper connection. This second book in the Friesian and Friends series is the continuation of the relationship between horse and human, encouraging young riders and those learning quality horsemanship to slow down, move more deliberately, and think before doing, in order to make groundwork fun.

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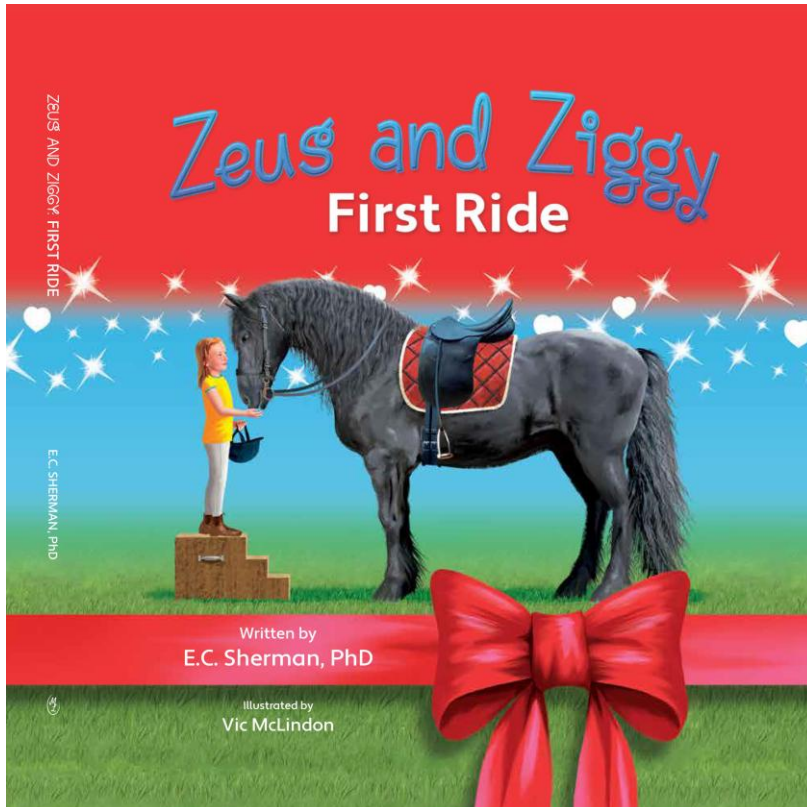
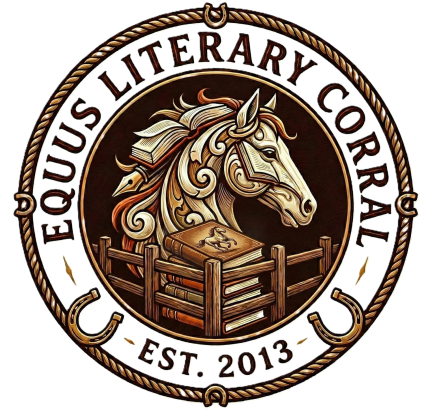


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Zeus and Ziggy First Ride

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Ziggy is SO excited to ride Zeus. With the help and guidance of Ms. Rita, she's finally in the saddle and ready to go off with Zeus on more adventures. But there are still lessons with Zeus that Ziggy needs to practice helping her to become a rider with confidence, kindness, calmness, and respect at the two grow and learn together. As Ziggy learns to ride, listen, and trust, she discovers that being brave doesn't always mean being fearless-sometimes it means opening your heart, even when you are unsure of what comes next. This is the third and last book in the Friesians and Friends Series.

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