

# Turtle Splash Countdown At The Pond

IF YOU ALREADY HAVE SUCH A REFERRED **TURTLE SPLASH COUNTDOWN AT THE POND** BOOKS THAT WILL ALLOW YOU TO ACQUIRE THE NO QUESTION BEST SELLER FROM US CURRENTLY FROM SEVERAL REFERRED AUTHORS. IF YOU WANT TO BUY WITTY BOOKS, LOTS OF NOVELS, TALES, JOKES, AND MORE FICTIONS COLLECTIONS ARE AS A CONSEQUENCE LAUNCHED, FROM BEST SELLER TO ONE OF THE MOST CURRENT RELEASED.

YOU MAY NOT BE PERPLEXED TO ENJOY EVERY BOOK COLLECTIONS **TURTLE SPLASH COUNTDOWN AT THE POND** THAT WE WILL DEFINITELY OFFER. IT IS NOT WITH REFERENCE TO THE COSTS. IT'S NOT QUITE WHAT YOU'RE CRAVING CURRENTLY. THIS **TURTLE SPLASH COUNTDOWN AT THE POND**, AS ONE OF THE MOST FULL OF ZIP SELLERS HERE WILL ENORMOUSLY BE AMONG THE BEST OPTIONS TO REVIEW.

**BARN DANCE!** BILL MARTIN 1988-09-15 UNABLE TO SLEEP ON THE NIGHT OF A FULL MOON, A YOUNG BOY FOLLOWS THE SOUND OF MUSIC ACROSS THE FIELDS AND FINDS AN UNUSUAL BARN DANCE IN PROGRESS.

**AND THE BULLFROGS SING** DAVID L. HARRISON 2019-05-21 RUMM . . . RUMM . . . RUMM. A MALE BULLFROG SINGS. A FEMALE BULLFROG LIKES HIS SONG. AND A LIFE CYCLE BEGINS. EGGS HATCH AND BECOME TADPOLES. THE TADPOLES NIBBLE PLANTS. THEY GROW LEGS AND START TO BREATHE. NOW THEY ARE LITTLE BULLFROGS. THEY EAT FLIES, FISH, AND SPIDERS. IN THE WINTER THEY HIBERNATE. AND AFTER THREE YEARS, THEY ARE ADULT BULLFROGS. RUMM . . . RUMM . . . RUMM. LYRICAL PROSE AND ELEGANT ART DEPICT THE LIFE CYCLE OF A BULLFROG IN THIS NONFICTION PICTURE BOOK BY AN AWARD-WINNING POET-BIOLOGIST. A BANK STREET BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR

**PEEP LEAP** ELIZABETH VERDICK 2013 IN THE HOLLOW OF A TREE, HIGHER THAN THE EYE CAN SEE . . . NINE WOOD DUCKS HATCH, ONE BY ONE. "THAT'S GOOD!" SAYS MAMA. "WE'RE ALMOST DONE." ONE LAST EGG IS VERY STILL. . . FINALLY, THE SMALLEST EGG HATCHES. THEN IT'S TIME FOR ALL THE WOOD DUCKS TO MAKE THE BIG JUMP FROM THE TREE—WHERE THEIR MOTHER MADE HER NEST—TO THE WATER BELOW. DUCKLINGS ONE THROUGH NINE MAKE THE LEAP. BUT DUCKLING TEN ISN'T SO SURE. THIS ADORABLE COUNTING BOOK HIGHLIGHTS THE GIANT LEAP THAT WOOD DUCKS MUST MAKE ON THEIR SECOND DAY IN THE WORLD.

**POND WALK** 2011 ONE SUMMER DAY, BUDDY AND HIS MOTHER TAKE A WALK AROUND A POND AND OBSERVE THE ANIMALS AND INSECTS THAT LIVE THERE.

**DAVID'S DRAWINGS** CATHRYN FALWELL 2005-06-30 A SHY AFRICAN AMERICAN BOY MAKES FRIENDS WITH HIS CLASSMATES BY DRAWING A PICTURE OF A TREE.

**OVER AND UNDER THE POND** KATE MESSNER 2017-03-07 IN THIS GORGEOUS COMPANION TO THE ACCLAIMED **OVER AND UNDER THE SNOW** AND **UP IN THE GARDEN AND DOWN IN THE DIRT**, KATE MESSNER AND CHRISTOPHER SILAS NEAL BRING TO LIFE A SECRET UNDERWATER WORLD. IN THIS BOOK, READERS WILL DISCOVER THE PLANTS AND ANIMALS THAT MAKE UP THE RICH, INTERCONNECTED ECOSYSTEM OF A MOUNTAIN POND. OVER THE POND, THE WATER IS A MIRROR, REFLECTING THE SKY. BUT UNDER THE POND IS A HIDDEN WORLD OF MINNOWS DARTING, BEAVERS DIVING, TADPOLES GROWING. THESE AND MANY OTHER SECRETS ARE WAITING TO BE DISCOVERED...OVER AND UNDER THE POND.

**MYSTERY VINE** CATHRYN FALWELL 2009-08-25 AS THE SEASONS GO BY, THE MYSTERY VINE GROWS AND GROWS AND GROWS. NOW, FINALLY, IT IS AUTUMN, AND THE MYSTERY VINE IS NO LONGER A MYSTERY. HELLO, PUMPKINS! THIS IS THE SEASON FOR JACK-O'-LANTERNS, PUMPKIN PIE, PUMPKIN BREAD, AND PUMPKIN SEEDS—READY FOR TOASTING AND MUNCHING, AND FOR SAVING AND PLANTING COME SPRING.

**SHAPE SPACE** CATHRYN FALWELL 1992 A YOUNG DANCER DANCES HER WAY AMONG GEOMETRIC SHAPES.

**TURTLE SPLASH!** CATHRYN FALWELL 2001-08-07 IT'S A PEACEFUL DAY AT THE POND AS TEN TIMID TURTLES BASK IN THE SUN. BUT WAIT! A BULLFROG LEAPS, A RABBIT RUSTLES, DEER APPEAR, A CHICKADEE CHIRPS, AND TEN NINE EIGHT SEVEN SIX FIVE FOUR THREE TWO ONE BY ONE THE TURTLES DIVE INTO THE WATER. SPLASH!

*THE PROBLEM WITH CHICKENS* BRUCE McMILLAN 2005-09-26 THE LADIES OF ICELAND HAVE A PROBLEM: THE BIRDS LAY THEIR EGGS IN NOOKS ON THE SIDES OF STEEP CLIFFS, SO THE LADIES HAVE A VERY DIFFICULT TIME GETTING ANY OF THE EGGS FOR BAKING. THEY GO TO TOWN TO BUY CHICKENS TO LAY EGGS FOR THEM INSTEAD. FOR A WHILE, EVERYONE IS HAPPY: THERE ARE PLENTY OF EGGS TO BAKE PLENTY OF YUMMY THINGS. BUT THE LADIES' PROBLEMS ARE FAR FROM SOLVED, FOR THE MORE TIME THE CHICKENS SPEND WITH THE LADIES, THE MORE THEY BEGIN TO ACT LIKE THEM TOO, UNTIL EVENTUALLY THEY STOP LAYING EGGS ALL TOGETHER. NOW THIS IS A PROBLEM INDEED, BUT YOU CAN BE SURE, THE CLEVER LADIES WILL FIND A SOLUTION. FULL OF FUN AND SILLINESS, THIS LIGHTEARTED TALE AND VIBRANT ILLUSTRATIONS ARE A DELIGHT.

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**CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS** ANN MCGOVERN 1962

*SHAPE CAPERS* CATHRYN FALWELL 2007-09 SHAPES! CIRCLES SQUARES TRIANGLES SEMICIRCLES RECTANGLES WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH THEM? ANYTHING! EVERYTHING! THE ONLY LIMIT IS YOUR IMAGINATION. COME ON! LET'S GO ON A SHAPE CAPER!

*THE NESTING QUILT* CATHRYN FALWELL 2015-05-08 THE NEW BABY IS SOON TO ARRIVE, AND MAYA WANTS TO HELP WELCOME HIM. BUT WHAT CAN SHE DO? SHE GETS INSPIRED BY THE BIRDS!

**HOW THE TURTLE GOT ITS SHELL** JUSTINE FONTES 2000-12-01 DELIGHTFUL RETELLINGS OF TURTLE TALES FROM AROUND THE WORLD, PLUS FUN FACTS ABOUT TURTLES, ARE SURE TO PLEASE ALL TURTLE FANS.

**A SPACE FOR ME** CATHRYN FALWELL 2020 "MAX WANTS SOME SPACE FOR HIMSELF AWAY FROM HIS YOUNGER BROTHER WHO TAKES HIS THINGS AND MAKES NOISE, BUT EVENTUALLY MAX FINDS A WAY TO MAKE SPACE FOR HIS BROTHER TOO"--

**WHERE'S NICKY?** CATHRYN FALWELL 1998-09-21 WHERE'S NICKY? IS A DELIGHTFUL GAME OF HIDE-AND-SEEK.

*FINDING WILD* MEGAN WAGNER LLOYD 2016-05-10 A LOVELY, LYRICAL PICTURE BOOK WITH GORGEOUS ILLUSTRATIONS THAT EXPLORES THE WAYS THE WILD MAKES ITSELF KNOWN TO US AND HOW MUCH CLOSER IT IS THAN WE THINK. THERE ARE SO MANY PLACES THAT WILD CAN EXIST, IF ONLY YOU KNOW WHERE TO LOOK! CAN YOU FIND IT? TWO KIDS SET OFF ON AN ADVENTURE AWAY FROM THEIR URBAN HOME AND DISCOVER ALL THE BEAUTY OF THE NATURAL WORLD. FROM THE BARK ON THE TREES TO THE SUDDEN STORM THAT MOVES ACROSS THE SKY TO FIRE AND FLOWERS, AND SNOWFLAKES AND FRESH FRUIT. AS THE CHILDREN MAKE THEIR WAY THROUGH THE WOODS AND BACK TO THE PAVED AND NOISY STREETS, THEY DISCOVER THAT WILD EXISTS NOT JUST OFF IN SOME DISTANT PLACE, BUT RIGHT IN THEIR OWN BACKYARD. \*"SOMETIMES THE MOST STRIKING PICTURE BOOKS ARE THE ONES THAT MAKE READERS SEE SOMETHING IN A NEW WAY, OR THAT CREATIVELY EXPRESS A CONCEPT REGULARLY PONDERED BUT RARELY PUT INTO WORDS."--SHELF AWARENESS, STARRED REVIEW "LLOYD'S SPARKLING DEBUT CELEBRATES NATURE THROUGH A WHIMSICAL MEDITATION ON THE IDEA OF WILDNESS. HALPIN'S LUSH AND DELICATELY DETAILED MIXED-MEDIA PICTURES...DOMINATED BY MUTED GREENS AND BLUES PULL READERS INTO THE DIVERSE LANDSCAPES THE CHILDREN TRAVERSE. A SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE AND EXPLORATION RUNS THROUGHOUT THE BOOK." --PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

**HOME FOR A TIGER, HOME FOR A BEAR** BRENDA WILLIAMS 2006-09 READERS WILL LEARN ABOUT THE HABITATS OF MANY ANIMALS AS THEY TRAVEL AROUND THE WORLD MEETING ALL SORTS OF CREATURES IN THEIR NATURAL ENVIRONMENTS.

**WORD WIZARD** 2006-02-20 "THIS MAGICAL INTRODUCTION TO NUMBERS AND COUNTING INCLUDES NINE DIFFERENT CARD GAMES THAT LET CHILDREN HAVE FUN WHILE DEVELOPING ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION SKILLS. GAMES FOR 2 OR MORE PLAYERS, PERFECT FOR CHILDREN AGES 4 TO 7. EACH KIT INCLUDES 65 STURDY NUMBER OR PICTURE CARDS"

*THE TOOTH BOOK* DR. SEUSS 2017-03-07 A BOARD BOOK EDITION OF A BELOVED DR. SEUSS BOOK—NOW IN A LARGER SIZE! TEETH—THEY COME IN HANDY WHEN YOU CHEW OR SMILE! IN DR. SEUSS'S HILARIOUS ODE TO TEETH, LITTLE ONES WILL LAUGH OUT LOUD AS THEY FIND OUT ALL THE THINGS TEETH CAN DO AND HOW TO TAKE CARE OF THEM SO THEY LAST A LIFETIME! WITH CHARMING ILLUSTRATIONS BY JOE MATHIEU, THIS ABRIDGED SUPER-SIMPLE, SUPER-STURDY BOARD BOOK EDITION WILL DELIGHT BABIES AND TODDLERS AS THEY LEARN ABOUT THEIR BODIES.

**WHEN WE GO CAMPING** MARGRIET RUURS 2001 A FAMILY SPENDS THE DAY PITCHING A TENT, SWIMMING, FISHING, AND EXPLORING

DURING A CAMPING TRIP.

**POND BABIES** CATHRYN FALWELL 2011-06-16 POND BABIES IS A BOOK FOR VERY YOUNG CHILDREN (2-5). IT HELPS KIDS IN THEIR EXPLORATION OF THE NATURAL WORLD AS THEY DISCOVER THE CREATURES THAT LIVE AROUND THE POND. VIBRANT CUT-PAPER COLLAGE IN CATHRYN FALWELL'S SIGNATURE STYLE, ALONG WITH A HUMOROUS BIT OF SELF-DISCOVERY AT THE END, MAKE THIS THE PERFECT BOOK TO SHARE WITH THE VERY YOUNG. THE SIMPLE, APPEALING STORY ALSO MAKES IT A GREAT CHOICE FOR EARLY READERS.

**GOBBLE, GOBBLE** CATHRYN FALWELL 2011 A CHILD OBSERVES WILD TURKEYS THROUGH THE SEASONS. INCLUDES FACTS ABOUT THIS CLASSIC AMERICAN BIRD, AS WELL AS TIPS TO HELP CHILDREN MAKE THEIR OWN CUT-PAPER COLLAGES AND NATURE JOURNAL. SIMULTANEOUS.

**WHAT'S IN THE MEADOW?** ANNE HUNTER 2000 DESCRIBES BIRDS, MAMMALS, AND INSECTS THAT LIVE IN MEADOWS, SUCH AS GOLDFINCHES, VOLES, AND FIREFLIES.

**ONE DUCK STUCK** PHYLLIS ROOT 2017-02-14 "PERFECT FOR READING ALOUD, THIS COUNTING BOOK NOT ONLY CONTAINS BRIGHT BOLD ILLUSTRATIONS BUT ALSO HAS LOTS OF . . . SOUND EFFECTS THAT CHILDREN WILL LOVE TO REPLICATE." -- BOOKLIST DOWN BY THE MARSH, BY THE SLEEPY, SLIMY MARSH, ONE DUCK GETS STUCK IN THE MUCK . . . CAN TWO FISH, TAILS GOING SWISH, HELP? WHAT ABOUT THREE MOOSE, MUNCHING ON SPRUCE? BRIGHT, SPIRITED ILLUSTRATIONS BY JANE CHAPMAN ENHANCE THIS ONE-OF-A-KIND COUNTING TALE BY PHYLLIS ROOT - A FEAST OF SOUNDS AND NUMBERS THAT WILL HAVE LISTENERS SCRAMBLING TO JOIN IN THE SLIPPY, SLOPPY FUN.

**THE FOOLISH TORTOISE** RICHARD BUCKLEY 2013-09-03 IN THIS LAP-SIZED BOARD BOOK BY THE BELOVED ILLUSTRATOR, A TORTOISE TAKES OFF HIS SHELL SO THAT HE CAN MOVE FASTER BUT FINDS THAT HE MISSES THE PROTECTION IT OFFERS.

**IN THE SMALL, SMALL POND** DENISE FLEMING 1998-10-15 IN THE SMALL, SMALL POND IS A 1994 CALDECOTT HONOR BOOK.

**A TAD TOO SMALL** RAYMOND KIRK DODSON 2021-03-24 ONCE UPON A TIME IN A SMALL POND, THERE LIVED MANY LITTLE ANIMALS. THE TINIEST OF THEM ALL WERE THE TADPOLES, BUT ONE TADPOLE WAS JUST A TAD TOO SMALL. HIS NAME WAS FIN, AND HE HAD AN ENORMOUS QUESTION. "HOW DO I GET BIGGER?"

**TURTLE'S PENGUIN DAY** VALERI GORBACHEV 2012-09-11 TURTLE IS SO EXCITED BY THE BOOK ABOUT PENGUINS THAT HIS DAD READS HIM AT BEDTIME THAT HE DECIDES HE WANTS TO BE A PENGUIN. SO THE NEXT MORNING, HE CREATES A PENGUIN COSTUME, GRABS HIS BOOK, AND HEADS FOR THE SCHOOLBUS. HIS KINDERGARTEN CLASSMATES ARE THRILLED. THEY ALL WANT TO BE PENGUINS TOO! TURTLE SHOWS HIS BOOK TO HIS TEACHER, AND ALL DAY LONG HE AND HIS CLASSMATES DO AS THE PENGUINS DO—THEY SLIDE DOWN THE SLIDE ON THEIR BELLIES DURING RECESS, FORM A WADDLING CONGA LINE AT MUSIC TIME, AND SNACK ON GOLDFISH CRACKERS. IT'S A SUPER-COOL PENGUIN DAY! THIS DELIGHTFUL PICTURE BOOK FROM VALERI GORBACHEV IS A PERFECT BLUEPRINT FOR TEACHERS (AND KIDS) TO PLAN PENGUIN DAYS OF THEIR OWN.

**WHAT'S IN THE POND?** ANNE HUNTER 1999 DESCRIBES A VARIETY OF POND ANIMALS, INCLUDING THE MAYFLY, RED-WINGED BLACKBIRD, AND PAINTED TURTLE.

**JUMP, FROG, JUMP!** ROBERT KALAN 1989-10-26 "THIS IS THE TURTLE THAT SLID INTO THE POND AND ATE THE SNAKE THAT DROPPED FROM A BRANCH AND SWALLOWED THE FISH THAT SWAM AFTER THE FROG -- JUMP, FROG, JUMP!" THIS INFECTIOUS CUMULATIVE TALE WILL SOON HAVE THE YOUNG FROGS YOU KNOW JUMPING AND CHANTING WITH JOY.

**FISH FACES** NORBERT WU 1997-03-15 THE AUTHOR-PHOTOGRAPHER, A MARINE BIOLOGIST, USES HIS OWN PHOTOGRAPHS TO INTRODUCE READERS TO SOME OF THE MORE AMUSING CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CREATURES HE'S ENCOUNTERED ON HIS DIVES.

**TURTLE SPLASH!** CATHRYN FALWELL 2001-08-07 AS THEY ARE STARTLED BY THE ACTIVITIES OF OTHER NEARBY CREATURES, THE NUMBER OF TURTLES ON A LOG IN A POND DECREASES FROM TEN TO ONE, IN A SPLASH-HAPPY CELEBRATION OF NUMBERS AND ANIMALS WHICH INCLUDES SIMPLE INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKING LEAF PRINTS.

**TURTLE POND** JAMES GLADSTONE 2018-05-01 A DELIGHTFUL TRIBUTE TO TURTLES AND TURTLE-WATCHING, FROM A YOUNG CHILD'S PERSPECTIVE. WHAT IS IT ABOUT TURTLES THAT FASCINATES US? IS IT HOW THEY HIDE INSIDE THEIR PATTERNED SHELLS,

THEIR WIZENED FACES, THEIR SLOW DETERMINATION? IN *TURTLE POND*, A CHILD AND HIS PARENTS VISIT THEIR LOCAL PUBLIC GARDEN THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, OBSERVING THE TURTLES AS THEY PLAY, DIVE, FEED, BASK, CLIMB, HIDE AND DOZE. JAMES GLADSTONE'S LIVELY PROSE POEM REVEALS THE PLEASURE AND CURIOSITY THAT COME FROM SPENDING TIME WITH THE TURTLES. KAREN RECZUCH'S STUNNINGLY BEAUTIFUL ILLUSTRATIONS ACCURATELY PORTRAY THESE EXTRAORDINARY CREATURES, BOTH IN AND OUT OF THE WATER, SURROUNDED BY LUSH PLANTS AND THE CHANGING SEASONS BEYOND THE GREENHOUSE WINDOWS. AN AUTHOR'S NOTE PROVIDES MORE INFORMATION ABOUT TURTLES, INCLUDING THE RED-EARED SLIDER FEATURED IN THE BOOK. KEY TEXT FEATURES SCIENTIFIC ILLUSTRATIONS AUTHOR'S NOTE FURTHER INFORMATION CORRELATES TO THE COMMON CORE STATE STANDARDS IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS: CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.K.7 WITH PROMPTING AND SUPPORT, DESCRIBE THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN ILLUSTRATIONS AND THE STORY IN WHICH THEY APPEAR (E.G., WHAT MOMENT IN A STORY AN ILLUSTRATION DEPICTS). CCSS.ELA-LITERACY.RL.3.7 EXPLAIN HOW SPECIFIC ASPECTS OF A TEXT'S ILLUSTRATIONS CONTRIBUTE TO WHAT IS CONVEYED BY THE WORDS IN A STORY (E.G., CREATE MOOD, EMPHASIZE ASPECTS OF A CHARACTER OR SETTING)

**THE VERY THOUGHTFUL TURTLE** KEVIN MCMURTRIE 2013-07-31 THE VERY THOUGHTFUL TURTLE IS FILLED WITH RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS, EVEN IF THEY ARE COMMITTED BY A TURTLE. THAT KINDNESS COMES BACK TO OUR MAIN CHARACTER IN THE END, WHICH SHOWS THAT NO GOOD DEED GOES UNNOTICED. KIDS NEED TO KNOW THAT KINDNESS SPREADS QUICKLY AND EASILY, BUT IT HAS TO START SOMEWHERE.

*AT THE POND* MARCIA FREEMAN 2003-08-01 EXPLAINS THE VARIED ACTIVITIES THAT TAKE PLACE IN OR AROUND A POND.

*TURTLE ISLAND* KEVIN SHERRY 2014-05-01 FROM THE AWARD-WINNING CREATOR OF *I'M THE BIGGEST THING IN THE OCEAN* COMES AN INSPIRING TALE OF FRIENDSHIP AND BELONGING THAT'S PERFECT FOR FANS OF *THE SNAIL AND THE WHALE*, *OWEN AND MZEE*, AND *OLIVER JEFFERS'S LOST AND FOUND*. TURTLE IS BIG. BUT THE OCEAN IS BIGGER. AND TURTLE IS ALL ALONE. UNTIL FOUR SHIPWRECKED FOLKS--A BEAR, AN OWL, A FROG, AND A CAT--CLIMB TO SAFETY ON HIS SHELL. BEFORE LONG, THEY'RE FAST FRIENDS, AND THE SEA DOESN'T SEEM SO VAST ANYMORE. BUT WHEN FROG CONFIDES THAT HE MISSES HIS FAMILY, TURTLE DOESN'T UNDERSTAND. ISN'T HE THEIR FAMILY? AND WHEN THE GROUP DECIDES TO SAIL FOR HOME, WILL TURTLE BE LEFT BEHIND? NEVER FEAR--A SURPRISE ON THE HORIZON PROMISES FRIENDS, FAMILY, AND A HOME AT LAST. UPLIFTING AND HEARTFELT, THIS IS A BOOK ABOUT THE POWER OF FRIENDSHIP AND MAKING A HOME OF ONE'S OWN.

**SCOOT!** CATHRYN FALWELL 2008-02-26 WHILE THEIR NEIGHBORS IN THE POND . . . LEAP! LURCH! SCAMPER! AND SPLASH! SIX SILENT TURTLES SIT STILL AS STONES. WILL THE TURTLES EVER MOVE? READ THIS BOOK AND FIND OUT. WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR? SCOOT!

*A PLACE FOR TURTLES* MELISSA STEWART 2019-04-02 TURTLES OUTLIVED THE DINOSAURS, BUT TODAY THEY ARE ONE OF THE MOST THREATENED SPECIES OF VERTEBRAE ON EARTH. HOW CAN WE HELP? IN SIMPLE YET ENGAGING LANGUAGE, ACCLAIMED SCIENCE WRITER MELISSA STEWART SHOWCASES TWELVE TYPES OF NORTH AMERICAN TURTLES, FROM THE FAMILIAR BOX TURTLE TO THE MAJESTIC LOGGERHEAD TURTLE. HER CLEAR NARRATIVE SHOWS THE THREATS THESE TURTLES FACE, AND INFORMATIVE SIDEBARS DESCRIBE A WIDE VARIETY OF EFFORTS TO SAVE THEM. FEATURING GLORIOUS FULL-COLOR ILLUSTRATIONS BY HIGGINS BOND AND RANGE MAPS FOR EACH TURTLE, THIS IS A PERFECT CHOICE FOR BUDDING YOUNG SCIENTISTS, ENVIRONMENTALISTS, AND NATURE LOVERS. THIS NONFICTION PICTURE BOOK IS PART OF A PRIZE-WINNING SERIES DESIGNED TO INFORM YOUNG READERS ABOUT A WIDE RANGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES AND TO PRESENT WAYS PEOPLE CAN HELP PROTECT ANIMALS AND THEIR NATURAL HABITATS.