

# Black Creators

## Picture Books, Easy Readers & Early Chapter Books

### Picture Books

Abrams, Stacey. *Stacey Speaks Up* (series).

Adusei, Denise Rosario. *Cesaria Feels the Beat*.

Agostini, Alliah L. *Scarecited on the First Day of School*.

Ahiyya, Vera. *Look How Much I've Grown in Kindergarten!*

Ahmed, Roda. *Etta Extraordinaire Goes to the White House* (series).

Alexander, Kwame. *How to Sing a Song* (series).

Armand, Glenda. *Down on the Bayou*.

Atinuke. *M is for Mango*.

Augustine, Kesi. *Faith Takes the Train*.

Baptist, Kelly J. *The Band in Our Basement*.

Baptiste, Tracey. *Super Goat Girl*.

Barlow, Charnelle Pinkney. *Two Artists, Grandad and Me*.

Barnes, Brynne. *Black Boy, Rise*.

Barnes, Derrick. *I Got You: A Brother's Promise*.

Bernstrom, Daniel. *A Bear, a Fish, and a Fishy Wish*.

Bingham, Winsome. *Fish Fry Friday*.

Blackman-Thornhill, Nailah. *Love, Lah Lah*.

Bogan, Carmen. *Tasha's Voice*.

Bolling, Valerie. *Bing, Bop, Bam: Time to Jam!*

Brantley-Newton, Vanessa. *Shake it Off!*

Bridgewater, Marcus. *See Marcus Grow*.

Brown, Tabitha. *Hello There, Sunshine*.

Brown-Wood, JaNay. *On Our Way! What a Day!*

Brown, Tameka Fryer. *All the Greatness in You*.

Burgess, Murry. *Sparrow Loves Birds*.

Charles, Tami. *Together, United*.

Cline-Ransome, Lesa. *They Call Me Teach: Lessons in Freedom*.

Cooke, Sam. *A Change is Gonna Come*.

Cooke, Trish. *Catch!*

Cortez, Rio. *The Blue Velvet Chair*.

Courtney, Pamela. *A Season for Fishin': A Fish Fry Tradition*.

Crews, Nina. *Big Family Beach Day*.

Curry, Stephen. *I am Extraordinary*.

Darks, Taylor. *Be, Black Girl, Be*.

Datcher, Michael. *A Song for Two Homes*.

Davis, Gabriele. *Our Joyful Noise*.

DeHoney, Jeanine. *This Sunday My Daddy Came to Church*.

Detrick-Jules, St. Clair. *My Hair is Like Yours*.

Doyon, Samara Cole. *Next Level: A Hymn in Gratitude for Neurodiversity*.

Draper, Sharon M. *Bella Ballerina*.

DuBurke, Randy. *A is for Alfie*.

Duncan, Elle. *For You, I Will*.

Eady, Antwan. *The Gathering Table*.

Elliott, Zetta. *Chicken Wonders... Why?*

Flake, Sharon. *You Make Me Sneeze*.

Ford, Bernette G. *The Magical Snowflake*.

Forman, Ruth. *Light*.

Franklin, Ashley. *Xavier's Voice*.

Garrett, Van G. *Juneteenth*.

Girmay, Aracelis. *Kamau & Zuzu Find a Way*.

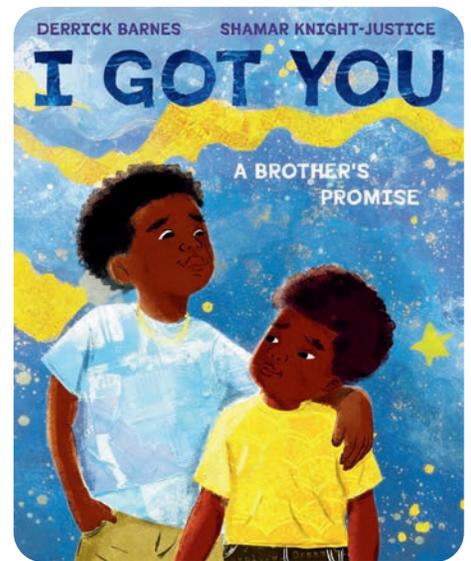
Good Marable, Karen. *Yaya and the Sea*.

Gorman, Amanda. *Something, Someday*.

Grant, Shauntay. *When I Wrap My Hair*.

Grimes, Nikki. *A Cup of Quiet*.

Harper, Janelle. *Salon Saturday*.



Harrington, Janice N. *Hurry Kate, or You'll Be Late!*

Harris, Meena. *A is for Ambitious*.

Henderson, Leah. *Your Voice, Your Vote*.

Hohn, Nadia L. *Getting Us to Grandma's*.

Honoré, Leslé. *Brown Girl, Brown Girl*.

Hudson, Cheryl Willis. *When I Hear Spirituals*.

Hudson, Wade. *The Day Madear Voted*.

Iman, Ashley. *Ruby René Had So Much to Say* (series).

James, LeBron. *I am More Than*.

James, Nancy Johnson. *Blue: The Many Ways I Feel*.

Johnson, Varian. *Little Big Man*.

Jones, Erika Lynne. *Zara in the Middle*.

Jones, Keenan. *Saturday Morning at the 'Shop*.

Keller, Shana. *CeeCee: Underground Railroad Cinderella* (Historical).

King, Yolanda Renee. *We Dream a World: Carrying the Light from My Grandparents, Martin Luther King Jr., and Coretta Scott King*.

Langley, Kaija. *A Century for Caroline*.

Laymon, Kiese. *City Summer, Country Summer*.

Lee, Jen Hayes. *The Golden Hoops*.

Lewis, Kevin. *Brown Sugar Baby* (series).

Marley, Cedella. *Is This Love?*



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McBride, Amber. *Magick Hoodoo Child*.

McDaniel, Breanna J. *Cute Toot*.

McKay, Jessica. *Eden's Light*.

Mensah, Bernard. *Sunshine Baby, Bofrot Cheeks*.

Mikai, Monica. *Haircut Day with Dad*.

Miller, Sharee. *Jordan's Perfect Haircut*.

Miroballi, Dana Marie. *If My Hair Had a Voice*.

Moore, B. Sharise. *A City Dream*.

Moore, David Barclay. *Night Flight*.

Moore, Tanisia. *Wash Day Love*.

Morris, Keisha. *Between Two Windows*.

Moses, Shelia P. *Sharing the Dream* (Historical).

Muhammad, Ibtihaj. *The Boldest White: A Story of Hijab and Community* (series).

MzVee. *Natural Me*.

Nantogmah, Reuben. *My Smock is a Story*.

Nash, Kortney. *Tell Me About Juneteenth*.

Nelson, Adiba. *Oshún and Me: A Story of Love and Braids*.

Newsome, Malcolm. *Sydney's Big Speech*.

Noel, Melvina. *Mama's Library Summers*.

Nyoko, Mel. *For Our Daughters*.

Obuobi, Laura. *What Love Looks Like*.

Oso, Maisha. *My Hair is a Book*.

Paul, Baptiste. *Dear You, Dream Big!*

Pinkney, J. Brian. *Brandon and the Baby*.

Power, Will. *Nana's New Soul Food*.

Questove. *The Idea In You*.

Ramsey, Calvin Alexander. *The Library in the Woods*.

Retener, Joëlle. *Marley's Pride*.

Rhodes, Jewell Parker. *Soul Step*.

Rodríguez, Sylvia. *Black Hair Can: The Roots of Our Roots*.

Russell, Erin. *Seoul Food*.

Salh, Shugri. *Suuban's First Day: A First Day of Herding Story*.

Schofield-Morrison, Connie. *Big Boy Joy*.

Seales, Stephanie. *My Daddy is a Cowboy*.

Sewankambo, Yvonne. *How My Family Says I Love You*.

Shanté, Angela. *The Noisy Classroom Goes to the Museum* (series).

Sheppard, Markette. *Ninja Nate*.

Simon, Jazmyn. *Repeat After Me: Big Things to Say Every Day*.

Smalls, Alexander. *When Alexander Graced the Table*.

Smith, Nikki Shannon. *Brown Baby Parade* (Board book series).

Smith, Nikkolas. *The History of We*.

Tarpley, Natasha. *Keyana Loves School* (series).

Theodore, Adrea. *I Would Love You Still*.

Thompkins-Bigelow, Jamilah. *Together We are Sunshine*.

Thurman, Brittany. *Forever and Always*.

Tripplett, Natasha. *Juneteenth Is*.

Tyner, Artika R. *Kwame Votes*.

Vanece, Ariel. *Searching for Mr. Johnson's Song*.

Velasquez, Eric. *The Polar Bear and the Ballerina*.

Walker, Zenda. *Zion's Crown*.

Wallace, Gwendolyn. *Dancing with Water*.

Watson, Renée. *Summer is Here*.

Weatherford, Carole Boston. *Let it Shine: A Celebration of You*.

Wedlick, Seina. *Space for Everyone*.

Wells, Allen R. *Danté Plays His Blues*.

Wiley, DeAnn. *Homegrown*.

Williams, Nyasha. *Saturday Magic: A Hoodoo Story*.

Williams, Schele. *Your Legacy Begins: First Words to Empower*.

Wilson-Max, Ken. *Aqua Boy*.

Woodard, Bellen. *Ballet Brown: Dancing with Heart*.

Wynter, Anne. *Patrick and the Not-So-Perfect Party*.

Yahu, Yaram. *My Afro is a Rising Sun*.

Youngblood, Shay. *A Family Prayer*.

### Series Books: Easy Readers, Early Chapter, and Paperbacks

Agostini, Alliah L. *Art's Art*. (Readers 2)

Atinuke. *Anna Hibiscus*. (Early Chapters)

Bingham, Winsome. *Welcome to Fort Goode*. (Early Chapters)

Blackwood, Remi. *Future Hero: Race to Fire Mountain*. (Paperbacks)

Bolling, Valerie. *Rainbow Days*. (Readers 2)

Curry, Parker. *Parker*. (Readers 1)

Dankenbring, Simone. *Necy and Nay Nay*. (Early Chapters)

Dillard, J. *J.D. The Kid Barber*. (Early Chapters)

Elliott, Zetta. *Dragons in a Bag*. (Early Chapters)

Eschmann, Reese. *Home for Meow*. (Paperbacks)

Griffith, Theanne. *Magnificent Makers*. (Paperbacks)

Lewis, Cicely. *Hair Magic*. (Early Chapters)

Loney, Andrea J. *Abby in Orbit*. (Early Chapters)

Lyons, Kelly Starling. *Miles Lewis*. (Paperbacks)

Lyons, Kelly Starling. *Ty's Travels*. (Readers 1)

Mensah, Bernard. *Kwame's Magic Quest*. (Early Chapters)

Nelson, Vaunda Micheaux. *Ready? Set...!* (Readers 2)

Nuurali, Siman. *Sadiq*. (Paperbacks)

Platt, Christine. *Frankie & Friends*. (Early Chapters)

Price, Dorothy H. *Jalen's Big City Life*. (Readers 2)

Rhuday-Perkovich, Olugbemisola. *Makeda Makes*. (Readers 2)

Roe, Mechal Renee. *I am Born to be Awesome!* (Readers 1)

Smith, Elliott. *Bo at the Buzz*. (Readers 2)

Watson, Renée. *Ways to Make Sunshine*. (Early Chapters)

Winston, Sherri. *Wednesday and Woof*. (Paperbacks)