

Published Credits!

Books

Rising Moon Children's Books (Fictional picture book, 4 to 8 year olds)

Farmer McPeepers and His Missing Milk Cows

illustrated by Steve Gray, 2003.

Awards/Honors

2004-05 Wyoming Buckaroo Book Award Nominee

2005-06 Arkansas Diamond Honor Book

2004-06 California Teacher's Association Read Across America Featured Book

Kidhaven Press. (Nonfiction, 9 to 12 year olds)

Mysterious Encounters: Poltergeists. 2007.

Ken Kutaragi: PlayStation. 2007.

The Bermuda Triangle. 2008.

The YouTube Founders. 2008.

Cherry Lake Publishing. *Earth's Biomes.* 2009. (Nonfiction, 9 to 12 year olds)

Compass Point Books. *What's the Issue: Obesity.* (Nonfiction, 10 to 13 year olds) Forthcoming.

Chicago Review Press. *California History for Kids: Missions, Miners, and Moviemakers in the Golden State.* (Nonfiction, 9 and up). January 2012.

Heinemann. Thirteen fiction books for the Fountas and Pinnell LLI Collection (Kg - 3rd Grade). 2012-present.

Candlewick Press. *Aliens Get the Sniffles, Too.* (Fiction, 3 to 7 year olds) tba.

Two Lions. *Loud Lula.* (Fiction, 3 to 7 year olds) March 2015.

Educational Programs

Core Knowledge Foundation. Reading Programs:

Seasons and Weather unit, Kindergarten, 2006.

Artists unit, 2nd Grade, 2006.

Skills Strand. Includes lesson plans, worksheets, leveled readers. 2006-2007.

Introductions & Discussions. 2006-2007.

Publication Services. Nonfiction Features for graphic novels—
Leonardo da Vinci, Mother Teresa, Nelson Mandela, 2007.

Trillium Publishing. Nonfiction—Comprehension, Questioning, 2nd Grade, 2007.

Heinemann. Reading Program. 2012 to present.

Children's Magazines—Fiction

Hopscotch Magazine, "Ellie's Toes," (poem), October 2011.

Highlights for Children/Boys Mills Press

Hidden Pictures Playground Activity Books

Rebus—"A Present for Owl."

Rebus—"Honey Gets Dressed," December 2006.

Rebus—"Off to the Rodeo."

Rebus—"Lisa's Treasures."

Focus on the Family Clubhouse:

"Bad Decisions," March 2008.

"Golf Lessons," June 2005.

Highlights for Children:

"Flowers for Mouse," May 2010.

"Joe, the Herding Dog," February 2006.

On the Line:

"Do You Have to Go?" August 2004.

"Can't," February 1999.

Discoveries, "Give Me Strength," February 2004.

Story Friends, "What About the Birds?" December 2000.

Listen, "The Greatest Gift," October 2000.

Stable Kids, "Jenna's Jingle," August 1997.

Children's Magazines—Nonfiction

Pockets, "Thirty Ways to Celebrate Friendship," July 2007.

Appleseeds, "Lava Blobs," March 2007.

Clubhouse, "Amazing Albino Animals," March 2007.

Guideposts for Kids:

"Owen + Mzee= BFF," January 2006.

"What Big Eyes He Has!" September 2003.

"Guess the Game!" May 2002.

"Through the Smoke," March 2002.

"Before Fore!" June 2001.

"A Goey New Pet," January 2000.

Focus on the Family Clubhouse, Jr., "Stumpie Jumps Again," January 2005.

Wee Ones, "A Horse in the White House," May 2002.

Boys' Quest, "Sugar Gliders," October/November 2000.

Cricket Magazine, "Winds of Hope," September 2012.

Magazines—Other

Family Fun, “Money Matters,” November 2003.

Once Upon a Time, “Writer Friend,” Winter 1999.

Other Publications

Chicken Soup for the Kids’ Soul 2, “Guardian Angel,” March 2006.

The Amazing Bible Factbook for Kids, (American Bible Society), 2008. Sections: “Animals,” “Buildings and Landmarks,” “Transportation and Travel.”

Uncle John’s Bathroom Reader: Facts to Annoy Your Teacher, 2009. Article: “Sting and Bite.”

Institute of Children’s Literature website, “The Un-Organization Ogre,” October 2003.