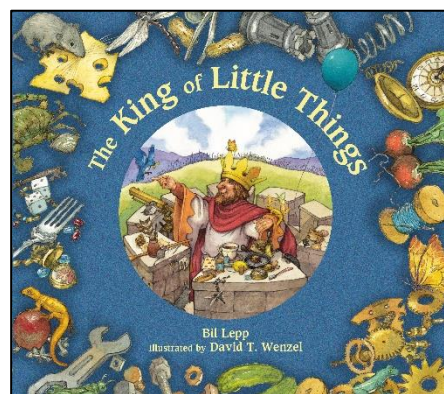


THE KING OF LITTLE THINGS	
Author / Illustrator:	ISBN – 13:
Bil Lepp / David T. Wenzel	9781682633915
Retail Price:	Pub Date:
\$7.99	3/22
Category:	Trim size:
Picture book	PB: 10 ³ / ₈ x 9 ³ / ₈
Page count:	Age Range / Grade Range:
32 pages	4-8 / PK-3
Territory:	Rights:
World	Spanish; Catalan; Korean; Chinese (simplified character)
BISAC Codes:	
JUV012030 JUVENILE FICTION / Fairy Tales & Folklore / General	
JUV034000 JUVENILE FICTION / Royalty	
JUV039230 JUVENILE FICTION / Social Issues / Bullying	



Sales Handle:

Only the King of Little Things stands between King Normous and his goal of conquering the world. And little things can wield great power.

Description:

In a world of vast kingdoms lives a king who is happy and content to reign over all things small. Not so King Normous. He wants to be Ruler of All the World. After having erased every empire and raided every realm, Normous is enraged to learn that the King of Little Things still rules over his tiny kingdom. He sends his army to defeat this upstart, but he finds he cannot outfight or outwit a king who holds sway over the small things of the world. After all, it is the small things that keep the big things going. Bil Lepp's imaginative tale of the beauty and importance of all things small is perfectly paired with illustrator David T. Wenzel's bright watercolor paintings.

Sales Points:

- Spectacular art from David Wenzel enhances the charm and wit of popular storyteller Bil Lepp's story.
- Classic fairy tale form will appeal to younger readers while the humorous story will broaden the appeal to older readers as well.
- Story demonstrates the concept that you don't have to be grand or big to wield power: even the mightiest of kings can't prevail without the small things.

Author Bio and Residence:

Bil Lepp is a nationally renowned storyteller and five time champion of the West Virginia Liars' Contest. His outrageous, humorous tall-tales and witty stories have earned the appreciation of listeners of all ages and from all walks of life, from elementary school to veterans' homes, from churches to colleges, from festivals to formal dinners. Though a champion liar, his hilarious, insightful stories often contain morsels of truth which shed light on subjects such as politics, religion, relationships, and human nature. A storyteller, author, and recording artist, Lepp has been featured numerous times at the National Storytelling Festival, and at the Smithsonian Folklife Festival, and major storytelling and corporate events across the country. He is also a recipient of the Storytelling Circle of Excellence Award.

Author Residence: Charleston, WV

Illustrator Bio and Residence:

David T. Wenzel is an illustrator and children's book artist, best known for illustrating the graphic novel edition of J.R.R. Tolkien's The Hobbit.

Illustrator Residence: Durham, CT

Comparison Titles:

Title	ISBN	Publisher	Pub date	Price
Janine	9780807537596	Albert Whitman	3/01/20	\$7.99
Princess and the Packet of Frozen Peas	9781682630518	Peachtree	2/01/18	\$7.95

Author/Illustrator previous books:

Title	ISBN	Publisher	Pub date	Price
King of Little Things	9781561457083	Peachtree	8/06/13	\$16.95
Rudolph	9780448425344	Grosset & Dunlap	9/01/01	\$9.99
More or Less	9780060531676	Harpercollins	3/01/05	\$6.99

Marketing and Publicity:

- Parenting Blogger Outreach
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- Read-Aloud Video
- Read-Alouds Blog Round-Up
- "Big vs small" Downloadable Activity Sheets
- Read Aloud Bookseller Eblast
- Storytime and SEL Edelweiss Catalogs
- Fairytale Educator's Guide
- Storytime, Read-aloud e-Newsletter

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