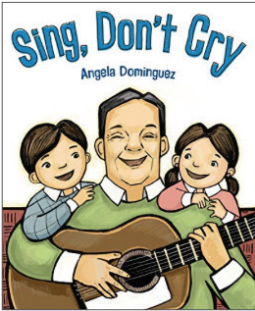


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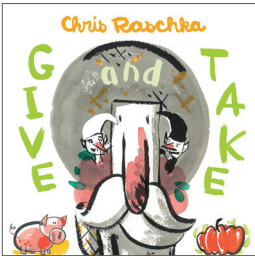


SING, DON'T CRY

by Angela Dominguez

Once a year, Abuelo comes from Mexico to visit his family. He brings his guitar, his music—and his memories.

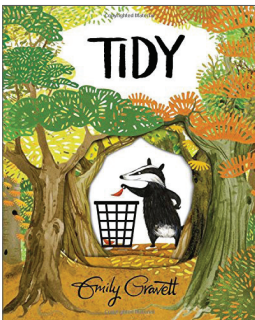
In this story inspired by the life of Apolinar Navarrete Diaz—author Angela Dominguez’s grandfather and a successful mariachi musician—Abuelo and his grandchildren sing through the bad times and the good. Lifting their voices and their spirits, they realize that true happiness comes from singing together.



GIVE AND TAKE

by Chris Raschka

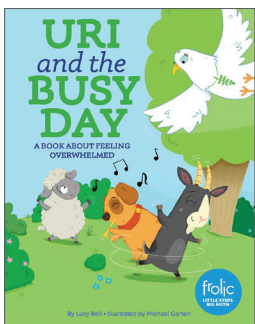
A clever story of greed and goodness, and the art of finding the in-between, from two-time Caldecott Medalist Chris Raschka, creator of the *New York Times* bestselling *A Ball for Daisy*.



TIDY

by Emily Gravett

Pete the badger likes everything to be neat and tidy at all times, but what starts as the collecting of one fallen leaf escalates quickly and ends with the complete destruction of the forest. Will Pete realize the error of his ways and reverse his tidying habit?



URI AND THE BUSY DAY

by Lucy Bell, illustrated by Michael Garton

Uri has a fun day ahead and she doesn’t want to miss a thing. But soon all the fun gets to be too much! Parents will recognize the signs of an overstimulated toddler as they follow Uri through her busy day, and children will learn ways to calm down when the day gets too busy.