

## American Library Association Announces Literary Award Winners

### **John Newbery Medal**

This award is for the most outstanding contribution to children's literature.

2010 Winner: *When You Reach Me*, Rebecca Stead. Call No. CL Fic Ste33w 2009

Other books named for Newbery Honor include:

*Claudette Colvin: Twice Toward Justice*, Phillip Hoose. On order  
*The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate*, Jacqueline Kelly. Call No. CL Fic Kel59e2009

*Where the Mountain Meets the Moon*, Grace Lin. Call No. CL YA Lin0w 2009

*The Mostly True Adventures of Homer P. Figg*, Rodman Philbrick. On order

### **Randolph Caldecott Medal**

This award is for the most distinguished American picture book for children.

2010 Winner: *The Lion & the Mouse*, Jerry Pinkney. Call No. CL 398.2 Pin561 2009

Other books named for Caldecott Honor include:

*All the World*, illustrations by Maria Frazee, written by Liz Garton Scanlon. On order

*Red Sings from Treetops: A Year in Colors*, illustrated by Pamela Zagarenski, written by Joyce Sidman. On order

### **Michael L. Printz Award**

This award is for excellence in literature written for young adults.

2010 Winner: *Going Bovine*, Libba Bray. Call No. CL YA Bra90g 2009

Other books named for Printz Honor include:

*Charles and Emma: The Darwins' Leap of Faith*, Deborah Heiligman. On order

*The Monstrumologist*, Rick Yancey. On order

*Punkzilla*, Adam Rapp. On order

*Tales of the Madman Underground: An Historical Romance, 1973*, John Barnes. On order

### **Coretta Scott King (Author) Book Award**

This award recognizes an African American author of outstanding books for children and

young adults.

2010 Winner: *Bad News for Outlaws: The Remarkable Life of Bass Reeves Deputy U.S. Marshal*, Vaunda Micheaux Nelson. On order

Other books named for King Author Honor include:

*Mare's War*, Tanita S. Davis. On order

### **Coretta Scott King (Illustrator) Book Award**

This award recognizes an African American illustrator of outstanding books for children and young adults.

2010 Winner: *My People*, illustrated by Charles R. Smith Jr. On order

Other books named for King Illustrator Honor include:

*The Negro Speaks of Rivers* illustrated by E. B. Lewis. On order

### **Coretta Scott King/John Steptoe New Talent Author Award**

2010 Winner: *The Rock and the River*, Kekla Magoon. On order

### **Pura Belpre (Illustrator) Award**

This award honors a Latino illustrator whose children's books best portray, affirm, and celebrate the Latino cultural experience.

2010 Winner: *Book Fiesta!: Celebrate Children's Day/Book Day*, illustrated by Rafael Lopez. On order

Other books named for Belpre Illustrator Honor include:

*Diego: Bigger Than Life*, illustrated by David Diaz. On order

*My Abuelita*, illustrated by Yuyi Morales. On order

*Gracias Thanks*, illustrated by John Parra. On order

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2010 Winner: *Return to Sender*, Julia Alvarez. Call No. CL Fic Alv37r 2009

Other books named for Belpre Author Honor include:

*Federico Garcia Lorca*, Georgina Lazaro. On order

### **William C. Morris Award**

This award honors books written by first time authors for young adults.

2010 Winner: *Flash Burnout*, L. K. Madigan. On order

### **Theodor Seuss Geisel Award**

This award is for most the distinguished beginning reader book.

2010 Winner: *Benny and Penny in the Big No-No!*, Geoffrey Hayes. On order

Other books named for Geisel Honor include:

*I Spy Fly Guy!*, Tedd Arnold. On order

*Little Mouse Gets Ready*, Jeff Smith. On order

*Mouse and Mole: Fine Feathered Friends*, Wont Herbert Yee. On order

*Pearl and Wagner: One Funny Day*, Kate McMullan. On order

### **Robert F. Sibert Medal**

This award is for most distinguished informational book for children.

2010 Winner: *Almost Astronauts: 13 Women Who Dared to Dream*, Tanya Lee Stone.  
On order

Other books named for Sibert Honor include:

*The Day-Glo Brothers: The True Story of Bob and Joe Switzer's Bright Ideas and Brand-New Colors*, Chris Barton. On order

*Moonshot: The Flight of Apollo 11*, Brian Floca. On order

### **YALSA Excellence in Nonfiction Award**

2010 Winner: *Charles and Emma: The Darwins' Leap of Faith*, Debrorah Heiligman.  
On order