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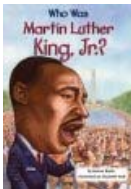
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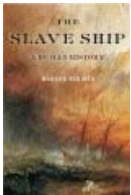
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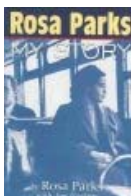
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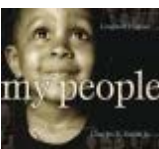
Who Was Martin Luther King, Jr., by Bonnie Bader & Illustrated by Elizabeth Wolf.
A super-smart boy who skipped two grades
A man who believed in peaceful protest
A great leader of the civil rights movement
All of the above!



The Slave Ship A Human Story by Marcus Rediker—In this intimate human history of an in-human institution, the author shines a light into the darkest corners of the British and American slave ships of the eighteenth century. *The Slave Ship* is a tale of suffering and tragedy, but also an epic of rebellion and survival, one that includes the dramatic maritime birth of African American Culture.



Rosa Parks : My Story by Rosa Parks with Jim Haskins—On December 1, 1958, Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat to a white man on a segregated bus, sparking the Montgomery, Alabama bus boycott. A year later, when the boycott finally ended, segregated buses were ruled unconstitutional, the civil right movement was a national cause, and Rosa Parks was out of a job. In the straight forward story she tells of here role in the struggle for equality.



My People by Langston Hughes with photographs by Charles R. Smith, Jr.— Langston Hughes's spare yet eloquent tribute to his people has been cherished for generations. Now, acclaimed photographer Charles R. Smith, Jr. interprets this beloved poem in vivid sepia photographs that capture the glory, the beauty, and the soul of being a black American today.



A Man for All Seasons : The Life of George Washington Carver by Stephen Krensky, illustrated by Wil Clay— How does a small seed become a big pumpkin? Why do some plants need more sun than others? These are the questions that George Washington Carver asked while spending time in his favorite place—a garden. During his tenure at Tuskegee and beyond Mr. Carver made significant contributions to the study of agriculture, and particularly the innovative uses of the peanut.

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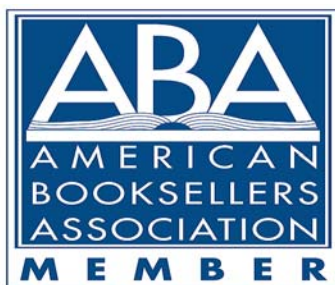
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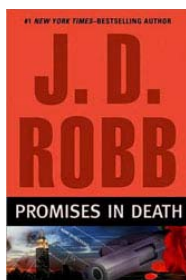
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Love is in the Air—So... don't forget Valentine's Day!!!



On Sale
February 24th



Books, Books
and more
Books—what a
wonderful
thing.



Promises in Death

By Nora Roberts writing as J.D. Robb

If you have never read J. D. Robb's futuristic (somewhere about 2056) "in Death" series, it's time that you meet Eve Dallas, a NYC Police Detective and her ever so handsome and ever so wealthy husband, Roarke.

If you have met Dallas and Roarke, then you will be happy to know that that they are returning on February 24, 2009.

In *Promised in Death*, Lt. Dallas' job goes from professional to personal when another cop, who happens to be the Chief Medical Examiner's and also Eve's friend's girlfriend, is killed with her own weapon. A connection between this case and Eve's own painful, shadowy past will need to be uncovered one layer at a time... She is going to break this case, whatever it takes.

And...don't forget the kid's on Valentine's—they love it too. We have a wide selection of children's Valentine's books like *The Berenstain Bears' Valentine Party* by Jan & Mike Beren-



Kid's Corner—

Come see what's new in the kid's corner!!! We are looking for readers who would like to write a review of a children's book or a young adult book for this section of our Newsletter. In the meantime, stop in to visit us and take a look at "Sixth Inning" by James Preller. Mr. Preller is a local author who is the creator of the "Tigsaw Jones" series along with several other books.