

# YOU



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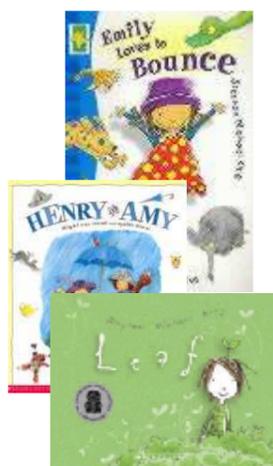


Sydney-born Stephen Michael King can remember drawing all of his life. Growing up in suburban Sydney in an environment where his imagination and creativity were nurtured, he wrote stories, dreamed of illustrating a book and of one day working with Walt Disney Studios.

When he was nine, Stephen went partially deaf but his hearing loss was unnoticed for a number of years. During this time he began to immerse himself in art where he could communicate without words. Due to his deafness he found school a traumatic experience which failed to prepare him for the future. However, he was eventually employed as a children's library assistant and this job made use of his natural affinity with children and helped pave the way to future opportunities. In 1990 he was employed by the Walt Disney Studios in Surry Hills and he has subsequently worked as a book designer and illustrator for Scholastic Australia.

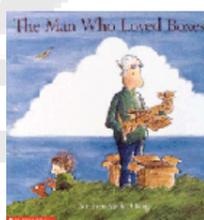
Watercolours, black ink, oil painting and sculpture are Stephen's favourite media. His work and relaxation revolve around drawing and he has now produced a number of successful books. His first picture book, *The Man Who Loved Boxes*, won the Family Therapy Association Award and was shortlisted for the Crichton Award in 1996. Some of Stephen's most recent books are *The Pocket Dogs* and *Pocket Dogs Go on Holiday* (with Margaret Wild), *Emily Loves to Bounce*, *Millie, Jack and the Dancing Cat* and *Mutt Dog! and Never Ever Before*. *Applesauce and the Christmas Miracle* (text Glenda Millard) and *Leaf* were both shortlisted for the 2009 CBCA Early Childhood Book of the Year Award.

## Picture books written and Illustrated by Stephen Michael King

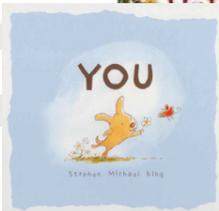
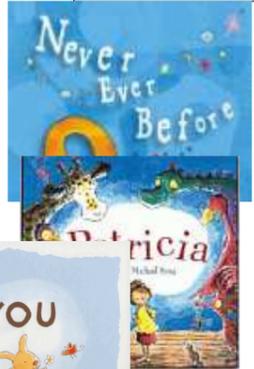
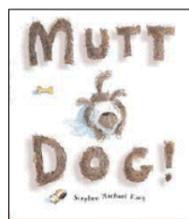


Emily Loves to Bounce  
Henry and Amy  
Leaf

Man Who Loved Boxes, The  
Millie, Jack and the Dancing Cat



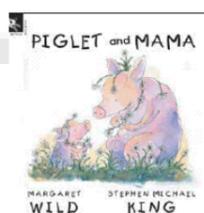
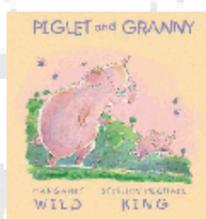
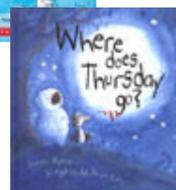
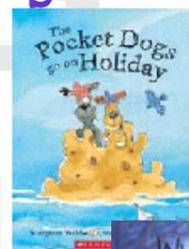
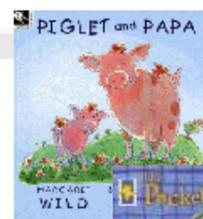
Mutt Dog  
Never Ever Before  
Patricia  
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## Picture books illustrated by Stephen Michael King



Amelia Ellicot's Garden (Lillian Stafford)  
Applesauce and the Christmas Miracle (Glenda Millard)  
One Blue Sock (Emily Ballou)  
Piglet and Granny (Margaret Wild)  
Piglet and Mama (Margaret Wild)



Piglet and Papa (Margaret Wild)  
Pocket Dogs Go On Holiday (Margaret Wild)  
Pocket Dogs, The (Margaret Wild)  
Where Does Thursday Go? (Janeen Brian)



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