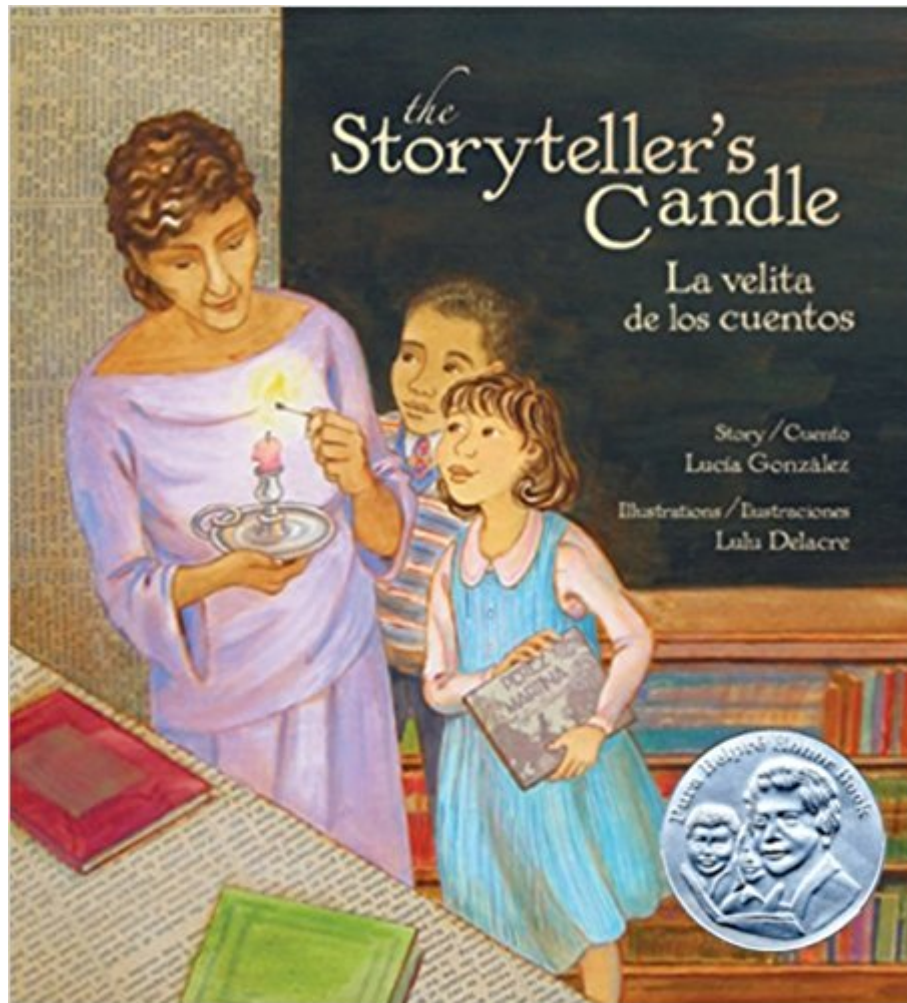


The book was found

The Storyteller's Candle / La Velita De Los Cuentos



Synopsis

The winter of 1929 feels especially cold to cousins Hildamar and Santiago they arrived in New York City from sunny Puerto Rico only months before. Their island home feels very far away indeed, especially with Three Kings Day rapidly approaching. But then a magical thing happened. A visitor appears in their class, a gifted storyteller and librarian by the name of Pura Belpre. She opens the children's eyes to the public library and its potential to be the living, breathing heart of the community. The library, after all, belongs to everyone whether you speak Spanish, English, or both. The award-winning team of Lucia Gonzalez and Lulu Delacre have crafted an homage to Pura Belpre, New York City's first Latina librarian. Through her vision and dedication, the warmth of Puerto Rico came to the island of Manhattan in a most unexpected way."

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 730 (What's this?)

Paperback: 32 pages

Publisher: Lee & Low Books Inc; Bilingual edition (June 1, 2012)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0892392371

ISBN-13: 978-0892392377

Product Dimensions: 0.2 x 9.5 x 11 inches

Shipping Weight: 5.6 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars [See all reviews](#) (3 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #391,565 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #343 in [Books > Children's Books > Geography & Cultures > Multicultural Stories > Hispanic & Latino](#) #484 in [Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Historical Fiction > United States > 1900s](#) #654 in [Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Fiction](#)

Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 3

Customer Reviews

I really loved this story about a Puerto Rican girl who moves to New York and discovers the library via New York City's first Puerto Rican librarian. Very sweet story and perfect for Christmastime to also include the Reyes Magos. We read it at the library, but it's on our wish list for our little one.

Wonderful bilingual (Spanish/English) book to read to children.

great book!

[Download to continue reading...](#)

The Storyteller's Candle / La Velita De Los Cuentos Cuentos para todo el ano (AUDIO)(3CDs)(Serie Cuentos para todo el ano) (Cuentos Para Todo el Ano / Stories The Year Round) (Spanish Edition) How to Make a Great Soy Jar Candle: Revealing My Favorite Candle Suppliers Jim Henson's Storyteller: Dragons (Jim Henson's the Storyteller) Jim Henson's Storyteller: Witches (Jim Henson's the Storyteller) Cuentos que contaban nuestras abuelas (Tales Our Abuelitas Told): Cuentos populares Hisp nicos (Spanish Edition) Los a  os perdidos de la vida de Jes s: Desde su nacimiento a los veintis is a  os de edad: (Seg n Los escritos de Urantia) (Spanish Edition) El gran libro de los procesos esbeltos; Los principios actuales de LEAN MANUFACTURING aplicados sin igual.: Aqu  encontrar s los principios ... y oficinas de manera  nica. (Spanish Edition) Los fosiles nos hablan del pasado / Fossils tell of long ago (Los Libros De Ciencia Para Leer Y Descubrir / Let's-Read-and-Find-Out Science Stage 2) (Spanish Edition) Thomas Guide: Los Angeles & Orange Counties (Thomas Guide Streetguide Los Angeles and Orange County) Los 7 h bitos de los adolescentes altamente efectivos (Spanish Edition) La disciplina hasta los tres a  os: C mo pueden los padres adolescentes prevenir y enfrentar problemas disciplinarios (Teen Pregnancy and Parenting series) (Spanish Edition) Los Habititos de Exito: Pacientes De Cirugia De Los Para La Perdida De Peso (Spanish Edition) Los innovadores: Los genios que inventaron el futuro [The Innovators: The Geniuses Who Invented the Future] Padre Rico, Padre Pobre [Rich Dad, Poor Dad]: Qu  les ense an los ricos a sus hijos acerca del dinero.  que los pobres y la clase media no! Chistes verdes, cortos y pene...trantes: Los mejores chistes verdes de una sola frase para practicar sexo oral en casa, en la oficina y en los viajes Los Cazadores Invisibles: Una Leyenda de Los Indios Miskitos de Nicaragua / The Invisible Hunters (Stories from Central America =>) Candle in the Darkness Look and Find Activity-Book #2 (Look and Find (Candle Books)) Light the Candle! Bang the Drum!: A Book of Holidays from Around the World

[Dmca](#)