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Great Reads About Great Places

Alabama ......................................................... The Well and the Mine by Gin Phillips
Alaska ......................................................... Selkirk’s Sam and the Very Large Clam by Susan Woodward Springer
Arizona ..................................................... Hip Hip, Hooray, It’s Monsoon Day! by Asia, ya llega el chubasco!
Arkansas ..................................................... Water Steps by A. LaFaye
California ............................................... Steinbeck’s Ghost by Lewis Buzzee
Colorado ................................................... Down, Down, Down by Steve Jenkins
Connecticut .............................................. For the Duration by Tomie dePaola
Delaware ................................................. The Sweet Life of Stella Madison by Lara M. Zeses
Florida ...................................................... Tangerine by Edward Bloor
Georgia ..................................................... 14 Cows for America by Carmen Agra Deedy
Hawaii ...................................................... A President from Hawaii by Dr. Carolan
Idaho ......................................................... Mudger & Millie by Susan Nipp
Illinois ...................................................... Our Abe Lincoln by Jim Aylesworth
Indiana ...................................................... Diamond Willow by Helen Frost
Iowa ......................................................... The Rogue Walk by Carrie Brown
Kansas .................................................... Amelia Earhart: The Legend of the Lost Aviator by Shelley Tanaka
Kentucky ................................................ A Family for Old Mill Farm by Shutta Crum
Louisiana ............................................... Two Bobbies: A True Story of Hurricane Katrina, Friendship, and Survival by Kirby Larson & Mary Nethery
Maine ...................................................... The Dump Truck Treasures by Lynn Fouse
Maryland ................................................ Grandaddy’s Street Songs by Monalisia DeGross
Massachusetts ....................................... One Hen by Kate Smith Milway
Michigan ................................................ Pocketful of Passage by Loraine Campbell
Minnesota .............................................. Night Driving by John Coy
Mississippi .............................................. The Secret Life of Walter Anderson by Hester Bass
Missouri ............................................... The Feedback Drum by Carolyn Mullford
Montana .................................................. Bug Feats of Montana by Deborah Richelle Oberbillig
Nebraska ................................................ Room One: A Mystery or Two by Andrew Clements
New Hampshire ..................................... The Orange Slipknot by Ian Young
New Jersey .......................................... To My Countrywomen: The Life of Sarah Josepha Hale by Muriel L. Dubois
New Mexico .............................................. Joan the Bear and the Water of Life by Enrique Llamadrid & Juan Estevan Arellano
New York ................................................ River of Dreams: The Story of the Hudson River by Hudson Talbott
North Carolina ...................................... Blackhead: The Pirate King by J. Patrick Lewis
North Dakota ......................................... Gift Horse by S. D. Nelson
Ohio ....................................................... The Goosebump Series by R. L. Stine
Ohio ....................................................... It’s So for Sooner by Kandy Radzinski
Oregon ................................................... Apples to Oregon by Deborah Hopkinson
Pennsylvania ....................................... Jim Thorpe: Original All-American by Joseph Bruchac
Rhode Island .......................................... Lemonade Mouth by Mark Peter Hughes
South Carolina ....................................... Carolina Clay: The Life and Legend of the Slave Potter, Dave by Leonard Todd
South Dakota ........................................ The Jumping Off Place by Marian Hurd McNeely
Tennessee .............................................. Autumn Winfred Oliver Does Things Different by Kristin O’Donnell Tubb
Texas ...................................................... The Evolution of Calpurnia Tate by Jacqueline Kelly
US Territories ...................................... Juan Bobo: Four Folktales from Puerto Rico by Carmen T Bernier-Grand
Utah ..................................................... Book of a Thousand Days by Shannon Hale
Vermont .................................................. Echo to the Rescue: Saving a Steamboat and the Story of Shelburne Museum by Valerie Baebeu
Virginia ................................................... Students on Strike by John A. Stokes
Washington .......................................... American Scenes, American Struggles by Nancy Shroyer Howard
Washington, D.C. ................................ Our White House: Looking In, Looking Out by Various Authors/National Children’s Book & Literacy Alliance
West Virginia ....................................... Golden Delicious: A Cinderella Apple Story by Anna Eagan Smucker
Wisconsin ............................................. Old Bear by Kevin Henkes
Wyoming .............................................. Friday My Radio Flyer by Zachary Pullen

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