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○ La Abuelita Fina y sus Sombrillas Maravillosas/ Grandma Fina and Her Wonderful Umbrellas by Benjamin Alire Saenz, illustrated by Geronimo Garcia, Cinco Puntos Press, 1999.


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- Sonia Sotomayor: A Judge Grows in the Bronx / La juez que creció en el Bronx by Jonah Winter.

- My Name Is Gabito: The Life of Gabriel García Márquez/Me llamo Gabito: La Vida de Gabriel García Márquez by Monica Brown

- Side by Side: The Story of Dolores Huerta and Cesar Chavez/Lado a Lado: La Historia de Dolores Huerta y Cesar Chavez by Monica Brown

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● **Call Me Maria** by Judith Ortiz Cofer

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● **Cuba 15** by Nancy Osa

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● **Canícula: Snapshots of a Girlhood en la Frontera.** By Norma E. Cantu.

● **Cien Años de Soledad** by Gabriel/One Hundred Years of Solitude by Gabriel García Márquez. Translated by Gregory Rabassa. Harper Perennial, 1998.


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● **El Loro en el Horno: Mi Vida/Parrot in the Oven:** My Life by Víctor Martínez. Noguer y Caralt, 1996. Harper Trophy.

● **Esperanza Rising** by Pam Muñoz Ryan. Scholastic, 2000.


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Y No se lo Tragó la Tierra /And the Earth Did Not Devour Him by Tomás Rivera. Translated by Evangelina Vigil-Peron. Arte Público Press, 1995.

El Bronx Remembered by Nicholasa Mohr

In the Time of the Butterflies by Julia Alvarez

How the Garcia Girls Lost Their Accent by Julia Alvarez

A Wedding in Haiti by Julia Alvarez

Before We Were Free by Julia Alvarez

Return to Sender by Julia Alvarez

The Woman I Kept to Myself by Julia Alvarez

The Revolution of Evelyn Serrano by Sonia Manzano

Across a Hundred Mountains: A Novel by Reyna Grande

Dancing with Butterflies: A Novel by Reyna Grande

The Distance Between Us by Reyna Grande

Efrain’s Secret by Sofia Quintero

Secret Saturdays by Torrey Maldonado

Mexican WhiteBoy by Matt de la Peña

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