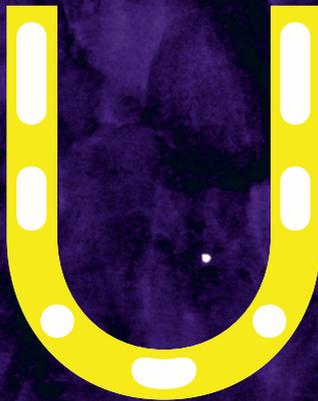


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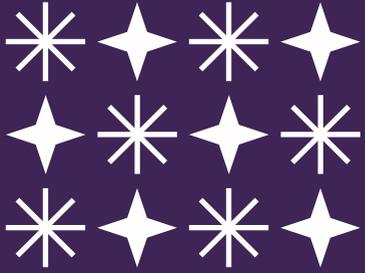


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Michal Štěpánek



Over the Evening Night

Michal Štěpánek
Nikola Logosová

board book
2020
360×250 mm
ISBN 978-80-906919-2-6
age 3+

The night in a children's bedroom doesn't have to be unfriendly and scary. You don't need to hide your feet under the blanket. Our book allows children to see the world through the eyes of Small Night, who has her own troubles, faces ridicule, but in the end finds her lost confidence and happiness. A number of illustrations in the book, including many hidden ones, will glow in the dark after illumination. Thus an extraordinary experience for both the children and the parents is guaranteed while reading this story at bedtime.



- * The Most Beautiful Czech Book of the Year 2020, 3rd place
- * Golden Ribbon (Zlatá stuha) – Artistic Achievement of the Year, nomination
- * Best Books for Children (Nejlepší knihy dětem) catalogue 2020/2021



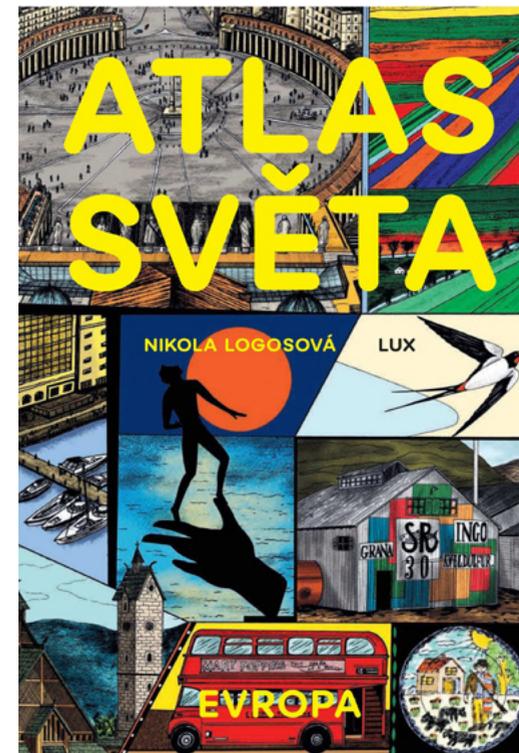
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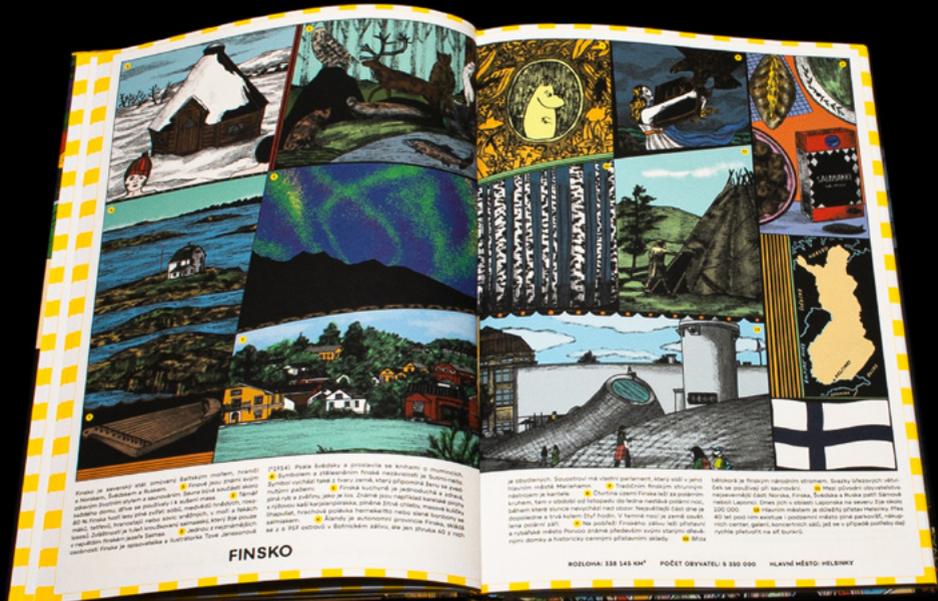
Nikola Logosová

hardcover, 108 pages
2023
230×340 mm
ISBN 978-80-906919-9-5
age 7+

The whole of Europe in just one book? Not possible? Sure it is. Nikola Logosová has created a breathtaking gallery of all the European countries, their beautiful nature, sights, cuisine, fauna, and flora. Do you know what the origin of the tie is? Who will offer you a sweet soup? Where you can see pyr-

amids of the sun? And which country is a postage stamp superpower? You will find all that (and much more) on the one hundred pages of this book. Be careful, however, it brings about a desire to travel!





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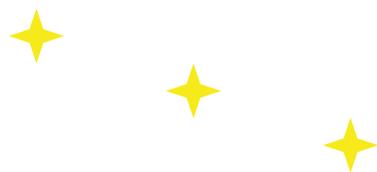
Friends – Tales from the Woods

Michal Štěpánek
Dorota Šebková

hardcover, 64 pages
2021
230×210 mm
ISBN 978-80-906919-5-7
age 5-9

Where shall we go? To the woods!
There you can have a lot of fun with two friends, Bear and Hedgehog, and learn what you didn't know. The deep-thinking Bear would like to read every book in the world and then ponder the meaning of life for a long time. The adventurous Hedgehog, however, would like to visit every nook and cranny of the forest, every spiderweb exposition, and every forest concert.

Who wants to unwrap and eat their friends? Who will save Blackbird's life? Where do bogeymen live?



And what paintings can you see in the morning, but not in the afternoon? You will learn all that and much more in the tales from the woods written in the blackbird script, which we have translated into human words for you.

The Beginning and the End

Michal Štěpánek
Marto Kelbl

hardcover, 108 pages
2023
185×226 mm
ISBN 978-80-906919-8-8
age 2-6, the whole family

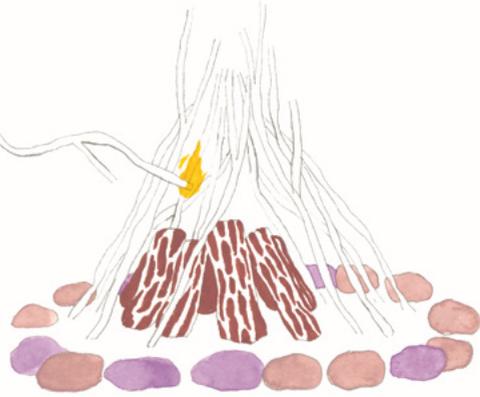
Using playful tasks, this book will give you advice on how to create the Universe, the winter landscape, and much more. The main character is you! In the story of this book, you will be a small child, practice counting, fine motor

skills, memory, and imagination. You will also have a lot of fun and discover that some things in nature have their beginning and their end.





Will you help start the fire? Take a deep breath and blow slowly into the small fire to make it burn! Be careful!



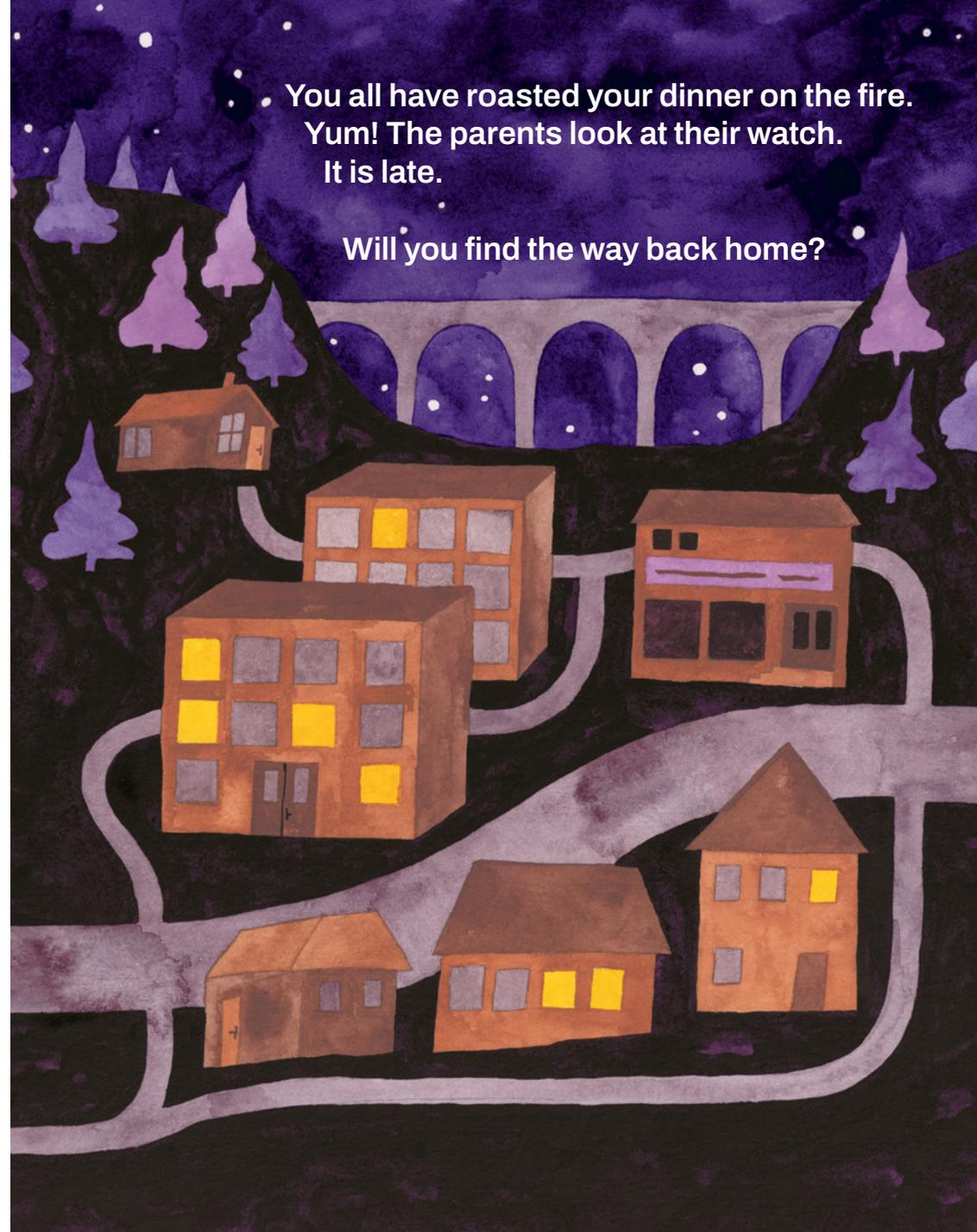
Good job! The fire is burning and giving off nice heat.

Grandpa's dog's eyes are sad. Will you stroke him?



You all have roasted your dinner on the fire.
Yum! The parents look at their watch.
It is late.

Will you find the way back home?



The Book of Perception

Lucie Lučanská

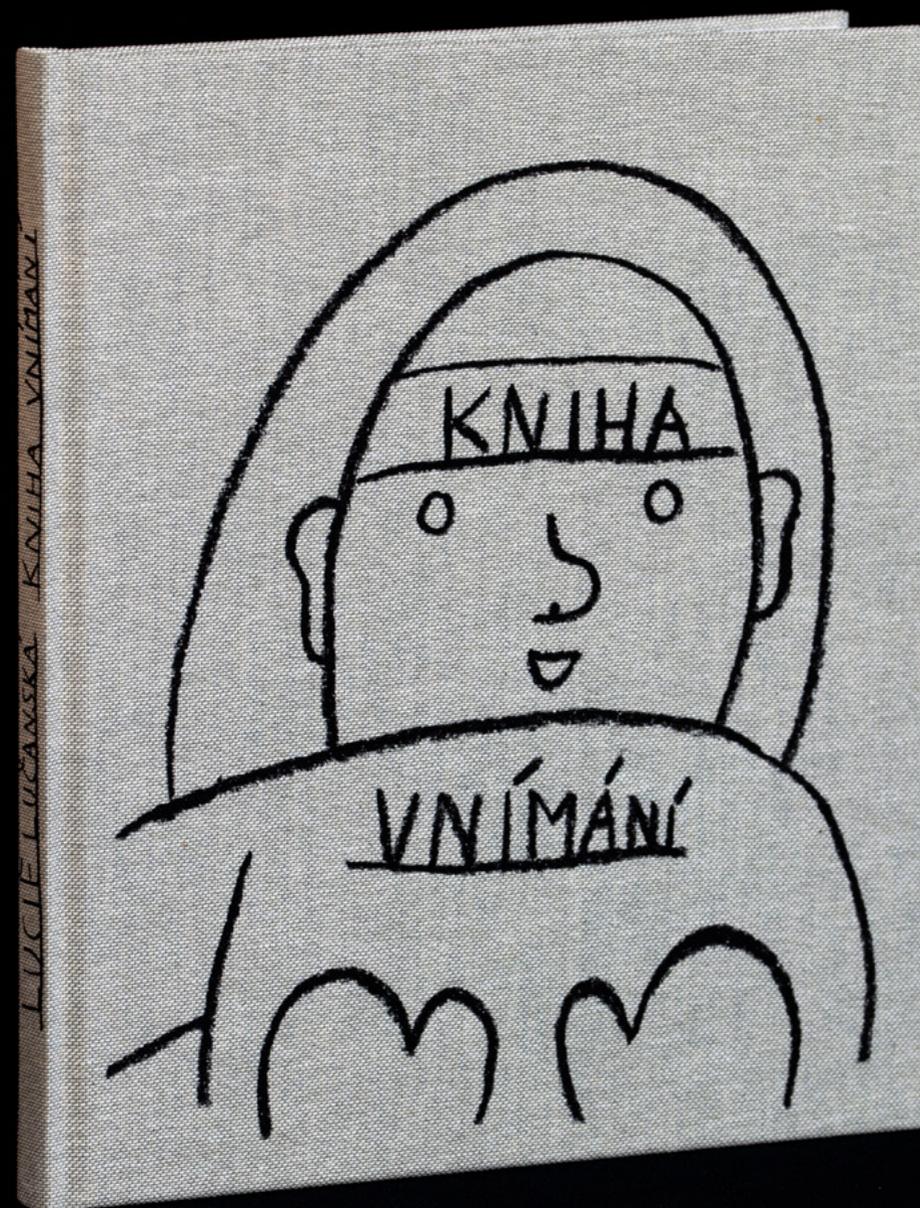
hardcover, 80 pages
2022
235×200 mm
ISBN 978-80-906919-6-4
age 5+

You are going for a walk in the forest. What is so special about that, you ask? The Book of Perception will show you how wonderful perceptions we get through our senses. So, we will enjoy the walk five times, each time in a very different way.

Each sense becomes the narrator and teacher in its chapter, and each chapter has been created using a different art technique. Upon touch, the book releases a nice scent of the forest.



- * The Most Beautiful Czech Book of the Year 2022, 1st place
- * BIB 23 Plaque
- * Golden Ribbon (Zlatá stuha) - Artistic Achievement of the Year, nomination
- * Best Books for Children (Nejlepší knihy dětem) catalogue 2022/2023
- * Best Book Design from all over the World 2024 Honorary Appreciation



Coming in Autumn 2024

Red Ball

Michal Štěpánek

Filip Pošivač

board book, 20 stran
230×230 mm
age 2+, the whole family

One day, a little boy forgets his red ball on the children's playground. Where is it? Where could it go? Who will help him look for it? The book carries a message that without the help of others, we will not find what we are looking for, not even a little red ball.

A Little Book about a Big Plop

Michal Štěpánek

Kateřina Illnerová

The rock you'll pick up in your hand after reading this book will never be an ordinary rock again. And wait for the plop you'll make with it!

hardcover, 96 pages
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