



**Sam: The Cat Without A Tail by Gloria Lintermans**

Recipient of the Children's Literary Classic Seal of Approval.

Sam: The Cat Without A Tail follows the trials of Sam, a young Manx cat with a soft, white puff of a tail.

As he discovers that he is indeed different from everyone around him, he learns and helps to teach the importance and beauty of diversity and self-worth.



**5 Stars: Touched My Heart!**

Reading Age: 3-7 Years.

Grade Level: Kindergarten-2.

Sam: The Cat Without A Tail by Gloria Lintermans touched my heart. As a mother and grand-mother I think all parents and grand-parents should take the message in this book to heart and share this delightful, well written story with children of all ages.

Sam the cat, is a Manx kitten, which means he has a soft, white, cotton puff for a tail. It isn't long before he becomes self-conscious that his tail is different from the tails of the cats coming into his yard.

Thinking that he is not welcome to curl up under the tree with his new friends, Sam retreats into isolation.

One day Sam finds out how smart, special and talented he really is and his despair turns to self-acceptance and the ability to join in on the activities around him.

The illustrations by Kristina Tosicare are remarkable. The truth within the story needs to be shared with all children. Any and all attempts to boost the self-esteem of children around us, is our adult responsibility.

Author Gloria Lintermans gives some much-needed advice for parents and grand-parents at the end of this book. I encourage you to pick this book up in print or e-book and share it with the children around you. It is a story for all times.

Please purchase Sam: The Cat Without A Tail and share its message with your grand-children. I hope Author Gloria Lintermans writes more books to help children and educate the adults around them.

Editorial Review (Book Marketing Global Network.

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Illustrations by Kristina Tosicare

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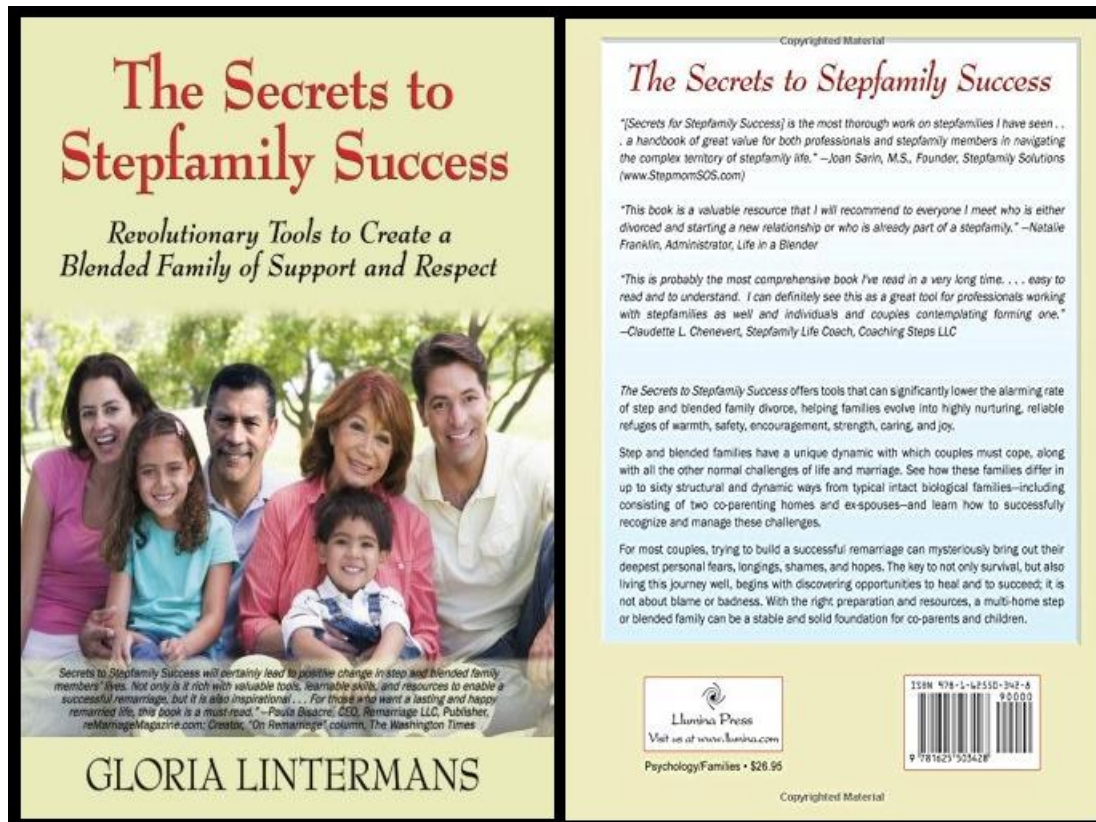
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**Kindle:**

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### The Secrets to Stepfamily Success by Gloria Lintermans

Revolutionary Tools to Create A Blended Family Of Support and Success.

"[Secrets for Stepfamily Success] is the most thorough work on stepfamilies I have seen... a handbook of great value for both professionals and stepfamily members in navigating the complex territory of stepfamily life." -Joan Sarin, M.S., Founder, Stepfamily Solutions ([StepmomSOS.com](http://StepmomSOS.com))

"This book is a valuable resource that I will recommend to everyone I meet who is either divorced and starting a new relationship or who is already part of a stepfamily." -Natalie Franklin, Administrator, Life in a Blender.

"This is probably the most comprehensive book I've read in a very long time.... easy to read and to understand. I can definitely see this as a great tool for professionals working with stepfamilies as well and individuals and couples contemplating forming one." -Claudette L. Chenevert, Stepfamily Life Coach, Coaching Steps, LLC

The secrets to Stepfamily Success offer tools that can significantly lower the alarming rate of step and blended family divorce, helping families evolve into highly nurturing, reliable refuges of warmth, safety, encouragement, strength, caring, and joy.

Step and blended families have a unique dynamic with which couples must cope, along with all the other normal challenges of life and marriage. See how these families differ in up to sixty structural and dynamic

ways from typical intact biological families-including consisting of two co-parenting homes and ex-spouses-and learn how to successfully recognize and manage these challenges. For most couples, trying to build a successful remarriage can mysteriously bring out their deepest personal fears, longings, shames, and hopes.

The key to not only survival, but also living this journey well, begins with discovering opportunities to heal and to succeed; it is not about blame or badness. With the right preparation and resources, a multi-home step or blended family can be a stable and solid foundation for co-parents and children.

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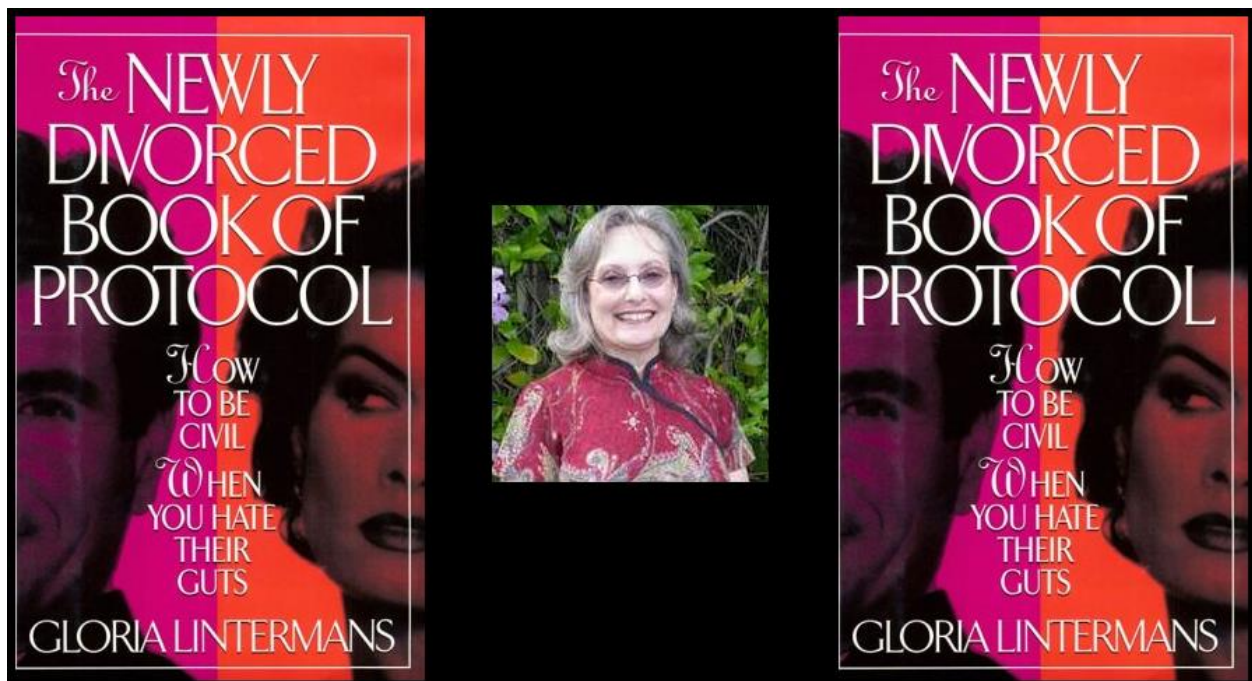
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**Kindle:**

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**The Newly Divorced Book Of Protocol by Gloria Lintermans**

How To Be Civil When You Hate Their Guts.



This book is an intimate look at divorce. It reveals what divorce tells us about ourselves, as well as delineating the important ins and outs of the legal process.

The Newly Divorced Book of Protocol avoids the psychobabble which often leaves us feeling confused and unsure. It is honed with a touch of humor to remind us that, in time, the sun will shine again.

In short, this book is an encyclopedia of practical, no-nonsense advice for successfully dealing with divorce problems.

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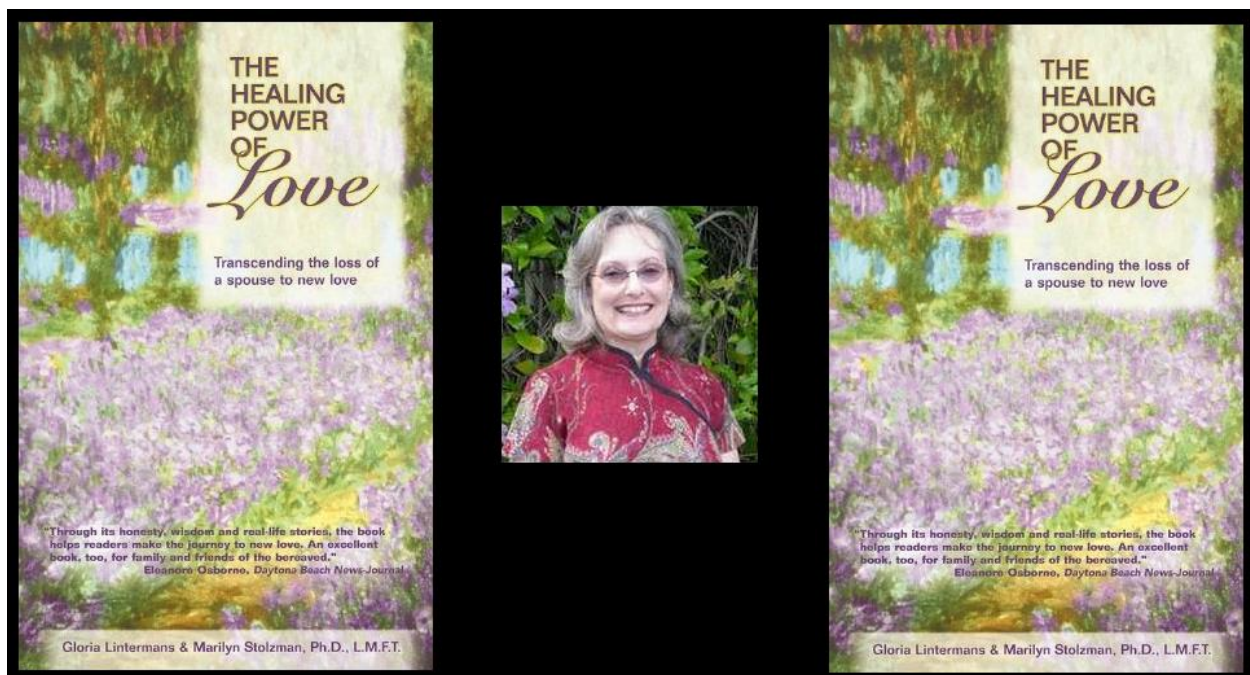
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Self-Help (Divorce)

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**The Healing Power Of Love by Gloria Lintermans and Marilyn Stolzman**

Transcending The Loss Of A Spouse To New Love.

The Healing Power of Love: Transcending the Loss of a Spouse to New Love is a collection of twelve beautifully and honestly told, uplifting and inspirational stories of new, loving relationships following the loss of a spouse or partner. Authors Lintermans and Stolzman recognize the life-affirming, vitally important, next step following mourning the loss of a spouse or partner. The often disquieting yet exhilaratingly overlap of grieving and finding new love can only unfold through a commitment to healthy grieving and the willingness to move forward.

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Self-Help: Grief and Bereavement

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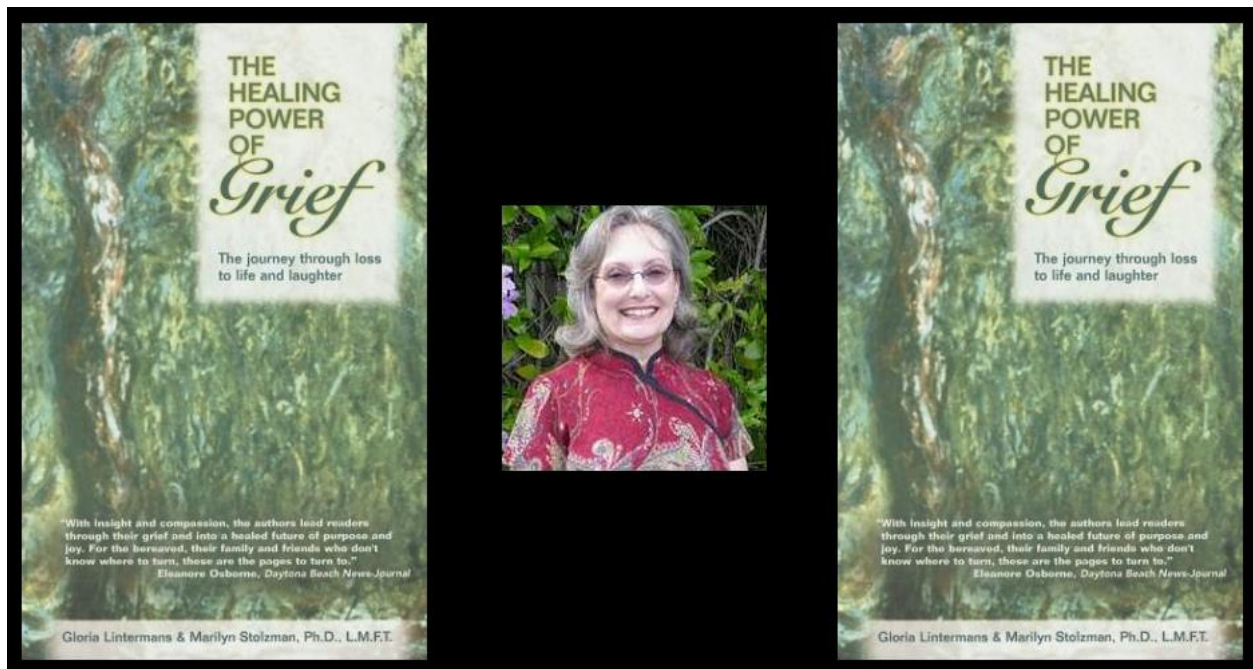
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**The Healing Power Of Grief by Gloria Lintermans and Marilyn Stolzman Ph.D.**

The Journey Through Loss To Life and Laughter.

“With insight and compassion, the authors lead readers through their grief and into a healed future of purpose and joy. For the bereaved, their family and friends who don’t know where to turn, these are the pages to turn to.” By Eleanore Osborne, Daytona Beach News-Journal

A comforting, yet practical manual on grieving that combines the empathy of real-life storytelling with the candid advice of a renowned bereavement counselor.

The Healing Power of Grief is Gloria Linterman's exploration of the first two years following the death of her precious husband Rick, her real-life stories of mourning and healing offer up a book full of empathy, compassion, and community for any reader who might be going through a similar journey. It also features psychotherapist and bereavement counselor Dr. Marilyn Stolzman's "five-stage" sequence for healing:

- Shock
- Denial
- Anger
- Depression
- Adjustment

Included within the book is a 100+ page workbook, The Power of Thought, which guides readers through the time sequences of grief and healing. In The Healing Power of Grief, Gloria's honest story combines with Dr. Stolzman's practical vision to help readers find their way from loss and make life more bearable at last.

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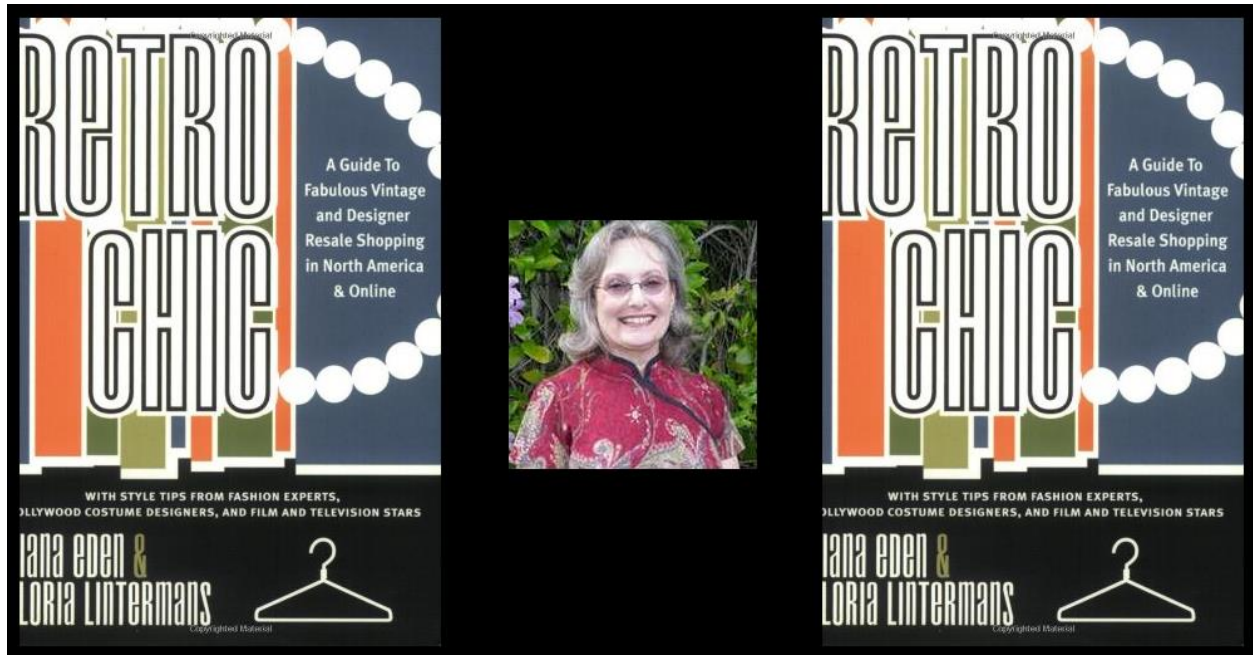
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### **Retro Chic by Diana Eden and Gloria Lintermans**

A Guide To Fabulous Vintage and Designer Resale Shopping In North America.

The only comprehensive guide to shopping for vintage and designer resale, including:

- \* specific stores in all the major U.S. & Canadian cities
- \* favorite haunts of celebs and stylists
- \* Internet thrift shopping
- \* vintage expos across the continent

Whether you're on a budget or ready to splurge on mint-condition Givenchy, this is your roadmap to the timeless cool of vintage HCing.

#### **Product Details:**

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Publisher: Really Great Books (October 1, 2002)

Language: English

Reference Guide: (Antique, Collectible Textiles, Costumes, and Fashion Designers)

Self-Help

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**About The Author:** Gloria Lintermans is an author and freelance writer. A former syndicated fashion columnist, her popular column, "Looking Great," appeared in English and Spanish language newspapers across the U.S. from Hawaii to New York, and worldwide from Saudi Arabia to South America.

Lintermans is the author of *THE SECRETS TO STEPFAMILY SUCCESS: Revolutionary Tools to Create a Blended Family of Support and Respect*, *THE HEALING POWER OF GRIEF: The Journey Through Loss to Love and Laughter*, *THE HEALING POWER OF LOVE: Transcending the Loss of a Spouse to New Love*, *THE CHEAP CHIC: A Guide to LA's Resale Boutiques*, the "ultimate guide to recycled fashion", forerunner of *RETRO CHIC: A Guide to Fabulous Vintage and Designer Resale Shopping in North America & Online* and *The Newly Divorced Book of Protocol*. A fashion editor and freelance writer, she has authored numerous articles on fashion and beauty, along with a wide range of timely topics for national and local magazines.

Lintermans has appeared on national and local radio and television talk shows across the country and enjoys a reputation as an articulate, warm, and knowledgeable guest. She has hosted her own "Looking Great with Gloria Lintermans" cable television and radio shows and is a popular lecturer and commentator.

Lintermans is a member of The Authors Guild, Inc., and S.A.G.- A.F.T.R.A. (Screen Actors Guild American Federation of Television & Radio Artists).

She believes that there is a great need for children to understand that it is our differences that make each of us special and this world a peaceful world in which to live.

Sam: The Cat Without a Tail is a children's picture book. Sam, the central character, is a Manx cat, and so, sports a soft puff of white fur instead of a tail. This is Sam's story, his discovery that he is, indeed, different than most cats, his heartbreak over this discovery, and finally, how he resolves these feelings.

More than ever, we need if not an understanding, then certainly a tolerance for diversity. Parents reading this story with their children can use this as a springboard to talk about how people come in all shapes, sizes and colors, yet each is wonderful and "right" in their own way.

**Review For SAM: THE CAT WITHOUT A TAIL-Midwest Book Review/July 2018.** "Sam: The Cat Without A Tail follows the trials of Sam, a young Manx cat with a soft, white puff of a tail. As he discovers that he is indeed different from everyone around him, he learns and helps to teach the importance and beauty of diversity and self-worth. An original, entertaining, and thoroughly 'kid friendly' picture book specifically written for children ages 3 to 7 by Gloria Lintermans, and charmingly illustrated by Kristina Tomic, "Sam: The Cat Without A Tail" is particularly and especially recommended for family, daycare center, preschool,

elementary school, and community library collections. It should be noted for personal reading lists that "Sam: The Cat Without A Tail" is also available in a digital book format (Kindle, \$9.99)." Reviewer: James A. Cox, Editor-In-Chief. [http://www.midwestbookreview.com/cbw/jul\\_18.htm#Pets/Wildlife](http://www.midwestbookreview.com/cbw/jul_18.htm#Pets/Wildlife)

**Congratulations on earning an Academics' Choice Award!** It gives us great pleasure to inform you that your product has been selected as a winner of the Summer 2017 Academics' Choice Smart Book Award. "I liked that the book communicated a message in a playful and interesting way. I tested the book with a 2- and 6-year-old. The 2-year-old was interested in the book based on the content and the illustrations from the front cover. She is an active child, so her interest wavered quickly. However, she did return to check in with the progress of the book as we read. The 6-year-old was also very interested in the topic of the story and said that she enjoyed the book. She really liked the main character, Sam the cat. This book would be a wonderful addition to my story time in my preschool special education classroom. The concept of similarities and differences and what makes us special is an important area of discovery and learning for a preschool aged student."

**Review By Marsh Engle, Multi-Published Author, Women's Success Speaker, Originator of AMAZING WOMAN'S DAY.** "Gloria Lintermans SAM: The Cat Without a Tail is the perfect blend of storytelling fun and teaching tool. The brilliant writing and colorful illustrations inspire higher self-worth encouraging young children to celebrate their individuality and achieve the independence to truly thrive. Reading is so important to a growing mind. "What better way to inspire the special qualities and traits our children possess."

**Reviewed By Jack Magnus for Readers' Favorite. Rating: 5 Stars:** "Sam: The Cat Without a Tail is a children's picture book written by Gloria Lintermans and illustrated by Kristina Tasic. Alex was thrilled when his mom came home one day with a kitten for him. He fell in love with the little face that peeked out at him from the cardboard box that the kitten had come home in. Alex named his kitten Sam and showed him to his big brother, Richard. Richard laughed at Sam's fuzzy little tail, which was more of a stub than what Richard considered a real tail. Sam knew that Alex liked him, even if Richard laughed and called him Stubby. But it was when Sam began to get to know the other cats in the neighborhood that he realized that his tail was different from theirs -- and that he was different as well. He began to hide in the house more and tried to avoid being seen by other cats. When he hid in the pantry, the door closed on him, and he was locked in the dark until Alex came looking for him. Sam got more and more unhappy and scared until Aunt Marsha came to visit. Then things suddenly turned out just fine. Lintermans includes an appendix on the Manx cat as well as Information for Parents and Caregivers on the development of self-worth in children.

"Gloria Lintermans' children's picture book, Sam: The Cat Without a Tail, is a story that will resonate with any child who feels different from or not as good, fast or smart as his/her peers or siblings. As Sam finds, having things in common with others makes it a lot easier to become one of the groups and to feel the self-worth needed to interact in a positive way with others. Lintermans's little kitten is indeed special with skills of his own that save the day, as, indeed, each child is unique and special. The author's message is so inspirational because it challenges kids to find out what makes them special, and it alerts parents, caregivers and teachers to watch for signs that indicate that a child is unhappy or feeling different. She also does a great job of introducing Manx cats to her audience, a special and rare breed most recognizable by their stubby or non-existent tails. Kristina Tasic's illustrations are marvelous! They're brightly colored and work perfectly with the storyline, especially her inspired cat drawings. Sam: The Cat Without a Tail is most highly recommended."

**Amazon Author's Page:**

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