Historical Fiction

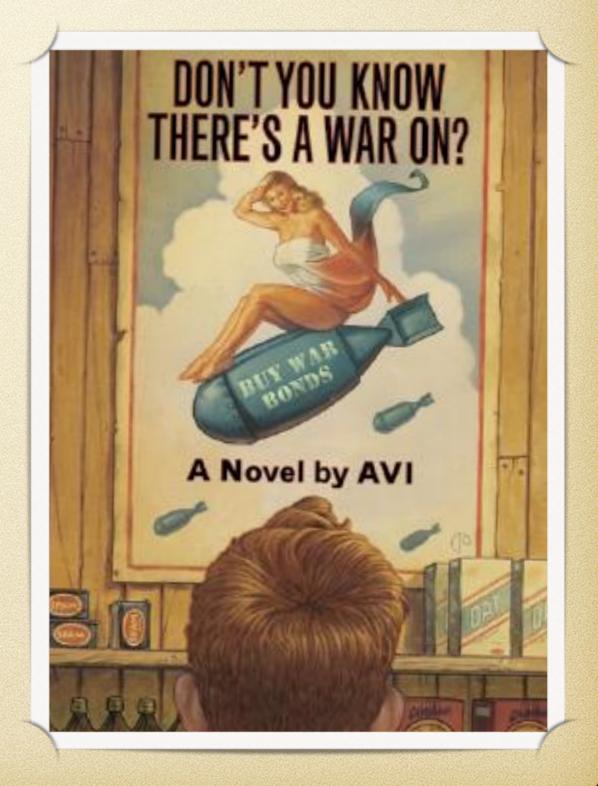
The genre of historical fiction in the field of children's literature includes stories that are written to portray a time period or convey information about a specific time period or an historical event.



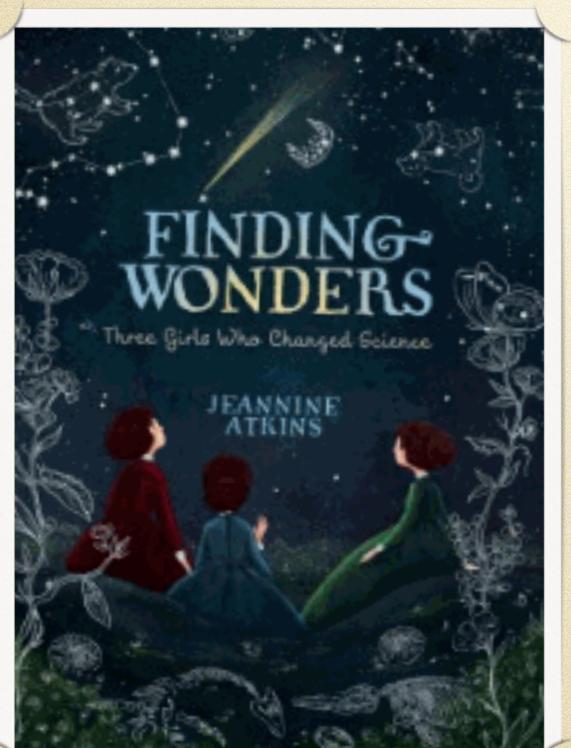
Don't You Know There's a War On?

By Avi

World War II is on everyone's mind and in every headline, and Howie Crispers has a hunch that his school principal is a spy. With a little snooping around, Howie finds out something even more alarming. Principal Lomister may not be a spy, but he is plotting to get rid of Howie's favorite teacher. Howie's dad is fighting Nazis overseas, and his mom is working hard to support the war effort, so Miss Gossim is the only person Howie can depend on. With the help of his friends, and a plan worthy of radio show superhero Captain Midnight, Howie intends to save Miss Gossim!



Finding Wonders: Three Girls Who Changed Science

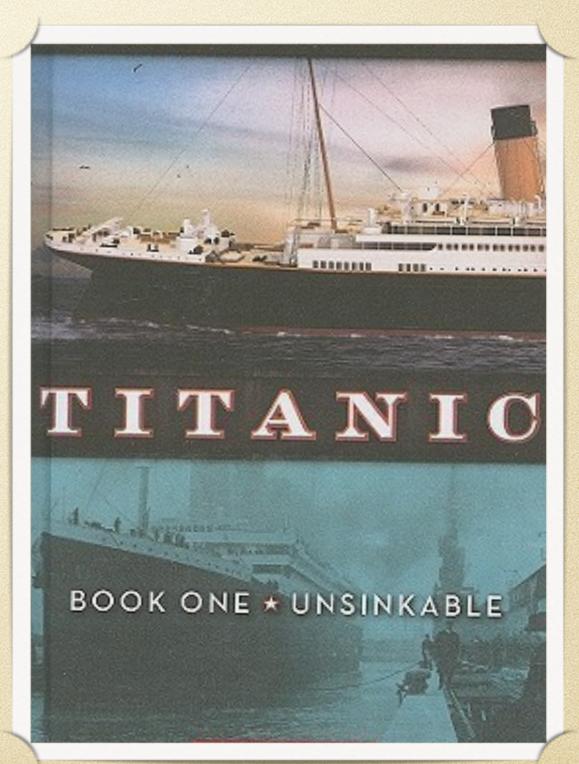


By Jeanine Atkins

Maria, Maria and Mary...
A biographical novel in verse of different girls in three different time periods who grew up to become groundbreaking scientists

Titanic Trilogy (Unsinkable, Collision Course, S.O.S)

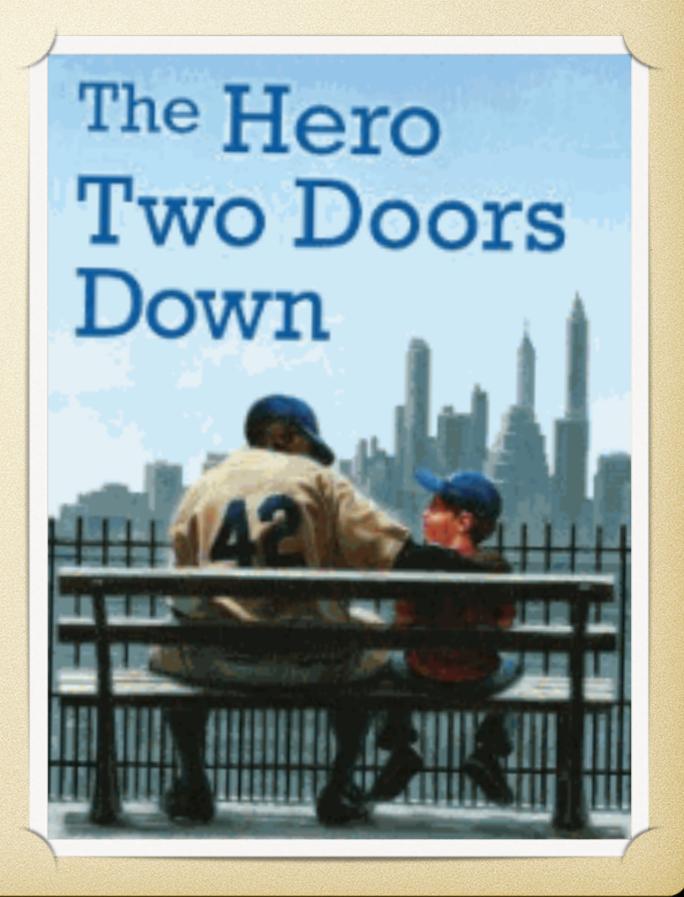
- By Gordon Korman
- The lives of four young passengers aboard the maiden voyage of the RMS "Titanic" become linked, and while Paddy stows away, Sophie and her mother are delivered to the ship by the police, Juliana watches as her father's wealth barely conceals his madness, and Alphie harbors a great secret.



The Hero Two Doors Down

By Sharon Robinson

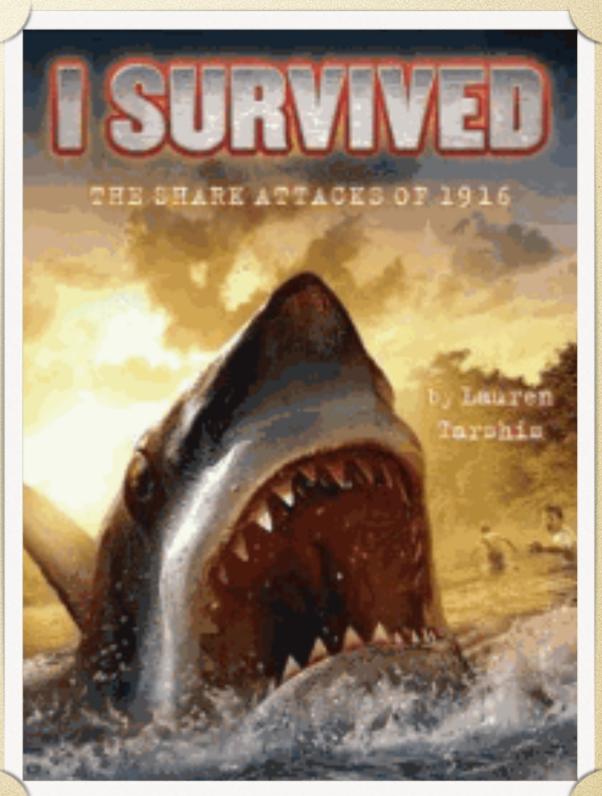
Eight-year-old Steve Satlow is thrilled when Jackie Robinson moves into his Jewish neighborhood in Brooklyn in 1948, although many of his neighbors are not, and when Steve actually meets his hero he is even more excited--and worried that a misunderstanding over a Christmas tree could damage his new friendship.

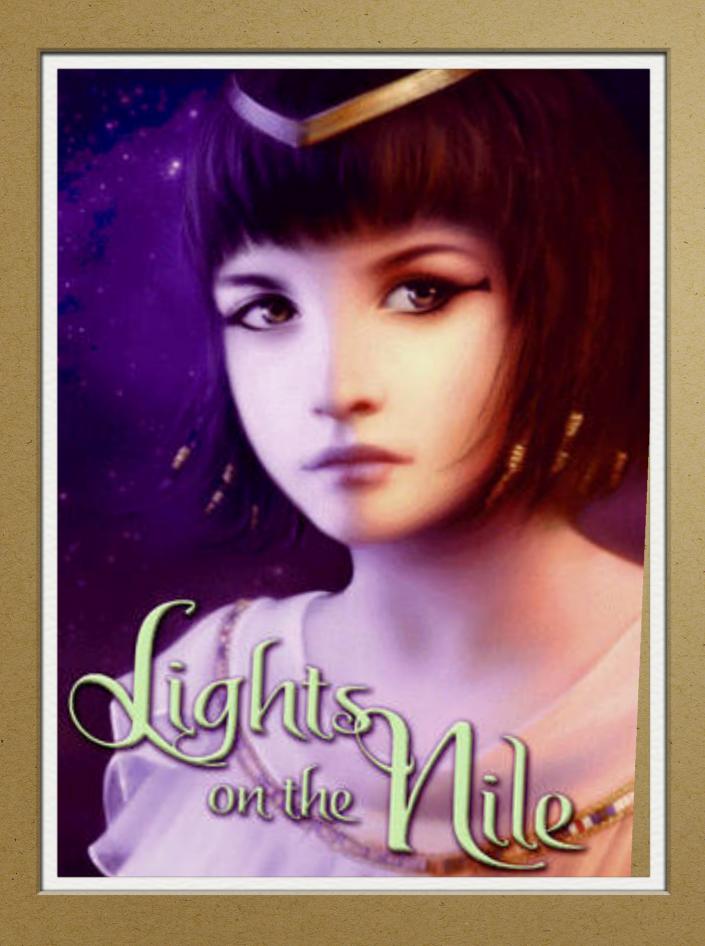


I Survived ...

- Battle of Gettysburg, 1863
- Hurricane Katrina, 2005
- September 11, 2001
- Pearl Harbor, 1941
- Pompeii, AD 79
- Shark Attacks, 1916
- San Francisco Earthquake, 1906

By Lauren Tarshis





Lights on the Nile

By Donna Jo Napoli

Young girl who was content staying at helping her father who was wounded while building a pyramid for the pharaoh Khufu, is kidnapped along with her baboon, Babu, and taken to the capital city, where she is separated from Babu, sets out to find him and appeal to the pharaoh, and discovers she has powers she never knew about.

The War that Changed My Life

By Kimberley Brubaker Bradley

Nine-year-old Ada has never left her oneroom apartment. Her mother is too humiliated by Ada's twisted foot to let her outside. So when her little brother Jamie is shipped out of London to escape the war, Ada doesn't waste a minute—she sneaks out to join him.

So begins a new adventure of Ada, and for Susan Smith, the woman who is forced to take the two kids in. As Ada teaches herself to ride a pony, learns to read, and watches for German spies, she begins to trust Susan—and Susan begins to love Ada and Jamie. But in the end, will their bond be enough to hold them together through wartime? Or will Ada and her brother fall back into the cruel hands of their mother?

