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***Toucan Can* by Juliette MacIver illustrated by Sarah Davis**

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A glorious picture book full of movement, colour, and cheerful creatures.

The energetic rhyme invites readers to stand up and get active.

Toucan dances!

Toucan sings!

Toucan bangs a frying pan!

Can YOU do what Toucan can?

The story develops free-movement and self-expression with gusto. Even the most reluctant or bumble-footed person will discover the pleasure of dancing. The finale is irresistible.

When **THEY** all dance with Toucan, who can?

Who can dance with Toucan?

YOU can!

Nobody will be able to sit on the sidelines after all the encouragement. Family homes, preschools, and classrooms will be rocking as they join in the excitement.

The large format showcases Sarah Davis's exuberant illustrations. Birds and animals bounce, somersault, flip and fly across the pages. Their joyous expressions lift the spirits. Brilliant plumage, colourful trees and exotic flowers enhance the carnival mood.

Great fun!

Reviewed by children's author Jean Bennett

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