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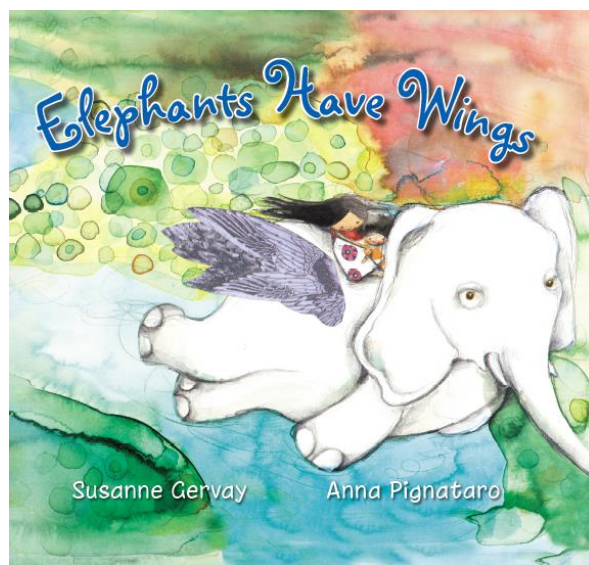
Elephants Have Wings

by Susanne Gervay and Anna Pignataro

Showcase Note:

'Asia & Australia's engagement with Asia' – cross curriculum priority in the Australian National Curriculum

ISBN:	978-0-6482035-0-6 (hardback) 978-0-6482035-1-3 (paperback)
Release date:	May 2018
Extent:	32 pages
Format:	Landscape picture book 266 x 239mm
Price:	AUD\$25 (hardback) AUD \$15 (paperback)
Category:	Picture book
Age guide:	6 +



'This beautiful picture book is based on a parable of the blind men and the elephant. The ethereal illustrations are a rich tapestry, bringing depth to the words and challenging the reader to discover their own truth.'
Reading Time, Children's Book Council of Australia

Elephants Have Wings is the mystical story of two children embarking on the great journey of discovering the humanity in all of us.

Key points:

- Unique peace picture book fostering social inclusion and cohesion
- A key part of Harmony Day, World Environment Day, International Day of Peace
- The artwork is created with pencil, watercolour, acrylic, collage using vintage fabric and textiles, interpreting the patterns and colours of India and Asia into the patterns and colours of a global world.
- Invites visual exploration to uncover secrets of inclusion, tree of life, war, peace, elephants, chakras.
- Endorsed by the esteemed Blake Society for art and poetry, for exploring the themes of spirituality, religion and human justice for young people.
- Created by the award-winning picture book team of Susanne Gervay and Anna Pignataro who gave us *Ships in the Field*, two Notables, Children Book Council Australia.
- For further information or to arrange interviews please contact: James Ruben via email at contact@flyingelephant.com.au or phone (02) 8123 1983

About the author

Awarded the Lifetime Social Justice Award by the International Literacy Association and Order of Australia for children's literature, Susanne's acclaimed books are published in Australia and internationally. Her anti-school bullying rite-of-passage '*I Am Jack*' books, have been adapted into an international play. Susanne is a Writer Ambassador for Room to Read, Premier's Reading Challenge, Books in Homes, Patron Monkey Baa Theatre. www.sgervay.com

About the illustrator

Multi award-winning, best-selling illustrator and picture writer, Anna Pignataro, has created more than fifty books for children, published in twenty countries. www.annapignataro.com

Also by Susanne Gervay:

I Am Jack books; *Ships in the Field*; *Gracie and Josh*, *The Boy in the Big Blue Glasses*, *Butterflies* (YA), *That's Why I Wrote This Song* (YA) *Shadows of Olive Trees* (YA)

Also by Anna Pignataro

Ships in the Field; *Princess and Fairy Storytime Collection Owl*; *Being Agatha* series; *B is for Bedtime*.

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