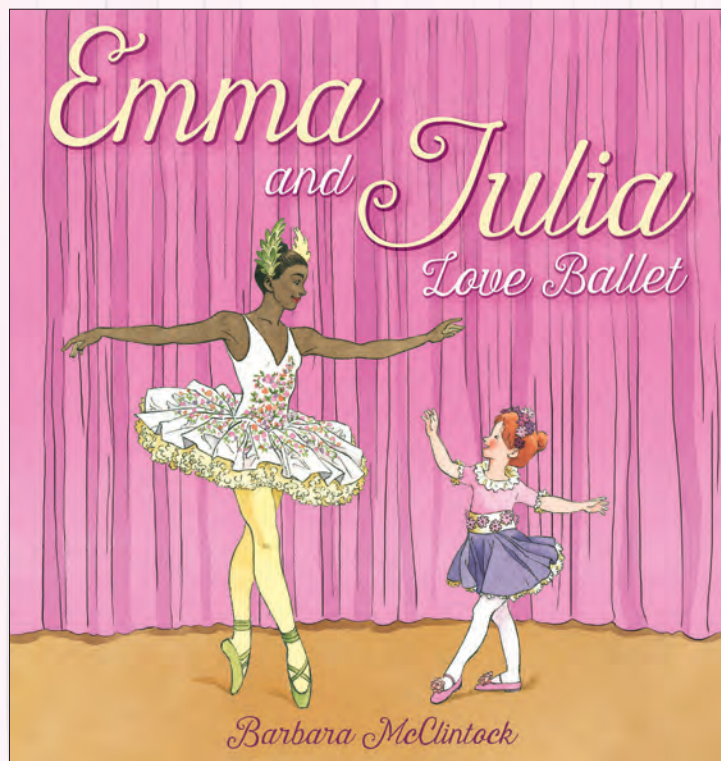


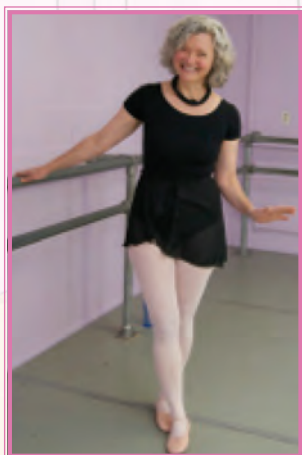
This enchanting picture book from the award-winning author/artist will charm every child with

Ballet Dreams!



Emma is learning to be a ballerina. Julia is a professional ballerina. And they are both excited about the big performance in the theater tonight. Emma will be watching from the audience.

Julia will be dancing onstage!



Barbara McClintock has written and/or illustrated over forty distinguished books for children, including *My Grandfather's Coat*, retold by Jim Aylesworth, which received three starred reviews, and her own highly acclaimed Adèle and Simon series. Her books have five times been named *New York Times* Best Illustrated Children's Books. She has received a *Boston Globe-Horn Book* Honor, as well as a myriad of other awards and honors.

Ms. McClintock grew up dreaming about becoming an artist, and she tirelessly drew pictures of animals and cartoon figures on every surface. But it was her talented sister Kathleen's passion for ballet that inspired this book. "Kathleen lived, breathed, ate, and slept ballet when she was little, and I'd wanted to make a book honoring her for a long time. She took me to my first professional dance performance, which proved to have a profound influence on my creative life. Her passion for dance inspired me to believe in myself as an artist." Barbara recently took ballet lessons herself to do the research for the pictures.

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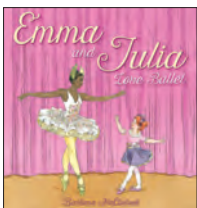


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Emma, Julia, and their friends love to dance.

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