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Toy Stories: Photos Of Children From Around The World And Their Favorite Things



Synopsis

For over a year, the photographer and journalist Gabriele Galimberti visited more than 50 countries and created colorful images of boys and girls in their homes and neighborhoods with their most prized possessions: their toys. From Texas to India, Malawi to China, Iceland, Morocco, and Fiji, Galimberti recorded the spontaneous and natural joy that unites kids despite their diverse backgrounds. Whether the child owns a veritable fleet of miniature cars or a single stuffed monkey, the pride that Galimberti captures is moving, funny, and thought provoking.

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Customer Reviews

Gabriele Galimberti studied photography at Fondazione Studio Marangoni in Florence from 2000 to 2003. He then ran a professional photography laboratory and a photo gallery in Florence. His photos have appeared in international magazines including Newsweek, Le Monde, Geo, D–La Repubblica, lo Donna, Le Temps, Vanity Fair, and many others. Based in Florence, Italy, Galimberti is on the road all around the world, all year-round.

This concept is simple--photographs of children from all over the world with their favorite toys, no text beyond the child's first name, age and location. But there is much to see when you study and think about the photos. My 2 yr old granddaughter is fascinated, and so is every other family member who's seen Toy Stories. Highly recommended.

Got this as a gift for a friend and couldn't help but look through it beforehand. It's adorable. The pictures are crisp and interesting. The text is very readable and captivating. Would definitely recommend!

Love this book. The photos are great, my two year old loves to look at the kids and talk about their toys.

I have shared this with our grandchildren so they could see that many children around the world, like and play with the same kinds of toys that they own.

Great photos... A different way to understand and think about cultures, economic realities and countries status

The photos are nice but there is no narrative to go along with them.

The pictures are big and beautiful. I plan on using it to teach kids about diversity and different countries. Perfect!

This was such a special gift to give a friend for her new grandchild. The mother and little girl love it

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