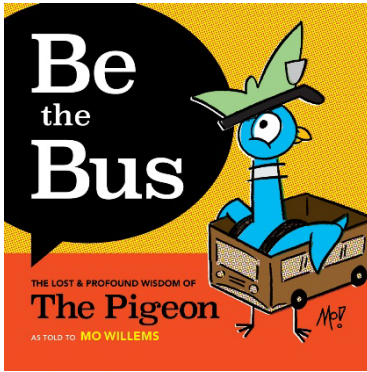


## BOOKS FOR YOUNG ADULTS



***Be the Bus: the lost & profound wisdom of the pigeon / as told to Mo Willems with an introduction by The Bus Driver* 2023**

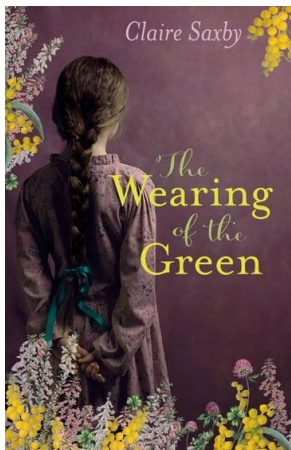
Discover important tips, thoughts, opinions, quotes, complaints, and basic philosophical misunderstandings in this profound collection of Pigeon-isms.

This 80-page, gift-sized collector's title features all-new original art along with big (and little) Pigeon-y tidbits to ponder, such

*Let me be the first to say that everything has already been said.*

*Surprises happen when you least expect them.*

*If I could change just ONE thing about myself, I'd be perfect.*



***The Wearing of the Green / Claire Saxby* 2022**

**13+ years**

When Irish Famine orphan Biddy Blackwell arrives in Melbourne aboard the *Eliza Caroline*, she expects her brother Ewen to be waiting for her. He is her only surviving relative and the only reason she agreed to leave Ireland and journey to Australia. But Ewen is not there to greet her, and Biddy is sent out of Melbourne to work on a farm. This is far from the life she dreamed of.

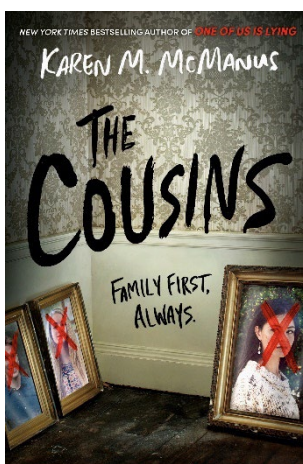


***All That's Left : when you're all that's left, who can you count on?***

**K.A. Allen 2021**

**14+ years**

When you're all that's left, who can you count on? When aliens invade Earth with just one deadly agenda, humans are forced into the rainforest to avoid fatal bombs and merciless ground troops. A group of unlikely strangers comes together under the command of ex-army reservist, Jared, to start the dangerous trek through an unforgiving landscape of bugs, snakes and enemies, to find a safe place to bunker down. The dwindling group faces a failed coup, disease, hunger, pestilence and wild dogs, but third-year pharmacy student, Jess, steps up to become doctor not only to her new friends, but also to strangers along the way, in a bid to keep everyone alive. Together, Jared and Jess lead the team with one mission. To stay alive and one step ahead of a fate worse than death...Set in the Far North Queensland town of Mission Beach.



***The Cousins / Karen McManus* 2020**

**13+ years**

The Storys are the envy of their neighbours: owners of the largest property on their East Coast island, they are rich, beautiful, and close. Until it all falls apart. The four children are suddenly dropped by their mother with a single sentence: *You know what you did.* They never hear from her again. Years later, when 18-year-old cousins Aubrey, Milly and Jonah Story receive a mysterious invitation to spend the summer at their grandmother's resort, they have no choice but to follow their curiosity and meet the woman who's been such an enigma their entire lives. This entire family is built on secrets, right? It's the Story legacy. This summer, the teenagers are determined to discover the truth at the heart of their family. But some secrets are better left alone.