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305.5 BRI

Note: Portrays the life of twelve-year-old Juan Medina and his family, migrant workers living in Encinitas, California.

305.8 KUK

Note: African-American, Asian-American, and Hispanic-American children describe their families' cultural traditions.

306.85 GAR

Note: The author describes her experiences growing up in a Hispanic community in Texas. In Spanish and English.

395.2 HOY

Note: Describes the customs and traditions connected with the celebration of a Mexican-American girl's fifteenth birthday, marking her coming of age.

398.2 AAR

Note: In this Mexican folktale, a lazy boy learns a lesson about lying.
398.2 BRE
Brenner, Anita. The boy who could do anything and other Mexican folk tales. Rev.
   ed. Hamden, Conn: Shoe string/Linnet Bks, [1992].

Note: Includes twenty-four Mexican folktales dealing with ancient wisdom,
   everyday life, magic, and the legendary character Tepozton.

398.2 CAM
Campoy, F. Isabel and Ada, Alma Flor. Tales our abuelitas told: a Hispanic

Note: Presents the authors' retellings of more than ten traditional tales
   accompanied by information on origins and different versions.

398.2 DEP
   Sons, [2002].

Note: After the death of her mother and father, Adelita is badly mistreated by
   her stepmother and stepsisters until she finds her own true love at a grand
   fiesta.

398.2 DUB
Du Bois, William Pene. The hare and the tortoise & The tortoise and the hare:
   La liebre y la tortuga & La tortuga y la liebre. Garden City, N.Y:
   Doubleday, [1972].

Note: Recounts the traditional story of the tortoise and the hare and an
   original episode in which the tortoise attempts to obtain the hare's liver
   for the Fish Queen.
398.2 SAN

Note: A Spanish American retelling of the familiar story of a kind girl who is mistreated by her jealous stepmother and stepsisters. In this version, the Virgin Mary replaces the traditional fairy godmother.

398.24 EHL

463 BRO

463 DAV

468 AME

Note: Includes everyday words accompanied by illustrations and a pronunciation guide.

468 BRU

759.6 RAB

Note: A brief biography of the seventeenth-century Spanish painter accompanies fifteen color reproductions and critical interpretations of his works.
811 HUG

Note: Five poems by Langston Hughes and one anonymous one translated from the Spanish present the story of the first Christmas from different perspectives.

861 ARG
Argueta, Jorge. Talking with Mother Earth: poems = Hablando con Madre Tierra: poemas. Groundwood Bks, [2006].

92 CHA

Note: A biography of Cesar Chavez, from age ten when he and his family lived happily on their Arizona ranch, to age thirty-eight when he led a peaceful protest against California migrant workers' miserable working conditions.

92 CHA

Note: Examines the life of Cesar Chavez, the Mexican American labor leader who achieved justice for migrant farm workers by creating a union to protect their rights.

92 CRU
Brown, Monica. My name is Celia : the life of Celia Cruz = Me llamo Celia : la vida de Celia Cruz. Flagstaff, Ariz: Rising Moon, [2004].

92 OCH
Romero, Maritza. Ellen Ochoa : the first Hispanic woman astronaut. New York:
PowerKids Press, [1997].

Note: Profiles the life of the first Hispanic woman to become an astronaut including information about her childhood, education, and career with NASA.

92 PIZ

Note: Profiles the life and career of the Spanish explorer and conqueror who marched into the Inca empire, held the Inca king for ransom, stuffed his pockets with gold and became governor of present-day Peru.

920 MAR

Note: PROF.

920 SIN

Note: Profiles the lives of Hispanics who helped shape the history of the United States.

942.05 MAL
Malam, John. You wouldn't want to sail in the Spanish Armada! An invasion you'd rather not launch. Franklin Watts/Scholastic, [2006].

973.04 BAN

Note: An account of one of the largest groups of immigrants in the United States, with special emphasis on the recent history of the group and including first-person narratives.

Note: Describes the daily life and activities of Mexican Americans in New Mexico during the early 1800s including information about their homes, community, and links to Spain and Mexico.


Note: Recreates in text and photographs the day-to-day life of a pioneer family living in a newly formed Spanish settlement in the Southwest during the eighteenth century.


Note: A general elementary encyclopedia with brief illustrated articles covering an alphabetical array of topics.


Note: Profiles over 100 Hispanic Americans who have made major contributions to American culture.