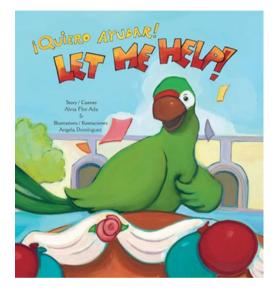
¡Quiero Ayudar!

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When the whole family scrambles to prepare for Cinco de Mayo, Perico, the family parrot, wants to help.

"Let me help" is a sentence he has heard many times over by little Martita who has been repeating it lately. So Perico tries to help the family make tamales, paper flowers and even the boys practice their mariachi dance. But despite his attempts, Perico is always shooed away, until he finally figures out how he can help when no one else can.

A story for every young reader who has been told they were too young to do something.

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1.la celebración (seh-leh-brah-see-OHN): the celebration

2.la flor de papel (flor deh pah-PEL): the paper flower

3. ayudar (ah-yoo-DAR): to help

4.el baile (BAI-leh): the dance

5.las cintas (SEEN-tas): the ribbons

6.el olor (o-LOHR): the smell

7.la balsa (BAHLS-ah): the raft

8. el puente (PWEN-teh): the bridge

9.gritar (gree-TAR): to shout

10. iVete! (VEH-teh): Go away

11. la selva (SEL-vah): the jungle





ENG: What is your favorite holiday to celebrate with your family? What do you do to prepare for it?

ESP: ¿Cuál es tu fiesta favorita para celebrar con tu familia?

¿Qué haces para prepararte para ella?

ENG: How does Perrico feel during the story? What does he do at the end?

ESP: ¿Cómo se siente Perrico durante la historia? ¿Qué hace al final?

ENG: How do the members of the family treat Perrico? Why do you think they react this way?

ESP: ¿Cómo tratan los miembros de la familia a Perrico? ¿Por qué crees que reaccionan de esta manera?