

# Don't Forget our Author Visit

Dear Parents,

Just wanted to remind you that on \_\_\_\_\_ we will be welcoming award-winning, children's book author, Darleen Bailey Beard who will give an inspiring talk about following your dreams and how she began following *her* dream to become a writer when she was only ten years old (she still has the stories she wrote with her spelling words and will show them during her PowerPoint presentation). She'll also discuss her books, her current works, answer questions, autograph her books, and do hands-on writing workshops with our students, if time permits.

If you would like an autographed book(s) for your student, please **circle** the book(s) you'd like to purchase.

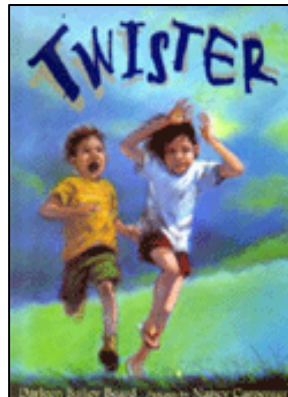


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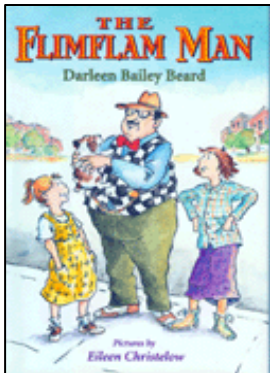
**Annie Glover is NOT a Tree Lover** -- Winner of the Green Earth Book Award. A chapter book based on a true story of an Oklahoma woman who chained herself to a tree to try to keep the tree from being cut down.

Hardback \_\_\_\_\_



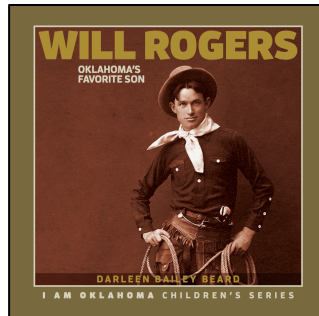
**Twister**-- "Thrilling"-- by Publisher's Weekly. Starred and boxed review. Beautifully illustrated 32-page picture book about the strength and determination of a brother and sister during a storm.

Paperback \_\_\_\_\_



**The Flimflam Man**-- "A Best Book of the Year" by Bank Street College. Based on a true story in 1950, in Wetumka, OK, which led to Oklahoma's "Sucker Day Festival". Chapter book.

Paperback \_\_\_\_\_



**Will Rogers, Oklahoma's Favorite Son**--This nonfiction chapter book captures the life of one of Oklahoma's most beloved personalities, complete with photos, index, sites, timeline, and more.

Hardback \_\_\_\_\_

Name of student \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of books \_\_\_\_\_

Name of teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Who the book(s) should be autographed to: \_\_\_\_\_

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