



WHAT EARLY READERS SAY ABOUT THE ADVENTURES OF MELON AND TURNIP

*My class loved it! The vibrant colors and charming characters captured the children's hearts. Trisha Howell and Paul Lopez really know how to make Melon, Turnip, and friends leap off the pages and into their lives. Superb!*—**Tammy L. MacDonald, First/Second Grade Teacher**

*Bright and colorful! The expressions of the characters made them come to life with such vivid emotions. What fun!*—**Cindy J. Finn, Mother of two**

*This cute little book of two vegetables' adventure through the woods allows us a glimpse into the value of caring for others and their feelings, using the inhabitants of the forest as a backdrop. The interrelationship of these forest dwellers is enhanced by this book's bright and beautiful illustrations. The friendship of Turnip and Melon prevails as their adventure comes to a close with a surprising alliance.*—**Brian Webber, Teacher-librarian**

*Delightful & beautiful pictures. Excellent lessons for children throughout. Text rich with language and word choice. What a wonderful accomplishment!*—**Nancy Sunderland, Second grade teacher**

*Beautiful rich colors and wonderful facial expressions make the illustrations a delight for children of all ages.*—**Paula R. Strid, Kindergarten Teacher**

*Melon and Turnip, the main characters in this adventure story captured my students' interest and had them wondering what would happen next. The word choice is excellent. Illustrations are wonderful!*—**Carol McKissick, Reading Specialist**

*This story is very sweet and has a positive message.*—**Claudia Oyster, Kindergarten Teacher**

*I liked The Adventures of Melon and Turnip because they can talk and because you usually don't see stories about talking food.*—**Jessica, Age 8**