

**PICTURE BOOKS:** Picture books are shelved by the author's last name.

### **Just Like a Baby**

Bond, Rebecca

All the members of a family create a cradle in anticipation of the new baby.

### **You Were Loved Before You Were Born**

Bunting, Eve

A mother shares with her child all the ways in which family members and friends were loving before the child was even born. See also: **Twinnies, Jin Woo, Baby Can**

### **Baby Can**

Bunting, Eve

Every time his family gets excited over something baby James can do, big brother Shane demonstrates that he can do it even better.

### **Big Brother Dustin**

Carter, Alden R.

A boy with Down Syndrome helps his parents and grandparents get ready for the birth of his baby sister including choosing the baby's name.

### **The Most Important Gift of All**

Conway, David

Ama goes off on a search for the gift of love for her new baby brother.

### **So Much**

Cooke, Trish

Relatives give in to their desire to squeeze and kiss and play with the baby.

### **Barfburger Baby, I Was Here First**

Danziger, Paula

Five-year-old Jonathon is not pleased when neighbors and relatives come to visit and admire his new baby brother.

### **Where Did That Baby Come From?**

Glori, Debi

A tiger wonders where his messy, squeaking younger baby sibling came from. See also: **Mr. Bear's New Baby, New Big Sister**

### **Baby on Board**

Gray, Kes

In preparing to be an older sister, a girl reports on the changes in her mother and the developing baby over nine months.

### **Mail Harry to the Moon!**

Harris, Robie H.

Harry's older brother, unhappy that the new baby seems to have taken over, dreams up imaginative ways to get rid of him. See also: **Hi, New Baby!, Happy Birth Day!**

### **Baby Knows Best**

Henderson, Kathy

Everybody wants to make baby happy, but she has ideas of her own. See also: **Look at You! A Baby Body Book, Newborn**

### **Julius, the Baby of the World**

Henkes, Kevin

Lilly is convinced that the arrival of her new baby brother is the worst thing that has happened in their house until Cousin Garland comes to visit.

### **You're the Boss, Baby Duck!**

Hest, Amy

When her parents make such a fuss over their new baby, Baby Duck feels neglected, until Grandpa helps her to realize that she is still important.

### **Waiting for Gregory**

Holt, Kimberly Willis

A girl eagerly awaits the birth of her baby cousin and asks many questions.

### **Little Rabbit's New Baby**

Horse, Harry

When Mama brings home triplets, Little Rabbit quickly realizes that babies are not as much fun as he thought they would be.

### **My Heart is a Magic House**

Jacobs, Julie

A mother explains that when the baby arrives, her heart will add a room so everyone will always receive the same amount of love.

### **Baby Brains**

James, Simon

Even though the new baby of Mr. and Mrs. Brains is very intelligent, they realize that he is still just a baby. See also **Baby Brains Superstar, Baby Brains and RoboMom**

### **Love the Baby**

Layne, Steven L.

A brother resents his new sibling, but eventually he starts to love the baby.

### **How to be a Baby- By Me, the Big Sister**

Lloyd-Jones, Sally

An all-knowing big sister gives her baby sibling lessons in being a baby.

### **Too Small for Honey Cake**

Lobel, Gillian

Little Fox learns that his father still loves him even though there is a baby in the house.

### **Just Like Me**

Newman, Marjorie

Tom is not happy about the arrival of his baby brother until his parents show that change can be a positive experience.

### What's Going On?

O'Callaghan i Duch, Elena

A little boy notices his parents have been behaving strangely for 3 months and wonders if they have gone crazy.

### Ma! There's Nothing to do Here!: a Word from Your Baby-In-Waiting

Park, Barbara

A baby still waiting to be born describes the boredom of living in a small, cramped space.

### That Special Little Baby

Peddicord, Jane Ann

A celebration of the steps a newborn makes on the way to becoming a toddler.

### Ha Ha, Baby!

Petty, Kate

The whole family tries many different things to get their baby to smile.

### My Baby and Me

Reiser, Lynn

Photographs and text show interactions between babies and their siblings.

### Hello Baby!

Rockwell, Lizzy

A boy actively helps to prepare for the homecoming of his new sister.

### Vera's Baby Sister

Rosenberry, Vera

Vera's grandfather creates a special place for her when she feels displaced.

### Before You Were Born

Schwartz, Howard

The folk tale of a guardian angel that places the indentation on the upper lip just before a baby is born.

### How do You Make a Baby Smile?

Sturges, Philemon

Animal parents try their best to make their babies laugh.

### Dear Baby: Letters from Your Big Brother

Sullivan, Sarah

Mike writes letters to his sister about what it is like to be her older brother.

### Minnie and her Baby Brother

Walsh, Melanie

Minnie has a baby brother and even though he can't do all of the things Minnie can do, they still have fun together.

### What Do We Do With the Baby?

Walton, Rick

A bunny mother explores all of the wonderful things she can do with her baby.

### Benny and Beautiful Baby Delilah

Van Leeuwen, Jean

Benny is not pleased when his new baby sister, Delilah, arrives.

### My Mei Mei

Young, Ed

Antonia gets her wish when her parents return to China to bring home a younger sister.

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# A Baby in Our Family



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