

PUBLISHED WORKS

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Written to be both entertaining and educational this nonfiction book offers grade-appropriate, highly engaging content for social studies, science, and language arts. Fascinating and informative, it has wide age-range appeal and cross-curricular applications. As co-author, I was responsible for developing initial concepts, researching and performing primary interviews, writing, and creating and resourcing engaging visuals to round out the book to provide solid application in the classroom.

As a resident of Seward, Alaska during its development, my knowledge of the area's history and relationship with the wonderful people who had endless stories to tell, made this project both captivating and rewarding. A Skipping Stones Award winner, this book has a timeless presence and broad subject matter draw.



2001 Skipping Stones Honor Award

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The winners are presented in three categories—**Nature Books**, **Multicultural Books** and **Teaching Resources**. Thanks to our many reviewers from diverse backgrounds for helping us select these 25 titles. At *Skipping Stones* we believe good books offer an affordable and exciting way to explore and understand cultures, places, societies and their histories. Welcome to the wonderful world of words!