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Free the Children: A Young Man Fights Against Child Labor and Proves that Children Can Change the World

by Craig Kielburger and Kevin Major

The World of Child Labor: A Historical and Regional Survey

by Hugh D. Hindman

Elizabeth Bloomer: Child Labor Activist (Young Heroes)

by Jennifer Reed

Iqbal Masih and the Crusaders Against Child Slavery

by Susan Kuklin

The Carpet Boy's Gift

by Pegi Deitz Shea (Author), Leane Morin (Illustrator) The Breadwinner Trilogy, three books; The Breadwinner, Parvana's Journey, and Mud City -Novels about children in modern Afghanistan, orphaned and displaced by war.

by Deborah Ellis

The Peace Book

by Todd Parr

What Does Peace Feel Like?

by Vladimir Radunsky

Sélavi, That is Life: A Haitian Story of Hope,
written and illustrated by Youme Landown

Out of Bounds: Seven Stories of Conflict and Hope,
written by Beverley Naidoo

Second Daughter: The Story of a Slave Girl

written by Mildred Pitts

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A Place Where Sunflowers Grow

by Amy Lee-Tai, illustrated by Felicia Hoshino

Crossing Bok Chitto: A Choctaw Tale of Friendship & Freedom

by Tim Tingle, illustrated by Jeanne Rorex Bridges

Night Boat to Freedom

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by Melanie Walsh

Michael Recycle
by Ellie Bethel and illustrated by Alexandra Colombo

The BogeyBugz
by Martin Lever

Planet Earth Gets Well
by Madeline Kaplan

Rising Above Global Warming
by B. J. DeFrancesco and illustrated by Shari Lynn Myers

The Dirt on Dirt
by Paulette Bourgeois with Kathy Vanderlinden and illustrated by Martha Newbigging

MySpace/Our Planet: Change is Possible
by the MySpace Community with Jeca Taudte

Planting the Trees of Kenya: The Story of Wangari Maathai
by Claire Nivola

It's Earth Day!
by Mercer Mayer

Eco Babies Wear Green
by Michelle Sinclair Colman and illustrated by Nathalie Dion

Everything Kids' Environment Book
by Sheri Amsel

Brainiac's Go Green Activity Book
by Mara Conlon

Gas Trees and Car Turds: Kids' Guide to the Roots of Climate Change
by Kirk Johnson and illustrated by Mary Ann Bonnell

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