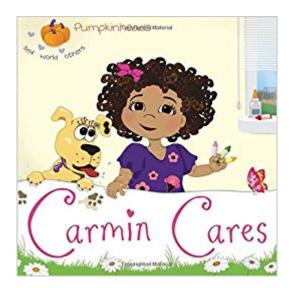


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# **Carmin Cares (Pumpkinheads)**





### **Synopsis**

When a day at the park doesn't go as planned, find out how Carmin takes a stand! Ready to play, Carmin and her pup, Peanut, find themselves in a sticky situation! When Carmin gets gum stuck on her shoe, she decides something has to be done about the mess on the playground. Through lovable characters and easy to follow rhymes, this charming and beautifully illustrated children's board book teaches young children to take responsibility for their world, proving that even small hands can make a big difference! Carmin Cares is first in the national award-winning Pumpkinheads book series. Pumpkinheads children's books focus on social and emotional development, aiming to help little ones build awareness of their feelings, along with learning from and interacting with others. The Pumpkinheads mission is to educate, empower, inspire and entertain through beginner reader books and above all, to educate hearts and minds! Recipient of Dr. Toy's Ten Best Chilldren's Products of 2015, Parent Tested Parent Approved Seal of Approval, Academics' Choice Smart Book Award and Mom's Choice Gold Award. (Karen Kilpatrick)

#### **Book Information**

Series: Pumpkinheads

Board book: 14 pages

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Age Range: 1 - 5 years

Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

#### **Customer Reviews**

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Karen, mom, attorney, and award-winning author, has been writing and creating for as long as she can remember. Her passion for entertaining and teaching young children led her to create Pumpkinheads - the book series and brand that focuses on social and emotional development (building hearts and minds) for young children. Karen is also the author of several short stories, South Florida Chapter Co-Chair of Women in Toys, and creator of another children's brand with her daughters, Adorabears, that will be launched in 2017.

Carmin Cares is an award winning children's book by Karen Kilpatrick about an adorable little girl who makes a big difference. Carmin loves to spend time at the park with her dog Peanut. They "play with bubbles, swing on swings, throw some balls, look at things..." But, today Carmin discovers trash all over her beautiful park. The disgusting mess makes Carmin mad and her and Peanut head home to come up with a plan. Will Carmin figure out how to keep the park clean? I am absolutely in love with Carmin. She has to be one of the cutest children's book characters I've ever seen. The illustrator, An-Lon Chen, uses vibrant colors to create charming characters and little critters that add to the playfulness of the story. The lighthearted rhyme will delight young children, all the while reminding readers that it just takes one person to care enough to help change a situation for the better. I highly recommend picking up a copy of Carmin Cares.

Early on in grade school, I remember telling my dad that I was very disappointed that our grade school didn't have a school store like my sister's junior high. My dad said, "If you want a store so badly, start it yourself. You can do it. Think it through, then just do it!" It was a huge lesson. I did just that! I approached my teacher, told her exactly what I wanted to do, and asked for her help. Long story short, I started that store. What was more important was that early on I learned I could do

anything I set my mind to, and to fill voids where I saw them. That is what has made our country great, so it is a huge lesson. This book teaches that lesson with great graphic imagery, no negativity, and a huge amount of positive gusto. As an eBook for children, I rate it highly. The lesson is clear but not preachy. If more kids read this book, more kids would be natural leaders, and we would not need to worry so much about the future leadership of not just this country but the world. I love the images in this children's eBook series, and will be sharing it with the young members of my extended family. Love it... even as an adult!

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We liked Carmin and would like to see her in other books. The book did seem like it was written by a child. I did not read any info on it before I bought it so that may be the case. Our favorite part of the book is the pictures. We love that they fill our entire tablet screen. May of the books here dont do that. If more books are made with the character Carmin and the illustrations are nice, colorful and are full page (dont forget to make the text large enough to read, this one was just fine) we will surely buy another book from the pumpkinheads collection.

Just bought Carmin Cares for my niece and she loves it! I've bought her many books, but none have caused such excitement. Now each time I go to her house, she makes me sit on the couch with her while she points feverishly to some new detail she found in the book. I don't know what magic makes children love certain books, but i know this one has it. Great buy. Stupendous!!

Carmin Cares is a colorful, engaging children's book with a great message. The book's beautiful illustrations are sure to catch the attention of young children. Carmin Cares delivers a positive message about caring for the environment. I highly recommend this book to preschools and parents

looking for an eye-catching book that will teach children at the same time. I can't wait to see what else this author has to offer in her series!

Beautifully written and illustrated, this book relays an important message about caring for our world through an endearing character, Carmin. It is simply sweet, I enjoy it as much as my two young girls do. You will find yourself reading it over and over again. This is a wonderful book to share with children!

My 2 year old loves this book. My daughter loves stories with little girls and books with great rhymes and great art work hold her attention. This one has it all and she often points to it when I ask her which book she wants to read next on the google nexus tablet.

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