



The Perfect Shelter

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Synopsis

At first nobody knew. Then they told me my sister was sick.

But together we'll ride out the storms. And today is the perfect day to build a shelter, and be together.

A beautiful, powerful and uplifting story, exploring the complicated emotions we feel when someone we love is diagnosed with cancer.

Author Bio

Clare is a primary school teacher and children's author who lives in South West England with her husband and two children. Clare does her best writing by the sea, which is lucky because she lives close to many beautiful beaches and the salty sea air.

When Clare isn't writing stories she is inspiring children to write their own. Being a teacher gives Clare an outlet for her BIG ideas. Once she helped a class make a giant rice crispy cake that was so wide it wouldn't fit through the door!

But her best idea yet has been putting pen to paper. Clare loves writing whacky but is particularly passionate about writing stories that help children deal with big feelings and difficult issues.

Clare is represented by Alice Williams of Alice Williams Literary.

Please get in contact if you'd like to book an event or visit. Clare loves all opportunities to work with young readers and their families. In fact, she loves doing events SO MUCH she has started keeping an 'Event Count!'

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Illustrator Bio

Asa is a Swedish illustrator who loves all things retro, quirky imagery and folk art themes. She studied interior design at Accademia Italiana Moda and has 20 years of experience in surface design and illustration. She produces art for children's books, stationary, textiles, home decor and the gift market.

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