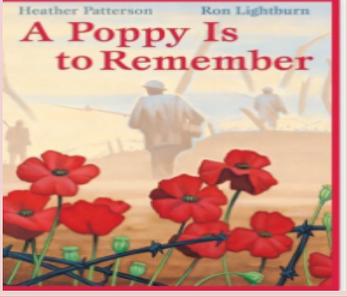
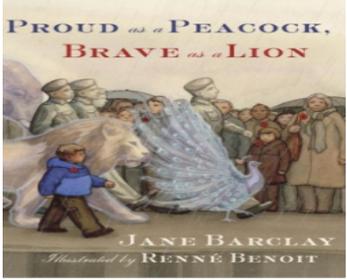
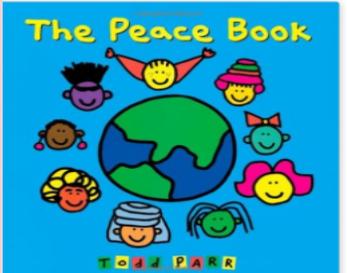
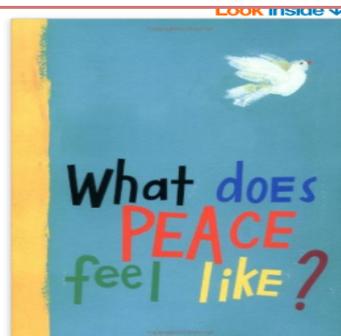


REMEMBRANCE /MEMORIAL BOOKS

Book's name	Picture	Author	Concept
<p>A Poppy is to Remember</p>		<p>Heather Patterson Ron Lightburn (2007)</p>	<p>How did the bright red poppy that we all wear in November become Canada's symbol of honouring those who fought for our freedom on Remembrance Day? Moving text coupled with stunning illustrations by Governor General's Award-winning artist Ron Lightburn explain the symbolism behind the poppy. Age 4-7 years old</p>
<p>Proud as a Peacock Brave as a Lion</p>		<p>Jane Barclay Renee Benoit (2009)</p>	<p>Much has been written about war and remembrance, but very little of it has been for young children. As questions come from a young grandchild, his grandpa talks about how, as a very young man, he was as proud as a peacock in uniform, busy as a beaver on his Atlantic crossing, and brave as a lion charging into battle. Soon, the old man's room is filled with an imaginary menagerie as the child thinks about different aspects of wartime. But as he pins medals on his grandpa's blazer and receives his own red poppy in return, the mood becomes more somber. (Age 4-7 years old)</p>
<p>The Peace Book</p>		<p>Todd Parr (2009)</p>	<p>The concept of peace can be a difficult one to understand, and Parr makes an admirable attempt to explain it. He relates the notion to making new friends, listening to different kinds of music, and helping your neighbor. Where he stretches it a bit is with sentiments such as, "Peace is wishing on a star" or "...watching it snow," (Age 3-7 years old)</p>

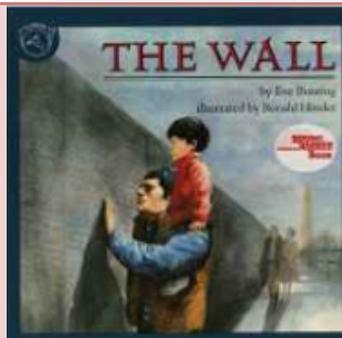
**What does
Peace feel like?**



**Vladimir
Radunsky
(2004)**

What does that word *really* mean? Ask children from around the world, and this is what they say....(Age 3-7 years old)

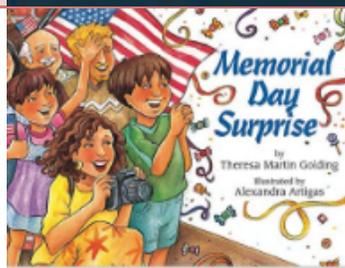
The Wall



**Eve Bunting
Ronald Himler
(1990)**

A boy travels to the Vietnam Veterans Memorial with his father to seek out his grandfather's name. The well-matched text and illustrations are soft but stirring. Ages 4-8.

**Memorial Day
Suprise**



**Boyd's Mills Press
(2004)**

It's Memorial Day and Marco and Mama are going to see the parade. On their way, they pass Marco's grandfather's house. They usually stop to see Grandfather, but today Mama is in a rush because she has promised Marco a surprise. Marco can't imagine what the surprise might be. Could it be the marching band? The fire engines? The candy tossed to the crowd by a woman dressed as the Statue of Liberty? Mama promises that it will be a better surprise than candy. As the parade goes by, Marco wishes his grandfather were with him to enjoy it. Then, marching down the street, come the veterans, wearing uniforms and shiny medals. But look! Who is that leading them? Marco never imagined the kind of surprise in store for him. (Age 3-7 years old)

