

We are all born free is an outstanding and beautiful picture book celebrating the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Artists and illustrators from all over the world, including Marcia Williams, offer their personal interpretation of the articles, making them easy to understand for young readers.

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights was signed on the 10th December 1948 as an enduring international commitment to human rights. Amnesty International is a movement of ordinary people from across the world standing up for these human rights. Created in 1961, its purpose is to protect individuals wherever justice, fairness, truth and freedom are denied. Amnesty International's vision is of a world in which every person enjoys all of the human rights enshrined in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international human rights instruments.

Published in the 60th anniversary year of the Declaration, this picture book shows us that the youngest child can understand why human rights are still of crucial importance. It reminds us how much they concern us all, young and old, all over the world. On every page there is a new exceptional illustration of one of our fundamental rights. Marcia Williams offers a wonderful and colourful illustration of articles 29 and 30.

This book will be treasured for a lifetime, as readers will never get tired of looking at its incomparable colours and details, whether they are 6 or 106.

Published by Frances Lincoln in association with Amnesty International, with forewords by David Tennant, who describes this collection as a “beautiful book” in which “you’ll find thirty rules for the world to live by” and John Boyne, for whom this book “might be the most important one that you ever own.”

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