

## NMI Mission Books for Children

### All-Reader Books

#### **Blind Sided**

*Tami Brumbaugh*

Nine-year-old Mei wondered why her eyes hurt and her vision was blurry. After a near bicycle accident, a doctor's visit revealed an unexpected diagnosis of glaucoma. Mei received a laser treatment at Heart to Heart's visiting Mobile Eye Clinic, but another surgery was needed to prevent Mei from going blind. A surprise trip to the United States not only brought healing to Mei's eyes, but to her heart as well.



#### **A Crocodile, a Cloth, and a Clean Water Well**

*Elaine Cunningham*

Eleven-year-old Ayana and her mother lived in a small African village that had no well. Every day Ayana walked the dangerous path to the river and filled their bucket with contaminated water. One day she met Pastor Girma and his family. They not only helped to provide a clean water well in her village to satisfy physical thirst, but through a Bible Story Cloth, introduced the villagers to Jesus who satisfied their spiritual thirst.



#### **The Night of the Storm**

*Judi Wiegman*

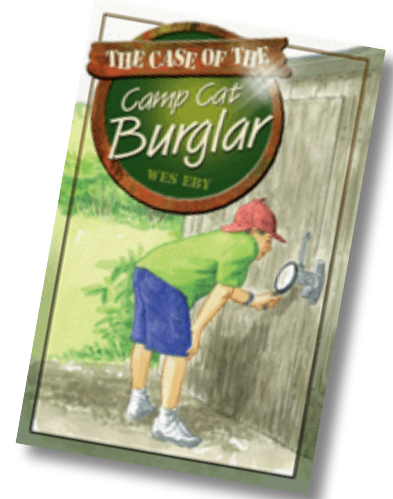
When a tornado struck the small town of Cactus, the lives of 10-year-old Mario and his family were forever changed. In the midst of confusion, they experienced the love of Jesus shown to them by Nazarenes from other parts of the Texas Panhandle. Nazarene churches not only sent Crisis Care Kits and other necessities to help the people recover, they made plans to start a Nazarene church in Cactus.



## Advanced Books

### **The Case of the Camp Cat Burglar** *Wes Eby*

Chuck Jenkins, an 11-year-old boy nicknamed “Sherlock,” went with his dad on a Work & Witness trip to Dominica. Soon after arriving, the team learned that their supplies had been stolen from the campground where they were to build a cabin. Since Chuck loved solving mysteries, he was given the job of nabbing the cat burglar. Looking for clues was only part of Chuck’s mission adventure. His detective work and witness made a difference in the lives of those on the island.



### **Project Proclaimer** *Cheryl Crouch*

Keenan Brown was not your typical 11-year-old boy. His six-foot height and unruly curly red hair made him shy away from everyone, including his rival, Bully Bo. Keenan only dreamed of making a difference in the world through his alter ego—Agent Awesome—until one Sunday, he learned about Project Proclaimer. With the help of his best friend and sidekick, Serna, Keenan faced his fears and raised enough money to buy several Proclaimers, inspiring many other children to do the same.



### **Spiders, Frogs, and Bears** *Lynda Boardman*

Eleven-year-old Lilly traveled with her dad on a work and education mission trip to Belize in November 2008. Her first night’s sleep was interrupted by a buggy-eyed, hopping creature, one of many unfamiliar sights and sounds she experienced. Lilly became totally involved in the lifestyle of Belizean children. She returned home with a new awareness of her role in sharing the light of Jesus around the world.

