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## Best Friend in a Can

In a world where you could just go to the toy store and buy yourself a new best friend, would you do it?

Helen does. Her best friend Anja doesn't want to play with dolls, so Helen decides to replace her by a best friend who want to play with dolls all the time. Her name is Dolly-Lisa. But the new best friend has a small defect ...

"Best Friend in a Can" got a brilliant reception in Norway. The acknowledged Norwegian writer and journalist May Grethe Lerum called it one of the best picture books of 2017.

"The best picture book of the year. (...) Playful and humorous." - Author May Grethe Lerum in Bok365

## Hanne Gjerde, Camilla Billett (ill.)

Hanne Gjerde Buch (b. 1972) had her debut as an author with a children's book trilogy about friendship: Best Friend in a Can. When she is not writing, she is Senior Adviser in the Norwegian Ministry of Children and Families and received her law degree from the judicial faculty of the University of Oslo. Among other activities, she uses her free time to write children's books. "Having an education in law has been useful for me while writing children's books because one learns to express oneself concisely and precisely," Buch relates.



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