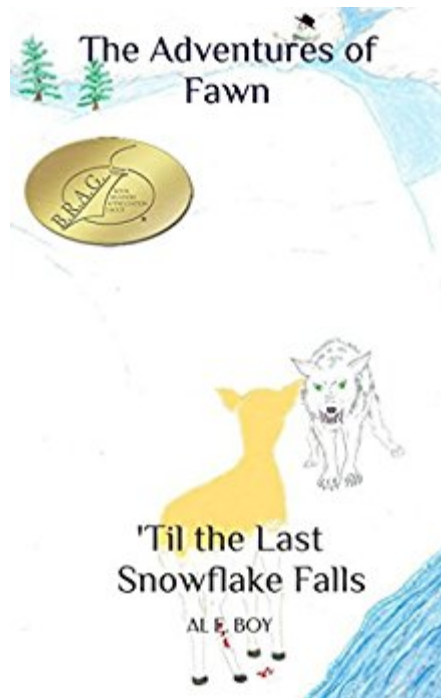




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During the year 1849, Fawn is bored, bored, bored. The young daughter of Santa's Reindeer Comet and Vixen spends her days in the stable. While she wastes away her hours with nothing to do as her parents practice for the upcoming reindeer competition.

She despairs that her parents believe her to be a baby, too young to go out into the world alone. She just wants some fun, some excitement. Ready for anything, she thinks, 'I don't care how dangerous it is.'

During the long boring days Fawn's only interactions are with The Forgetful Twins, Elves 1 and 2, who at age 30 are rather young for elves. As luck would have it; one day Vixen overhears the twins talking about the passwords to use for departure of Santa's Village. Leaving the village is a sure way to get out into the world where adventure is certain to await.

Vixen is very anxious to use those passwords and move out into the world, where she is certain to make friends, and play and

From that opening we move with this jejune youth who is so like many youngsters we all know. She is not actually a baby, however, she also is not quite as grown up and ready to face whatever may be ahead as she thinks she is.

We are carried along with Fawn as she does meet Snowboy and Bunny who become her best friends forever, 'Til the Last Snowflake Falls'. Fawn and Bunny help Snowboy find a place to spend the night, before Bunny returns to her home and Fawn hurries to return to the stable before her parents realize she has left the village.

Next morning Bunny reveals that she has lost her family. Mom and Dad fell victim to a box trap. And we read with racing hearts as Snowboy almost falls away to melting water dripping from the thawing tree where he has spent the night, we hold our breath as Fawn encounters a hungry wolf, "Good Morning Lunch," he mutters.

And we sigh relief as Fawn is rescued.

When the grandfatherly head Elf, Foddle and, The Forgetful Twins come looking for Fawn they find the three best friends and take them to the safety of Santa's Village where they discover a young polar bear who has also lost his parents and make the acquaintance of Dr Mary Weather an animal doctor who has come to study animals.

Foddle warns the youngsters to keep quiet and not reveal that they can all speak as do humans. The tale continues with more missing parents, Terry a young tern is bereft, her whole family of parents and siblings have just disappeared.

Whitey the polar bear cub and Terry are moved into the village as elves and Santa and even Santa's special friend Wajic, a wizard try to puzzle out what is happening to the animals living outside the village.

Bunny and Fawn as well join the missing when they venture out one more time in an attempt to locate Bunny's family.

The narrative continues with introduction of Captain Whitmore Kemp captain of the Life Raft, a humber keel flat bottom cargo vessel having a very large hold, and we meet his not so bright first mate Higgins. Comet braves a blizzard in desperate attempt to locate his little daughter and the missing Bunny only to become one of the missing himself.

There is action aplenty, Snowy the snowboy who becomes a snowman following a heroic roll down a steep incline where he gathers much snow on his three parts, proves himself to a true friend to the end as he aides in the rescue of not only his friends but all the missing.

Chicanery, greed, a desire to capture and sell North Pole inhabitants to a zoo, parental love, friendship, and a little magic all come together to create a memorable tale well worth the reading.

For more impact, a number of large illustrations are interspersed with the pages of text. All in all, I really enjoyed reading this eBook. I think middle grade readers who retain some of the thrill and magic of possibility of Santa and magic and wonder will enjoy reading it as well. Parents and grandparents who have again refreshed their store of wonder and delight in the magic of the old Christmas tale of elves and reindeer who fly and Santa are likely to enjoy reading the narrative along with a youngster or two whilst sitting at computer.

On the other hand, I have found from many years teaching K 1 age, emergent readers, paper books to hold in the hand, carry home for reading at home with parents and family before tackling the same tale on computer screen has been more readily received by Little Readers.

I would really like to see Fawn and her friends, developed as a series of 32 pages or so, paperback works for the younger set to be used as read as read-to books for the 3 -4 and 5-6 set, before they are given the work as an eBook.

I have found nothing instills a love for reading quite so much as cuddling with parents and grandparents and listening to the story or sitting on the rug at the end of the classroom day as teacher holds the book and reads aloud the adventures held between the covers of 'our favorite book.'

Authored by a 40 year mall and store 'Santa' **Til the Last Snowflake Falls** has come about as a result of the questions presented by Little People and the answer 'Santa' gave in response to the questions regarding Christmas, and Reindeer, and Elves and the magic of Christmas.

All in all I enjoyed '*Til the Last Snowflake Falls*,' very much and am happy to recommend for Middle Grade Readers and beyond.

Vocabulary used is within the scope of most middle grade students, illustrations are handdrawn and colored, and add much to the work .

I hope someone reads the book and sees a potential for it to become a Christmas 'movie'. I think adults and children alike will enjoy it as paperback picture books, movie and eBook for middle grades and adults alike.

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Through almost 40 years as a Santa Claus, Al E. Boy developed quite a repertoire of tales to explain and answer the many questions children ask about Santa, the North Pole, his reindeer, and his friends, the elves. It was this collection of tales which prompted him to begin writing **The Adventures of Fawn**.

Through the young daughter of legendary reindeer Comet and Vixen, he's been able to weave an exciting, colorful, imaginative world which will delight readers of all ages!

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