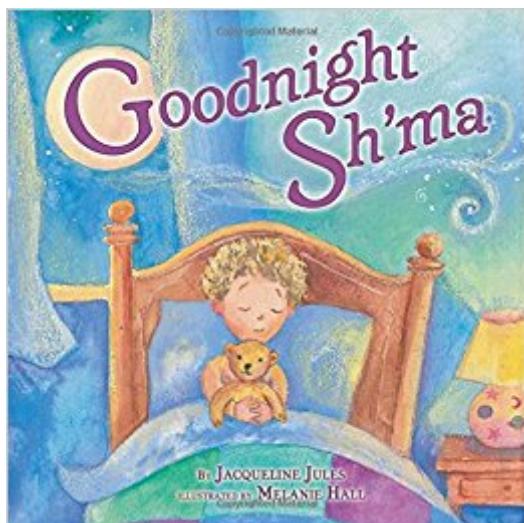


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# Goodnight Sh'ma (Very First Board Books)



## Synopsis

A Jewish child gets ready for bed and says the traditional "Sh'ma" prayer in this beautiful board book with rhyming text. Charming illustrations by award-winning Melanie Hall.

## Book Information

Series: Very First Board Books

Board book: 1 pages

Publisher: Kar-Ben Publishing (September 1, 2008)

Language: English

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Product Dimensions: 6.4 x 0.3 x 6.6 inches

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Age Range: 2 - 4 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## Customer Reviews

Jacqueline Jules is the author of many Kar-Ben books including The Ziz and the Hanukkah Miracle, Noah and the Ziz, The Hardest Word, Once Upon a Shabbos, Clap and Count, and the Bible series Abraham's Search for God and Sarah Laughs, of which this title is the third. Her award-winning poetry and prose has appeared in magazines including Cricket, Cicada, and Highlights for Children. She lives in Arlington, Virginia. Melanie Hall grew up in Manchester-By-the-Sea, Massachusetts. She attended the Rhode Island School of Design and Pratt Institute, receiving her B.F.A. from Pratt Institute. Ms. Hall went on to earn her M.A. at Marywood University in Scranton, Pennsylvania, where she studied children's book illustration. She is the illustrator of over twenty-five children's books.

Jacqueline Jules is a talented children's book author who simultaneously captures important life lessons and a child's imagination. Her books make learning about Judaism fun.

I read this book with my son each night before I feed him and lay him down to sleep. It is about a small child's bedtime routine, which ends with the recitation of the Shema in both transliterated Hebrew and English. My son likes the rhyming text and that it is very short. He's 10 months old and doesn't have a lot of patience for long books, especially when he is tired and/or hungry. I would imagine when he is older, we will still read this book, but might add some other stories first to help him wind down.

We love all of the board books in this series - and this is no exception. Short and simple, which some people do not necessarily like (very simple!) but for introducing young kids to Judaism it's perfect! I look forward to buying more books from this series... and they are all very reasonable!

This book is perfect for my son. He is 8-9 months and loves, loves, loves this book. Every time I pull it out a huge smile wipes across his face. Very simply written and sturdy material for young ones. Recommend 100%.

I have two boys and we bought this when they were 1 and 3. We've read it so much that it's memorized. They are now (almost) 3 and 5. Every night, they recite the BOOK word for word. And that was by their choice because they like it so much. And they like knowing the words to the sh'ma for when we go to Shabbat with our Rabbi. Great deal.

Our granddaughter LOVES this book. And we enjoy reading it to her every night.

So very special. Short and sweet with an important prayer.

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