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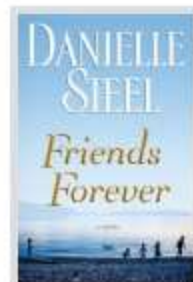
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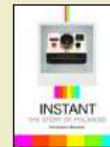
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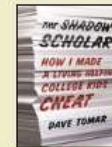
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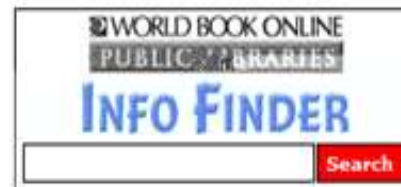
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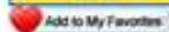
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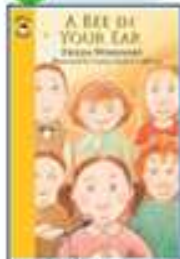
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**Author:** Moers, Walter  
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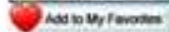
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## Best of 2012: Fiction

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By Palacio, R. J.  
(Book - 2012)

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Auggie Pullman, a 10 year old born with facial abnormalities not expected to survive, goes from being home-schooled to entering private middle school in Manhattan. Wonder is the story of Auggie enduring the taunting and fear of his classmates as he struggles to be seen as just another student.

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