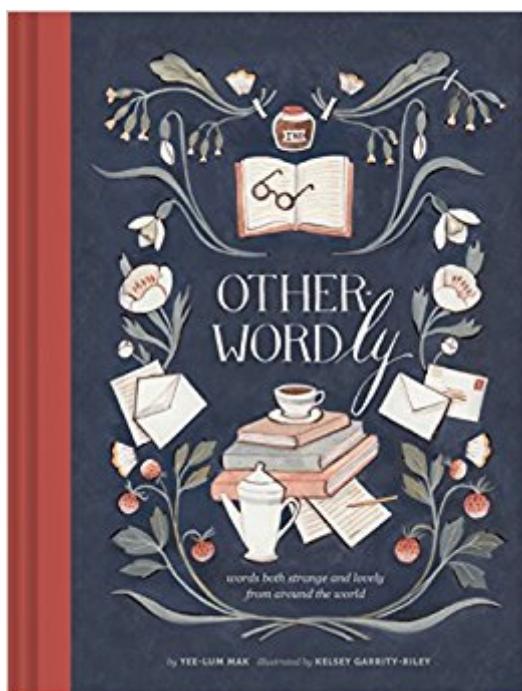


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Other-Wordly: Words Both Strange And Lovely From Around The World



Synopsis

Discover words to surprise, delight, and enamor. Learn terms for the sunlight that filters through the leaves of trees, for dancing awkwardly but with relish, and for the look shared by two people who each wish the other would speak first. Other-Wordly is an irresistible gift for lovers of words and those lost for words alike.

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Customer Reviews

Yee-Lum Mak loved long words best as a kid, but she's since learned that lovely words come in many shapes. She lives in Los Angeles. Kelsey Garrity-Riley studied illustration at the Savannah College of Art and Design. She lives in Brooklyn.

A charming and lovely book... Beautifully illustrated with contents well worth the exploration, either in one sitting or when the mood suits. I hope the author/illustrator feel inspired to create another volume.

Love this book and its illustrations but I didn't give it a five because it missed the obvious inclusion: how to pronounce all the lovely words in it. A phoenic explanation would go far to improve this. The words chosen are great, the illustrations are cute but aside from spending a long time on google trying to find the pronunciation it's a bit useless to try and learn how to use the words.

The words and illustrations were charming, but no pronunciations! I would have loved to be able to say them

Good book, but very disappointed there was no pronunciation guide! If you're going to write a book on unusual words, then it seems almost a requirement you provide this. This lowered the rating considering the words presented originate from many different languages and need this guide for someone not familiar with all these languages.

Other-Wordly is beautifully illustrated and creatively written. It is unique and fun to learn the meaning of words from other cultures.

Love everything about this little book! Wonderful words and wonderful illustrations. Makes a fun gift too!

This book was short and sweet, containing beautiful words from around the world. I loved how the collection of words on each paged affected the theme on that given page. Wonderful.

I gave this book to my mother-in-law for mother's day. It is a great gift idea. Beautiful illustrations and very interesting subject matter. Anyone who likes words and other languages/cultures will find this fascinating.

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