



### **The Green Forest**

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**Ruth Lillegraven**

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Critically acclaimed, Ruth Lillegraven, has written a new collection of poetry for children.

What happens when a child follows a quiet trail through into the green woods? How can a birch resemble a girl whose draining water from her hair? And what about the spearing buds, emerging as fairy breath? And the moose floating on the bottomless pond, will he sink to reach the other side of the world?

Ruth Lillegraven writes with delicacy about the small details. *The Green Forest* trails a child's wondering gaze through the life and rhythms of nature. As with the Brage-nominated collection of poetry *I am I am I am*, Lillegraven introduces children to poetry, this time on a journey through the forest.

The book is illustrated by award-winning Mari Kanstad Johnsen.

### **Ruth Lillegraven**

Ruth Lillegraven debuted with the collection of poetry *Big Bad Poems* in 2005. Since she has published a novel, three further poetry collections, and has been translated into several languages. She has also published six books for children, among them *I am I am I am* and *Into the Forest* and the play *Cally*. Her work has been nominated for several awards, and won, among others, The Brage-Prize and Nynorsk Literature Prize. Her latest novel, *Deep Fjord*, is a great success with multiple international sales. Nordisk film has bought the film rights to adapt it to the screen.