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## by EZEKIEL KWAYMULLINA and SALLY MORGAN

#### ABOUT THE BOOK

Housed in a beautiful slipcase for first-time readers, *Beneath the Stars* is a bundle of best-selling titles *We All Sleep* and *My Country*, as well as a brand new board book, *Dreamers*. This collection from acclaimed mother-and-son-team Sally Morgan and Ezekiel Kwaymullina takes readers on a journey and lends itself to interactive reading aloud with play-acting or actions.

### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Ezekiel Kwaymullina is from the Palyku people of the Pilbara region of Western Australia. He is the author of *Colour Me* and *The Two-Hearted Numbat* and was a contributor to the anthology *Meet Me At the Intersection*.

### ABOUT THE ILLUSTRATOR

Sally Morgan was born in Perth, in 1951. She has published books for both adults and children, inlcuding her acclaimed autobiography, *My Place*. She has also established a national reputation as an artist and has works in many private and public collections.

#### NOTES

- The new board book edition of *Dreamers* is exclusive to the *Beneath the Stars* bundle.
- *We All Sleep* was first published in 2015 and was shortlisted for the Western Australian Premier's Book Awards in 2016.
- *My Country* was published in 2011 and was a 2012 Children's Book Council of Australia Picture Books and Early Childhood Notable.

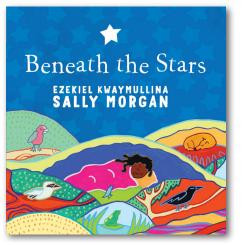
### PRAISE FOR THE CREATORS

'Full of fun and the joy of living, the book is a treat to read a loud and read alone.' *ReadPlus* 

'The illustrations vibrate on the page, opulent colours that bring to life country and its creatures.' *National Indigenous Times* 

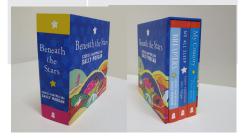
'The beautiful illustrations are diverse and evocative.' The West Australian

'From the dynamism of the watery endpapers to the flight of the kookaburra, all her images resonate with an acute vibrancy.' *Magpies* 



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	Slipcase





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