



# “A Chair for my Mother”

by Vera B. Williams

*A Chair for my Mother* is written and illustrated by Vera B. Williams. Copyright 1982. Published by Greenwillow Books, an imprint of HarperCollins Publishers.

## **Publisher Book Description:**

After their home is destroyed by a fire, Rosa, her mother, and grandmother save their coins to buy a really comfortable chair for all to enjoy. *A Chair for My Mother* has sold more than a million copies and is an ideal choice for reading and sharing at home and in the classroom.

## **About the Author**

Vera B. Williams began her career in children’s books by illustrating *Hooray for Me!*, written by Remy Charlip with Lilian Moore. Her beloved *A Chair for My Mother* won multiple awards, including a Caldecott Honor, and “More, More, More,” *Said the Baby* also received a Caldecott Honor. Vera B. Williams was the recipient of the Jane Addams Children’s Book Award; she was awarded the 2009 NSK Neustadt Prize for Children’s Literature; and she was the US nominee for the Hans Christian Andersen Award in 2004.

