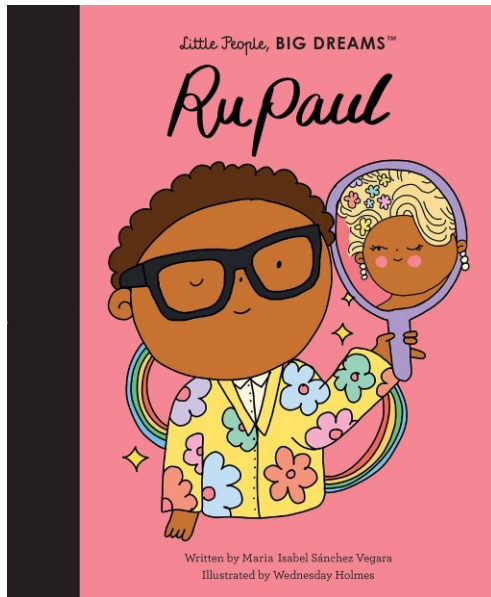


LITTLE PEOPLE, BIG DREAMS RUPAUL



Book Summary:

Designed for very young children, this book discusses dressing in drag via RuPaul's sensational biography.

Summary of Concerns:

This book contains alternate genders and sexualities.

Easy Reader

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5	Playing dress-up was Ru's favorite game- and that is where he channeled his magic.
9	Playing with his first punk band, he mixed a prom dress with army boots on stage. Everyone wondered if he was a boy or a girl.
11	He was 21 when he moved to New York with his friend Lady Bunny. Wearing a wig and a pair of heels they showed up at every single party. They were the most fabulous drag queens in the Lower East Side.
13	<p>But drag was not only about having fun and dressing up. For Ru, it was a way to express himself as an artist.</p> <p>The illustration on this page depicts a bald man with a floral suit on. He is looking into a mirror. The reflection in the mirror is that of a woman with a similar face of the man's with blonde hair and earrings.</p>
14	He mixed a spoonful of everything he loved and admired, and put his heart into becoming the woman of his dreams.
15	On and offstage, Ru had found his true groove! She felt as comfortable in high heels...
16	<p>It was time to share his joy and meet someone special: his husband Georges.</p> <p>The illustration on this page depicts two men sitting together on a couch. One man has his left hand on the other man's thigh while the man wearing yellow, has his arm around the other man's shoulders. There are hearts coming up from between the two men. There is a gay pride flag and a rainbow in picture frames on the wall behind the men.</p> <p><i>See Figure 1.</i></p>
18	Soon, he was asked to be the first drag queen ever to star in a make-up advert.
22	All of his dreams had come true, so Ru decided to help others achieve theirs by finding America's next drag superstar.
23	Ru's show became an inspiration for thousands of lonely kids who felt that they had finally found their people.
24	And what's more important- a fabulous way to celebrate who they were and what they liked.
25	By sharing with the world the beauty of drag,...
27	Determined to find a community he loved and that would love him back, Ru discovered an emerging culture called drag. Drag was everything he had ever dreamed of: dazzling outfits, exciting performances, and whip-smart queens with fierce personalities. The drag queens who became his friends had had touch childhoods, just like him, and RuPaul finally understood.
28	By the end of the 1980's, he was known as the 'Queen of New York.' ...Today, he remains an LGBTQ+ icon and a champion of drag culture,...



Figure 1