

What They Are Saying About *The Klezmer Bunch*

"It's a winner! *The Klezmer Bunch* is a rollicking , informative tale with art so witty and lyrical that one can almost hear the music playing. Bravo Amalia!"
Pat Cummings, recipient of the Coretta Scott King Illustrator Award, the Boston Globe-Horn Award and the NCTE Pictus Award for Outstanding Nonfiction for Children.

"Once again Amalia's illustrations take the reader on a dynamic, extraordinary journey and the informative text serves as a cultural bridge!"
R. Gregory Christie, two times recipient of the New York Times Certificate of Excellence, three times recipient of the Coretta Scott King Illustrator Honor Award.

"Amalia Hoffman's illustrations are so joyous, so filled with humor, delight and whimsy, I smiled until my face ached!"
Neil Waldman, recipient of the National Jewish Book Award, the Christopher Award, the Sydney Taylor Award, the Smithsonian Notable Award, the American Library Association Notable Award and the Parent's Choice Award among others.

"*The Klezmer Bunch* is a spirited and engaging story...The illustrations in this book are as fun to look at as the story is to read, and kids of all ages will delight in studying the illustrations in order to tease out all the unique elements that are hidden within the pictures, from musical notes to a host of engaging creatures. Although technically a "kids" book, the story and lively illustrations will delight readers of all ages, and the snappy story line captures the essence of Klezmer music and will be a pleasure to read over and over again to the pre - readers in your family."
Anna Dogole, The Jewish Eye

“A full of fun story celebrating the joy of music, particularly klezmer music...There is a lot of Jewish content and terminology... The illustrations, created by a talented illustrator, have depth and detail and successfully exemplify the humor inherent in the story.

Shelly Feit, Jewish Book World fall, 2009