



Good Boy Timmy
by Eric Walters
Illustrated by
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Timmy is a good dog. Everybody in the family knows that. Timmy actually prides himself on being better behaved than other dogs, like the ones he sees in the neighborhood and at the park. But sometimes he feels like his people just take him for granted and assume that he'll never do anything wrong.

He could change that! After all, he is the relative of wild wolves, the cousin of cunning coyotes, the descendent of daring dingoes, and the friend of fearless foxes. Timmy fantasizes about all the things he could do wrong, all the things he might do wrong, when the family is out. Maybe not today, but he could!

The story is illustrated by the amazing Eugenie Fernandez who brings Timmy and his world to life.

The Author

Eric Walters began writing in 1993 as a way to entice his grade 5 students into becoming more interested in reading and writing, and Walters has now published 120 novels and picture books. His works have become bestsellers, been translated into 16 languages, and won over 100 awards, including 8 Forest of Reading awards and the 2020 Governor General's Literary Award. He conceived of I Read Canadian Day and is a tireless presenter, speaking to over 100,000 students per year across North America. In 2014, Walters was named a Member of The Order of Canada. He lives in Guelph, Ontario with his wife, Anita, and they have 3 grown children - Christina, Nicholas, and Julia - and 6 grandchildren.

Praise for previous works:

The King of Jam Sandwiches

"A superb middle grade novel that focuses on the effects of poverty and mental illness on children and their families. Not only is it a realistic portrayal, but its being written in a nonjudgmental and compassionate way allows children to better understand a very serious topic. Highly Recommended."

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