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5.0 out of 5 stars What a fabulous book for the Little MisFit in all of us! Reviewed in the United States July 6, 2020  
What a fabulous book for the Little MisFit in all of us! The chapter format of the book and the underlying subjects that come through in Ivy Sue's quirky adventures through life are sure to bring about great bedtime conversations between parents and children. It was a delight to find such a lovely book that will speak to any age. Now I just need Book 2!!

**Book 2- "Life Isn't Always Fair" in publication – 2022 from London's Austin Macauley**

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# Life Lessons and Tales of Little MisFit – Book 1: Life Isn't Always What It Seems



**AWARD WINNING Author: Dr. S. K. Grunin**

In this book a Great Life Lesson promotes sharing of life lessons between children, young adults and adults. **Life Lessons and Tales of Little MisFit- Book 1: Life Isn't Always What It Seems**, is a collection of humorous tales that were created for kids ages 4-10 to see that it's natural and okay to not always fit in and to be different from other kids. It was designed to help all young children, and young adults, including those with needing to build their confidence and self-esteem. It provides examples of situations and how humor and allowing oneself to be oneself helps us to develop and build resiliency and coping skills as well allow them to use their own imagination and bravado to grow in their own way and to follow their own path in life. The humorous tales are great for providing a media for kids to not only share their own life stories but to also ask parents, grandparents, teachers and mentors about their own life lessons & tales.

## **About the Author**

As a professional coach, educator, probation officer, scout leader and trainer, Dr. Grunin has spent her life dedicated to helping adults, young adults and children develop their self-esteem and resiliency. Dr. G. also paints with oil themes from nature, particularly sunsets (check out her art and photography on her website). Her work has been featured in Art Shows, newsletters and calendars in the Naples, Florida area of the United States. In 2019 and 2020 her work appeared in Art Poems, Inc. and was exhibited at major galleries in Naples, FL, where she resides with her husband. Howard, and their Shiba Inu, Kona.

## **Examples of Reviews:**

5.0 out of 5 stars A good learning tool for children.

Reviewed in the United States on June 23, 2020

I found this book fast reading and enjoyable. What I liked about it is that it is told from the viewpoint of a precocious little girl who at the age of 3, begins to realize that she doesn't always fit in with what's considered normal little girl behavior. She puts the situations into context which helps her maintain her independence and strength rather than turn inward and self-conscious. I think it's a fun, educational story for children and adults about handling life's lessons.

5.0 out of 5 stars Refreshing tales from childhood

Reviewed in the United States on July 7, 2020

This little book captures the wonderful curiosity and creativity of childhood, depicting the humorous incidents of a young girl who tends to be an impulsive tomboy and prankster. It is interesting for an adult to see how children can interpret and misinterpret what adults do and say. I could relate to the tomboy and nonconformist stories easily. Because it is simply written with helpful illustrations, it is also suitable for young readers. Very enjoyable.

5.0 out of 5 stars Truly a must read for children.

Reviewed in the United States on June 24, 2020

Just finished S.K. Grunin's Life Lessons and Tales of Little Misfit. Ivy Sue has a flair for the outrageous. Found myself laughing out loud. Reminded me of my childhood. I drank holy water too! Ivy Sue's love of reading is a message to all, and what a lifesaver it is! Truly a must read for children. Waiting for next book.