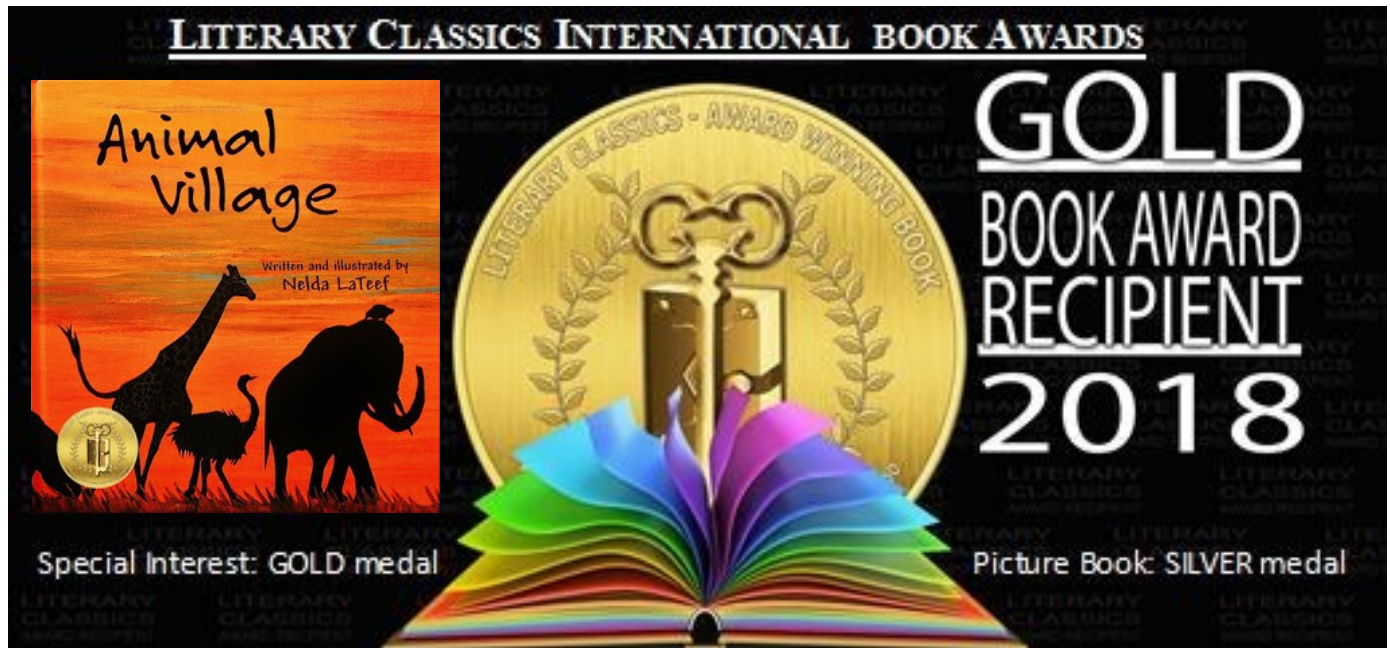


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Animal Village

Written & Illustrated by Nelda LaTeef

Special Interest—GOLD medal Picture Book—SILVER medal

SOUTH DAKOTA – The 2018 Literary Classics International Book Award recipients have been announced. Selected from submissions by entrants around the globe, these distinguished honorees are recognized for their contributions to the craft of writing, illustrating, and publishing exceptional literature for a youth audience. In this highly competitive industry these books represent the foremost in literature in their respective categories.

The competition this year was tremendous, and we congratulate all honorees for their outstanding and inspiring work. All Gold, Silver and Top Honors award recipients will be invited to attend a writers' conference, awards ceremony, formal gala, and other related events to be held in conjunction with the Great American Book Festival, in May 2019.

The Literary Classics selection committee is proud to recognize this year's titles in literature which exemplify the criteria set forth by the Literary Classics selection committee.

Animal Village is a lovely tale with an enduring message of strength in humility and the power of persistence. Beautifully penned and illustrated by Nelda LaTeef, the pages of this book come to life as children are inspired by this time-honored folk tale. Recommended for home and school libraries, *Animal Village* has earned the gold medal in the category of "Special Interest," Silver Medal in the category of "Picture Book /Young Readers," and the Literary Classics Seal of Approval.

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