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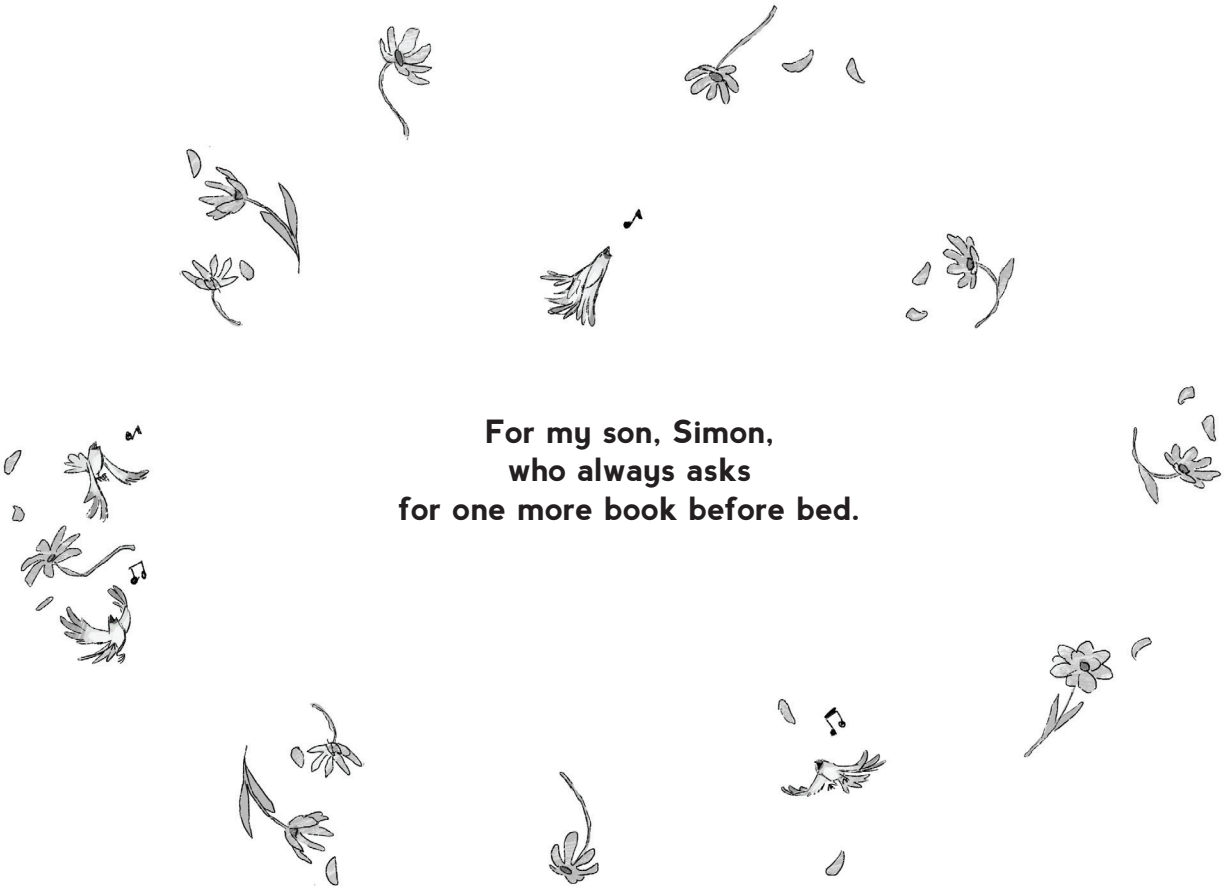
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A circular arrangement of line drawings of flowers and birds with musical notes. The drawings are scattered around the central text, creating a decorative border. The flowers are simple line drawings with five petals and a central stem. The birds are also simple line drawings, shown in flight. Musical notes are scattered throughout the arrangement, adding a whimsical touch.

**For my son, Simon,
who always asks
for one more book before bed.**

Once there was a Color-Coded Town. In that Town, they had just one rule:

NO GRAYS ALLOWED!



That's right. No Grays. Ever. You see, the Town took special pride in their Colors. Yellow was vibrant, Purple was royal, and Red was bold. Anyone would tell you that.

But Gray? Gray was nothing to boast about, and so it was NOT welcome.

