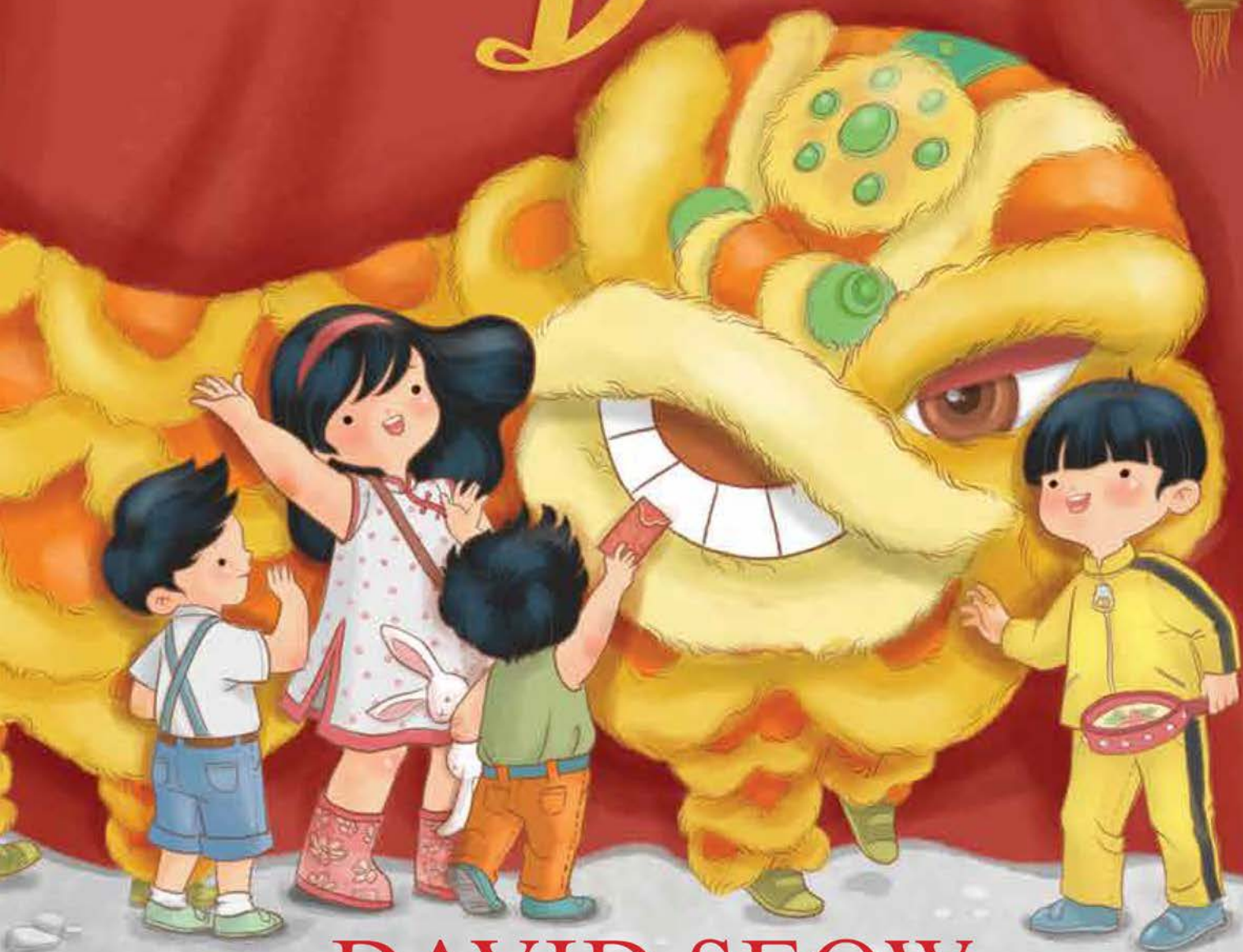


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For Samantha, Sebastian, Jeremy, Alexander  
and their friend, Eoin Samalo.

– David

To Dorin, Clara, Charmaine, Cheryl and baby Lauren.

Love you girls.

– Soefara

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One extra-special holiday,  
Mama and Papa came to say,  
“We’re going to watch  
a lion dance today.”

As Sam, Sebbie and Di-Di-Di  
began to laugh and shout,  
baby Xandy wondered  
what the fuss was all about.

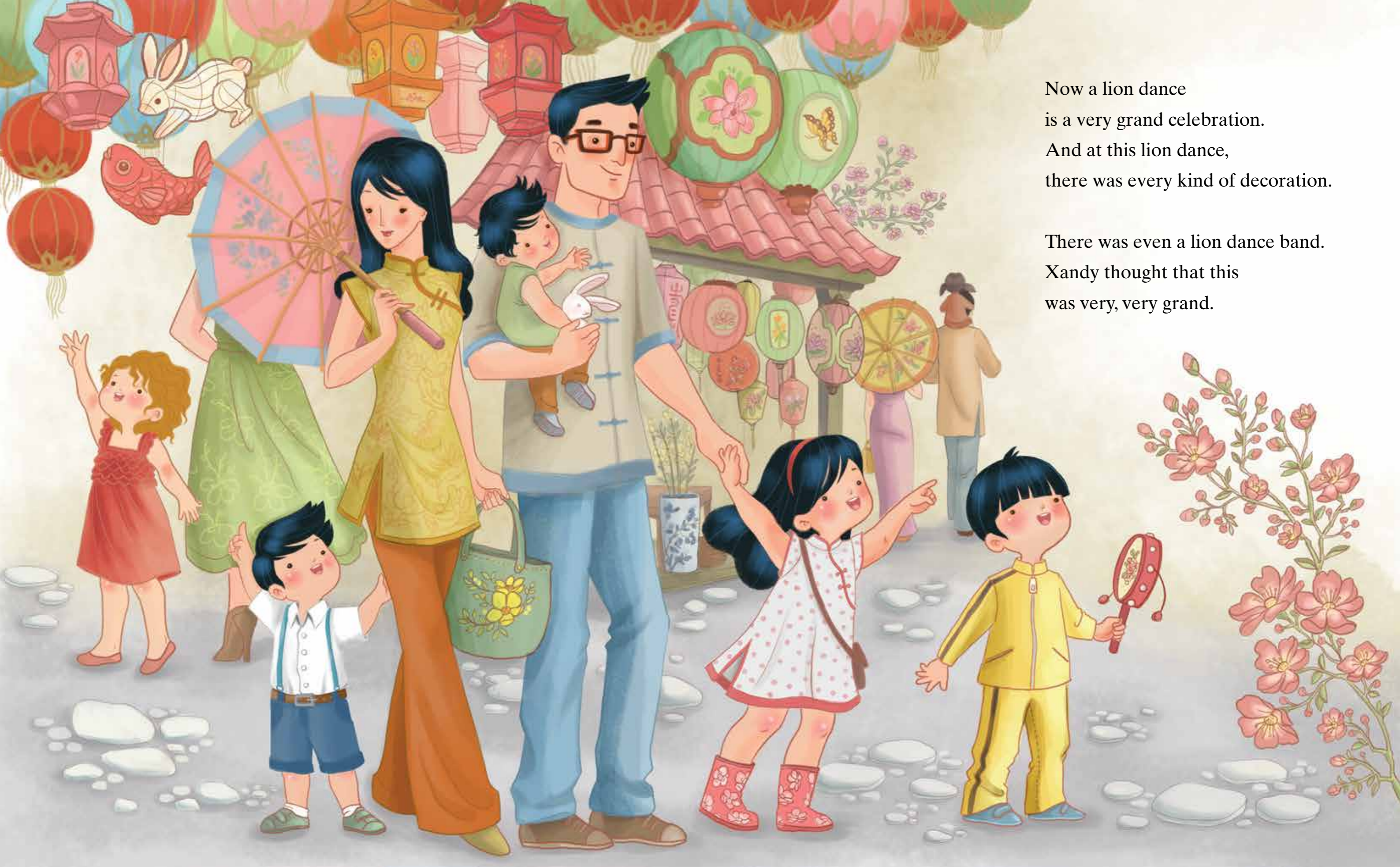




Could lions really dance?  
he wondered.  
Even the lions from  
Africa and France?

Do lions dance  
like we do?  
And do they wear  
fancy costumes too?

Xandy had never seen  
a lion dance before.  
He wondered if they  
danced on two legs or four.



Now a lion dance  
is a very grand celebration.  
And at this lion dance,  
there was every kind of decoration.

There was even a lion dance band.  
Xandy thought that this  
was very, very grand.



*Doong doong chang!*  
Sam, Sebbie, Di-Di-Di and  
Xandy are going to see a  
lion dance today.

But where is the lion?  
Is he still at the zoo?  
Or stuck backstage?  
When the siblings find  
the lion, they decide  
to surprise everyone with  
a performance of their own.



Look for these other  
Sam, Sebbie and  
Di-Di-Di books

