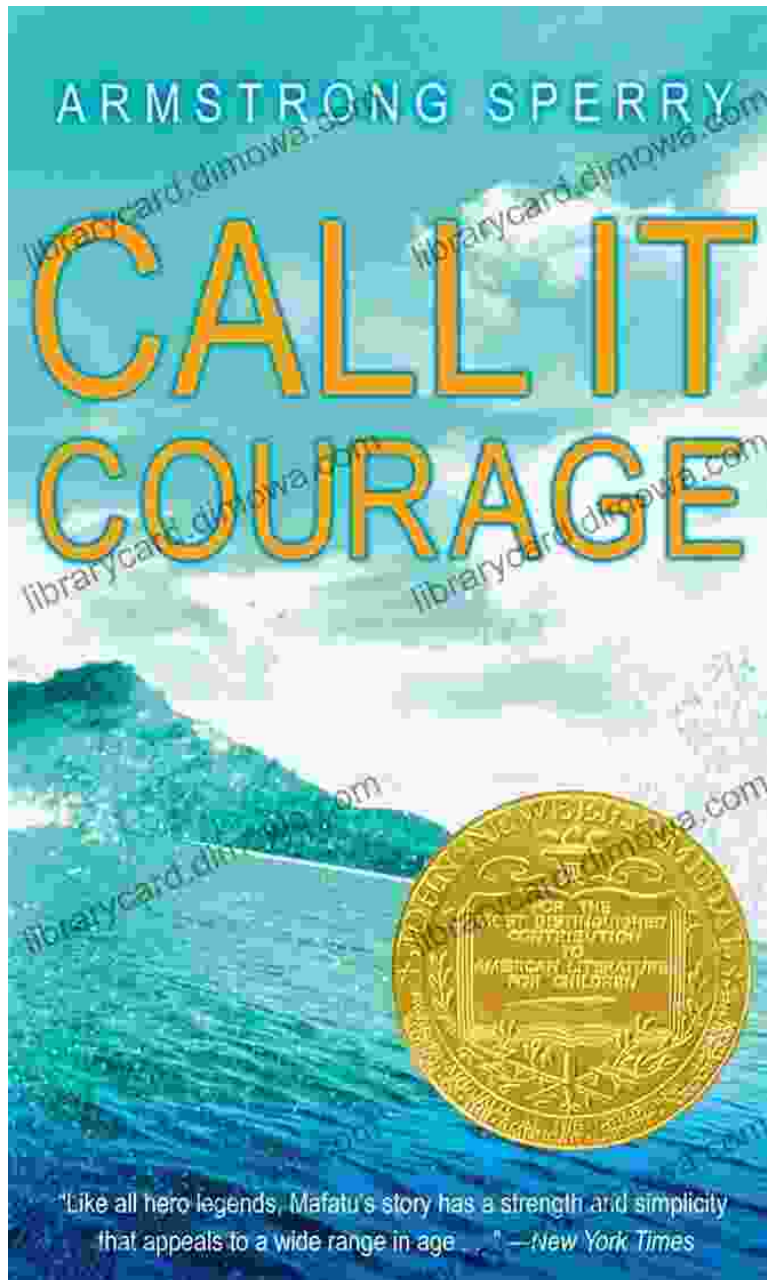


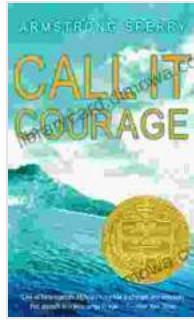
# Call It Courage: A Journey of Triumph and Transformation



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**Awards:** Newbery Medal for the most distinguished contribution to American literature for children (1941)

### **Embark on an Extraordinary Adventure**

In the heart of the Polynesian islands, where the waves crash upon the shores and the lush vegetation paints a vibrant tapestry, there unfolds a tale of courage and transformation. Call It Courage, the beloved novel by Armstrong Sperry, invites you on an unforgettable journey alongside Mafatu, a young boy who must confront his greatest fear to find his true destiny.

From the moment he was born, Mafatu was plagued by an overwhelming fear of the sea. In the Polynesian culture, where the ocean is an integral part of life, Mafatu's phobia made him an outcast among his peers.

Shunned and ridiculed, he carried the weight of his fear like a heavy stone upon his heart.

But destiny had a different path in store for Mafatu. One fateful day, as he watched his village being ravaged by a destructive storm, he realized that his fear could no longer hold him captive. Summoning a newfound determination, Mafatu embarked on a perilous journey to conquer his phobia and prove his worth as a true warrior.

### **Meet the Unforgettable Characters**

At the heart of Call It Courage lies a cast of unforgettable characters who will stay with you long after you finish reading the book.

- **Mafatu:** The young protagonist who must overcome his fear of the sea to become a true warrior.
- **Uriah:** Mafatu's wise and supportive grandfather who encourages him to face his fears.
- **Tala:** Mafatu's devoted sister who believes in his abilities.
- **Koro:** The village chief who initially doubts Mafatu's courage but comes to admire his determination.
- **Ranu:** A mischievous and competitive boy who becomes Mafatu's rival but ultimately recognizes his bravery.

### **Timeless Themes of Courage and Transformation**

Call It Courage is more than just an adventure story; it's a timeless exploration of the themes of courage, transformation, and the power of the human spirit. Through Mafatu's journey, we learn that:

- **Fear is a natural part of life, but it doesn't have to define us.**
- **With determination and support, we can overcome our fears and achieve our dreams.**
- **True courage is not about being fearless, but about facing our fears with strength and resilience.**
- **Transformation is possible when we have the courage to step outside of our comfort zones.**
- **The human spirit is capable of extraordinary things when fueled by courage and determination.**

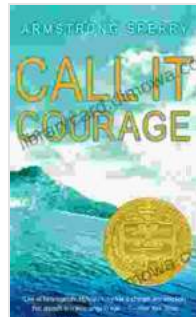
### **Why You Should Read Call It Courage**

Call It Courage is a classic children's novel that has captured the hearts of readers for generations. Here are just a few reasons why you should add it to your reading list:

- **It's a captivating adventure story that will keep you on the edge of your seat.**
- **It features unforgettable characters that you'll come to love and admire.**
- **It explores timeless themes of courage, transformation, and the human spirit.**
- **It's a beautifully written book that will transport you to the lush and vibrant Polynesian islands.**
- **It's a book that will stay with you long after you finish reading it and inspire you to face your own fears with courage and determination.**

Don't miss out on the extraordinary journey of Call It Courage. Free Download your copy today and embark on an unforgettable adventure that will transform your heart and soul.

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