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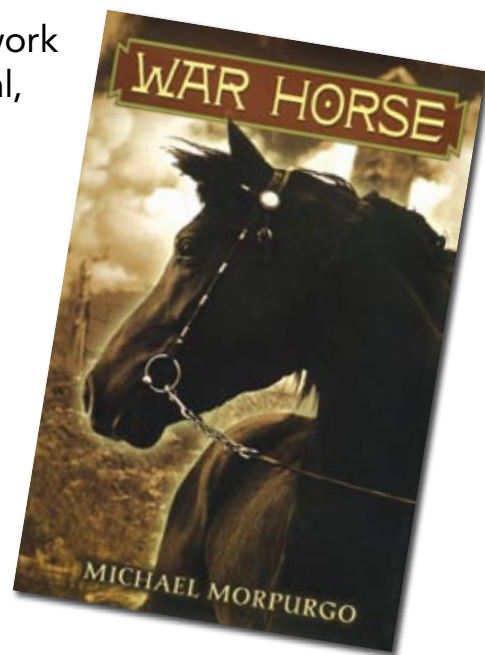


War Horse

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Joey is a beautiful farm horse that Albert loves. But the family finds it must sell Joey to support the family and the war effort. Albert is afraid he'll never see his beloved companion again. This gripping war story is told from the perspective of the horse—the battles, his riders and commanders, and, most of all, the losses of war. Joey becomes part of a heroic rescue team in one battle and finally is conscripted to work for the enemy. For anyone who has ever loved an animal, *War Horse* is a story that will never leave your heart.



*Appropriate for
grades 6 - 8*