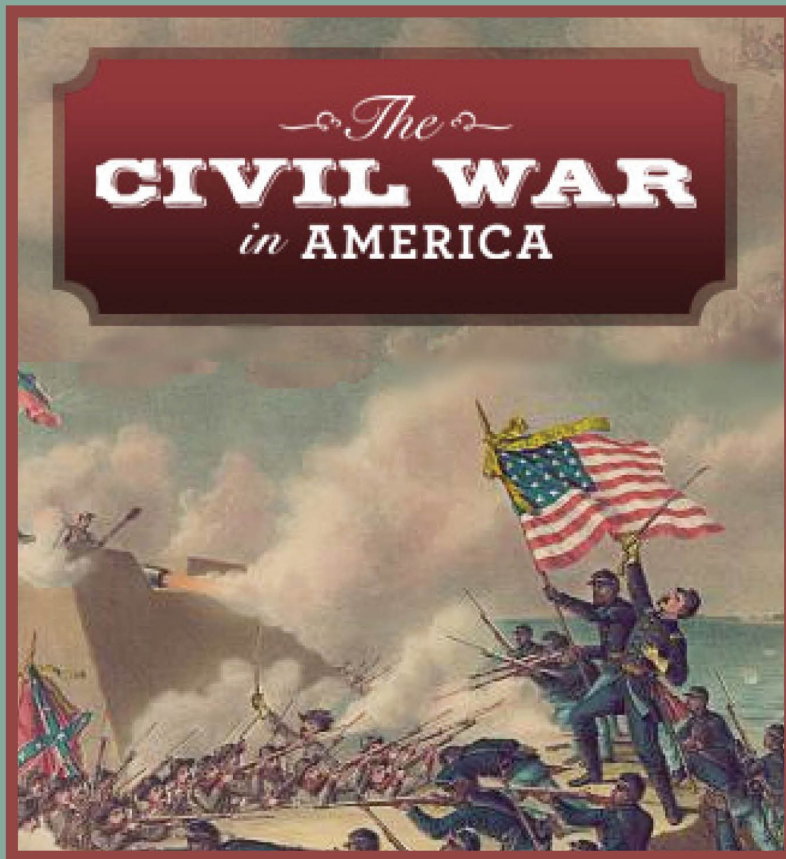


# Civil War in America



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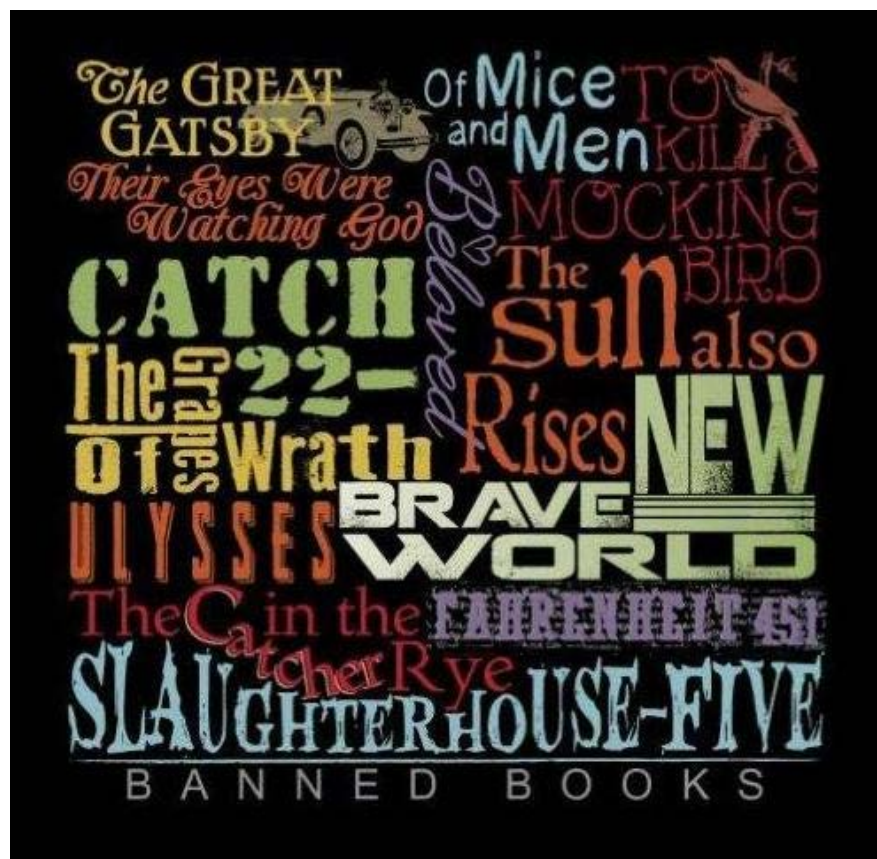
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# Kate DiCamillo



## Named New National Ambassador for Young People's Literature 2014-2015

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Kate DiCamillo has prestigious awards such as winner of the Newbery Medal and a Newbery Honor, a National Book Award Finalist, and a Boston Globe–Horn Book Award Winner.

She has accomplished 12 New York Times best-selling titles and sold over 20.5 million copies of her books. DiCamillo has had two major feature-film adaptations of her books: *Because of Winn-Dixie* and *The Tale of Despereaux*.

