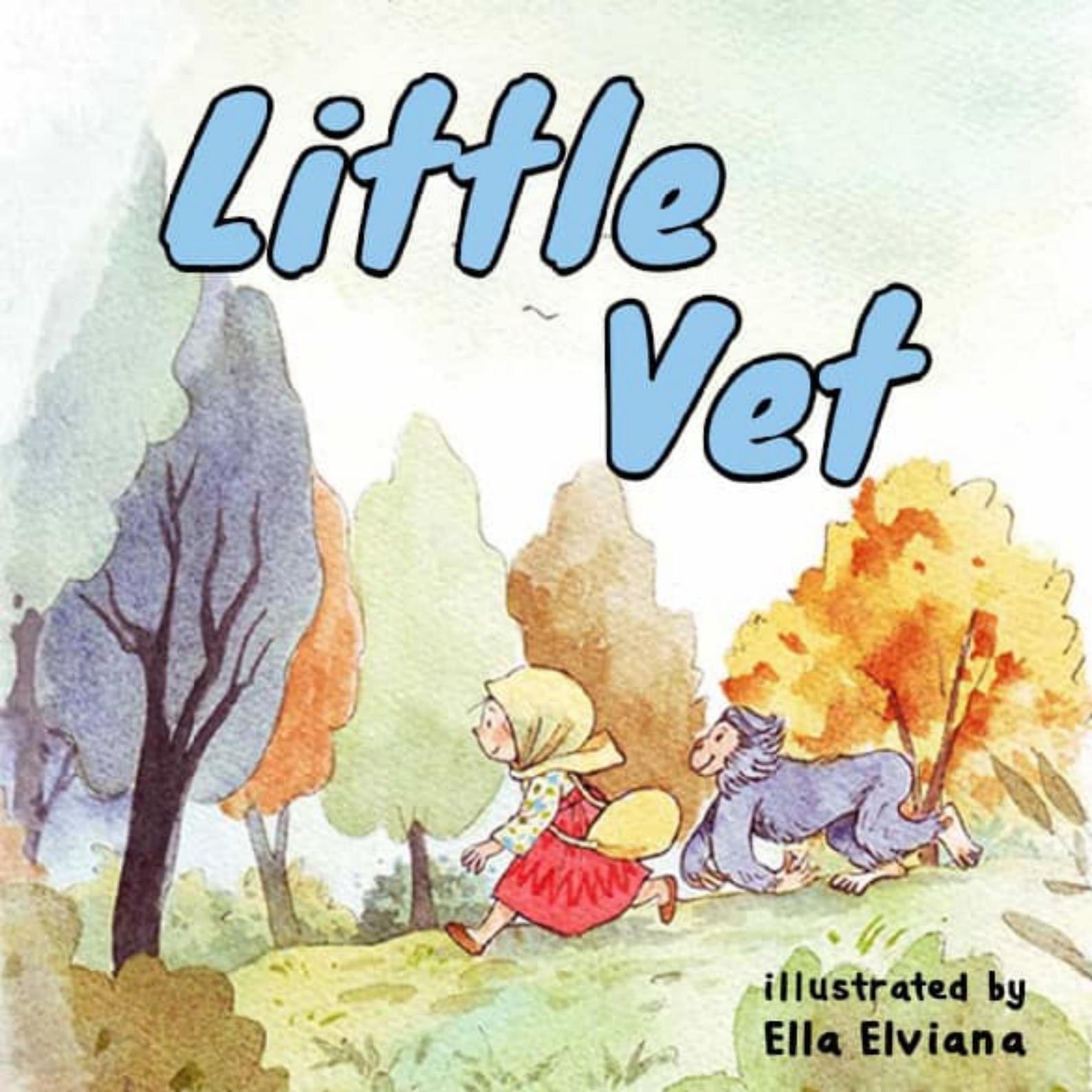


Little Vet



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Meg is a vet.

A young bear cub has hurt his leg, and Meg is working to fix it.

When the leg is all healed, the bear cub goes on his way. He is so grateful to have Meg as his vet.



Meg has had so many patients that she has run out of one of the natural medicines.

She didn't notice that the jar was getting empty.

She wraps her head in a scarf and heads out to find the precious medicine. She knows exactly where the rare herb grows.

It is difficult to get to
the only place the herb
grows. Meg must climb
rocks and skirt puddles
to get there.

She doesn't stop.

She needs to have the
medicine.

Deep in the jungle,
she finds the plant.

On the way back, she
comes across a
monkey with a terrible
itch.



The rare herb is just what he needs.

She makes a paste from it and smooths it over his itchy skin.

Then she passes a nest of
an enormous bird.

It is holding its leg all
wrong, and Meg knows
what to do.





A little more of the rare herb goes onto his leg before she wraps it up to keep the wound dry.

Meg thinks she can get the herb home now.

Then she meets a baby deer tangled up in vines.



Meg puts down the bag of precious herbs while she wrestles with the rest of the vine. She wants to make sure no other animal gets tangled.

She had her back turned and didn't see the fawn munching hungrily on the last of the herbs in her bag. He is so little.

She lets him finish it.
She can get more.



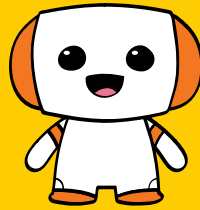
On the way back to
where the herb grows,
Meg meets the
monkey and the bird.

'We thought you were
going home,' they say.

Meg tells them where
the last of the
medicine has gone.

The monkey wants to help and he gladly goes with Meg to get more.

'The vet needs to be looked after too,' he says.



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