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## *About Ashley*

Ashley Finley has been passionate about connecting with others her entire life. This passion inspired her to complete her bachelor's and master's degrees in social work from The University of Texas at Arlington and Barry University.

As a social worker and teacher, Ashley saw the importance of having social-emotional-focused children's books with characters of color. Ashley is now using her social work, counseling and teaching experience to create such stories that empower readers to connect with, respect, and value themselves and others around them. Ashley founded JJ Carson Press to add more richness and diversity to the children's book market by publishing stories told from the point of view of black protagonists that teach social-emotional lessons.

Ashley is also a native Texan, wife and mother to two energetic young boys.



# *Jade's Secret Ingredients: A Recipe for Managing Feelings*



## *Summary*

Jade is a little kid that sometimes has BIG feelings. But, she has a secret recipe just for them. Join Jade and Granny as they explore various emotions that arise during baking, and create simple strategies to manage them. Jade's Secret Ingredients: A Recipe for Managing Feelings is a fun and heartfelt story that breaks down emotional regulation into bite size pieces that readers of all ages can use.

## *Social-Emotional Skills Addressed*

- Mindfulness
- Resilience
- Humor
- Self-Care
- Affirmations
- Self-Control
- Relaxation
- Reflection
- Gratitude

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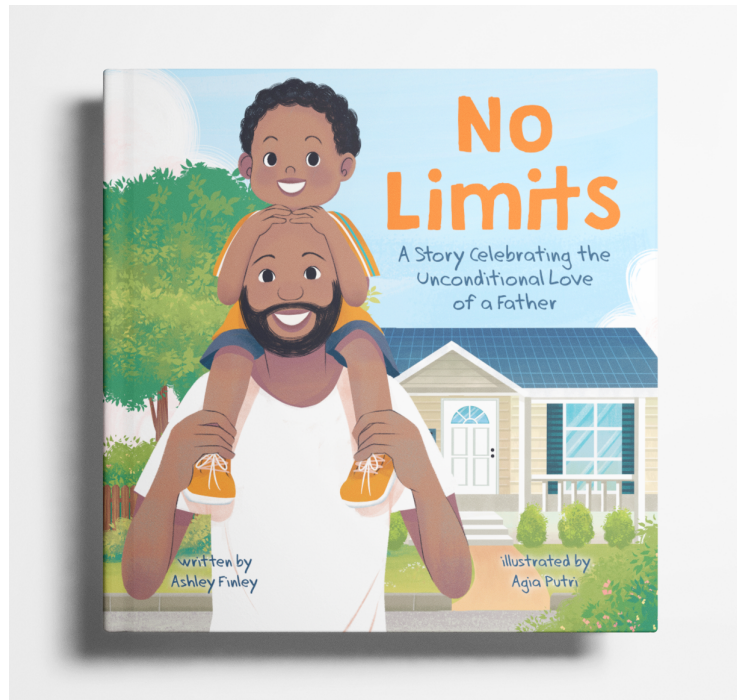
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# *No Limits: A Story Celebrating the Unconditional Love of a Father*



## *Summary*

No Limits: A Story Celebrating the Unconditional Love of a Father is a beautiful message of affirmation written in simple rhyming verse. The story depicts the boundless devotion a father has for his son as the boy grows from infancy to young adulthood. Parents and their children will enjoy this book's heartfelt message of comfort and security long after they turn the last page.

## *Social-Emotional Skills Addressed*

- Unconditional Love
- Acceptance during various life stages

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