

《JBBY 希望プロジェクト》文字がなくてもわかる子どもの本

Picturebooks with few/no words



Ages: 3+

Quick, Fly Away!

Title	Quick, Fly Away!	そら、にげろ
Author	Suekichi Akaba	赤羽末吉
Publisher/year	Kaiseisha 1978	偕成社 1978

► Description

This is the best-known work by Suekichi Akaba, winner of the Hans Christian Andersen Award for Illustration. Totally wordless, it shows a man on a journey who is wearing a kimono with a bird pattern. A dog barks at the birds, startling them, and they fly out of the fabric. The poor traveler's struggle to catch them unfolds over eighteen spreads that show the passage of the four seasons. Paging through is exciting, like watching silent animation. Look out for the sub-stories! This masterpiece capitalizes on the picture book form.

犬にほえられ、旅人の着物からもよの鳥が逃げだした。旅人は野を越え、山を越え、鳥を追いかける。絵を読む楽しみがある。国際アンデルセン賞を獲得した作家による文字なし絵本。(偕成社より)