



## **Book Review**

### **Finding the Right Spot: When Kids Can't Live With Their Parents**

By Janice Levy

The Right Spot is a children's book, targeting children roughly between the ages of 7-12 who are in foster care. It is the story of a young girl whose mother has substance abuse issues and cannot care for her, so she goes to a foster home. She has a birthday while in care with this foster mother, who does everything she can to make it a special day, in spite of the fact that the mother has promised to visit and doesn't show up. She does call, however, but is under the influence, which is even more upsetting to the child. How the foster mother handles this situation makes this book a worthwhile read and is a wonderful tool to begin those difficult discussions with children that we all must have as foster parents at one time or another.

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