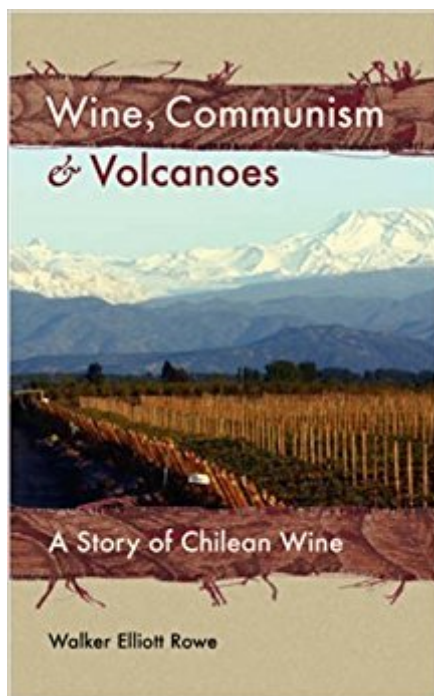


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Joanna Walsh has written and illustrated several books for children, including "The Biggest Kiss", "The Perfect Hug", and "I Love Mom", all illustrated by Judi Abbot.

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This book is awesome if you're interested in Chilean wines and the unique soil they are grown on due to the Andes volcanic ash. It's a really good read for anyone, wine enthusiasts, geologists, historians, geographers and students. Highly recommended if you're interested in South America.

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