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A follow up to **The Adventures of Bert**, this collaboration between two master picture book makers displays a similarly minimalist approach to story telling. Bert is a cheery rotund everyman in a three-generation family where everybody including the dog is called Bert. Only one of the stories exceeds 100 words in length and not much happens in any of them: Bert introduces his dog, has a haircut, avoids eating his cabbage, shares his crisps, loses and finds his dog, then goes to bed. That's it, but the play of the page-filling paintings with a simple text that talks to the reader creates a sequence of episodes that are funny in themselves and full of potential for further humorous exploration with young readers.

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