

Mangoes and Blue Jays

An injured baby blue jay that cannot fly fulfills a prophecy by rising to lead the animals of a South Florida mango grove against the human forces threatening to destroy their home.

In the lush, interconnected world of a mango grove on the edge of the Florida Everglades, a community of animals lives in delicate balance. They are guided by tradition, sustained by the land, and bound together by an unspoken harmony.

When a young blue jay named May is born different, she is smaller, fragile, and unable to fly. Her place in that world is uncertain. After a devastating fall leaves her permanently grounded, May must confront a life she never imagined—one without the very ability that defines her kind.

As unseen human forces begin to alter the flow of water and encroach upon the grove, the natural order begins to unravel. The swamp recedes, the mango harvest is threatened, and the fragile ecosystem faces collapse. At the same time, a long-foretold prophecy emerges—one that speaks of an unlikely leader: a blue jay who cannot fly.

With her father, the grove's respected leader, critically injured, May is thrust into a role no one expects her to fulfill—including herself.

Guided by instinct, spirit, and the unlikely alliances of creatures great and small, May must discover her voice, unite a divided community, and lead a stand against the forces that threaten to erase their way of life.

Set against the vibrant and vanishing landscapes of South Florida, *Mangoes and Blue Jays* is an animated story of resilience, leadership, and purpose, where the smallest voice may carry the greatest strength, and where true flight is not measured by wings, but by courage.