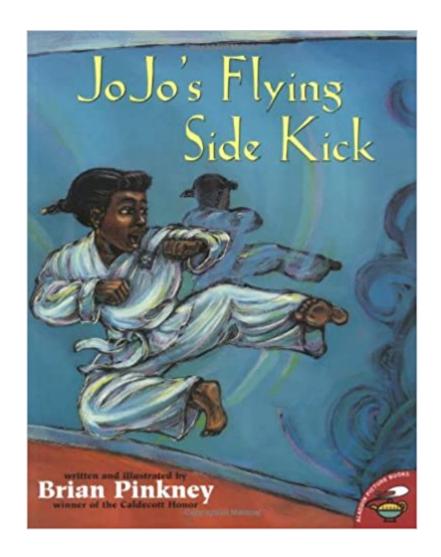


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# **JoJo's Flying Sidekick**





## **Synopsis**

When Master Kim announces JoJo is ready to take the test for her yellow belt, butterflies start fluttering in her stomach. JoJo loves Tae Kwon Do, but can she really do a perfect flying side kick and break a board in two? Her family and friends offer all sorts of advice: "Do a little shuffle to chase the jitters away," says Grandaddy. "Yell 'KIAH!' at the top of your lungs," P.J. advises. "Why don't you visualize your technique?" Mom suggests. But how can JoJo ever hope to succeed when she's still afraid of the creepy bandit tree outside her bedroom window? JoJo needs to find a way to turn her fears into success, and she soon realizes there's only one person who can help her do that -- herself.

## **Book Information**

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Writing about a boy trying to earn a yellow belt in Tae Kwon Do, Pinkney (who holds a black belt in that art) "effortlessly gets into the mind of his protagonist," said PW. "Energetic scratchboard illustrations swirl with movement." Ages 5-8. Copyright 1998 Reed Business Information, Inc.

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Good book for little TKD masters! Although there is a "scary tree" that my kids thought was real. So just consider when looking to purchase for impressionable littles.

My niece is taking martial arts and loved this story! She just won't put the book down! It also helps that she can identify with the girl on the cover, but overall it's a great opportunity to teach little girls how to be strong, independent, and overcome their fears.

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The story really inspires

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