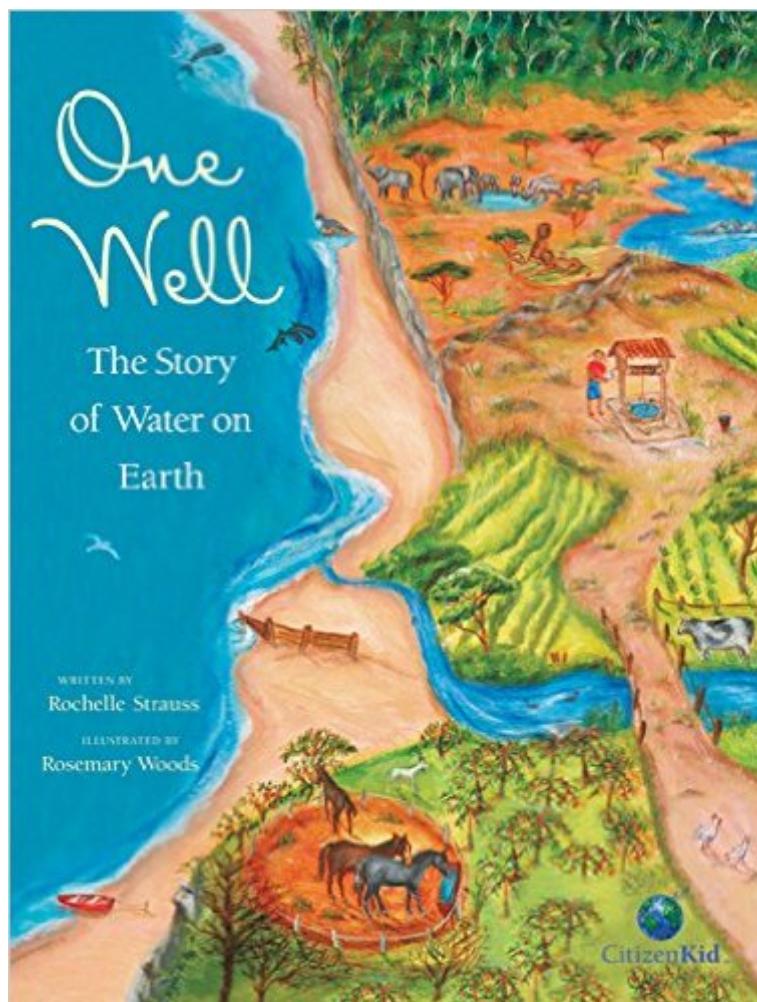


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# One Well: The Story Of Water On Earth (CitizenKid)



## **Synopsis**

Seen from space, our planet looks blue. This is because almost 70 percent of Earth's surface is covered with water. Earth is the only planet with liquid water --- and therefore the only planet that can support life. All water is connected. Every raindrop, lake, underground river and glacier is part of a single global well. Water has the power to change everything --- a single splash can sprout a seed, quench a thirst, provide a habitat, generate energy and sustain life. How we treat the water in the well will affect every species on the planet, now and for years to come. One Well shows how every one of us has the power to conserve and protect our global well. One Well is part of CitizenKid: A collection of books that inform children about the world and inspire them to be better global citizens.

## **Book Information**

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

Grade Level: 3 - 7

## **Customer Reviews**

Award-winning author Rochelle Strauss presents One Well: The Story of Water on Earth, a picturebook for children with advanced reading skills, packed cover to cover about the need to conserve water. "Becoming Well Aware doesn't just mean using less water, it also means taking better care of the water we have. You can protect water from pollution by walking more and driving

less, which keeps car exhaust from polluting water in the atmosphere. Organizing shoreline cleanups keeps trash from entering lakes, rivers and streams. Planting trees anchors the soil so that it doesn't wash into waterways and make them muddy." The gentle color illustrations are the perfect complement to this sober yet positive-themed children's book about the vital importance of fresh water. Highly recommended especially for public library collections.

This is a good book for older children or as a supplement for science in the water cycle. It could be used in World Cultures or Sociology class to illustrate the connectedness to all of life on the earth because of our reliance on water. The illustrations are vivid and interesting. I found it insightful for myself and the number of uses it could have in the educational system is only limited to the teacher's imagination.

Not only do I keep a copy for myself, but I gave this book to two of my nieces. I work in the environmental industry and this is a well researched book that is written well. It is an excellent tool for teaching children about the earth, and specifically water. A resource we are all so dependent on!

This book does a wonderful job of describing the science of the water cycle in an accessible and accurate way. My six-year-old daughter and I read this book together and she was fascinated, and still talks about the book. She instantly became more water-conscious (she turns the water off as soon as she wets her hands while washing them, and then turns it back on only when she's ready to rinse). If your local library doesn't have this book, suggest it to them! It would be a great addition to a teacher's classroom, anywhere from grades K-4. And of course, a good book for a child's "home library" as well. We discovered this book via our local library.

This book is really suitable for children to understand more about water existing on earth, so that they will be more careful to use and reuse water for their everyday life, for sustainability of earth living beings through generations

Imagine that all of the earth's water came from one well. Wait | it actually does! In this book, kids learn about everything you could possibly want to know about water- where it comes from, where it goes, who has access (and who doesn't), pollution, and water conservation. The gift of water is one that kids of all ages should learn about and act on- clean water is one of the greatest needs of many children around the world. This book is down-to-earth, engaging, and leaves you

wanting to DO something!

Interesting facts and stories about water around the world. Some illustrations are a bit busy. Used as a read aloud, although I believe it is somewhat busy and too long for some children.

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