

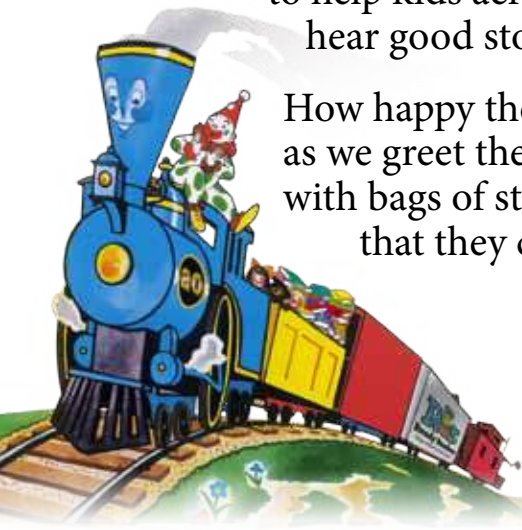
Oh, the Places We Have Been...

Inspiring children
to become readers for
20 years!



It's **Ready Readers** birthday
and we are ready and on track,
to help kids across our city
hear good stories that they lack.

How happy they are to see us
as we greet them every week
with bags of stories and new books
that they can actually keep!



If you join our cause and donate
we'll help more than 10,000 kids this year
...and chances are that if a child hears books
a new reader we will cheer!

So let's celebrate 20 years
of helping kids in St. Lou,
we want to stop illiteracy here
but we really need help from you!



Help **READY READERS**® provide books for more children!

Here is an easy way that you can make a difference and support a worthwhile organization, without having to get dressed up for an event! Just complete the enclosed card, send a check, (or pay online), then stay home and enjoy a book of your own! We will use your donation to train volunteers and to buy books for children who have few, if any, at home.

Volunteer as a **READY READER**!

If you can spare an hour a week - and you would enjoy reading to preschool children - we would love to have your help! Just indicate your interest on the reply card, and we will be in touch with you. You can pick a time and location that work with your schedule - it is easy and very rewarding!

Ready Readers® cares deeply about literacy in our community!

Our mission: Ready Readers® inspires preschool-age children from low-income communities to become readers by reading aloud to them, increasing their exposure to quality books, and providing literacy-related experiences.

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