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## HISTOIRE DE JULIE



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## The True Story of Julie, Who Had a Boy's Shadow

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An extraordinary picture book and a landmark in children's literature, first published forty years ago and now more contemporary than ever.

"You are unbearable! You're always saying mean things, falling down, and getting up to mischief". Julie's parents spend so much time reproaching her for being a tomboy that one morning her shadow turns into the shadow of a boy, who mimics and caricatures her every move. At first she finds her alter-ego amusing, but eventually she starts doubting her own identity. But how do you get rid of a shadow that isn't your own?