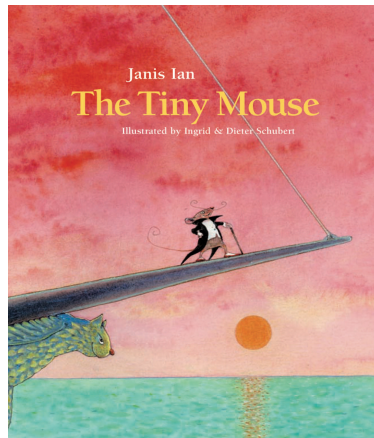


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The Tiny Mouse (Lemniscaat, September 14th, 2013) is the first children's book written by Janis Ian, and is accompanied by a CD of the charming and witty title song, performed by the Grammy Award winning singer, songwriter and author. The story follows the adventures of a mouse that leaves behind his carefree life to find excitement at sea. *The Tiny Mouse* was illustrated by the award-winning husband-and-wife powerhouse illustration team of Ingrid and Dieter Schubert. This is the Schuberts' first time illustrating a book other than one of their own.

Included in this unique and delightful book package is music for piano and guitar as well as the lyrics, and the CD has both band with vocal and band without vocals, so children and their parents can enjoy the adventure together in both prose and music. Janis is encouraging families to use the band track and make their own videos of the story and post them on YouTube and various other social media sites. Both parents and kids alike can visit ***The Tiny Mouse*** website, www.thetiny mouse.com, where they will have access to free downloads and interviews with The Tiny Mouse. Soon, the book will be translated into every language possible so that all children can enjoy the words and music (including recordings in each language) as well as the beautiful illustrations. There is currently a Dutch translation with a Spanish translation soon to follow.

Janis premiered ***The Tiny Mouse*** at the American Library Association convention in Chicago, where she also performed, and she recently gave the keynote address to the Alabama Librarian's Association.

Janis Ian won a second Grammy Award in 2013, for Best Spoken Word Album for her autobiography, *Society's Child*, bearing the title of one of her most noted songs. She had stiff competition -- former President Bill Clinton, First Lady Michelle Obama, Rachel Maddow, and Ellen DeGeneres. She also received an Audie Award for the audio book. Perhaps best known for her composition "At Seventeen," her list of hits and "firsts" is long, in both the music and literary worlds.

Now that she has expanded her literary horizons with her first children's book, she is venturing into the studio to record a children's album. Previously, she contributed to a *Sesame Street* album which was also nominated for a Grammy.

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