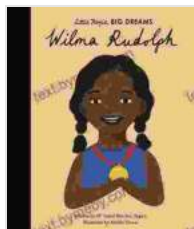


# Wilma Rudolph: Little People, BIG Dreams

Wilma Rudolph, the fastest woman in the world, didn't let polio stop her from achieving her Olympic dreams. This beautifully illustrated children's biography tells the inspiring story of her journey to greatness.



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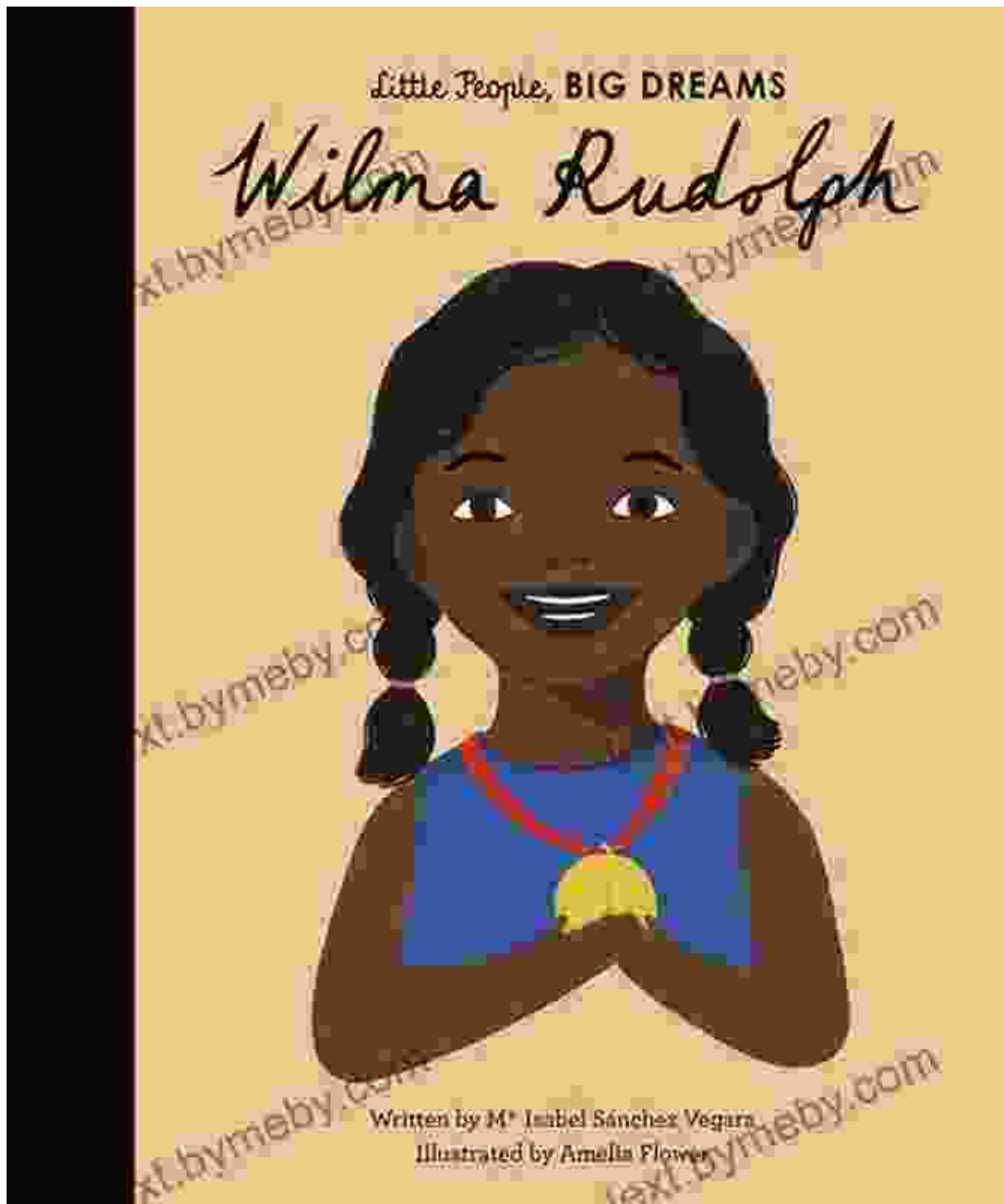
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## From Humble Beginnings

Wilma Rudolph was born in 1940 in Clarksville, Tennessee, the 20th of 22 children. Her family was poor and she contracted polio at the age of four. Doctors told her she would never walk again, but Wilma was determined to prove them wrong.



## **Overcoming Adversity**

Wilma wore leg braces for years and had to work hard to strengthen her legs. She never gave up, and by the age of 13, she was able to walk without braces. She then discovered her love of running and began to train.

## **Olympic Glory**

Wilma Rudolph made her Olympic debut at the 1956 Melbourne Games, where she won a bronze medal in the 4x100-meter relay. Four years later, at the 1960 Rome Olympics, she became a legend.

Rudolph won three gold medals in Rome: in the 100-meter dash, the 200-meter dash, and the 4x100-meter relay. She was the first American woman to win three gold medals in a single Olympics.

## Inspiration for Generations

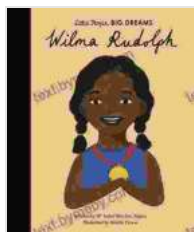
Wilma Rudolph's story is an inspiration to anyone who has ever faced adversity. She showed the world that anything is possible if you have determination and perseverance.

The Little People BIG Dreams biography series is a celebration of the lives of extraordinary people who have changed the world. Wilma Rudolph is a perfect example of someone who overcame great challenges to achieve her dreams.

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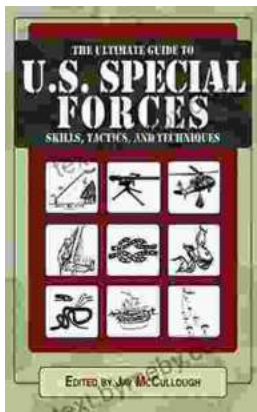
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