



Stine Spedsbjerg



Why so Sulky?

Hvorfor så sur?

Mint and Maude are best friends. One of them wags, the other looks sulky. But maybe it's Mint who has found the secret to the good dog life?

The artist, **StineStregen**, has earned herself lots of fans with her original, recognisable illustration style.

SYNOPSIS

Mint is not angry – she just looks that way!

With the pugs Mint and Maude in the lead roles, big emotions and small differences are explored when one dog always looks happy - and the other always looks sulky. But can you always tell how people - or dogs - feel like, just by looking at them?

A picture book full of humor and edge that appeals to both young and old.

REVIEWS

"A picture book with a focus on looking different. Your appearance might differ from how you feel inside. Ideal for dialogue about feelings and people's expectations of you. The book contains a certain amount of humor and is easy to read aloud. There is a nice connection between picture and text. Stine Stregen's illustrations will be familiar to the adult reader. The minimalist line fits well with the book's message." – (Library review (Lektørdtalelse))



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