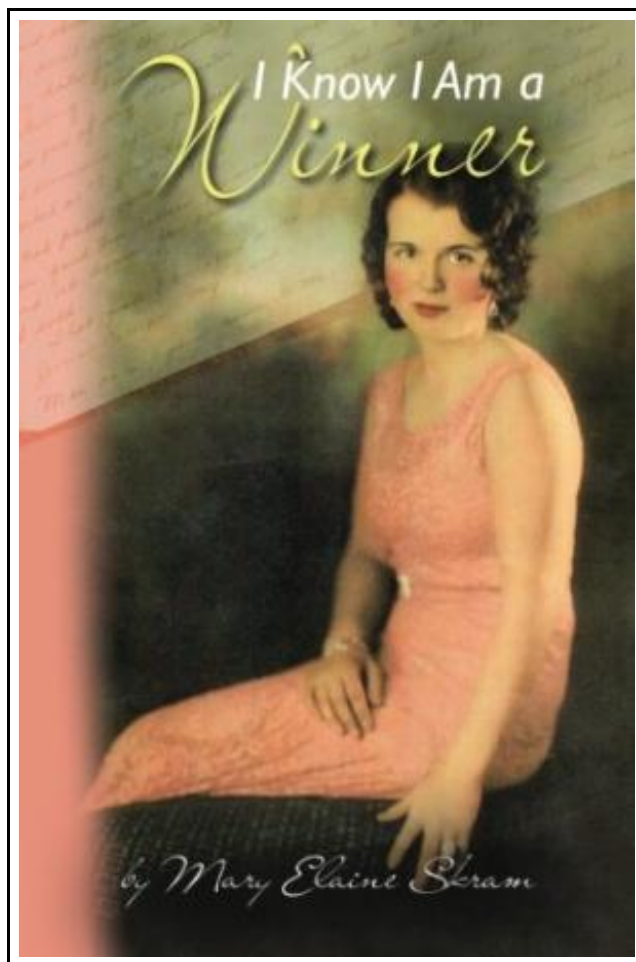


## I Know I Am a Winner



Filesize: 7.48 MB

### ***Reviews***

*The publication is easy in read through better to recognize. It usually will not cost too much. You wont feel monotony at whenever you want of the time (that's what catalogs are for concerning when you question me).*

***(Rebecca Bechtelar)***

## I KNOW I AM A WINNER



Createspace, United States, 2011. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 201 x 132 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.In simply sublime prose, Mary Elaine Skram used the power of the written word to share her life with her twenty-three grandchildren. Now, *I Know I Am a Winner* gathers these evocative writings to lay out a life finely lived, with compassion, heart, and gentle humor. Bringing to vivid life a time in this country that is long gone, this rich memoir reveals a piece of the heartland, and offers a rare vantage of twentieth-century America from the kind eyes of a wife, mother, and selfless caretaker. Starting her narrative with tales of her forebears, *I Know I Am a Winner* traces her family from her Irish-Norwegian roots to Iowa, through a brief interim homesteading in South Dakota, and back soundly in Iowa. From there, the Knapp family prospered in good times, and persevered in the hard times of the Depression. In shimmering detail, the author offers up anecdotes and descriptions of daily life that paint vivid portraits of her gentle father Anton and entrepreneurial mother Lillian, weaving in their Catholic faith, commercial enterprises, and congenial family outings. From lean times to fur coats, the Knapps tell a story of the struggle and success of a solid marriage through the decades. From there, she shares redolent recollections of aunts Rose and Mae, two distinctly devoted figures in Skram's life, who each had convictions and generosity that shored their niece's family in times challenging and celebratory. Skram also features sketches of her siblings, including the dynamic brother Dick and heroic younger brother Paul. She also dedicates a chapter to Kathryn, with an illustrative tale of her extraordinary conviction in getting Catholic religion classes to town, and baby...



[Read I Know I Am a Winner Online](#)



[Download PDF I Know I Am a Winner](#)

## Relevant PDFs



### **And You Know You Should Be Glad**

HarperCollins Publishers Inc, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Reprint. 201 x 132 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.A highly personal and moving true story of friend-ship and...

[Read Book »](#)



### **Oxford Reading Tree Read with Biff, Chip, and Kipper: Phonics: Level 2: I am Kipper (Hardback)**

Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2011. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 172 x 144 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Read With Biff, Chip and Kipper is the UK s best-selling home reading series. It...

[Read Book »](#)



### **Two Treatises: The Pearle of the Gospell, and the Pilgrims Profession to Which Is Added a Glasse for Gentlewomen to Dresse Themselves By. by Thomas Taylor Preacher of Gods Word to the Towne of Reding. (1624-1625)**

Proquest, Eebo Editions, United States, 2010. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.EARLY HISTORY OF RELIGION. Imagine holding history in your hands. Now...

[Read Book »](#)



### **Two Treatises: The Pearle of the Gospell, and the Pilgrims Profession to Which Is Added a Glasse for Gentlewomen to Dresse Themselves By. by Thomas Taylor Preacher of Gods Word to the Towne of Reding. (1625)**

Proquest, Eebo Editions, United States, 2010. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 246 x 189 mm. Language: English Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.EARLY HISTORY OF RELIGION. Imagine holding history in your hands. Now you...

[Read Book »](#)



### **ASPCA Kids: Rescue Readers: I Am Picasso**

Studio Fun International, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Debra Melman (illustrator). 216 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Fourth in the ASPCA Rescue Readers series, this Level 2 reader follows...

[Read Book »](#)

**Oxford Reading Tree Read with Biff, Chip, and Kipper: Phonics: Level 3: Such a Fuss (Hardback)**

Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2011. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 172 x 142 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Read With Biff, Chip and Kipper is the UK s best-selling home reading series. It

[Save Document »](#)

**Oxford Reading Tree Read with Biff, Chip, and Kipper: Phonics: Level 6: Uncle Max (Hardback)**

Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2011. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 172 x 142 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Read With Biff, Chip and Kipper is the UK s best-selling home reading series. It

[Save Document »](#)

**The Well-Trained Mind: A Guide to Classical Education at Home (Hardback)**

WW Norton Co, United States, 2016. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 4th Revised edition. 244 x 165 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. The Well-Trained Mind will instruct you, step by step, on how to

[Save Document »](#)

**THE Key to My Children Series: Evan s Eyebrows Say Yes**

AUTHORHOUSE, United States, 2006. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 274 x 216 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.THE KEY TO MY CHILDREN SERIES: EVAN S EYEBROWS SAY YES is about

[Save Document »](#)

**Oxford Reading Tree Read with Biff, Chip, and Kipper: Phonics: Level 6: Ice City (Hardback)**

Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2011. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 170 x 145 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Read With Biff, Chip and Kipper is the UK s best-selling home reading series. It

[Save Document »](#)