

# Author of the Month



Michael Morpurgo is perhaps one of Britain's best loved writers for children - he has sales of over 35 million books!

After school in London, Sussex and Canterbury, Michael went on to study English and French at London University. He worked as a primary teacher for a short time before discovering his passion for writing children's books.

Michael and his wife started a charity called 'Farms for City Children' which aims to help children in poverty from inner cities. The children visit one of his farms for a week and work purposefully and actively in the heart of the countryside. Isn't that amazing?

## Books by this author:



Let me know what you think!

Mrs K Ridley