

# QUICK CARD: CHICKEN SUNDAY



<i>Reference</i>	<i>Chicken Sunday</i> . Patricia Polacco. (1992) ISBN-13: 978-0698116153
<i>Plot</i>	Three children convince shop owner, Mr. Kodinski, to let them work for him in exchange for an Easter hat they hope to buy for their beloved Miss Eula. When an act of vandalism occurs at the store, the children are blamed, making it imperative for them to prove their innocence not only to secure the desired hat, but also to retain their reputations.
<i>Setting</i>	A neighborhood near Mr. Kodinski's hat shop.  During the narrator's childhood.  Miss Eula's house.
<i>Characters</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Miss Eula – surrogate grandma to narrator and friends.</li> <li>• Narrator</li> <li>• Stewart and Winston – friends who are like brothers to the narrator</li> <li>• Mr. Kodinski – a Russian hatshop owner</li> <li>• Mother</li> </ul>
<i>Conflict</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Man vs. Man – the act of vandalism causes conflict between Mr. Kodinski and the children. His displeasure causes Miss Eula's disappointment in them, as well.</li> </ul>
<i>Theme</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The rewards of virtue and goodness.</li> <li>• The triumph of truth.</li> <li>• The virtue of industry</li> <li>• The importance of communication</li> <li>• The significance of a reputation</li> </ul>
<i>Literary Devices</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Story Frame</li> </ul>