



*Isabel Abedi*

## **Here Comes Lola! (Vol. 1)**

Lola, Volume 1

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## **Story**

Lola's father is from Brazil, her aunt is only 80-centimetres high and at night she turns into the famous singer Jacky Jones, charming her many million fans. However, Lola does not have a best friend - and that's what she longs for most of all. At her new school, Lola meets the strange girl Flo, who smells horribly of fish. Annalisa visits her just at the moment when Lola's stark-naked father is storming furiously round the flat, because his daughter has unintentionally locked him in the bathroom all day. It's pretty obvious that Lola is going to have to think of another way to find a friend. So she sends her dearest wish up into the sky tied to the end of a balloon. And gets back a mysterious message in a bottle... Best-selling author Isabel Abedi has got off to a splendid start with a very special girls' book series. Lola, distinctively portrayed in Dagmar Henze's charming illustrations, is so attractive and adorable - and her experiences so hilarious - that she will win the hearts of girls of all ages.

- A bestseller for more than 10 years

- Over 2 million copies sold!
- Best known German girl character for the 9+ age group
- Issues such as family, friendship and empathy
- English sample translation
- Successful movie of volume 1

## Isabel Abedi

Isabel Abedi was born in 1967. After finishing school she spent a year in the US, working as an au pair girl and as an intern for a film production in Los Angeles. After her return to Germany, Isabel Abedi trained as an advertising copywriter. In the evenings she started writing stories for children and dreamed of being able to live off her own writing one day. This dream has come true now: today Isabel Abedi is a passionate writer of children's literature, writing for various publishing houses. With her series about the lovable Lola she has written herself into the hearts of critics and readers alike.

Her books have been translated into several languages and have been decorated with awards. Isabel Abedi lives in Hamburg, Germany.

## Press commentaries

Lola has the makings of a star. (Rheinische Post)

Lola is addictive! (Kölnische Rundschau)

A book to fall in love with! (Arbeitsgemeinschaft Jugendliteratur und Medien)

„Here comes Lola“ is a magnificent book about the joy and agony of true friendship, about fights, envy, happiness and anger, and the world-best feeling there is: to have someone, who will understand you completely. (Kjl-online)

The funny and witty style that Abedi uses for Lola's adventures makes you want to read more. (Kölnische Rundschau)

Funny details, witty and exciting. (Wetzlarer Neue Zeitung)

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My Best Friends



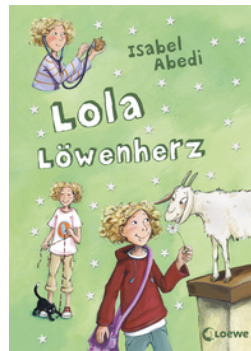
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