

BOOK RESUME: MARVIN REDPOST: IS HE A GIRL?

BOOK SYNOPSIS

When Casey Happleton tells Marvin that if you kiss your elbow you'll turn into a girl, Marvin doesn't believe a word of it. Then Marvin kisses his elbow by accident and starts to feel very strange. He wants pigtails and starts dotting his i's with little hearts. Could Casey be right? Or is it all in Marvin's head? You decide!

REVIEWS AND PRAISE

"Kids will love the frankness about grade school gender wars and social taboos."—*Booklist*

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