

Published on Books for Keeps - the children's book magazine online (http://booksforkeeps.co.uk)

Home > The Nine Lives of Montezuma

## The Nine Lives of Montezuma

Roo	KS K	evie	ewe	<b>a</b> :
TL	NT:	. т :.		- c

The Nine Lives of Montezuma [1]

Issue:

4 [2]

Reviewer:

Yvonne White [3]

Neisto Tsa Celmorice:

off

Media type:

Book

BfK Rating:

0

Absolutely delightful. You don't have to be a cat lover to enjoy this refreshing and absorbing novel, in which the author's insights and observations into children and animals reflect his work as founder of Farms for City Children. Each chapter covers one of the lives of the indomitable Montezuma who, like most cats, is very ordinary and very special. Running parallel is the story of Matthew growing up, and his family life on the farm. Superbly written with line drawings by Margery Gill which capture the essence of the narrative.

A paperback edition to bring the book within pocket-money range would ensure this story has a place in all school bookshops. And if it is not in your library - order it now!

Running Order:

12

**Source URL** (**retrieved on** *Mar* '21): <a href="http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/issue/4/childrens-books/reviews/the-nine-lives-of-montezuma">http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/issue/4/childrens-books/reviews/the-nine-lives-of-montezuma</a>

## Links:

- [1] http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/childrens-books/the-nine-lives-of-montezuma-0
- [2] http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/issue/4
- [3] http://booksforkeeps.co.uk/member/yvonne-white