

Cristina's Really Useful Hat

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This book is dedicated to everyone who enjoys
walking in lovely countryside.



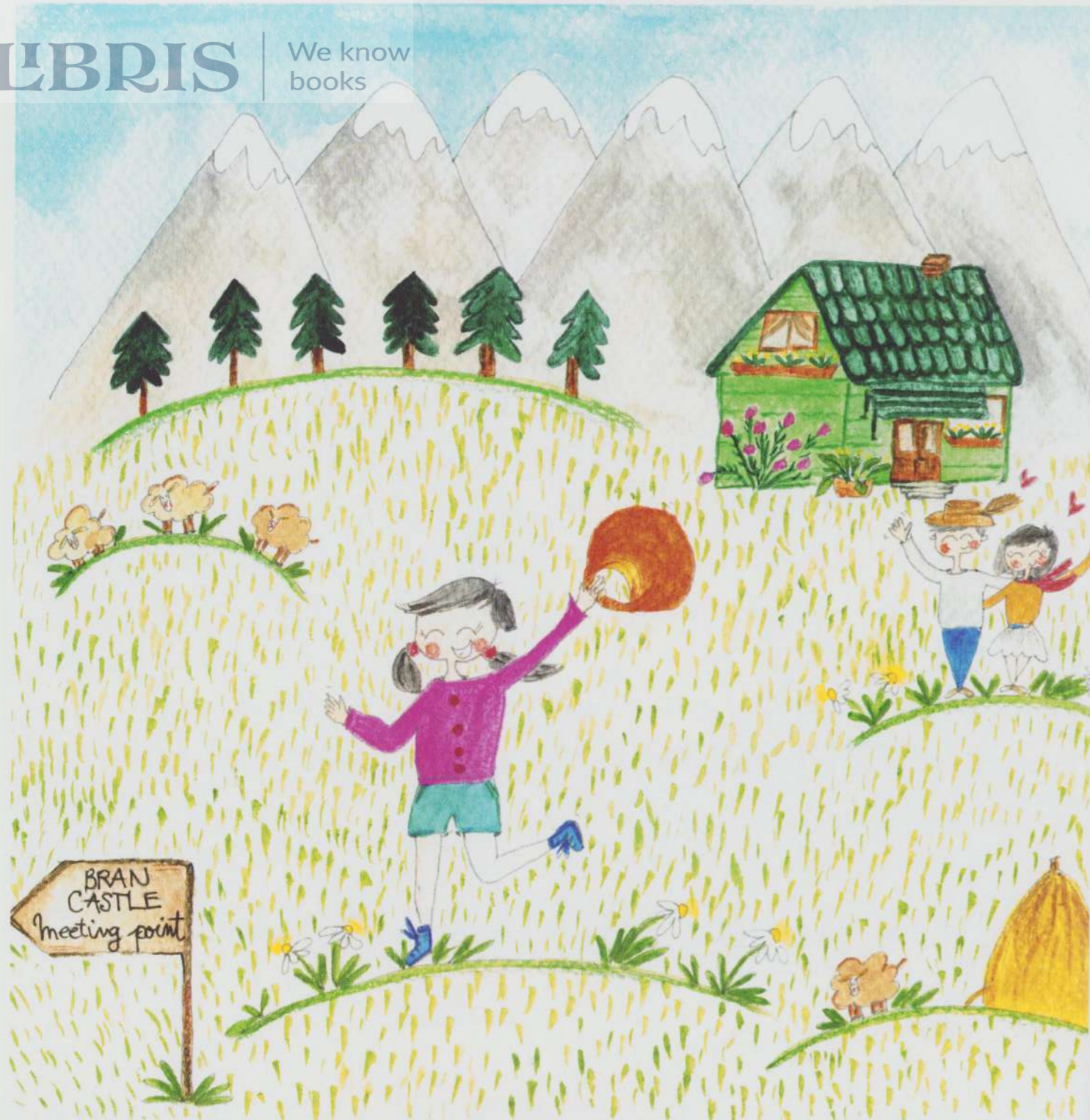
Cristina really did not like the hat her Mum gave her.

“WEAR IT,” said her Mum.

**“IT WILL KEEP THE SUN AND
RAIN OFF AND IT WON’T BLOW
AWAY IN THE WIND.”**

Cristina thought it was a silly hat. She wanted a hat with a feather, like her Dad, or a bright scarf, like her Mum.

She didn’t want to wear this flat, floppy hat with a big strap.



Cristina was in a hurry.

She was going to walk from her big green house in the mountains to meet some friends at Dracula's Castle. It was a long walk through villages and forests and over a big mountain.

She looked at the hat.

She thought, I'll take the hat so Mum will be happy. But I won't wear it. It's a silly hat.

"OK, MUM," she said.

"I'LL TAKE THE HAT. I'M GOING TO MEET MY FRIENDS NOW."