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About the Book

It's Challah Day! Challah Day is a joyful, rhyming story about a Jewish holiday food that's baked with love. From kneading sticky dough to gathering with family around the table, Challah Day celebrates family, food, heritage, and tradition! Join this happy family as they bake delicious braided egg bread for their Friday night Shabbat dinner.

Yeast and sugar - water's warm,
mix and watch those bubbles form!
Crack the eggs – one… two… three… four
Extra if some hit the floor.

In the back of the book, read about the cultural importance of Challah and Jewish traditions. A recipe is included.

"A timeless Shabbat tradition sweetly told."
—Kirkus Reviews

"Challah Day! is a scrumptious celebration of family traditions. By the end, your mouth will be watering."
- BookPage

"In a time when Jewish people are facing violence and antisemitism, this book is an oasis of Jewish joy."
- School Library Journal

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CHARLOTTE OFFSAY was born in England, grew up in Boston, and currently lives in Los Angeles with her husband and two children. Through her work, Charlotte hopes to make children laugh, to inspire curiosity, and to create a magical world her readers can lose themselves in time and time again.

Challah Day was inspired by the author's love of baking challah with her children. It is her hope that the book encourages other young families to bring the timeless tradition of challah baking into their homes.

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