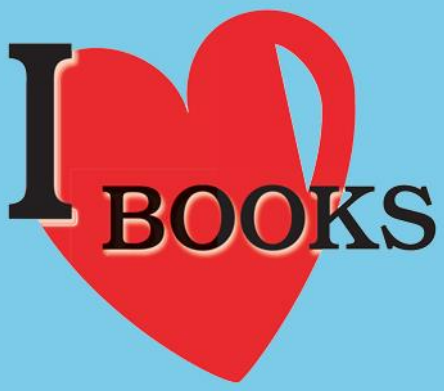


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Come!

Board the double-decker bus
and see the London sights with us.
At any time, hop off.

Explore!

Then climb back on and ride some more.
For better views, climb up the stairs –
the city views are great from there.
Here's your map and city guide.
Settle back. Enjoy the ride.
Buenos días!
Bonjour!
Hello!
Guten Tag!
Nǐ hǎo!

Let's go!

• NEXT STOP •

THE LONDON EYE

EYE-CATCHING

A bracelet that hangs off the arm of the Thames,
its pods, filled with people, all dangle like gems.
The glass capsules glimmer and coloured lights burn,
splintering sparkles with every turn.

• NEXT STOP •
PICCADILLY CIRCUS

RAIN

Sun slips,
dips behind clouds.
A drip.
A spritz.
Cars sport spots.
Watery window polka dots.
Fatter drops
in plips and plops,
bounce off bright
umbrella tops.
Window ledges,
awning edges
trickle with streams.
Rain fills pavement
cracks and seams.
Waters flow.
Puddles grow.
Traffic splashes –
spills a chill
that climbs your spine.
Just in time,
you find a door.
Lashing,
Crashing,
DOWNPOUR!