



What's a Spitfire?

"From the get-go she was a spitfire." —Alabama Spitfire

Author Bethany Hegedus calls Nelle Harper Lee and her friend Tru "spitfires." What does the word "spitfire" mean to you? Can you describe a spitfire in words and/or pictures in the box below?

Consider sharing a picture of your thoughts on spitfires online with the hashtag #BeASpitfire. NOTE: Spitfires, like Harper Lee, protect their privacy and always ask adults for permission to post online.

A spitfire is...

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Inspired by the picture book **Alabama Spitfire: The Story of Harper Lee and To Kill a Mockingbird** by Bethany Hegedus and illustrated by Erin McGuire (Balzer+ Bray).