



**"Ivan Becomes a Hero" by
Linda Rossetti Brocato**

Writer with city ties pens children's book

An author with Vicksburg ties has written a children's book.

Linda Rossetti Brocato of Shaw, a Delta town about 100 miles north of Vicksburg, has penned "Ivan Becomes a Hero."

The book is about a young giraffe and how he copes with bullying, rejection and self-acceptance.

Brocato has a bachelor's degree in education from Delta State University and a master's degree in reading from Nova Southeastern University in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Brocato has two siblings in Vicksburg — Mary Ann Haley and Floyd Rossetti. She has a website, www.lindarossettibrocato.com.