

Close to Home by Robin Barker

Stories of life, love & family from the bestselling author of Baby Love

A distraught father is prevented from comforting his little boy. A baby's life is put in danger by a well-meaning but offbeat couple. Two mothers fight each other for the love of their son. A couple's desperation for a child leads to a chain of unpredictable events ...

Robin Barker's fascination with families over the last six decades – their hopes and disappointments, loves and deceptions – is superbly captured in ten acutely observed stories of anguish and triumph.

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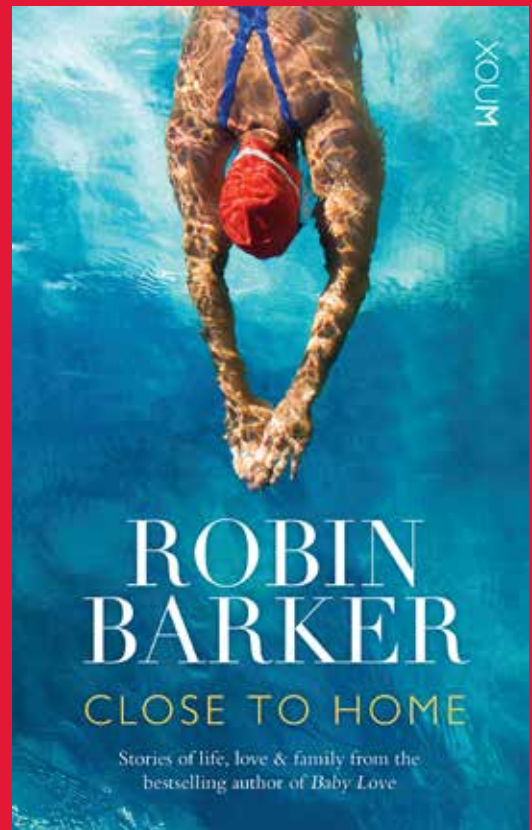
- The first book since 2004 by Australia's all-time best-selling parenting writer
- Over half a million copies of *Baby Love* and *The Mighty Toddler* sold in print in Australia alone
- These ten wonderful stories channel Robin's vast experience working with families
- National publicity campaign by Deb McInnes of DM-CPR Media
- Focus on women's and parenting magazines and blogs, and television, radio
- Perfect Mother's Day gift
- Widespread review coverage expected

About the Author



Robin Barker, retired registered nurse, midwife and child and family health nurse, is the author of Australia's baby care classics, *Baby Love* and *The Mighty Toddler*. *Close to Home*

is her first book of fiction. Robin lives surrounded by her family in Sydney, near a famous beach where she swims out beyond the break several times a week.



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