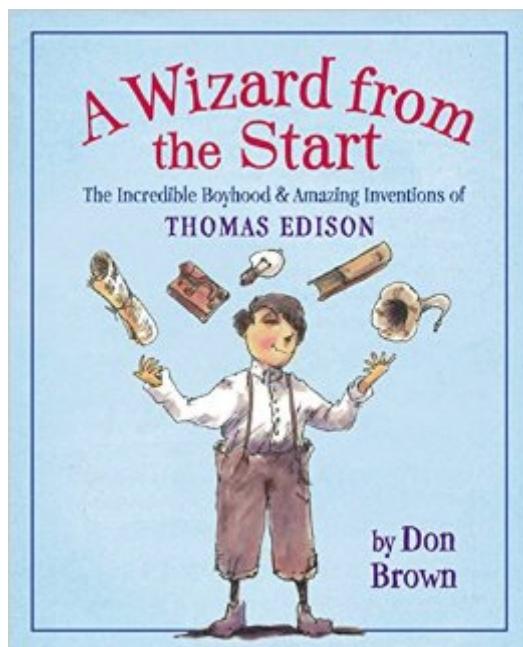


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Thomas Edison WAS one of my son's greatest heroes until he read the Author's Note &

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