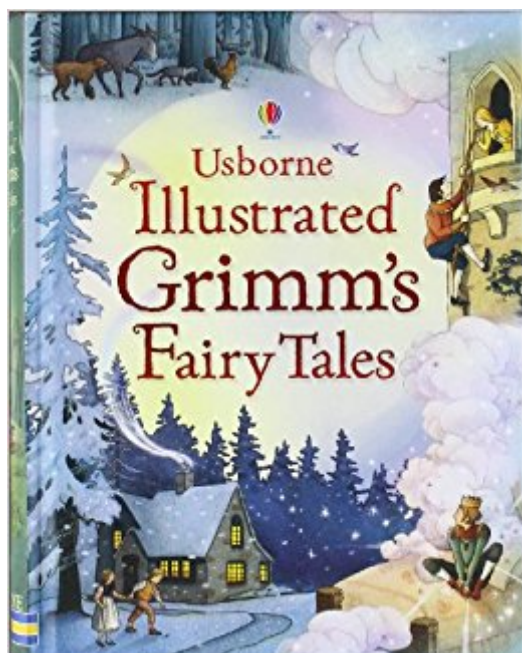


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# Usborne Illustrated Grimm's Fairy Tales (Clothbound Story Collections)



## Synopsis

This is a wonderful collection of stories from the famous collectors of fairytales, "The Brothers Grimm". Stories include: "The Frog Prince", "Rapunzel", "Hansel and Gretel", "Little Red Riding Hood", "The Bremen Town Musicians", "Tom Thumb", "The Elves and the Shoemaker", "Sleeping Beauty", "Snow White and the Seven Dwarves", "Rumpelstiltskin", "The Goose Girl", "The Bear and the Wren", "The Twelve Dancing Princesses" and "Snow White and Rose Red". It also includes a short biography of the brothers themselves.

## Book Information

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Grade Level: 4 and up

## Customer Reviews

'Just the right present for young children' - Shetland Times; 'Children - and adults - will never tire of reading the Grimm fairy tales, and this edition is a real keeper' - We Love This Book; 'These beautiful clothbound editions of English classics retold for children are a real treat and an antidote to Holiday TV or computer games...a lovely introduction to the joys of English literary classics, great for young readers' - Fluxlings; 'A great first introduction to the Brothers Grimm's classic fairy tales and one that young readers are bound to cherish and return to over and over again' - Library Mice; 'Well-loved tales for dark, winter nights in a clothbound edition' - The Scotsman Magazine

What a wonderful book written by outstanding authors, The Grimm brothers. Snow White, Little Red

Riding Hood, Sleeping Beauty, Hansel and Gretel, Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs appear as they were actually written and intended. There are a total of sixteen tales reproduced. Less recognizable tales such as The Goose Girl, The Bear and the Wren, Tom Thumb and The Twelve Dancing Princesses are included in this work. There is no fluff and little exaggeration. These stories are written as the Grimm Brothers wrote them nearly 200 years ago.. And they are refreshing as well as refreshing. As you read them to your little ones, you can always change words and meanings if your child isn't ready for the stark reality of the tales. These are not the tales that Disney portrays in movies and kids' books. Each story has some elements portrayed in them that reminds us of the Disney tales, but there is a big divide between Grimm and Disney. Keep this in mind should you read these tales to your young children. The book is made of quality paper. The illustrations are very good and colorful. Read the original versions by the Brothers Grimm then compare to Disney. It's a good book to own in your library. Like everything else in life, be careful how you use it around young and impressionable children.

Usborne makes terrific books, and we have been fans for years. This book does not disappoint. A great collection of the story classics with playful, artful illustrations. Both my children (5 & 7) love the book.

Beautiful book in wonderful condition! I'm so happy with it.

This book along with their Greek and Norse myths are an awesome exposure for kids. Highly recommend. I recommend for ages 3-12.

Perfect for my kids

I was really excited when I came across the illustrated Usborne storybook line, because I'm an avid reader and I'm looking forward to sharing that with my little one who is almost here. After looking at loads of pictures of the insides of these books online, I went ahead and bought several of them, including this one. I was so happy when I flipped through it when it got here! The illustrations are frequent, full-page, and beautiful, the font is easy to read and will be a good size when my kids are ready to read the stories on their own, there is a broad selection of fairy tales included, and the cover is soft and cushioned. The whole book is a beautiful, high-quality piece of art which I know my children will love and which I know will last until they are ready to share it with their kids, too.

This book satisfied my desire to find the better known Grimm Fairy Tales in a version that would appeal to 5 year olds. There were enough illustrations in this book to appeal to my 5 year old grandchildren.

It's good quality version, just a bit too thick.

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