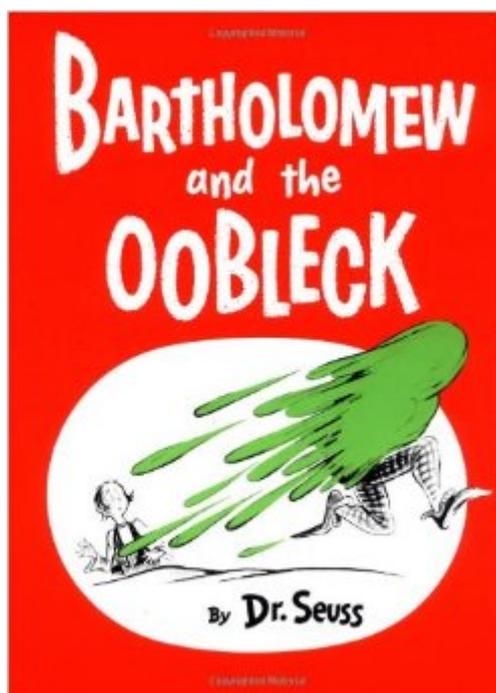


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# Bartholomew And The Oobleck: (Caldecott Honor Book) (Classic Seuss)



## Synopsis

In this Caldecott Honor-winning picture book, join Bartholomew Cubbins in Dr. Seuss's classic tale of one king's magical mishap. Bored with rain, sun, fog, and snow, King Derwin of Didd summons his royal magicians to create something new and exciting to fall from the sky. What he gets is a storm of sticky green globs called Oobleck, which soon causes a royal mess. But with the assistance of the wise page boy Bartholomew, the king (along with young readers) learns that the simplest words can sometimes solve the biggest problems.

## Book Information

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Hardcover: 56 pages

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Age Range: 5 - 9 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 4

## Customer Reviews

Bartholomew and the Oobleck easily qualifies as a Seuss classic, first told way back in 1949. And its message--the importance of owning up to your mistakes and saying that you're sorry--is as timeless now as it was then. Bartholomew Cubbins serves thanklessly as pageboy to King Derwin of Didd, a headstrong man who's decided he isn't satisfied with mere sun, fog, rain, and snow. ("Humph! The things that come down from my sky!") He wants something else, something uniquely his own, so he calls in his royal magicians ("Shuffle, duffle, muzzle, muff. Fista, wista, mista-cuff. We are men of groans and howls, mystic men who eat boiled owls"). Happy to oblige, the magicians tell

the king they can make "oobleck" fall from the sky, only nobody--not even the magicians--knows just what oobleck is. But after a night of arcane incantations, everyone in the kingdom gets a taste of the stuff (in the case of the Captain of the Guard, literally!), as the green, gluey goo gums up everything in sight. Of course, Bartholomew tries to help, but it's up to the king to save the day, as he learns to utter not magic words but simple words with magic in them: "I'm sorry." (Ages 4 to 8) --Paul Hughes

Illus. in color by the author. An ooey-gooey, green oobleck was not exactly what the king had in mind when he ordered something extra-special from his royal magicians.

My grandson loves this book. Dr Seuss has a long line of wonderful books for children. I recommend most of them

I didn't realize the description said used. It came a little longer than I am use to. However I love this book. The fact it came from a library and it is an original makes it extra special to my excited 3 year old. All the pages were in great condition. The outside of the book was in great condition too. Over all happy with the product

Classic children's book. Fun. Entertaining. Even though it is pretty long, kids love it!

A great Dr. Seuss classic. We purchased it on sale to add to our daughter's library.

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