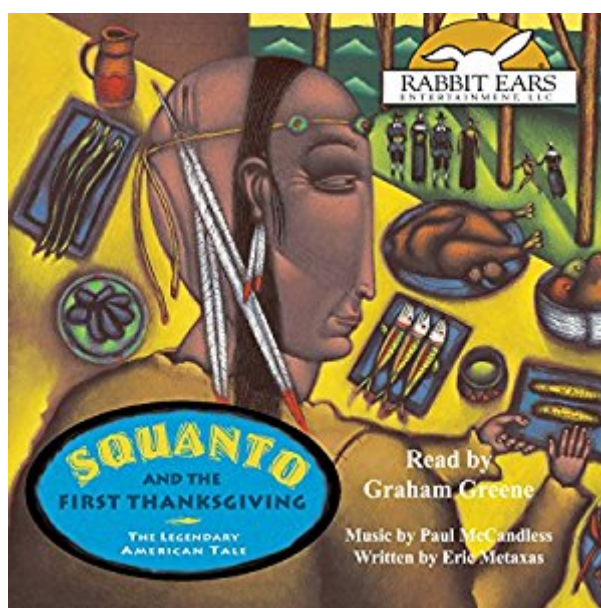


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Squanto And The First Thanksgiving: The Legendary American Tale: Rabbit Ears' Holiday Classics



Synopsis

Discover the moving, true story of the Native American named Squanto, who is captured from his beloved Pawtuxet tribe, taken to Spain, and sold into slavery. Years later, Squanto regains his freedom and embarks on a miraculous journey back to his homeland where he teaches the Pilgrims how to survive the difficult early years in the Plymouth colony - culminating in the first Thanksgiving celebration. This touching drama about trust, faith, and renewal is read by Graham Greene, with original musical accompaniment by Paul McCandless. Ages six and up. Part of the award-winning Rabbit Ears series, Holiday Classics. Rabbit Ears stories open a door to the world of great literature. These are timeless and beloved stories that have delighted generations, and continue to offer powerful lessons for today's audiences. Listeners of all ages will explore faraway lands and cultures through folktales. You will walk alongside heroes of long ago legends. And discover master storytellers such as Beatrix Potter, Hans Christian Andersen, and Rudyard Kipling. Great stories. Great family memories. Get the entire Rabbit Ears library!

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Customer Reviews

I like the story and it is how I remembered it as a kid. There are a few grammar mistakes that were irritating that made it difficult to read out loud.

Used with my 3rd grade classrooms, students enjoyed the book. And it was a great addition to our unit on the First Thanksgiving as it provided another perspective

This book is beautifully illustrated but I found the language difficult for some of my students. The writing does not flow well and detracts from the wonderful story. For example: "And when the corn of many colors ripened in its ear, drawing the hungry crows, it was the job of the children of the village to chase them away. One could hear their young voices mingling with the jaded caw-caw of the crows in the field." Also the text is not an exact match of the tape. I did not even care for it as a read aloud. There is a lot of historical information however.

Loved being able to share some REAL history with the grandkids.

I don't write many reviews but I have to comment on this book in view of the only other review here...because I could not possibly disagree with it more. This is an incredibly well-written and historically accurate portrayal of Squanto's story. My children (ages 3 and 5) loved it and hung on every word. It is NOT dumbed down or written "for children" (in my opinion, there is nothing worse than a book which talks down to children), but instead is written in beautiful, lyrical language which makes the story enjoyable for both adults and children. I checked out just about every Thanksgiving-themed book in the library this year in order to find ones I wanted to add to our own collection...out of about 25 options, this is the only one I have purchased so far. You won't regret adding this one to your holiday library!

We've read several Squanto/Plymouth library stories this autumn, & this is one I'm most likely to re-read every November. Metaxas tells this more like a ballad biography, gently narrating through the love of homeland, kidnapping, longing to return, disappointment & finding the wandering Pilgrims as "brothers in sorrow." It's a slower pace, which echoes other Native American legends that the boys enjoy re-hearing & narrating in their play. For kids who adore the rich language of Beatrix Potter, this was a lovely read-aloud that sparked imaginative play for days. Five stars for us!

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