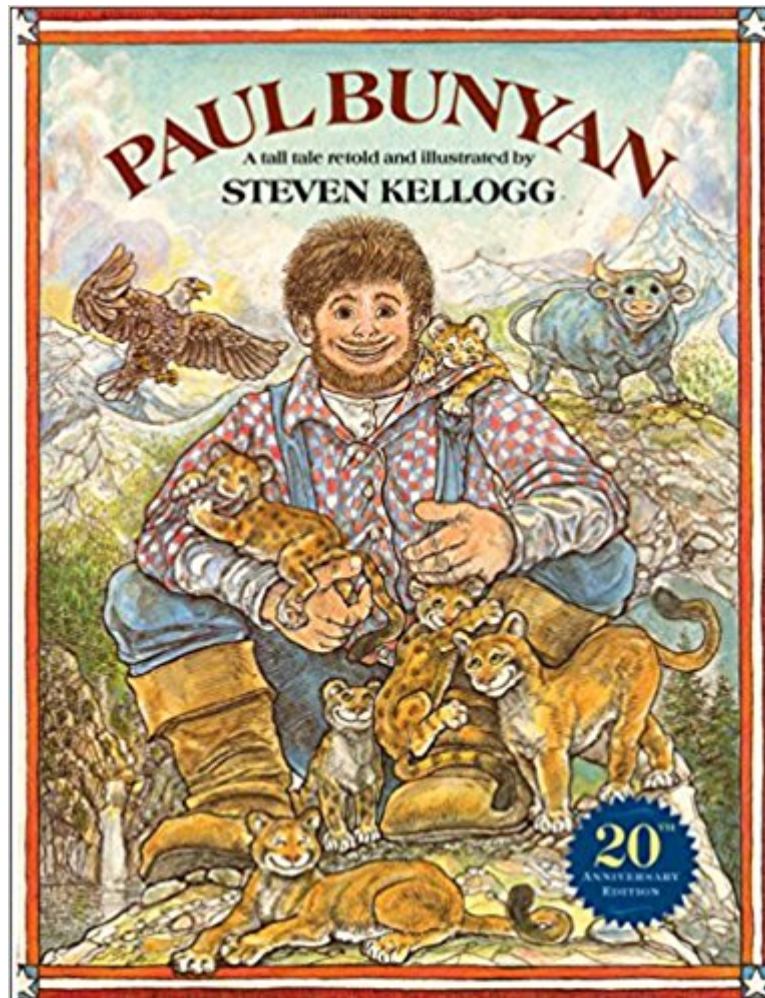The book was found

Paul Bunyan (Reading Rainbow Book)

Synopsis

A funny retelling of the tallest of tall tales, the rollicking adventures of Paul Bunyan and his great blue ox, paired with the extravegant and lively illustrations of Steven Kellogg. Perfect for read-alouds full of laughter! Do you know who was the largest baby ever born in the state of Maine? What about who dug the Great Lakes? Or who gouged out the Grand Canyon? Why, it was Paul Bunyan, of course, America's finest, fastest, funniest lumberman and favorite folktale hero! In this engaging tale, beloved children's author Steven Kellogg combines exuberant illustrations with a hysterical text to creat a truly legendary tale.

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 1030 (What's this?)

Series: Reading rainbow book

Paperback: 48 pages

Publisher: HarperCollins; Reprint edition (February 3, 2004)

Language: English

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Product Dimensions: 0.2 x 8.5 x 11 inches

Shipping Weight: 4.8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.3 out of 5 stars   38 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #59,724 in Books (See Top 100 in Books)   #117 in Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Short Story Collections   #120 in Books > Children's Books > Geography & Cultures > Explore the World > United States   #748 in Books > Reference > Foreign Language Study & Reference

Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: 1 - 3

Customer Reviews

Do you know how the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence River were first formed? How about the Great Plains and the Grand Canyon? Some people think these wonders were established by the forces of nature, but those folks clearly haven't heard of Paul Bunyan, the "strongest, smartest, and tallest hero of the tallest of American tall tales." Paul and his pal, Babe the Blue Ox, were responsible for creating all these geographic features as they worked their way west with their unusual lumber crew. Paul's adventures begin when he is just a baby (who can lift a cow over his

head) and continue as he grows into the biggest lumberjack in the world. All the basic stories about Paul Bunyan are here in this rollicking tale, as well as a few inventive incidents added by author and illustrator Steven Kellogg. Kellogg is well known for his stories about Pinkerton the Great Dane, retellings of classic tales such as Chicken Little, and illustrations for books such as How Much Is a Million? by David Schwartz. But Kellogg's most important contribution to children's literature is his series on American folk heroes, including Johnny Appleseed, Mike Fink, Sally Ann Thunder Ann Whirlwind Crockett, and of course, the tallest hero of the tallest tale of all--Paul Bunyan. A great legend and great fun. (Ages 5 to 9) --Marcie Bovetz --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

..".The exageration of his legendary abilities will make this a popular choice for independant readers with huge imaginations. A fun read-aloud, it's sure to make a good choice for story time enjoyment...""-- School Library Journal""Paul Bunyan, whose very name gives the word exaggeration supreme meaning, and Steven Kellogg, whose illustrations are known for their outrageous and extravagant detail, make a splendid pair indeed...""-- Booklist..".Kellogg dedicates his own substantial talent to enhancing Paul's already sizable reputation. He amply succeeds.""-- Parent's Choice

My 3yo and 5yo boys love this book. I have read it about 30 times. They love the pictures.

I loved reading this growing up and had to get a new copy for our newborn for me to read him!

My son's favorite book was lost duringva state to state move. Found this exact version on . My son is happy again and so am I!

It was a present my boyfriend is 25 and he mentioned that he remembered this book his dad used to read to him when he was little, and so I bought and he loved it.

Good book in a pinch for my brother's school Halloween costume

The story is a bit different than the one I remember reading as a child at school. Being from Minnesota where there is a statue of Paul Bunyan and Babe I expected it to be the story I know. Even though it is different, it is okay, and the pictures were good.

Grandchildren love this book

This is a great book!

Paul Bunyan (Reading rainbow book) Rainbow Magic Rainbow Fairies Set: Las Hadas del Arco Iris (Spanish) Books 1-7 (Rainbow Magic Rainbow Fairies) Rainbow Boa. Rainbow Boas as Pets. Rainbow Boa, Biology, Behavior, Husbandry, Daily Care, Enclosures, Costs, Diet, Interaction and Health. Paul Bunyan The Adventures of Rainbow Fish: A Collection (The Rainbow Fish) Bunyan and Banjoes: Michigan Songs & Stories Little Pilgrim's Progress: From John Bunyan's Classic John Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress The Hidden Smile of God: The Fruit of Affliction in the Lives of John Bunyan, William Cowper, and David Brainerd (Swans Are Not Silent) Pilgrim's Progress (Bunyan): Updated, Modern English. More than 100 Illustrations. Pilgrim's Journey. A cantata for soprano, tenor, and baritone soloists, mixed chorus, and orchestra (or organ). [Vocal score prepared by Christopher Morris. ... the Bible and John Bunyan. Vocal score. > Guardian of Lies: A Paul Madriani Novel (Paul Madriani Novels Book 10) The Enemy Inside: A Paul Madriani Novel (Paul Madriani Novels Book 13) Sight Reading Mastery for Guitar: Unlimited reading and rhythm exercises in all keys (Sight Reading for Modern Instruments Book 1) Speed Reading: For Beginners, Learn How To Comprehend And Double Your Reading Speed (prime reading,Productivity Book 2) LISA GARDNER READING LIST WITH SUMMARIES FOR ALL NOVELS AND SHORT STORIES: READING LIST WITH SUMMARIES AND CHECKLIST INCLUDES ALL LISA GARDNER FICTION (Best Reading Order Book 38) Uncle Willie and the Soup Kitchen (Reading Rainbow Book) Enemy Pie (Reading Rainbow book) Caps for Sale Board Book: A Tale of a Peddler, Some Monkeys and Their Monkey Business (Reading Rainbow Books) The Three Little Javelinas (Reading Rainbow Book)