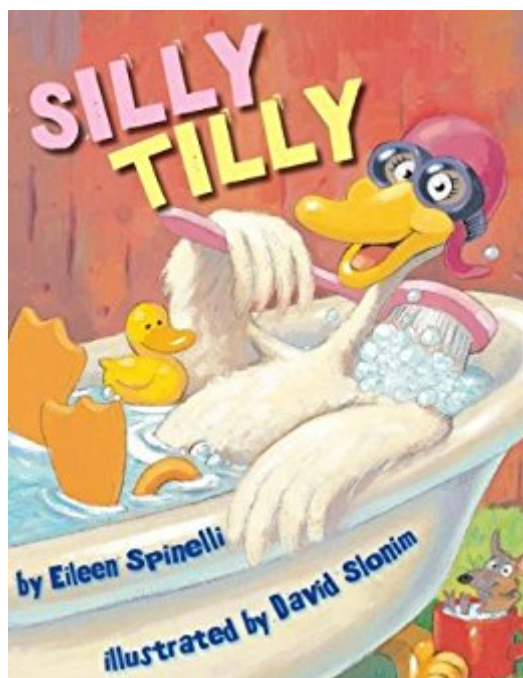


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Silly Tilly



Synopsis

"Tilly is not an ordinary goose. She takes her baths in apple juice. She wears a pancake as a hat. She tries to ride the farmer's cat." But the barnyard animals complain that she's too silly. When she stops entertaining her friends with her antics, the farm becomes a quiet and unhappy place. David Slonim's acrylic, pencil, and ballpoint pen illustrations add to the hilarity in this story about a one-of-a-kind silly goose.

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Customer Reviews

"Tilly was a silly goose," starts this adorable book by Eileen Spinelli that takes us through all the many things this wacky fowl does. She likes to kiss fish, take baths in apple juice, and sit on birthday cakes annoying the rest of the barnyard with her wild antics. They tell her that she must stop all her nonsense and behave like the rest of the group. Sadly, she complies with their demands. The group soon realize that her behavior livened up the place, "Hetty Hen remarked, I haven't laughed since-when? - since Tilly chased the garbageman!" Realizing they were wrong to make Tilly conform, all the animals apologize. Tilly resumes her harmless pranks, and once again

entertains the entire barnyard with her shenanigans. A wonderful tale of appreciating our friends for who they really are and having the understanding that we shouldn't change them. Beautiful and richly illustrated by David Slomin. Sweet book for some nice discussions on the meaning of friendship.

Silly Tilly is one of those rare finds in a book. Instead of reading this book, I made up a tune and sing the story and the children in my classroom love the book! Silly Tilly is a MUST have in preschool class, or a K-3 classroom where this book will become an instant favorite!

silly tilly is the best, silliest, rhyming book ever. We used to read it everyday to our 2 older daughters. They memorized the book and would recite it as we read. I had to buy a new copy recently because we have 2 new kids. :) Pretty soon we'll be reading it to them. My older girls were excited to see this book come in the mail.

Good rhyming book. Also good book for beginners learning to read to get started with, very cute book about letting people be who they are and accepting them even if they are different and sometimes silly.

When we first got this book for my 3-year-old son he didn't even really want me to finish reading it the first time. Now, at almost three-and-a-half, we've read it several times in the past few weeks and he thinks it's hilarious. He thinks it's silly but there are several times he asks 'why?' which is my cue that something is over his head. I just looked at the description and I see that it's for Age Level 6 - 8, that may explain it. This is also great news because that means he's enjoying it now and will for another several years. As an adult, it's a fun book to read, and even more enjoyable to look at. I think they could have done such a better job of the picture on the cover. There are so many really good, fun images in the book and I don't feel the cover represents them. ***SPOILER ALERT*** When the animals come back to ask Tilly to be silly, the picture of them all standing in a row with the frog holding the flower is so awesome, I wish I could get a print for the wall.

We read this book so many times my kids can literally recite the whole thing from memory just by looking at the pages. The storyline is cute- I personally love this book. However, the copy I received was paperback and flimsy. It was already worn out before the mail carrier folded it in half and stuffed it in my mailbox. So it is raggedy and bent in half. Yikes. Story is still good, worth reading- just be

sure you don't order a paperback copy.

Silly Tilly is so cute and still provides a real life lesson. Tilly gets under her friends skin by acting her usual silly way and they tell her she needs to "Knock it off." As you might expect, she does that and then they all miss her goofy ways and they apologize. My Grandkids love to hear the rhyming verses that tell of the antics of this goose. The illustrations are softly done yet depict the emotions of the animals including the Wide-Eyed expressions of the cow, donkey, pig, etc. Very cute book that lets the reader really put some intonation into the story.

Delightful to look at, delightful to hold, but when I read the blurb, We had to mark it "Sold" ! a children's book - naturally... how can you go wrong? WE grew up with Grimm's fairy tales and other things we thought were benign, but seeing them remade into movies and different venues, they weren't so innocent, were they? lol - These, today, were written by younger folk, who have broken the old habits we had of Snow White and Rumpelstiltskin... Can't go wrong with these books.. seriously.

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