

In The Night Garden A Big Box Of Little Books

Back in print at last! ABC for Kids is delighted to announce the re-release of a range of best-selling, award-winning children's picture books. Including Children's Book Council winners and all-time favourites, no children's bookshelf is complete without these classic favourites. Twenty-four titles will be republished from 2010-11. Ages 3-5. When the sun sets and the moon rises, Sally and her cat, Strange, tiptoe out into the Night Garden. transformed from neat hedges and flower beds into twisted shapes and creatures, the garden is now alive with magic and adventure. An enchanting tale about the power of a little girl's imagination, brought to life by Elise Hurst's rich illustrations. Author extras: there are two activities based on the Night Garden here - a word jumble and a colour-in page - <http://www.elisehurst.com/downloads.html> Ages 3-5.

It's almost time for bed in the Night Garden, but first Igglepiggle wants to say goodnight to all his friends. What a good idea! Let's go with Igglepiggle as he gives each of his friends a hug. This beautiful picture book features Igglepiggle, Upsy Daisy, Makka Pakka and all your other favourites from In the Night Garden. It's the perfect bedtime read for little fans of the show.

A delightful illustrated storybook based on an episode of the long-running preschool programme, In the Night Garden. All aboard the Ninky Nonk, Night Garden fans! It's time to go for a ride with Igglepiggle, Makka Pakka, Upsy Daisy and the Tombliboos.

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It's Easter in the Night Garden! But Igglepiggle has lost his special Easter egg. Can he find it with the help of his friends? Join all of the Night Garden characters in this gorgeous board book, with a sweet Easter-themed story that little ones will love. This is the perfect bedtime read for Easter!

In the Night Garden: Goodnight Igglepiggle

An Amazing Musical Pop-Up Story

In the Night Garden: Pinky Ponk Juice Everywhere!

The Night Garden

The little house first stood in the country, but gradually the city moved closer and closer.

Ten classic In the Night Garden stories to celebrate ten years of the show! Join Igglepiggle, Upsy Daisy and all their friends as they play hide-and-seek with the Pontipines, search for Igglepiggle's blanket and work out why Makka Pakka's trumpet is making such a funny noise. This beautifully illustrated treasury of tales is the perfect bedtime book for In the Night Garden fans.

Written by a child sleep expert, The In the Night Garden Bedtime Book is designed to help your little one fall asleep. The soft, lullaby-like language of the story will relax your child, and as each of the Night Garden friends falls asleep, your child will feel encouraged to do the same. The book features a bedtime routine to use before you

read the story, and a relaxation technique for afterwards too. In the Cities of Coin and Spice and In the Night Garden introduced readers to the unique and intoxicating imagination of Catherynne M. Valente. Now she weaves a lyrically erotic spell of a place where the grotesque and the beautiful reside and the passport to our most secret fantasies begins with a stranger's kiss.... Between life and death, dreaming and waking, at the train stop beyond the end of the world is the city of Palimpsest. To get there is a miracle, a mystery, a gift, and a curse—a voyage permitted only to those who've always believed there's another world than the one that meets the eye. Those fated to make the passage are marked forever by a map of that wondrous city tattooed on their flesh after a single orgasmic night. To this kingdom of ghost trains, lion-priests, living kanji, and cream-filled canals come four travelers: Oleg, a New York locksmith; the beekeeper November; Ludovico, a binder of rare books; and a young Japanese woman named Sei. They've each lost something important—a wife, a lover, a sister, a direction in life—and what they will find in Palimpsest is more than they could ever imagine.

A Novel

Ponk! Ponk!

We Have Always Lived in the Castle

In the Night Garden: Upsy Daisy Wants to Sing

Take a flight on the Pinky Ponk with the Night Garden friends. Use the big tabs to turn the pages and press the sound buttons to hear all the funny noises.

A Book of Wonders for Grown-Up Readers Every once in a great while a book comes along that reminds us of the magic spell that stories can cast over us-to dazzle, entertain, and enlighten. Welcome to the Arabian Nights for our time-a lush and fantastical epic guaranteed to spirit you away from the very first page . . . Secreted away in a garden, a lonely girl spins stories to warm a curious prince: peculiar feats and unspeakable fates that loop through each other and back again to meet in the tapestry of her voice. Inked on her eyelids, each twisting, tattooed tale is a piece in the puzzle of the girl's own hidden history. And what tales she tells! Tales of shape-shifting witches and wild horsewomen, heron kings and beast princesses, snake gods, dog monks, and living stars-each story

more strange and fantastic than the one that came before. From ill-tempered “mermaid” to fastidious Beast, nothing is ever quite what it seems in these ever-shifting tales—even, and especially, their teller. Adorned with illustrations by the legendary Michael Kaluta, Valente’s enchanting lyrical fantasy offers a breathtaking reinvention of the untold myths and dark fairy tales that shape our dreams. And just when you think you’ve come to the end, you realize the adventure has only begun.... Praise for In the Night Garden “Cathrynne Valente weaves layer upon layer of marvels in her debut novel. In the Night Garden is a treat for all who love puzzle stories and the mystical language of talespinners.”—Carol Berg, author of Daughter of Ancients “Fabulous talespinning in the tradition of story cycles such as The Arabian Nights. Lyrical, wildly imaginative and slyly humorous, Valente’s prose possesses an irrepressible spirit.”—K. J. Bishop, author of The Etched City “Astonishing work! Valente’s endless invention and mythic range are breathtaking. It’s as if she’s gone night-wandering, and plucked a hundred distant cultures out of the air to deliver

their stories to us.”—Ellen Kushner, author of Thomas the Rhymer “Refreshingly original in both style and form, In the Night Garden should delight lovers of myth and folklore.”—Juliet Marillier, author of the Sevenwaters trilogy

Once upon a time, Makka Pakka gave each of his Night Garden friends a special present. Find out what it was in this illustrated story book featuring Upsy Daisy, the Tombliboos and the Pontipines! This sturdy first storybook features board pages, rounded corners and a hardcover for little 1-3 year old to read over and over again. For more In the Night Garden fun, go to www.penguin.com.au/inthenightgarden

Count from 1 all the way to 10 with Igglepiggle and his friends in the Night Garden. With simple text and bright, vibrant colours, this chunky board book is a perfect way to introduce counting to little In the Night Garden fans.

Furchester Hotel: Little Library

In the Night Garden: The Bedtime Book

Everybody Loves Christmas!

Palimpsest

Ting! Ting! Igglepiggle, iggle onk, we're going to catch . . . the Ninky Nonk! Join the In the Night Garden friends in this magical sound book and press the button as you turn the page.

Learn about shapes and colours with Igglepiggle, Upsy Daisy, Makka Pakka and their friends in the Night Garden. Have fun completing each activity using the big stickers to decorate each colourful illustrated scene. The perfect book for toddlers who love In the Night Garden!

“Combine equal parts of Stephen King’s Dark Tower series and China Miéville’s Perdido Street Station, throw in a dash of Aubrey Beardsley and J.K. Huysmans, and you’ll get some idea of this disturbing, decadent first novel.”—Publishers Weekly Gwynn and Raule are rebels on the run, with little in common except being on the losing side of a hard-fought war. Gwynn is a gunslinger from the north, a loner, a survivor . . . a killer. Raule is a wandering surgeon, a healer who still believes in just—and lost—causes. Bound by a desire to escape the ghosts of the past, together they flee to the teeming city of Ashamoil, where Raule plies her trade among the desperate and destitute, and Gwynn becomes bodyguard and assassin for the household of a corrupt magnate. There, in the saving and taking of lives, they find themselves immersed in a world where art infects life, dream and waking

fuse, and splendid and frightening miracles begin to bloom . . . “The plot, with its stories-within-stories and its offhand descriptions of wonders and prodigies, brings to mind the works of Italo Calvino and Jorge Luis Borges.”—Locus

"Tom is not prepared for what is about to happen when he hears the grandfather clock strike thirteen. Outside the back door is a garden, which everyone tells him does not exist."--Page 4 de la couverture.

Little Learning Library

Noisy Ninky Nonk Sound Book

The Little House

In the Night Garden: Bedtime Stories from the Night Garden

Once upon a time in the Night Garden, everyone wanted to make music so they all played together. But then they heard a funny noise . . . This sturdy illustrated first story book features board pages, rounded corners and a hardcover for little Night Garden fans to read over and over again. Find more In the Night Garden fun at www.penguin.com.au/inthenightgarden
THE STORY: The home of the Blackwoods near a Vermont village is a lonely, ominous abode, and Constance, the young

mistress of the place, can't go out of the house without being insulted and stoned by the villagers. They have also composed a nasty s

It's Igglepiggle's birthday - but it seems that all of his friends in the Night Garden have forgotten! Igglepiggle is sad to find that nobody wants to play today. But there are a few things going on around the garden that Igglepiggle hasn't spotted.

Makka Pakka is painting a special stone, the Tombliboos are hanging bunting, and the Pontipines have made a cake . . .

Maybe Igglepiggle's friends haven't forgotten his birthday after all! Little fans of In the Night Garden will love this beautifully illustrated picture book, filled with all their favourite characters from the show.

Pull the sturdy tabs to help Igglepiggle and all his friends pop, jiggle, jump and dance as the ball rolls along. Where is that ball going? Young children will love this bouncy pop-up story story, with a special musical ending. Visit penguin.com.au/inthenightgarden for more

In the Night Garden: Igglepiggle's Birthday Surprise

Time to Wash Faces!

Thomas the Rhymer

Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil

Explore shapes and colours, learn your ABC, and try counting with Igglepiggle and friends! This Little Learning Library contains four small chunky board books full of In the Night Garden fun. The simple early-learning concepts are brought to life with bold colours, playful text and all your favourite characters from the Night Garden.

Have some fun with the Tomliboos in this colourful In the Night Garden storybook.

Beautiful bright pages and a simple story full of fun and surprises will enchant fans of the programme.

Once upon a time in the Night Garden, the Tomliboos were riding on the Pinky Ponk, drinking their Pinky Ponk juice. Oh dear! Pinky Ponk juice has spilt everywhere! Read this sweet story and find out who helps the Tomliboos clean up. This sturdy first storybook features your little one's favourite In the Night Garden characters - Igglepiggle, Upsy Daisy, Makka Pakka, the Tomliboos and more! Board pages, rounded corners and a hardcover make this book perfect for little 1-3 year-old Night Garden fans to read over and over again.

Olivia—who manages both a mysterious, lush garden and a safe home for abused women—is investigated by a former childhood friend who is now a cop after neighbors

lodge complaints. By the author of *The Wishing Thread*. Original. 25,000 first printing.

The Orphan's Tales: In the Night Garden

In the Night Garden: All Aboard the Ninky Nonk

In the Night Garden: Everybody Loves the Pinky Ponk!

The Etched City

Once upon a time in the Night Garden, everybody went for a ride on the Ninky Nonk. But the teeny tiny Pontipines were left behind. This sturdy storybook features board pages, rounded corners and a hardcover for little Night Garden fans to read over and over again.

Everybody in the Night Garden loves Christmas! Join Igglepiggle and his friends in the snowy Night Garden as they tell us all of their favourite things about Christmas time. With rounded corners and sturdy board pages, this is the perfect gift for little fans of the hit CBeebies show.

Come and meet all of your favourite characters from *In the Night Garden*. Follow Igglepiggle, Upsy Daisy and Makka Pakka in this beautiful touch and feel book. Babies will have hours of fun reading this delightful Night Garden tale and discovering the tactiles on each spread. What a pip! Welcome to the Furchester Hotel! This little library introduces the wonderful Furchester family, including Elmo and their friend Cookie

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Monster. Presented in a slipcase box, The Furchester: Hotel Little Library is a fantastic collection of four mini board books. Preschool fans of the hit CBeebies show can get to know their favourite monsters with books introducing Elmo, Cookie Monster, Phoebe, Funella and Furgus. Perfect for little monsters who love The Furchester Hotel!

Shapes and Colours

Silly Ninky Nonk!

In the Night Garden: Wake Up Igglepiggle

In the Night Garden: Igglepiggle's Lost Blanket

Once upon a time in the Night Garden-- Igglepiggle went to sleep in Upsy Daisy's bed. Can she wake him up with the help of their friends?

Award-winning author and radio personality Ellen Kushner's inspired retelling of an ancient legend weaves myth and magic into a vivid contemporary novel about the mysteries of the human heart. Brimming with ballads, riddles, and magical transformations, here is the timeless tale of a charismatic bard whose talents earn him a two-edged otherworldly gift. A minstrel lives by his words, his tunes, and sometimes by his

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lies. But when the bold and gifted young Thomas the Rhymer awakens the desire of the powerful Queen of Elfland, he finds that words are not enough to keep him from his fate. As the Queen sweeps him far from the people he has known and loved into her realm of magic, opulence—and captivity—he learns at last what it is to be truly human. When he returns to his home with the Queen's parting gift, his great task will be to seek out the girl he loved and wronged, and offer her at last the tongue that cannot lie.

Shots rang out in Savannah's grandest mansion in the misty, early morning hours of May 2, 1981. Was it murder or self-defense? For nearly a decade, the shooting and its aftermath reverberated throughout this hauntingly beautiful city of moss-hung oaks and shaded squares. John Berendt's sharply observed, suspenseful, and witty narrative reads like a thoroughly engrossing novel, and yet it is a work of nonfiction. Berendt skillfully interweaves a hugely entertaining first-person account of life in this isolated remnant of the Old South with the unpredictable twists and

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turns of a landmark murder case. It is a spellbinding story peopled by a gallery of remarkable characters: the well-bred society ladies of the Married Woman's Card Club; the turbulent young redneck gigolo; the hapless recluse who owns a bottle of poison so powerful it could kill every man, woman, and child in Savannah; the aging and profane Southern belle who is the "soul of pampered self-absorption"; the uproariously funny black drag queen; the acerbic and arrogant antiques dealer; the sweet-talking, piano-playing con artist; young blacks dancing the minuet at the black debutante ball; and Minerva, the voodoo priestess who works her magic in the graveyard at midnight. These and other Savannahians act as a Greek chorus, with Berendt revealing the alliances, hostilities, and intrigues that thrive in a town where everyone knows everyone else. *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil* is a sublime and seductive reading experience. Brilliantly conceived and masterfully written, this enormously engaging portrait of a most beguiling Southern city has become a modern classic.

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A perfect introduction to all your favourite In The Night Garden characters. This compact book comes with a cloth strap to attach to your buggy, perfect for little Ninky-nonks on the move.

Nice and Quiet

Tom's Midnight Garden

In the Night Garden: 123

Bouncy Ball

From Newbery Honor and National Book Award-winning author Polly Horvath is this magical middle-grade novel about a garden that grants wishes. It is World War II, and Franny and her parents, Sina and Old Tom, enjoy a quiet life on a farm on Vancouver Island. Franny writes, Sina sculpts, and Old Tom tends to their many gardens—including the ancient, mysterious night garden. Their peaceful life is interrupted when their neighbor, Crying Alice, begs Sina to watch her children while she goes to visit her husband at the military base because she suspects he's up to no good. Soon after the children move in, letters arrive from their father that suggest he's about to do something to change

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their lives; and appearances from a stubborn young cook, UFOs, hermits, and ghosts only make life stranger. Can the forbidden night garden that supposedly grants everyone one wish help them all out of trouble? And if so, at what cost? The Night Garden is a poignant and hilarious story from acclaimed children's author Polly Horvath.

Late one evening, three little girls prowl, growl, and let their imaginations soar. One is a bear with sharp, white teeth; One is a whale, steady and strong; One is a sled dog, sleek and lean. Barbara Joosse's exciting nighttime tale is perfectly enhanced by Elizabeth Sayles's full-color illustrations.

The Tomliboos decide to ride in the Pinky Ponk, but it keeps landing to allow someone else on board. Clues in the artwork help children to guess who's next and the text encourages the reader to press the squeaker to let the next friend on board. This multi-layered novelty book offers story, picture clues, pretend play and encourages hand-eye coordination to press the Pinky Ponk squeaker.

A buggy book featuring Igglepiggle, Upsy Daisy, Makka Pakka, the Tomliboos and the Pontipines! The perfect introduction to all

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your favourite In The Night Garden characters! Suitable for the very youngest In The Night Garden fan, this buggy book with chunky board pages is perfect for little hands. The clip-on strap attaches to pushchairs and bags, so is great for keeping little ones entertained on the go. A must-have for every little In The Night Garden fan!

A Midsummer-night's Dream

In the Night Garden

A Lovely Present

In the Night Garden: Happy Easter!