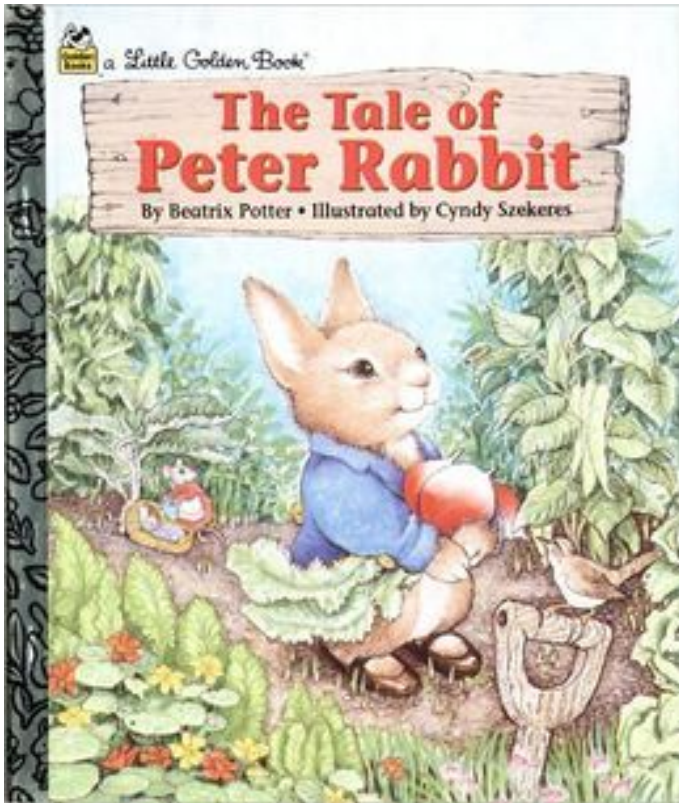

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The tale of Peter Rabbit (The World of Beatrix Potter: Peter Rabbit)



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Description

Beatrix Potter's classic tale of the mischievous little rabbit who hops into trouble in Mr. MacGregor's vegetable garden is lovingly reillustrated by master artist Cyndy Szekeres. Full color.

Insightful reviews

John Yelverton: One of my favorite stories when I was growing up.

Joy H.: Added 5/4/12.

The Tale of Peter Rabbit (first published 1902) by Beatrix Potter

Below is a comment I posted at my group 5/4/12:

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"**Miss Potter**"(2006), the biopic about [Beatrix Potter](#) was exquisite.

<http://movies.netflix.com/movie/Miss-...>

<http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0482546/>

The combination of Renée Zellweger with Emily Watson acting alongside her was brilliant. The Heartland Film Festival gave the movie the "Truly Moving Sound Award" in the "Truly Moving Picture" category. The movie was truly touching and it brought Beatrix Potter to life. Before I saw this movie, she was only a name to me.

Beatrix Potter started out, even as a kid, by drawing bunnies and dressing them up in clothes. She was extremely imaginative and the movie portrays her as thinking of the bunnies in her stories as actual living beings. According to the movie, Potter's parents did not recognize her talents and were very unsupportive.

Renée Zellweger was a nominee at the Golden Globes for "Best Performance by an Actress in a Motion Picture - Comedy or Musical". She was perfect for the part. Below is a link to other nominations and awards which the film won:

AWARDS: <http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0482546/a...>

The scenery was beautiful and the Victorian interiors of the homes gave the picture a warm and cozy atmosphere. All in all it was an extremely pleasurable experience, even though there parts of her life which pulled at your heartstrings.

Wiki says that Beatrix Potter's [The Tale of Peter Rabbit](#) "has been translated into 36 languages and, with 45 million copies sold, it is one of the best-selling books of all time."

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Tale...

According to the GR author description, "Potter eventually published 23 children's books."

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Manny: Inspired by [Ramblefoot](#), a gritty, naturalistic, no-holds-barred depiction of the lives of wolves, I couldn't help wondering if similar treatments weren't possible for other classics. Here's an extract from my draft rabbit novel, provisionally entitled *Nojacket*.

Peter finished his breakfast, but the insipid, cloying taste of the dead dandelion leaves left him unsatisfied. The craving was starting to build up in him again. He needed to *veg out*. Suddenly, he started as a voice came from right behind him.

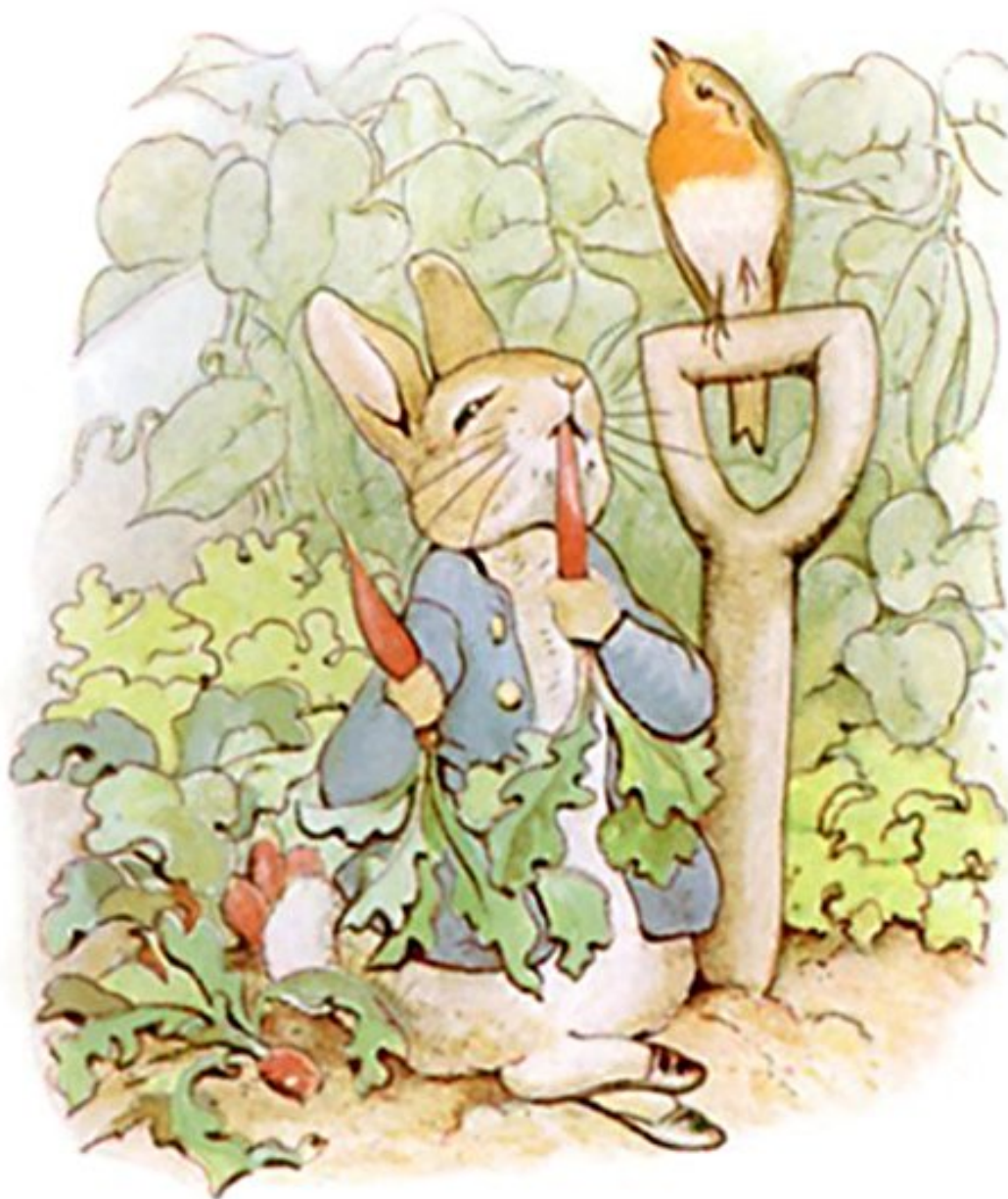
"We're looking for blackberries. You want to come, Peter?"

It was his half-sister Flopsy, a precociously formed doe. She was not yet one summer old, yet already her haunches had the rounded look of a mature female. She exuded an enticing, musky odor. As if by chance, she turned her head so that their whiskers brushed, and seductively twitched her nose. For a moment, Peter was tempted, but the other urge was too strong.

"Sorry, Flopsy. I've got... stuff to do."

With one bound, he had scooped up his blue jacket, the mark of the civilized young rabbit, and was out of the burrow before he could change his mind. He lolloped down the path as he had done many times before, then, looking both ways, he eased his trembling body under the hard wood of the gate. He was on McGregor territory.

He straightened up, all his senses maximally alert, but there were no warning signals yet. With the practiced ease of the professional thief, he took the short-cut through the gooseberry bushes and emerged directly in the vegetable garden. His eyes glistened with desire as he saw the huge, plump lettuces. No longer caring about safety, he immediately attacked the nearest one, slicing into it with his razor-sharp front teeth. Green juices ran down his chin as he gorged himself on the unresisting leaves. His eyes half-closed, he chewed, swallowed, bit again, forcing the food down his throat as fast as he could eat until he reached the tender heart. In less time than one could believe possible, the lettuce was no more than an eviscerated husk. Peter contemptuously tossed away the bitter stem and then started on the radishes. Their tart, peppery red flesh contrasted delightfully with the sweet lettuce, and he frenziedly ate one after another. His swollen stomach hurt, but the pleasure was still stronger.



Amalie : A candy book! It teaches teenagers that they need to take heed to there parents, after they inform them whatever although t good day won't like it, it will possibly hinder them from getting hurt. i'll love examining this to my nephew and niece.

Allison : Beatrix Potter's kid's books are undying and beautiful - the tales and the illustrations. the story of Peter Rabbit is definitely her most renowned one and it's a disgrace that extra fogeys do not understand she has a whole host of characters and tales which are all both wonderful. Her characters are effortless for kids to spot with. Peter Rabbit instantly does the single factor that his mom has forbidden her little ones to do (going to Mr. McGregor's garden) regardless of figuring out that his father did an analogous and used to be "put right into a pie". What will be extra beautiful than the forbidden? Mercifully, Peter escapes his father's destiny

after a tortuous ordeal that could good go away him scarred (if no longer scared) for life. whilst he returns domestic and collapses particularly exhausted and in poor health after his adventures, his mom does not trouble him. She places him to mattress and provides him anything for his stomach. This reaffirms that moms will constantly be there to maintain you and forgive you in your undesirable behavior. Besides Peter's exploits, we additionally know about what his sisters have been as much as through the comparable time period. simply because they have been "good little bunnies", they have been making a choice on blackberries. while Peter lower back domestic completely drained, we all know that whereas he sleeps off his adventure, his sisters and their mom loved the blackberries - the end result in their stable behavior. the tale offers an easy lesson within the rewards of excellent habit - and if you have ever had blackberries that you've got picked yourself, you will comprehend what a candy gift that is!

Knarik Avetisyan: This identity dramatically instills worry and pressure within the reader, and interacts with the usually distanced voice of the verbal narrative, occasionally with contradictory effects. To me Potter is inconsistent within the use of contradictory results within the word-picture interaction. For example, within the representation of Peter status by way of the locked door, the verbal narrative describes the scene with no the flippancy obvious within the second of the sieve. the shortcoming to beat hindrances is gifted within the verbal narrative with aim matter-of-factness and the statement, "Peter started to cry" is out there with no irony or attitude, hence drawing the reader toward Peter's feelings and plight. The representation depicts an unclothed Peter status upright opposed to the door, one foot upon the opposite with a tear operating from his eye. with out his clothes, Peter is just a small, wild animal yet his tears, his emotions, and his human posture intensifies the reader's identity with him. Here, verbal narrative and representation paintings in concord instead of in disharmony. Potter subverts not just her age's expectancies of what it takes to be an outstanding baby yet subverts the hero style with its young, objective, rational, imaginative white male who leaves the civilized global to courageous hindrances and competitors within the wilderness, and, as soon as his target is achieved, returns domestic to thankful welcome and rewards. Peter is kind of in contrast to the conventional hero simply because "he is small, emotionally driven, simply frightened, and a no longer very rational animal". She indicates Potter's story has inspired many generations of youngsters to "self-indulgence, disobedience, transgression of social limitations and ethics, and statement in their wild, unpredictable nature opposed to the constrictions of civilized living." "One day, i will learn them to my youngsters and i am sure, they are going to take pleasure in it!"

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