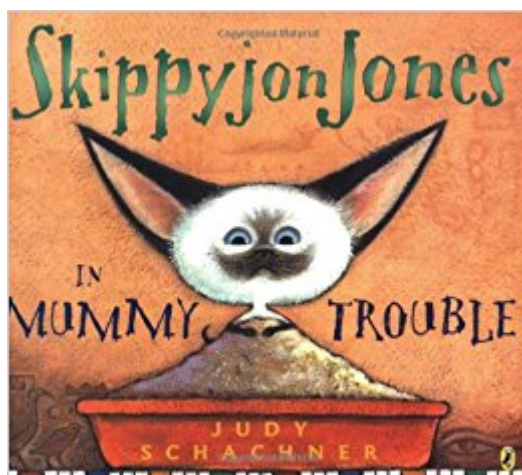


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Skippyjon Jones In Mummy Trouble



Synopsis

El Skippito is back! His doggy pals want to visit the Under Mundo where the underworld where mummies rest in peace. But they need El Skippito's brains and courage to answer the riddle of the Sphinx and enter the mummy's tomb. Our hero is up to the task, and he's in for another whirlwind adventure. Watch a Video

Book Information

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Age Range: 3 - 5 years

Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

Customer Reviews

Kindergarten-Grade 3 Another tale featuring the independent, stubborn Siamese kitten. Once again, Skippyjon dons mask and cape, enters his closet, and changes into El Skippito Friskito, an adventure-loving Chihuahua. Here, after daydreaming about ancient Egypt, he converts into his alter ego and meets his amigos (a pack of troublemaking poochitos) along the Nile River. Skippyjon fans will find much to like here the amigos speak a slang of Spanish and English and spur the frightened kitten into confronting the Sphinx and a mummy but the book may be a bit confusing for newcomers as there is no explanation of his transformation or his canine pals. Done in acrylics and pen and ink, the vibrantly colored illustrations add humor to the already silly story (the gang wants to visit the Under Mundo where mummies rest in peace) and children will want to stop and pore over the details (the mummy is a Siamese). The text is lengthy, with several points of action, so it is recommended for readers who can follow the longer format. However, the narrative is

broken up by songs and rhymes that will keep them laughing throughout. When Skippyjon returns to his (real) mummy, youngsters will feel as if they have been to ancient Egypt with him. --Susan E. Murray, Glendale Public Library, AZ Copyright © Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. --This text refers to the Video Game edition.

"Fans will no doubt want more of the "beeg Chihuahua dude." •Kirkus Reviews

I bought this for my 5 yr old nephew. He already had 2 of these books and I think they are hilarious. He just giggles uncontrollably while I'm reading it and getting messed up with the rhymes :) I bought the hardback, which is very nice and comes with a cd, which I have not played for him, but his mother has. My favorite so far is the dinosaur one, so be on the lookout for it. You can't go wrong with these books.

Cutest tale of an imaginative yet somewhat mischievous kitten, (according to his Mummy). Skippyjon fueled by his imagination and of course National Geographic Magazine, takes a journey to the Underworld down the river Styx to Egypt in search of mummies, when mayhem ensues, compliments of his sibling cohorts. His real mummy comes to the rescue!

My 5 years old daughter obsessed with all things Ancient Egypt loves this book. She laughs at how silly it is (since it purposely gets lots of words wrong - finx for Sphinx, etc) and loves how fun it is when we read the adventure parts in a Spanish accent, since Skippyjon Jones uses Spanish words when he's "Skippito" the Chihuahua.

what is not to love about a Siamese cat that thinks he is ai chihuahua. Adorable books.

Who doesn't love Skippyjon Jones? He's funny, adventurous and has a great family. His stories have been a favorite for years and we continue to share them with younger family members and friends. Another plus is the bilingual aspect (as well as the rhyming). Can't get enough of this little guy!

Funny

You made our Christmas fill with laughter

I have 14 grandchildren. The younger ones love 'Skippyjon Jones'. These were bought for the "library" at our house for the kids to read when visiting us.

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