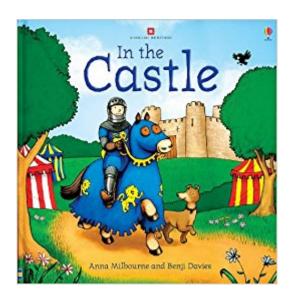


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### **Synopsis**

This is a new title in the fantastic "First Reading" series, part of the 'Usborne Young Reading Programme'. It is aimed at children who are beginning to read. Step back in time to the excitement of life in a castle, with jousts and banquets and daring deeds. After the story, there are fun puzzles to consolidate learning. Developed in consultation with Alison Kelly, who is a Principal Lecturer in Education and an early reading specialist from Roehampton University. Every title in this series features clear and compelling text accompanied by highly appealing illustrations. This title is designed to motivate children as they learn to read. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

#### **Book Information**

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#### Customer Reviews

Very interesting little book for children! It is not really a story, mostly just a collection of facts about knight life, worded for children. Adults and kids alike should find the facts interesting to learn, but it might be too long/ wordy for very small toddlers to sit through.

This was the favorite Christmas gift book of a three and five year old. Both asked to have it read several times a day. We adults liked it too, nice pictures and simple information about knights, ladies, and castles.

I bought this based upon our experience with Anna Milbourne's other books. My younger kids - ages 3 and 4 - really enjoy it. Great springboard to other medieval texts.

This is a great book for introducing the idea of knights and castles to toddlers. There is a bit of violence involved when the enemies attempt to attack the castle, but it is handled well and no one gets hurt (they just run away). It has been a big hit with my 2 and 1/2 year old son.

My 2 1/2 year old loves this book. We read it every night. I was happy to find a slightly informative book about castles, rather than another story book. The pictures are colorful and interesting and the amount of text is perfect. Enough to be interesting, but not so much that he becomes bored and turns the page before I can finish reading to him. The feel of the book is also nice and has held up to lots and lots of use!

Story is appropriate for a young child interested in castles. It shows conflict but no violence. Good beginners book along the lines of 'if I had a farm' also by usborne. Awakens the imagination.

This is a great book to introduce medieval times to young kids. My daughter (3 1/2) loved it. It really helped her understand the basics of life in the Middle Ages. The illustrations are bright and even battles are displayed truthfully but not too scary. We highly recommend it.

We have read this book about thousand times. It is great to have a book about knights that is more than just about fighting. It shows what the life was like in the castles, creating an interesting impression about that time period. It is clear, cute and absolutely perfect for my 2.5 year old.

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