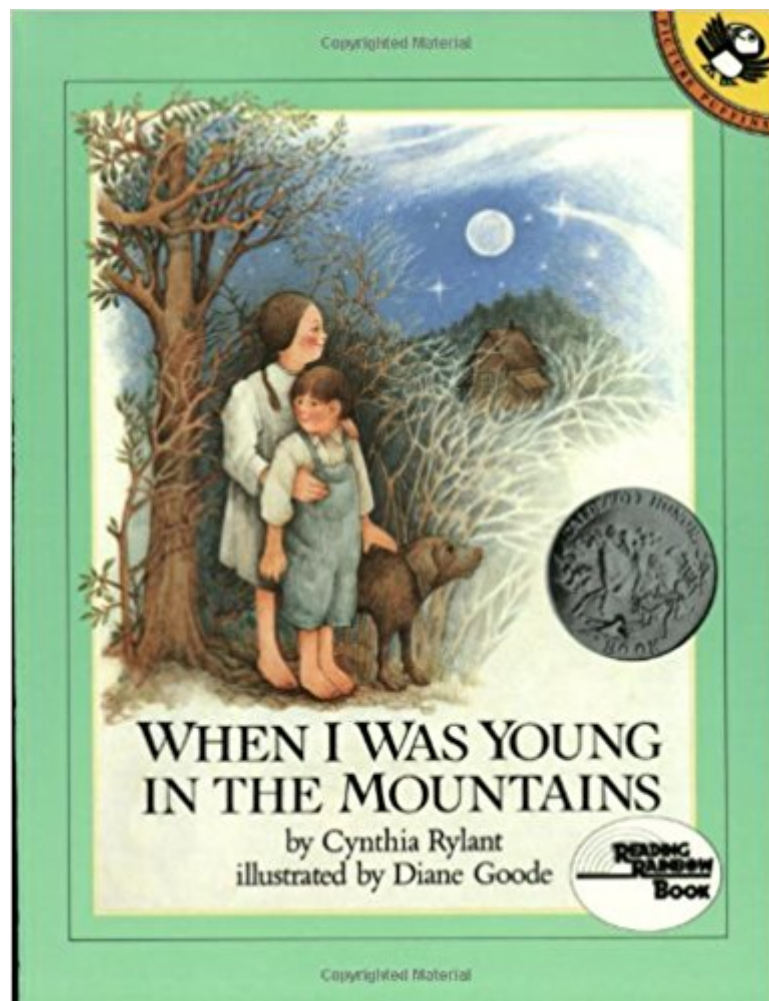




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When I Was Young In The Mountains (Reading Rainbow Books)



Synopsis

Caldecott Honor Book!"An evocative remembrance of the simple pleasures in country living; splashing in the swimming hole, taking baths in the kitchen, sharing family times, each is eloquently portrayed here in both the misty-hued scenes and in the poetic text."-Association for Childhood Education International

Book Information

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Age Range: 5 - 8 years

Grade Level: Kindergarten - 3

Customer Reviews

When I was young in the mountains, Grandfather came home in the evening covered with the black dust of the coal mine. Now, Cynthia Rylant's *When I Was Young in the Mountains*, illus. by Diane Goode, a Caldecott Honor book, returns in a 20th-anniversary edition wrapped with a copper-colored commemorative band. Copyright 2002 Cahnerns Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

K-Gr 3-Rylant delights in the simple joys of living with her grandparents in the Appalachian Mountains: fresh cornbread, the swimming hole, bathing in the tin tub, snakes, and the community church. Surrounding all of these memories is the loving relationship with her grandparents. Warmly

rendered illustrations complement the lyrical text. Audio version available from Audible.Â Â (c)
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Beautiful story with a cadence that makes for the perfect bedtime story. My children loved this book
as kids. I now gift them to the next generation.

This is a wonderful story. I bought it to keep read to my granddaughter to let hear a little girl talk
about important people and a different life, that didn't include iPods, and TV.....yet was absolutely
wonderful. Hoping she will want to investigate some of this for herself. Appreciate the simple things.

this book was one of my childs favorite books and that was moons ago. You know its a winner when
Im buying for a future grandchild and its still in print. All you southerners out there - if you are looking
for a great read to adventure to a young child - gotta have this one. Okra and pintos are in this book
and all the things southern. You yanks will enjoy it also (with smiles) it is of days gone and
memories. true true classic in our family.

My kids enjoyed reading this book.

I just love this book! I bought a copy for my daughter when she was young and I fell totally in love
with the wonderful sentiments and illustrations in the book. Later on, my wife and daughter bought
me a copy of this book for my very own. I bought this copy for my little granddaughter.

my favorite

Thank you

This was one of my favorite books growing up, and now my daughter loves it, too! She is only 16
months old, but loves the drawings and knows what is going on. This is a beautiful story
well-illustrated about a rural childhood. I like that the story doesn't seem juvenile in tone - it doesn't
"talk down" to its audience, yet it is simple and easy to understand. I also appreciate that the main
character is a girl (she has a brother, too, and I know boys who have liked the story as well). Mostly
I appreciate the simple yet effective and heart-warming story and the great illustrations - my

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