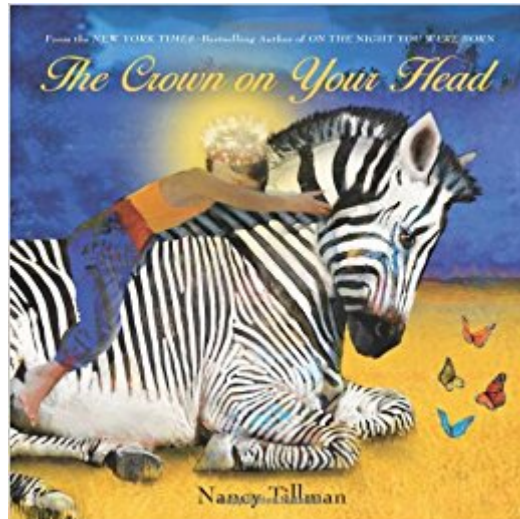




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Crown On Your Head, The



Synopsis

We know our children are special, and now, in *The Crown on Your Head*, the incomparable Nancy Tillman expresses this universal feeling in the most touching of ways: Every child is born with a crown. The crown is everything that gives us unique value. Our crown will always be with us wherever we go, whatever we do.

Book Information

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Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 3

Customer Reviews

A Look Inside *The Crown on Your Head* --This text refers to the Hardcover edition.

•...this is soothing, visually attractive, and makes for a comforting bedtime read-aloud. •

•Booklist• Tillman adds another dreamy volume to her collection of self-esteem-building titles. •

•School Library Journal• Parents and grandparents will love to read this aloud to their little

ones... • •Kirkus Reviews• There's something magical about the idea of intimacy with wild

animals; spreads in which Tillman imagines such interactions, like the cover image of the child asleep astride a zebra, have special power, especially as they're rendered with photograph-like

verisimilitude. • •Publishers Weekly• Nancy Tillman returns to the theme that she celebrated in

her poetic essay book *On the Night You Were Born*--every child is special and beloved. • [While the re-iterated affirmations on each page may seem a bit much for the less sentimental types, there is

no question that Tillman's message is one that young children need to hear. • •Children's

Literature

I adore these books by Nancy Tillman!!! I have several of her books and keep ordering more. They are beautifully written and such sweet pictures. My baby just loves them!

Like each of the other Tillman books I have purchased recently, this one is beautifully written and expressed, and I'm basing my rating on that. As others have noted, she uses the metaphor of a crown worn by a child to indicate that their individuality, those things that make them uniquely them, give them great value and meaning and will allow them to symbolically rule the circumstances in their lives if they embrace that in themselves, so to speak. I do think it is beautifully written. I also think that it is explained well enough what she's meaning for a typically developing child with a healthy sense of imagination and symbolism. My very literal, very "the world is what it is and I don't pretend" son, who has Autism, among other things, would probably say (if he words were something he used right now): "What crown are you talking about? I don't have a crown. Made of moonlight? Moonlight isn't solid, it can't make a crown...." And so on. So I think it is possible that a group of kiddos, meaning special needs kiddos who have some of the brightest crowns and sweetest spirits around, may need this message reinforced more than some others and may need a great deal of assistance in parsing out the meaning of this book and how it applies to them. Otherwise, like all of her books, I found it a joy to read and love how positive and affirming this book is.

This is my favorite book, along with "On the Night You Were Born". The colors and pictures and very detailed and visually appealing. The plot is very sweet and lovely for a child. The book itself is high quality. I have never found a cheaper price anywhere. Was this review helpful? Please indicate so by click the thumbs up sign!

This book is WONDERFUL! I love Nancy Tillman books for children! They are the most beautifully written books I have ever read. I have purchased every single one she has written for both my son and my daughter, and hope she continues to write more. Thank you Nancy Tillman...I highly recommend ANY of her books!

My daughter loves this book and wants to read it every night. The illustrations are super cute and I love these stories. I love to make my daughter feel so special because it's hard for me to say it outright in such a cute way. Book seems like it will last a lifetime because it's sturdy and easy to

read. Great for any age. Highly recommended along with Nancy Tillman's other stories!

This is a very touching story, that will bring tears to a parent's eyes, and expresses a parent's deep love and sincere belief in their child's "specialness"! From the day the child is born, the parent sees a crown on the head of the child, which continues to grow and stay with him all his life! That is certainly how I viewed my children and still do! I actually bought it for my grown son, so that he could better understand my feelings for him and eventually, read the story to his own child someday!

This author nails it on the head with children's books. The illustrations are dreamy, the words are endearing and rhyme well! As a parent, I love reading this book to my daughter and tear up from time to time. I highly recommend all her books!

I just recieved my book and it looks very worn out and used. Just had to double check to make sure I had actually purchased a new book. Very disappointing.

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