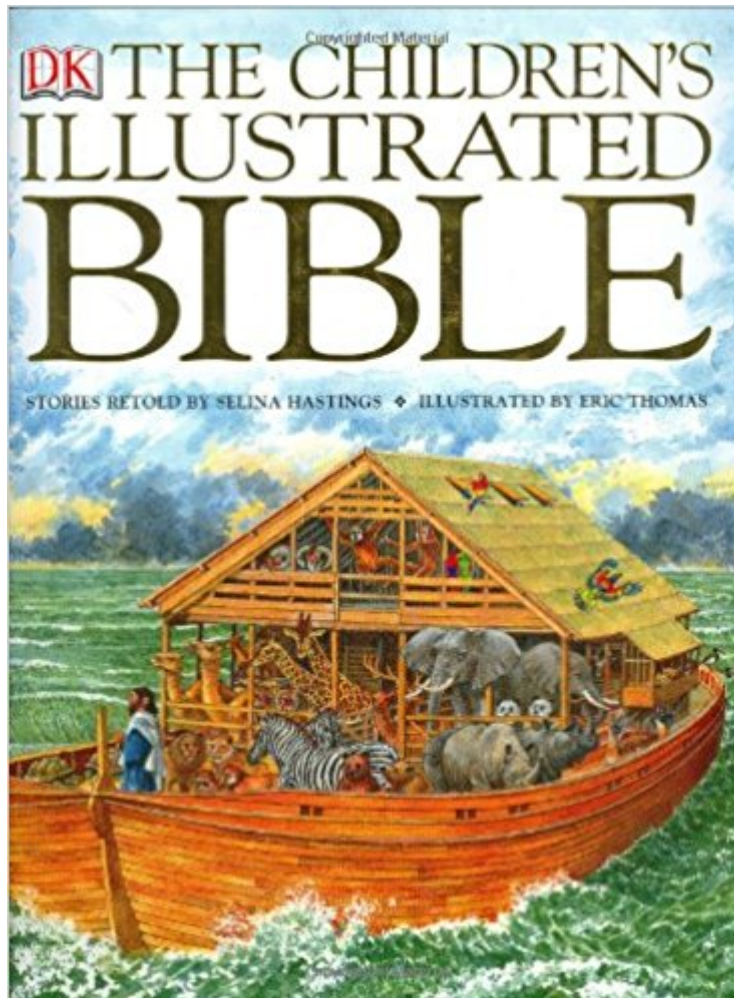




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# The Children's Illustrated Bible



## Synopsis

Written in conjunction with educators, scholars, and religious advisors, this retelling of favorite Old and New Testament stories retains the original feel and poetry of the Bible while appealing to contemporary young readers. DK's Children's Illustrated Bible features some of the best-known Bible tales, including, the Birth of Jesus, Jacob's Ladder, Noah's Ark, and the Resurrection, written especially for children in a clear, easy-to-understand tone. A "Who's Who in the Bible Stories" section and quotations from the King James Bible, listed by chapter and verse, add even more value to this unique resource.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 10 - 17 years

Grade Level: 5 - 12

## Customer Reviews

Selina Hastings is the author of several children's books that reflect her interest in language and history including *Sir Gawain and the Loathly Lady* and *The Canterbury Tales*. Eric Thomas, a teacher of graphics, print, and illustration, has worked as a freelance illustrator for the BBC, The Times of London, and The Economist.

I loved these little Bibles...Beautifully Illustrated and well written for children. I purchased several to send overseas in gift boxes. I loved them so much when I got them, that I ordered two more for my grandsons. After 3 days for one and 4 days for the second the spine of the book broke and the Bible

is falling apart. I was so disappointed. My Grandsons were so excited to get these books and they loved them...now they are just taped up messes in less than a week. They are not hard on books either...the boys are still using the Bible story book that my kids used as children. I worry about the ones I sent overseas now.

TINY PRINT!!! This specific version was what my son's school said to get, and I couldn't find it at the local bookstore. I ordered it, never even thinking that it would be so small and the print miniscule. But I thought well, this is what they said to get. Then at school, another mother said she got this from [redacted] and sent it back and bought it at Barnes & Noble instead because they had the bigger version. Well, heck, I'm stuck with this one AND had to buy the bigger one, too. Why they even make a book with type this small for anyone, much less beginning readers, I do not know.

A good book, but hard to read the writing with that small size and the beautiful pictures and illustrations cannot be seen as well either. It has much more impact in a larger edition and would be more suitable for children and adults. I neglected to read the dimensions and was expecting the larger edition.

Saw this book in Barnes and Nobles. It was a larger book, looked great - nice pictures, easy to read (large print). Used an app on my phone to scan the bar code and compare the price to [redacted]. [redacted] was much cheaper, so ordered it from [redacted]. It was the same book, except half the size (a miniature version). The small version is practically unreadable, unless you want to get a headache or use a magnifying glass. Not sure how [redacted] confused the two books since I scanned the bar code with the app. Will be returning this.

I recieved this bible today and after purchasing all the other Selina Hastings items, realized that this is a compilation of them ALL plus some! To include the Illustrated Jewish children's bible and all the New testament stories...SO THIS IS ALL YOU NEED! I am so glad to have this resource for my children. I am sick of the cartoon bibles. I am also wanting my children to see the truth from an early age. Why can't they appreciate beauty in artwork and photos and grown up language?

We got this for nightly story time with daddy. It is a step up from the preschool type children's bible they had before, but not as difficult to understand as a teen "real" bible. The extra historical context is a wonderful addition. However, this book is TINY. Since I ordered it, there is now a size listed in

the description. My husband has a hard time reading this in dim light and I can't read it except in daylight, which is very disappointing.

My daughters started at an Episcopal school this year. This was the required Bible for 1st grade. I saw the title, the author and ordered it. I wish I would have read the reviews then I would have learned it came in two sizes and doesn't carry the larger one, atleast not that I have found. I put my daughters name in it so that she could take it to school (so now I can't return it) and on the first day is when I realized the book came in two sizes and, of course, all the other children have the larger one. sigh. So I come back to , read the reviews I should have read the first time around and I really have to agree that the print is just too small for a small child and too small for her 40-something mother to read. It is full of color pictures, quality paper, binding, etc. But not a book that should have been printed in this size in the first place.

Beware that this is a much smaller edition of this Children's Illustrated Bible. The print is way too small and the content looks crammed in. This was deceiving as the dimensions are listed far down the web page after all of the other information - since it was the same identical title by the same author we thought that it was just a new cover. We returned this book and found the same larger version (the larger version didn't come up when a search was made with the title & author) that we had purchased before.

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