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# One, Two...Boo!



## Synopsis

The littlest trick-or-treaters can lift the flaps to count their way through a spooky old house . . . but they had better be prepared for a few surprises! With a die-cut cover, adorable illustrations, and a flap on every page, this sturdy little board book is the perfect Halloween gift for trick-or-treaters everywhere.

## Book Information

Board book: 12 pages

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Average Customer Review: 4.3 out of 5 stars 213 customer reviews

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Age Range: 2 - 3 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## Customer Reviews

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A Halloween favorite! This October my daughter has been very interested in all the Halloween characters and events so I wanted a book that would help her begin naming them and identifying them so she would recognize the people and objects in our Halloween festivities. The book counts from one to ten with a flap on each page "hiding" each set of objects. If you are wondering which items are introduced, they are a haunted house, black cats, cauldrons, Jack-o-lanterns, owls, bats, spiders, brooms, ghosts, and the final page is 10 monsters including two witches, a devil, a ghost, a

dragon, mummy, vampire, Frankenstein's monster skeleton, and a werewolf. The illustrations are cute and my daughter does not find them scary. At 21 months, I wasn't sure if my daughter would be able to use a lift-the-flap book without damaging it. She seems to be at the right age to understand to lift the flap and not to try to pull it off. We both enjoy this book and it has been her first choice at bedtime since we got it. Like other lift-the-flap books, the flaps can be easily damaged by misuse. After many frequent readings, the flaps were still in good condition. However when a friend came over who did not treat the book as gently as my daughter does, one of the flaps became crumpled and another was pulled partly away from its "hinge". For children who are not particularly gentle with their books, or in a setting with many children using a book, a lift the flap style story may not be the right choice. Aside from the notorious problem with flaps in any book of this style, this is a great book!

This is my son's favorite book. The size is perfect for his toddler hands, and he loves poking his finger through the hole in the front cover. The artwork is wonderful! It creates the perfect Halloween ambiance, without being too scary. The scariest image is a "skull" on a bookshelf, but it looks kind of like an alien face, not really scary. But it IS a haunted house complete with ghosts and other characters. It's a counting book (1-10). The price cannot be beat! I am currently shopping for other books with artwork by the artist. Highly recommended!

My son loves this book, even when it's not Halloween! I purchased it last October (2014), when he was about a 1.5 years old, and we read it every night until Halloween. Now that it's summer, I keep it with the other seasonal/holiday books in his closet (away from his everyday books) and he still, at 2.5, loves this and digs it out to read it. He especially loves the counting aspect of the book, as well as the flaps. When we get to the "door" flap, he loves to knock on the "door" and say "knock, knock!" I, as the parent, like the pleasant rhymes and that it is not annoying to read. The flaps are a little light/flimsy compared to other lift-the-flap books we own, but they have held up for us (even through a little rough handling from my son) and for the price I think this book is still a great value. If the flaps do eventually rip, I will most certainly be purchasing another copy and won't mind paying the \$3 for it.

This was the most read book of the Halloween season (and going into the Christmas season!!) The 2 year old I bought this for loves going through the spooky house and uncovering all the silly halloween things in places like the bathtub, and bookshelves. The flaps, like other reviewers had

mentioned, are definitely flimsy - with that being said a trip to the book doctor (good ol' scotch tape) fixes that issue in case they were to get torn like so many other children's books do. The little girl I bought this for is very respectful towards books and for the past few months the flaps have yet to rip. I think it is a great little addition to a Halloween book collection.

cute little book. pages dark and yes, rather cheaply produced - especially the flaps. unfortunately our copy came damaged with marks/scratches all over the front cover and corners. it was intended as a part of a present and not worth cost/time sending back. so sadly, it was donated. if you are getting this book as a gift and would like it to arrive as new, consider something else...

To get my 17 month old (mostly myself) into the Halloween spirit, I bought several themed books for him. This one is just ok, for his age. He likes it because it has flaps inside to pull back as we're going through the book. To me, it's too small. The pictures are very detailed and the illustrations are great - but, it's in too small of a book. The pages are thinner than a typical board book, but thicker than a standard book. It's a good size to fit in his hand, but to have nice pictures and the flaps inside, I think it should be bigger. This one just isn't our favorite, but it's cute.

Very good little book that helps teach kids how to count and each cardboard page has a different interactive "flap" that you can bend or pull out.

My 16 month old daughter loved the book! She liked the pictures and lifting all the flaps to see what was underneath. The rhyming words and counting to 10 was great! We read it several times a day leading up to Halloween. I look forward to bringing the book out next October.

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