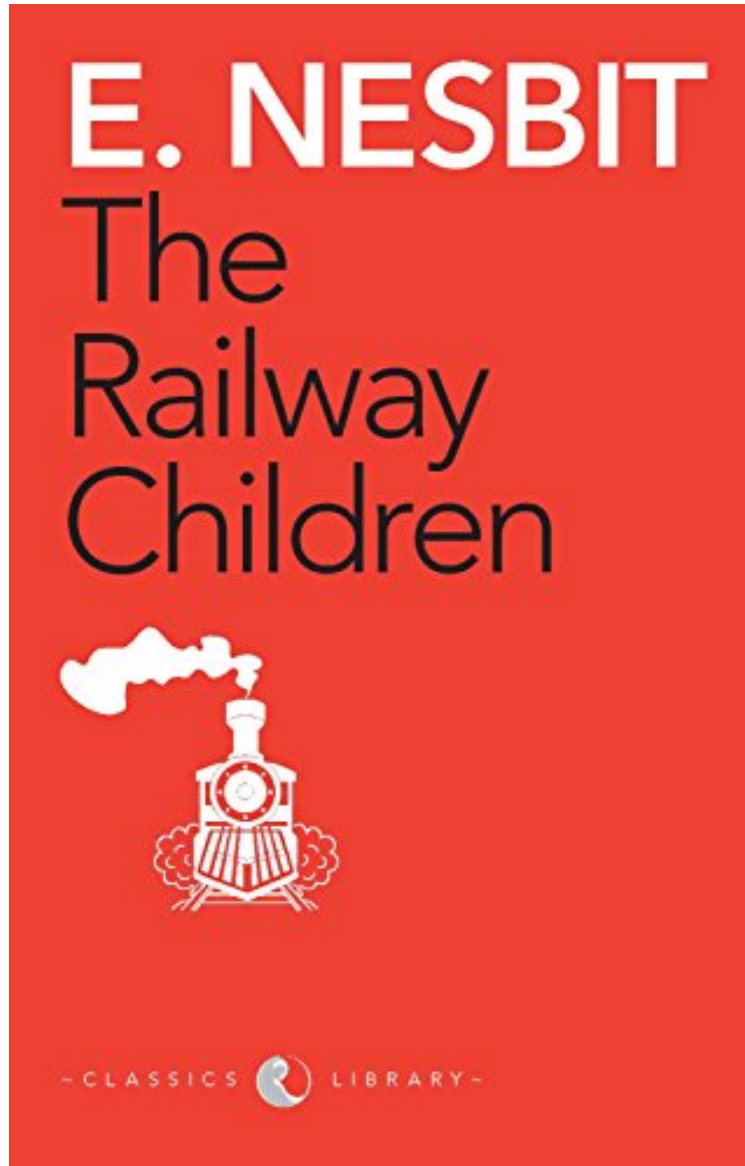


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Von E. Nesbit

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Von E. Nesbit : The Railway Children before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Railway Children:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A fantastic summer read!Von stephanieI just finished reading this book with ten rising fifth graders. It was a "stretch read" for most of the children because the text is heavily colored by the time period, language, and general style. BUT!

This was a very worthy read. Each chapter reads similarly to a short story in that there is an adventure, resolution, and moral to the story. The students responded positively to the daily challenge of the chapter length, the sophisticated language, and the romanticism of the setting. This was a very good choice for us. As a mother and a teacher--I recommed this novel enthusiastically!2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. An Enticing yet Un-magical BookVon CustomerI really enjoy Ms. Nesbit's written works. It is quite a shame that she can't write anymore. Although I liked this one a lot, I was a little disappointed by it because it lacked the charming fairy tale sort of feel that many of her children's books have. However, the story was quite wonderful, and I particularly loved the realistic scene of the children that the reader is given. I highly recommend this book to Edith Nesbit's fans, as well as people that enjoy a touch of mystery, mixed with a child's view of life.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The stuff that children (and some adults) dream aboutVon alan lathanA very sweet story about three children who are forced to move to a new home near a steam railway that serves as a playground and leads to several adventures. Their mother writes poetry whilst the father is sent down for something he obviously didn't do.Ever since seeing the film as a child I have wanted to read the book, and I have twice visited the sites where the film was made. The style of Edith Nesbit's narration is very heartwarming - I couldn't put it down. Most enjoyable. I will now buy the anniversary copy of the film.

KurzbeschreibungAfter their father is mysteriously abducted by strangers, Bobbie, Peter and Phyllis move with their mother from their comfortable city home to 'Three Chimneys', a tiny cottage in the countryside, next to a railway station. Soon the children find enough to amuse themselves with at the station, befriending everybody from the porter and the stationmaster to an old gentleman who waves at them from the 9.15 each day. But the mystery of their father's disappearance looms large over them. Where is Father? And ho9w does the old gentleman hold the key to the mystery?Told n simple, lucid prose, Nesbit's classic is one of the most endearing coming-of-age stories ever written.PressestimmenI love her books (Neil Gaiman)My all-time favourite classic children's author (Jacqueline Wilson)Edith Nesbit is endlessly surprising and inventive . . . She is also simply the funniest writer we have ever had, while being the one who could most easily and sweetly break your heart with a phrase. Just try saying "Daddy, oh my Daddy" without catching your breath (Frank Cottrell-Boyce)By turns sweet and serious, this much loved classic is above all a celebration of kindness and hope (Kiran Millwood Hargrave)WerbetextNever out of print since its first publication in 1906, *The Railway Children* is one of the most loved children's stories of all time. 'My all-time favourite classic children's author' Jacqueline Wilson