

LoveReading4kids Reader reviews of A Great Big Cuddle by Michael Rosen

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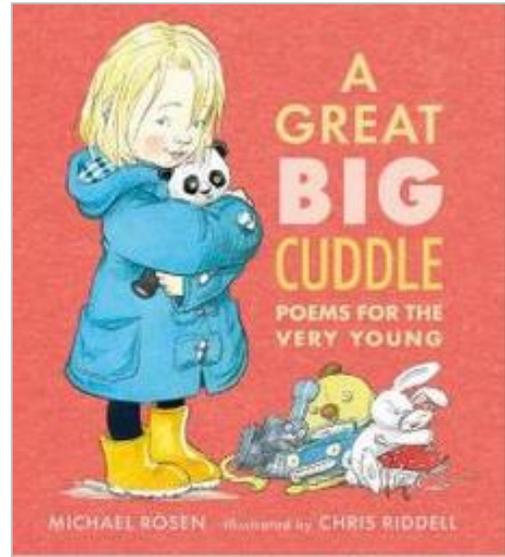
James McNichol, age 5

A beautiful way to introduce young children to poetry.

A Great Big Cuddle is an absolutely beautiful book. The poems are wonderful and the illustrations are delightful.

Just what you would expect from Michael Rosen and Chris Riddell.

It would make a wonderful gift.



Robyn and Sabrina Chorley, age 3 & 6

A fantastic book, wonderful poetry and illustrations. A joy to read aloud.

We are huge fans of Michael Rosen and were not disappointed with A Great Big Cuddle. It's a great collection of poems that are fun to read aloud. Robyn (6) loves reading it to her younger sister Sabrina (3). Robyn has declared that it 'is actually amazing'. The illustrations are wonderful and add so much to the words.

Tanya Thurling, Mum

My eldest daughter is a massive fan of poetry, so when I saw this book, poems for the very young, we jumped at the chance to read it. When the book came, before we'd even read it my first thoughts were what a lovely book. Big, colourful, lots of pictures - lovely.

The book itself was exactly what it claims to be. Short poems, not too complicated, just enough to capture the attention of little people. My three year old loved this book. She loved that she could look through herself and pick a poem, judging by the pictures whether she would like it or not. There are poems

in there we had to sing, poems we had to whisper, slow poems, fast poems, poems we could make up our own actions to and many more. Her favourite poem was Oh Dear. A rather funny poem about a boy who goes to the shop to get some things but doesn't get what he expected. She thought it was hilarious that he wanted a carrot but got a parrot and so on.

This book is a truly lovely book and the perfect way to get your little people into poetry and teach them all about rhyming words. And not just your little people, my ten year old quite often sat down with us for a poem or two. A book for all the family. Thank you love reading.