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# The Tortoise and the Hare

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# Book Review

**Title:** The Tortoise and the Hare  
**Author:** Jerry Pinkney  
**Reviewer:** Sydnee Burr  
**Publisher:** Little Brown Books for Young Readers  
**Publication Year:** 2013  
**ISBN:** 9780316183567  
**Number of Pages:** 40  
**Interest Level:** Preschool, Primary  
**Rating:** Outstanding



## Review

The classic story of the race between the tortoise and the hare is recreated and rediscovered in Caldecott Medalist's Jerry Pinkney's children's book. With limited words, children can easily follow the progression of steady and slow winning the race as well as become familiar with this classic tale.

The illustrations are beautiful in this children's book. Every page is full of eye catching images and actions. With limited words, it could be difficult for some readers to share with children. However, some parents and teachers thrive off of books that require imagination. Because the progression of the story requires creative thought from the reader, it sparks growth as well as the stretching of the reader's mind.