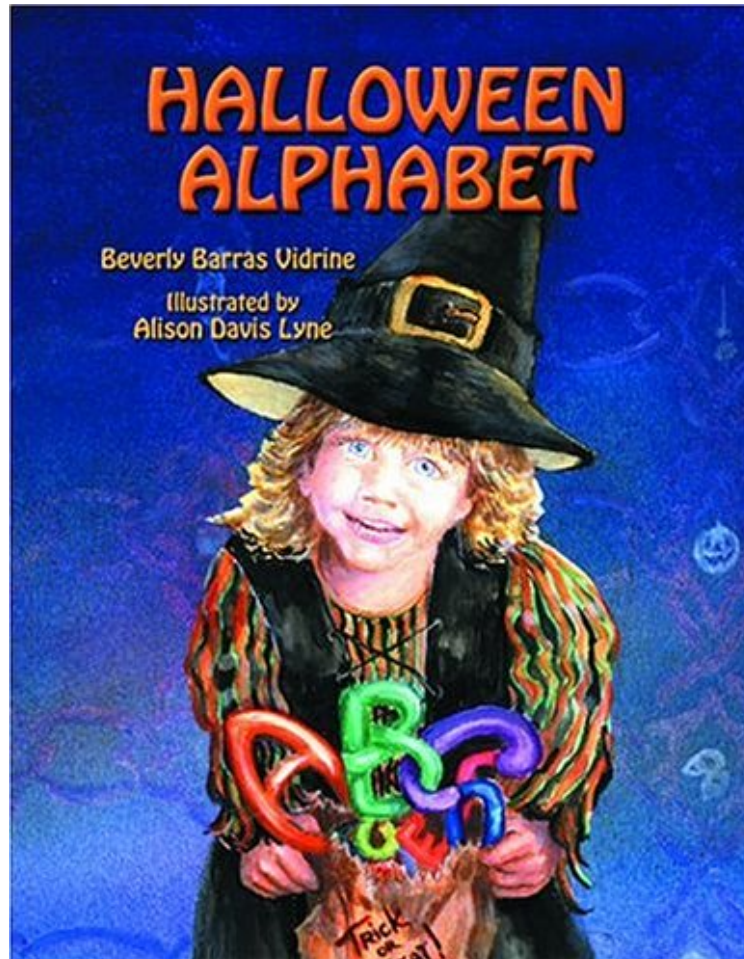


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*Beverly Vidrine*

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**Beverly Vidrine : Halloween Alphabet (Paperback)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Halloween Alphabet (Paperback):

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Pagan inclusion accuracy, at last! By Treasure While obviously meant for really young children, I liked that in it is included not only the secular holiday stuff, but Pagan and historical information is included as well. It is still very rare to have decent, accurate Pagan info presented about Halloween (or almost anything) in a generally-available young children's book. Totally kewl! Also 'love the cute illustrations, and how it's clearly about teaching and enjoying simple facts about the holiday, without confusing the youngest with both uppercase lowercase letters.

J is for jack-o'-lantern in this spooky ABC book.

From School Library Journal Kindergarten-Grade 2A pedestrian alphabet book. The three- or four-sentence entries for each letter briefly explain the objects and traditions associated with this holiday, including apple bobbing and carving pumpkins. Many of the descriptions are blanket statements with no source notes to back up their assertions. For example, "G is for ghost and goblin. Old folk tales tell how these evil spirits appeared on Halloween. They were supposed to haunt places and spook everyone." The average-quality illustrations feature dusky shades of blue and brighter tans and oranges and none of the pictures is very scary. The human figures are sometimes a bit awkwardly drawn. Each letter is shown in upper case only and is hand drawn. With so many Halloween-related books currently in print, this is one to pass on. Wendy Woodfill, Hennepin County Library, Minnetonka, MN Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. From the Back Cover Celebrate the most haunting holiday of all with this vibrantly illustrated alphabet book as it describes Halloween's origins and traditions from A to Z. About the Author Beverly Barras Vidrine is a member of the Writers Guild of Acadiana and the Society of Children's Book Writers and Illustrators. She is also the author of Easter Day Alphabet, St. Patrick's Day Alphabet, A Mardi Gras Dictionary, and A Christmas Dictionary, all published by Pelican. Mrs. Vidrine lives in Lafayette, Louisiana. Alison Davis Lyne is a freelance illustrator who has worked on various picture books and covers for American Small Farm magazine. She is the portrait artist for the Kentucky Commission on Women's Kentucky Women Remembered exhibit, permanently on display in the state capitol rotunda. She also illustrated Easter Day Alphabet, Kudzu Chaos, G Is for Grits: A Southern Alphabet, and other titles published by Pelican.