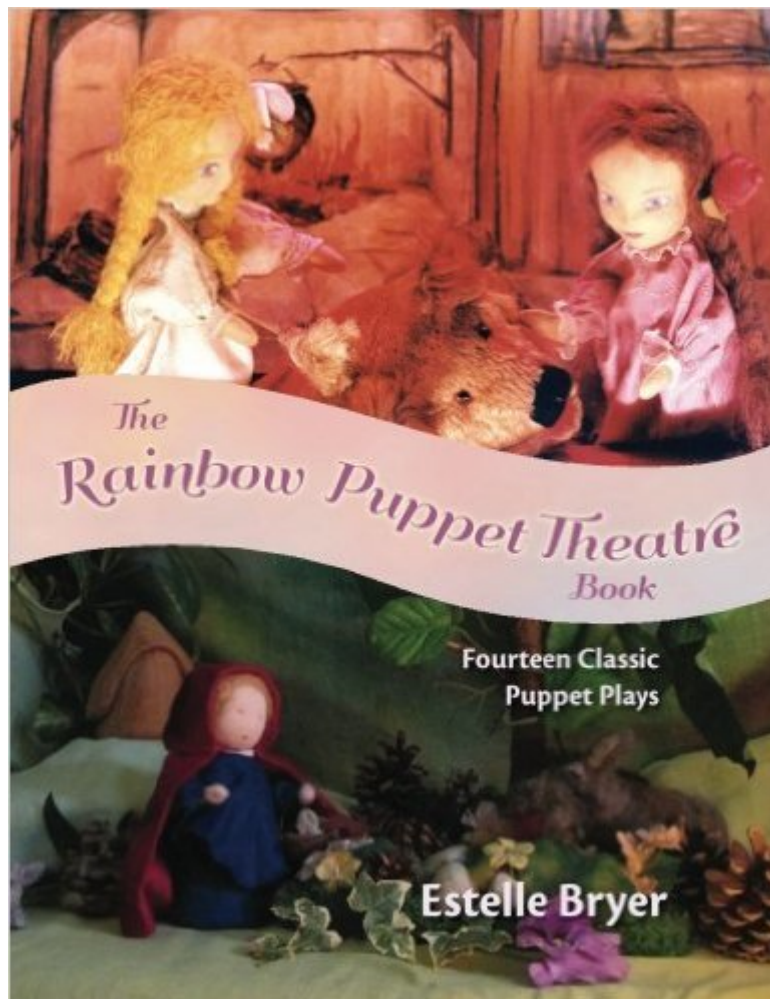


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# The Rainbow Puppet Theatre Book: Fourteen Classic Puppet Plays



## Synopsis

At the Rainbow Puppet Theatre of the Constantia Waldorf School in South Africa, children enter a magical world of beauty, wonder, and transformation. Through the puppeteer's art, stories old and new carry eternal truths in a way that brings life and healing to all who behold them. Here in this book for all to enjoy are fourteen puppet plays that have been created by Estelle Bryer and her colleagues for the stage of the Rainbow Puppet Theatre, and frequently adapted for solo and tabletop puppetry.

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As an early years teacher with an interest in puppetry, I find this book an inspiration. It is easy to follow, and best of all, you can do the plays on your own or with others. The narration is easy to learn, read or follow. The instructions for most of them are simple, and I have had a lot of fun making the scenery out of everyday materials. It is so nice that we are encouraged to make or find our own puppets to use. There are many puppets which you can buy which are suitable, but I have also sourced simple standing puppet instructions for table top shows which is what I prefer to use in the classroom. What Estelle Bryer has accomplished is extraordinary, and I hope I can help children enjoy puppet shows as much as she has.

We are puppeteers and have been using everything from this book for many years. We built a portable puppet theater and made scenery and props from directions in the book - very clear and

easy to follow. The stories we present to the children (ages 2-7) are from this book, and we also sing the songs composed - very successfully. The children love the stories and the music.

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