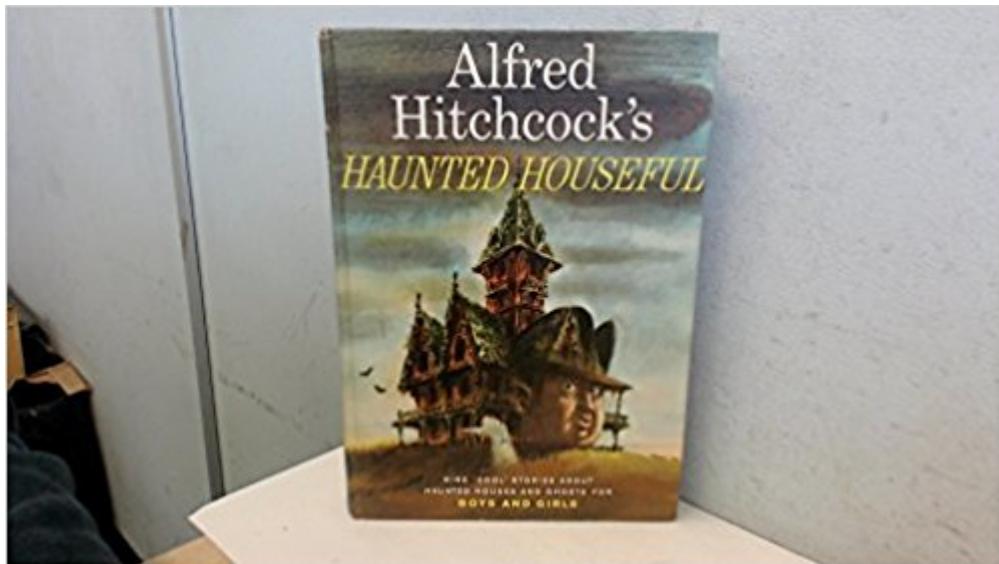


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Alfred Hitchcock's Haunted Houseful



Synopsis

Nine short stories featuring haunted houses, by such notable authors as Elizabeth Coatsworth, Arthur Conan Doyle, and Mark Twain. --This text refers to the Paperback edition.

Book Information

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Customer Reviews

This is a book I read decades ago when I was a kid, and I've been searching for a copy of it for years. This copy came from the incomparable Powell's bookstore, in Portland, Oregon, via the merchants. The content of the book is every bit as entertaining as I remember, and it's a book I would hope that some publisher will re-release someday. It's targeted for a 10-14 year old reading level, and includes material by Arthur Conan Doyle, and Mark Twain, among others. My one complaint is that the particular edition that arrived was not the edition pictured by Powell's, and since the description of the book's condition was minimal there was no way of knowing this before the book was received. Basically I got an edition without the title printed on the cover. Not a big deal for me, since what I primarily wanted was a reading copy, but someone seeking this as a collectable would have been disappointed. But... I know Powell's can do better, and I fully expect them to in the future.

This book was such a favorite for me and my brothers growing up in the 60's - 70's that it was literally worn to pieces. The illustrations are so creepy, without any gore, and the stories are so well suited to stimulate the imagination of pre-teens, without causing nightmares - perhaps. I only

wish that these stories could be brought to the movie screen while retaining the atmosphere of the book itself. You can't go wrong with this, it really is a classic.

I remember reading this book when I was in elementary school. I had fun reading it again. It brought me right back. These stories are interesting, suspenseful, not gory and more like chilling mysteries. I'm sure the young members of my family will enjoy this book. The seller for this book, JwonGemologist, described the book correctly, was fairly priced and shipped it in a timely manner. I would do business with this seller again.

Nice old books . Love the price etc.

I used to read this book when I was in elementary school. The stories and illustrations always scared me. After reading it again 40 years later the stories aren't scary anymore, but they are really well written stories, even for adults. This book brought back a lot of memories from my youth. It was definitely a good purchase.

These Halloween scary short stories are perfect for young kids and older ones, too. I read these as a kid many years ago and enjoyed the chance to re-read them again. "Jimmy Takes Vanishing Lessons" is a classic, well-written with a good sense of humor, "The Water Ghost of Harrowby Hall" brings back many chills and good memories as well. These are great ghost stories which will never go out of style, share them in the living room or around the campfire.

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Read this cover to cover when I was younger on a family vacation. Lost my original copy. Wanted a replacement. Whether your younger or older this book is lots of scary fun.

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