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A "heartwarming, magical tale"--SLJ

Among the grand balsam firs and pines at the Christmas tree lot is a little hunched tree that is missing several branches. Still, no tree is more filled with the spirit of Christmas. As the weeks go by, many others are selected but still the little tree keeps up its hope of finding the perfect family. On Christmas Eve, now the last tree in the lot, a special visitor (Ho, Ho, Ho!) might just give the little tree what it wants most of all.

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Arminzerella says

If Charlie Brown's little Christmas tree had been able to talk, this is the story it might have told. The little fir tree on the Christmas tree lot has high hopes of being chosen by a family, decorated, and spending the holidays in a warm house with lights and ornaments. It watches people come and go, selecting other trees, until there are only a few left. When the little tree is the only one remaining, it is a little lonely, but doesn't despair. There's a jingling noise, and then a long, cold trip, but at the end, the tree has found a home. A sweet holiday story with a happy ending for a little tree with lots to offer.

Evan says

sniff sniff What a touching little book with gorgeous illustrations!

Venus says

Review originally posted on Children's Atheneum

Among the grand firs and pines at the Christmas tree lot, sits a little hunched tree that is missing some branches. Nevertheless, the little tree is filled with Christmas spirit and waits in great anticipation for his turn to be picked. As the weeks go by though, no one picks the little tree. No families want him. Some even make fun of him. By Christmas Eve he is the last tree in the lot. That is when a special visitor wearing a red and white outfit shows up to give the little tree a home for Christmas.

In the vein of The Tale of Three Trees, this anthropomorphized little tree story is full of heart. I may have teared up a little when that little tree was sitting there all alone in the lot after being rejected over and over. The sweetness of the ending, the idea that Santa takes home the little trees that are left over brought a tear to my eye. As I sometimes do with these books though, I thought I would run it through a child test. (aka read it to my nephews) I could not, for the life of me, get them to actually sit through this book. I started it over twice, we abandoned it, and then I tried to read it to them once with with the response being, "We don't want to read that one." Either my nephews aren't in the holiday spirit yet or something about it didn't appeal to them, so perhaps this one is a adults-will-like-it-more-than-kids book. If that is the case then I can at least guarantee that the parents will enjoy reading it.

Hapzydeco says

Delicately illustrated. This story will strike an empathic cord when read at Christmastime. Ho, Ho, Ho!

Ruth says

This one will make you say "Awwwww" and sniffle a little bit.

Pablo V says

Wish Christmas the day the people was going have hot cocoa and milk and is good

Elizabeth Meadows says

Okay, I have tears in my eyes. What a charming tribute to the spirit of Christmas!

Noel Gaines says

The Last Christmas Tree is a cute Christmas read, although a bit boring. Also, I thought that for a children's picture book that some of the vocabulary was a bit high for the little ones.

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Mary says

I'm such a sap. I have to admit that I got a little choked up at the end. Sweet book about a scraggly little tree hoping to find a home in time for Christmas.

Joann says

Sweet little story..every parent should read this to their child/children.

Rosa Cline says

A very nice Christmas story about a tiny not so pretty tree. Arriving like the others to a tree lot to be looked at and sold to enjoy Christmas with families. BUT this tree gets picked on and laughed at and eventually loses hope until a special man comes along and puts the tree in his sled. And he's someone special special Christmas tree.

Vicki says

Will the last pine tree find a home for Christmas? A totally sweet book with nice illustrations that help to tell the story to a group.

Storywraps says

This gem of a book will have you very emotional and definelty tug at your heart strings. A hunch-backed, sparse-branched little tree with a huge Christmas spirit finds himself in a lot waiting to be sold. He is so pumped and eager to go home with a family and spread the cheer of the holidays he can hardly contain himself. All the other tall, study trees are picked to go first, but this little guy gets overlooked time and time again and the shoppers laugh and mock him because of his looks.

Even when as a last resort the lot-owner furnishes him with a "FREE" sign, no one purchases him takes him home. There he is all alone, in a big empty lot, with no one to invite him into their warm home on this cold Christmas Eve.

Then a true Christmas miracle happens. A jolly, large guy in a red suit spies this sad, forlorn imperfect tree, picks him up and joyfully adopts him into his home. The little misfit, throwaway tree, does find a place to belong and generate his goodwill and happy spirit.... and guess where? in the best home of all! Can you guess who took him home? Bet you can.

This book is packed full of emotion and the illustrations therein are amazing. Colorful, vibrant and expressive, the illustrations bring the text alive and are so well done. I highly, highly recommend this book.

The book, "The Last Christmas Tree" is authored by Stephen Krensky and illustrated by Pascal Campion. Designed for ages 4-8.

Julie says

GAH! This book would have made me want to vomit with excitement when i was a kid.

Donna Mork says

Adorable book about a scrawny Christmas tree who keeps his hopes up, and gets the best Christmas ever.
