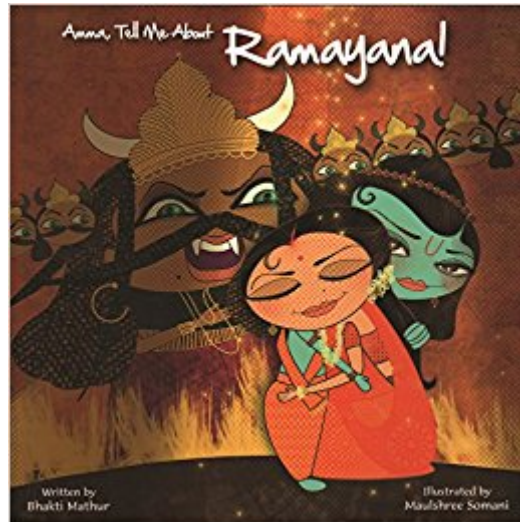


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# Amma, Tell Me About Ramayana!



## Synopsis

The story of Rama, the righteous prince, Written ages ago by the poet Valmiki. This is Ramayana, an ancient, epic poem, As told by Amma to Klaka and Kiki. Beloved prince of Ayodhya, next in line to be king; Banished to the forest at his stepmother's behest. Waged a war with the demon Ravana to rescue his wife. Helped by an army of monkeys in his quest. "Amme Tell Me" is a charming and informative series of children's books that introduces the major Hindu festivals and figures to young readers, and are perfect for families wanting to share stories of Hinduism with their children or for educators looking for resource on the Hindu culture for their students. Written in rhyme with vivid, captivating illustrations, this series brings Hindu mythology to its readers in a fun and non-preachy way. The Series has ten books on the festivals of Holi, Diwali, and on the Hindu gods Krishna, Hanuman and Ganesha.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 3

## Customer Reviews

Bhakti Mathur grew up in Delhi, India. She lives in Hong Kong, a city that she absolutely adores, with her husband, her two sons, Shiv and Veer, and their beloved golden Labrador, Frodo. She is a banker by profession and currently works for a major Asian Bank. Bhakti's love for books started from a young age. Her mother was a librarian and as a child she landed up spending many

hours in the library – books proved to be great and inexpensive baby sitters! The idea for the 'Amma, Tell Me' series of books came as a way to introduce her sons to Indian mythology and festivals. When not writing, working or running after her boys, she is happiest curled up with a book and a hot cup of chai.

The story has been abridged a little too much. I bought it for my 6 yr old. It is good as an introduction to Ramayana. I am now reading him the Amar Chitra Katha version...which a little too detailed for him. He is able to relate to the Amma Tell Me About version as I read the detailed one. I wish there was something in between.

Illustrations are so bad. All the characters look the same. Stories are just pedantic. Definitely cannot compare to my grandmamas stories.

wow...my daughter knows all the important characters in Ramayana...she is 2yrs old and loves this book.

My daughters love this book

We read this to a small group of 6-8 year-old kids here in the US to teach them about why, as Indian Americans, we celebrate Diwali.

Great illustrations. A modern take on a classic. Obviously geared towards South Indian readers, but is still good overall. Love it.

Nicely written and illustrated, but all the characters look like girls... Seasons of a Splendor is a better buy .

We have all listened to Ramayana from our elders in simple audio format. Now with videos and animations, story telling has reached an entirely different level. In this, Bhakti is doing an excellent job. To tell the story of Rama to kids with such interesting animations requires an amazing level of skill. Both Bhakti and Maulshree have combined their talents for the third time to produce an excellent piece. The day is not far off , I am sure, when Bhakti will release Ipad apps for Indian epics/stories.

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