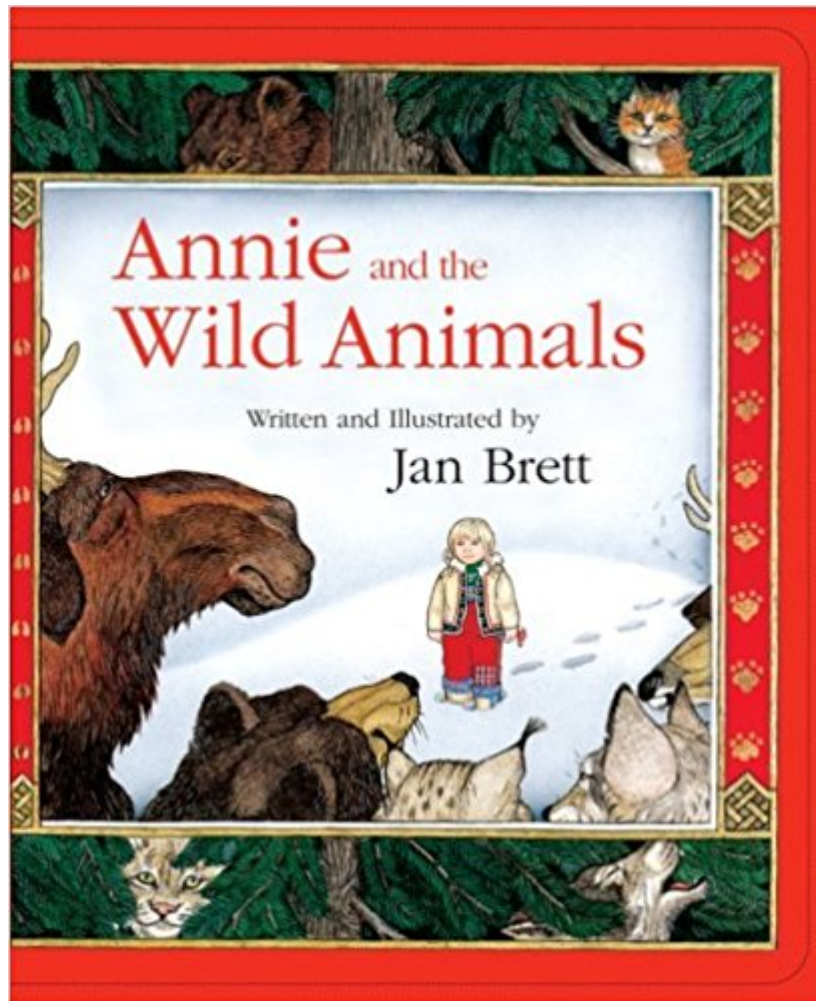




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# Annie And The Wild Animals



## Synopsis

Annie was lonely. Taffy, her golden-haired cat, had disappeared. Life in the woods was empty, and Annie could not find anyone to be her friend. Outside, the snow was deep and the winter seemed endless. A moose and a bear and even a wildcat are not as friendly or as soft or as cuddlesome as Taffy. A story within a story forms as the intricate borders subtly foreshadow the main plot of Taffy. Taffy and Annie return at the end of the winter.

## Book Information

Lexile Measure: 490 (What's this?)

Board book: 32 pages

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Age Range: 4 - 7 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 3

## Customer Reviews

"The pictures hold countless surprises. Indisputably, this is a work of wonder that deserves highest honors." Publishers Weekly

With more than thirty million books in print, Jan Brett is one of the nation's foremost author/illustrators of children's books. Jan lives in a seacoast town in Massachusetts, close to where she grew up. During the summer her family moves to a home in the Berkshire Hills of Massachusetts.

Purchased as a birthday gift. Love the story and especially the illustrations in all Jan Brett books.

I love Jan Brett's work

Enjoyable book.

I grew up in the West and around wild animals (as well as domesticated ones). I hesitated to purchase this book because I was concerned that it would present wild animals as "cute" and safe, which is not a lesson that I want my children to learn. I want my children to respect and love nature and animals, but certainly don't want them to assume that any animal is going to be safe to be around, especially a wild animal. Add in the fact that feeding wild animals (other than birds) is not encouraged, and I was nervous. I don't want my children to have unrealistic and potentially dangerous ideas about how safe they are in nature/around wild animals. However, the book shows that the wild animals are just that - wild. And Annie recognizes that and doesn't try to tame them. In the end, Annie's cat returns with kittens, something I remember our cats doing while we were growing up - a wonderful surprise. This book is obviously a wonderful flight of fancy and I know my daughter really enjoys it. And I also know that if she sees an elk while we're camping, she's not going to try to pet it! Let alone, a mountain lion or bear or cow moose.

I love using Jan Brett in my preK Fours classroom. The illustrations are beautiful, the vocabulary is great, and the clues that Jan Brett provides are super for budding readers. Add Jan Brett's phenomenal website and you have a teacher's dream! This story was touching and very easy for children to connect with. If I could do only one author all year, Jan Brett would be my choice (but I sure am glad I don't have to choose just one)!

One of my favorites as a child I bought for my niece. The illustrations are absolutely beautiful.

I like this book, but not as well as I like some of Jan Brett's other books.

Really good book. Illustrations of really good and colorful

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