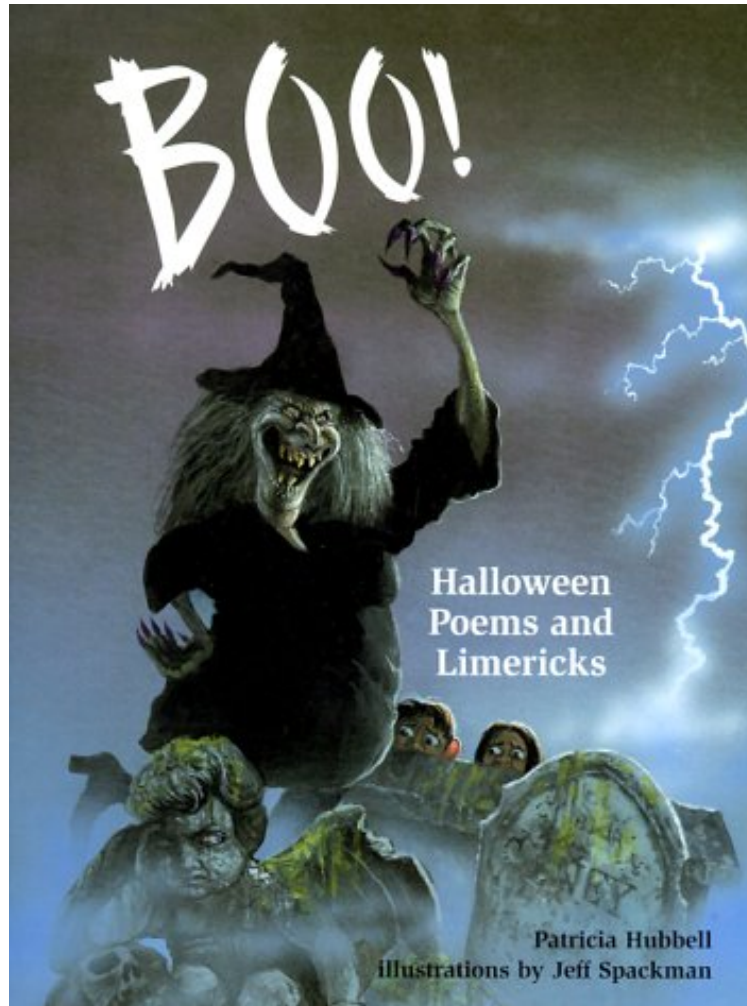


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Childhood bookBy Philosopher-ThinkerLove this book. Used to check this book out all the time at the library as a kid. Very creepy illustrations, almost akin to "Scary Stories To Tell In The Dark" series.2 of 7 people found the following review helpful. Don't Buy This For A Child!By Louise D. PattonI bought this book on eBay as I love Halloween and Children's Halloween Poetry. This copy was discarded from a public library, the due date sticker indicated it had only been borrowed three times!The drawings are HORRIFIC with fangs, ungodly expressions, etc. A previous reviewer said it's for the "Goosebump" crowd. Well, I don't think this is for them or any child. As a retired Children's Librarian I would have sent the book back and gotten something more appropriate such as: "It's Halloween" by Jack Prelutsky. I remember once watching the movie "The Pit and the

Pendulum" and having nightmares for weeks afterwards! Okay, maybe I'm squeamish but this book in my opinion will give your child nightmares and I think that's why it was disguardered after only having been borrowed 3 times!0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A creepy collection of poemsBy FalkorThese spooky tales of Halloween nightAre guaranteed to delightNineteen tales of fright and fearShall be enjoyed throughout the yearThese tales are simply great funThey have something for everyone.RATING:A-

Funny, scary poems about this creepy holiday, with great pictures by Jeff Spackman! You'll read about a diner run by Ghost and Witch, a baby bat out for his first Halloween, a skeleton who lived in Schenectady, even a unicorn.

From School Library JournalGrade 2-5-Embellished with scary, fantastical illustrations, this book will appeal to the "Goosebumps" (Scholastic) crowd. Included are 28 original poems and limericks of uneven quality that are not quite up to the standard of Hubbell's earlier work. Some of the better poems include "Cat Curfew," "Bones," and "Phantom Squirrel," all illustrated with perfect spookiness. Serving apple pie made of slugs and a "cold puree of bugs" drink, "Halloween Diner" is sufficiently gross to delight even the most jaded youngster. Spread across single and double pages, the acrylic paintings are filled with horrifying creatures going about the business of being frightening. All in all, a good addition to shelves where Halloween books are in great demand.Judith Constantinides, East Baton Rouge Parish Main Library, LA Copyright 1998 Reed Business Information, Inc.From BooklistAges 5^9. The limericks are better than some of the poems, which are uneven in rhyme and rhythm, but the lurid acrylic pictures will draw kids in, and the ghoulish subjects will make them shudder and shake. The supernatural is made physical with heaving graves, sobbing ghouls, and clattering bones, and the disgusting Halloween dinner includes a slimy snake slithering in the runny scrambled eggs. Hazel RochmanAbout the AuthorAuthor Patricia Hubbel is the author of ten books of poetry for children, including Boo! Halloween Poems and Limericks as well as Trucks: Whizz! Zoom! Rumble! Her poems appear in numerous anthologies. She lives in Easton, Connecticut.Jeff Spackman is a published illustrator of children's books. A published credit of Jeff Spackman is Boo!: Halloween Poems and Limericks.