



The BFG

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Sophie is a poor orphan, yet her life changes forever when she makes a new friend who is larger than life!

I love this, Roald Dahl's tale of giants and snozcumbers, and I always have. It's the story of two lonely people become friends and saving the world in the process, and doing a lot of farting too!

One night Sophie the orphan is looking out of the window when she sees something that no other person has ever seen before: a giant. Standing 24 feet tall and with ears the size of his head, the Big Friendly Giant is indeed a scary sight. She doesn't need to worry about him however; he only goes off to the land of people to blow happy dreams into the rooms of little children with his big trumpet. It's the other inhabitants of 'Giant Country' like 'bloodbottler' and their leader 'fleshlumpeater' she need to avoid. Upon hearing that these nasty 50 foot giants eat lots of little children every night, Sophie persuades the BFG to help her with a plan that will stop them once and for all. A plan that involves a visit to Buckingham Palace!

This is a classic children's story written by one of the most popular children's authors in history. As well as lots of grown-up stuff like morals, it also has cool stuff like giants, snozcumbers, great illustrations (by Quentin Blake) and even Her Majesty the Queen as a supporting character! What's there not to like? If there's a better children's book than this, I've not read it.

10 sausages out of 10

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