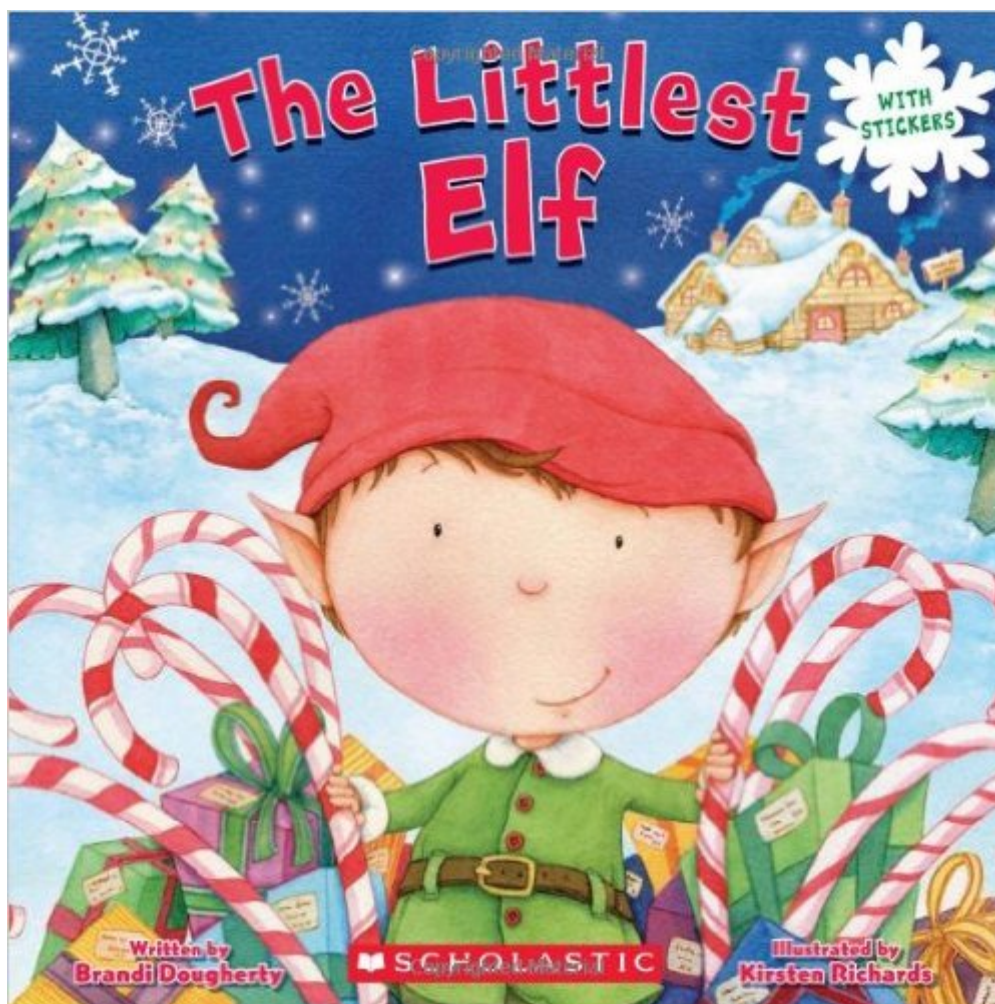


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# The Littlest Elf



## Synopsis

A sweet holiday story from a New York Times bestselling duo! From the New York Times bestselling team that brought us *The Littlest Pilgrim* comes a sweet new holiday follow-up filled with Christmas cheer and adorable stickers! Oliver may be the littlest elf in the North Pole, but he has a big desire to discover his very special job in Santa's workshop! But after getting lost in the toy shop, making a mess at the book shop, and falling in the mixing machine at the bakery, is the littlest elf just too little? Perhaps he just needs the littlest reindeer to remind him what Christmas is all about!

## Book Information

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Age Range: 3 - 5 years

Grade Level: Preschool - Kindergarten

## Customer Reviews

I found this to be an enjoyable read. My boys liked it (they are 4 and 6). It is a short story about a little elf that feels he's too little to be helpful. Eventually he realizes how valuable he is, no matter his age or size. It is written simply so it should be enjoyed by young children, who I feel it speaks most to, as they are often wanting to be helpful and feel frustrated when they can't do things. All in all I would recommend this as a good book to have in the Christmas library.

Every Christmas season I like to add to my daughter's collection of Christmas books and this one has vastly become one of her favorites. The story is about Oliver, a young elf who is excited to find out what his job will be for the Christmas season. Each of his family members takes him to work

with them and he tries to help in the toy workshop, the bike shop, the bakery, and the writer's workshop, but in each of these places, he finds he's too little or clumsy to complete the tasks. He is sad because he feels he has nothing to contribute to Santa's team until he meets a small reindeer named Dot, who is having trouble learning to fly. They find friendship together and they also find their niche making small ornaments and cards as gifts for the other elves. I like the moral of the story that no matter how young you are, you can always find a way to help or find something that you are good at. It's very relatable to young children. The illustrations are colorful and engaging and the text keeps a young child's interest through the entire story without being too short or too wordy. There is also a sheet of stickers included with the book. Overall, this is a great addition to our Christmas collection that we will read for years to come.

This a very cute book! It's very childlike and there are many colorful pictures that attract children's attention. I am a teacher and my students loved the book! They want to hear it over and over again!

This book is adorable. We had our Elf bring it to the kids this year when he first got her and they loved it. its a cute book about a small elf finally old enough for him to get a job at the north pole. He tries working with his mom, dad, brother, sister but none of the jobs worked for such a small little elf. One day he meets a new baby reindeer who is too small to pull Santas sled and they decide to work together on their own job perfect for them, spreading joy to everyone :)

We got this from the Scholastic book order form a couple of years ago, and it is one of my daughter's favorite Christmas books. She loves this one and Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer the most, and next is Frosty the Snowman. She is so intent when we read it, it really means a lot to her. Almost time to pull it out again for this year :)

This book was "brought" to my one year old from his Elf on the Shelf. He and my 4 year old enjoyed having it read to them during the holidays. The story is cute and the illustrations are so colorful and bright. I think it's perfect for my littlest boy. The stickers were an added bonus!

I needed a book for my sons Kindergarten gift exchange. It was required to be Kindergarten friendly book and under \$5. I picked this one. I read it before sending it off to make sure it was ok. This book is cute. It's perfect for a girl or a boy, which was a big thing for me since I didn't know who would get it. The pictures are fun to look at as well. I would consider buying it again for my own kids

enjoyment! My son got a Thomas coloring book. He would've rather had this one.

We have three books by Brandi Dougherty and they are all so sweet. The stories are lovely and the illustrations are adorable. We enjoy reading them with our little boys.

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