

GRIMMLY EVER AFTER

Name _____

An Adam Gidwitz Reading Challenge

Adam Gidwitz, author of *A Tale Dark and Grimm* and creator of the *Grim, Grimmer, Grimmest* podcast, was teaching elementary school students when he delivered a retelling of a real fairy tale (not the happily ever after version). He discovered that kids could handle the grim stories, especially when they are told with a dash (or ten) of humor! Enjoy them all, and mark them off as you read!

Book Recommendations

Adam recommends that people read the original fairy tales that he notes here and then also listen to the corresponding episode on his podcast and/or read chapters from his books, "A Tale Dark and Grimm" and "In a Glass Grimmly."

- ☐ "Hans My Hedgehog" by the Brothers Grimm
Compare with the podcast episode "Hans My Hedgehog"
- ☐ "The Peasant's Clever Daughter" by the Brothers Grimm
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- ☐ "King Thrushbeard" by the Brothers Grimm
Compare with the podcast episode "Princess Parrot"
- ☐ "Snow White and Rose Red" by the Brothers Grimm
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- ☐ "Little Brother and Little Sister" by the Brothers Grimm
Compare with the chapter of A Tale Dark & Grimm entitled, "Brother and Sister"
- ☐ "The Devil with the Three Golden Hairs" by the Brothers Grimm
Compare with the chapter of A Tale Dark & Grimm entitled, "The Three Golden Hairs"
- ☐ "The Emperor's New Clothes" by the Brothers Grimm
Compare with the chapter of In a Glass Grimmly entitled, "The Wonderful Mother"



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Reading Log

Color in a wolf for every 30 minutes that you read.



30m



60m



90m



120m



150m



180m



210m



240m



270m



300m



Adam Gidwitz was a guest on the Beanstack podcast, The Reading Culture, where he shared about this challenge and about his journey to becoming a writer.

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