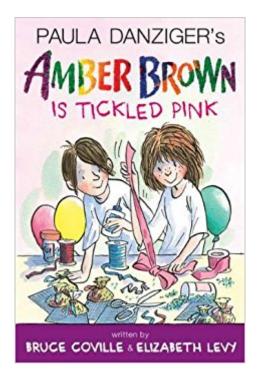


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Amber Brown Is Tickled Pink





Synopsis

Beloved Amber Brown returns in a new book! Amber can't wait to be Best Child when her mom and Max get married, but planning a wedding comes with lots of headaches. Amber can't find the right dress, her dad keeps making mean cracks about Max, and Mom and Max have very different ideas about how much this wedding should cost. Her mother even suggests they go to city hall and skip the party altogether! Even though adults can be a lot of work, Amber is determined to be the best Best Child ever. She helps find the perfect location, makes her dad shape up, and, with the help of best friend Justin, gives the perfect wedding speech. Paula Danziger called Bruce Coville and Elizabeth Levy her best friend and her other best friend, and this close connection enabled them to lovingly capture Amber Brown's voice, sense of humor, big-heartedness, and her fondness for puns.

Book Information

Lexile Measure: 530L (What's this?) Series: Amber Brown (Book 10) Hardcover: 160 pages Publisher: G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers (September 13, 2012) Language: English ISBN-10: 0399256563 ISBN-13: 978-0399256561 Product Dimensions: 8.3 x 5.8 x 0.7 inches Shipping Weight: 9.6 ounces Average Customer Review: 4.7 out of 5 stars 13 customer reviews Best Sellers Rank: #783,869 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #171 in Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Family Life > Stepfamilies #376 in Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Family Life > Marriage & Divorce #1568 in Books > Children's Books > Growing Up & Facts of Life > Family Life > New Experiences Age Range: 7 - 10 years Grade Level: 2 - 5

Customer Reviews

â œThroughout the story, happiness and sadness are closely entwined for nine-year-old Amber: sheâ ™s thrilled that her divorced mother is marrying big-hearted Max, but uneasy that â ^for the first time in my life something huge is happening and Dad isnâ ™t even a tiny part of it.â ™ . . . Coville and Levy do splendid service both to this character and her creator.â • â " Publisher's Weekly, starred reviewâ œAmber is trying to find comfortable middle ground between her father and her mother's wedding plans. She's trying not to take sides but sometimes finds herself caught between them, even in their mostly amicable split, a problem she good-naturedly deals with, setting a fine example for kids in the same position. . . . Fully faithful to the voice Danziger gave Amber Brown, this visit with an old friend will totally satisfy readers. (afterword by Danziger's niece, â [^]the real Amber Brownâ [™])â • â [°] Kirkus Reviews, starred review "Amber's original voice rings true, delivering plenty of wordplay and hilarious, wide-eyed observations. Ever insightful and resilient, Amber faces her challenges head on and recognizes that change is inevitable and difficult." --School Library Journal

Paula Danziger (1944-2004) was a flamboyantly funny and deeply honest writer who had a direct line into kids' hearts and funny bones. Bruce Coville lives in Syracuse, New York. Elizabeth Levy lives in New York City.

I've been an amber brown fan for 20 years. I started reading the books when I was 8 and my mother bought me the first book, amber brown is not a crayon from my school's scholastic book order form. She kept buying my the books from school book order forms, from local stores, and bookstores. I read the books over and over. On long car rides, at school, at home, to my dolls. I didn't know about amber brown is green with envy until I ran across it at my local bookstore in 2007. This was the last book Paula danziger wrote. It wasn't that I forgot the series, I just didn't know. When I looked into the series s few years ago, I found out Bruce conville and Elizabeth Levy were continuing the series. I have read a lot of Elizabeth Levy's books and I like them a lot, but had read nothing of Bruce's. I was a bit reluctant to read the book, especially after I read Harriet spies again. I don't know who in the fitzhugh family gave permission for that book, but ole golly was nothing like that. It was one of the worst books I ever read and Harriet the spy and the long secret are favorites of mine. I liked sport, too. But I put that aside and read the books. Part of me was curious to see how these writers had done. Paula would be so proud. They've continued the series wonderfully, and if their names wernt on the book, you'd think Paula wrote them herself. Amber's mother is finally marrying max! Amber and max want a big wedding but Amber's mom doesn't. Amber's father is in her life more, but he rarely changes, still being a bit of an immature jerk. The book is basically about the wedding coming together, and amber brown is still her colorful self. Its a funny book, but at heart, its very sweet and I like how amber speaks up and tells her father he's being a jerk. Wish i could have done that when I was her age.

It's like running into a good friend and picking up where we left off! Bruce Coville and Elizabeth Levy did a great job sharing Amber Brown's perspective. Amber still deals with her parents' divorce and the changes that a remarriage may bring. Amber also learns to see past one of her classmate's gross behavior and realizes that she was wrong to tease him. I also totally love that Justin and Amber's two other friends are there for her.

Great gift for 3rd grade girl.

Granddaughter loves it. Great service

My daughter loved it and has read it a few times

Best one yet!

The Amber Brown book's are my granddaughter's favorite and she loves reading. For only being 8 was like I gave her the hope diamond.

I ordered this book to finish the Amber Brown series I read to my 2/3 class this year. They loved the humor and the author's style of writing.

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