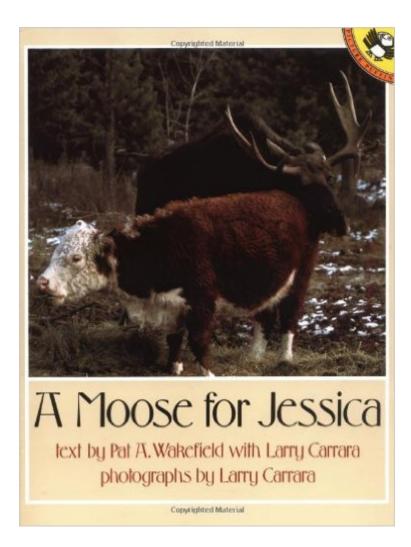
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# A Moose For Jessica (Picture Puffins)





## Synopsis

Here is the story that made headlines and captured hearts around the world--of the moose who came out of the Vermont woods and fell in love with a Hereford cow named Jessica. "Unique, fascinating, and delightful".--Kirkus Reviews. Full-color photos. An NSTA-CBC Outstanding Science Trade Book for Children.

## **Book Information**

Series: Picture Puffins Paperback: 64 pages Publisher: Puffin Books; Reissue edition (December 1, 1992) Language: English ISBN-10: 0140361340 ISBN-13: 978-0140361346 Product Dimensions: 8.2 x 0.2 x 10.8 inches Shipping Weight: 8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.6 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (15 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #338,150 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #221 in Books > Children's Books > Education & Reference > Science Studies > Earth Sciences #4787 in Books > Children's Books > Science, Nature & How It Works #12552 in Books > Children's Books > Animals Age Range: 8 - 12 years Grade Level: 3 - 7

#### **Customer Reviews**

A moose for Jessica is a heartwarming story about a cow named Jessica who live in vermont. She falls in love with a moose named josh. This is a true story and it really touched my heart. Despite there differences Jessica and Josh found true love. I get a tear in my eye everytime i read this book. I highly recomend this book to any warm hearted red blooded american.

A gentle and informative explication of the astonishing attraction of a young male moose for a cow named Jessica on a rural farm in Vermont. He followed Jessica around the pasture for months showing his affection with gentle contact. He was shy and the farmer made sure he was not bothered by too close contact with the more than 75,000 people who came to view this astonishing courtship. He was after all a wild animal. As long as he was treated with dignity, he ignored the crowds of observers. There are extensive close-up photos of the moose and a lot of information

about the life of this animal so rarely seen outside the woods and waters of the northern states.

I loved this book. Not only for the heart warming story it told about the Moose "Josh" but by how the moose got close to the animals and humans who lived on the Carrara farm. Fantastic!!!

Last year we were visiting my sister in Vermont. We went to the Shelbourne Museum and in the gift shop I saw this book. My daughter's name is Jessica and I bought it for her. I showed my sister and she said she knew Lila, Larry's wife. I had never heard of the story but when I read it I found the most beautiful story. We visited Larry and Lila and they signed the book with a lovely message for our faimily in Ireland. It is a fantastic book with gorgeous pictures. This book is now very special to our family and is a lovely reminder of a wonderful holiday in Vermont.

While visiting Vermont I was told the story of Jessica, at which time I remembered hearing it on the news several years ago. Immediately upon returning home I purchased three copies, two for Christmas gifts and one for me. I am really pleased with the overall book, story, layout, and cover.

This is a simply wonderful book. Not only are the animals wonderful to see, but the behavior of the human beings is exemplary.

LOVE THIS STORY AND THE PICTURES. I HAVE GIVEN THIS BOOK AS A GIFT TO MANY CHILDREN EVEN MY TEENAGED GRANDCHILDREN BECAUSE IT IS A TOUCHING STORY AND SUCH A GOOD LESSON ON ANIMAL LOVE.

would recommend to anyone with small children --- pictures are wonderful --- a good book for reading to a child at bedtime

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