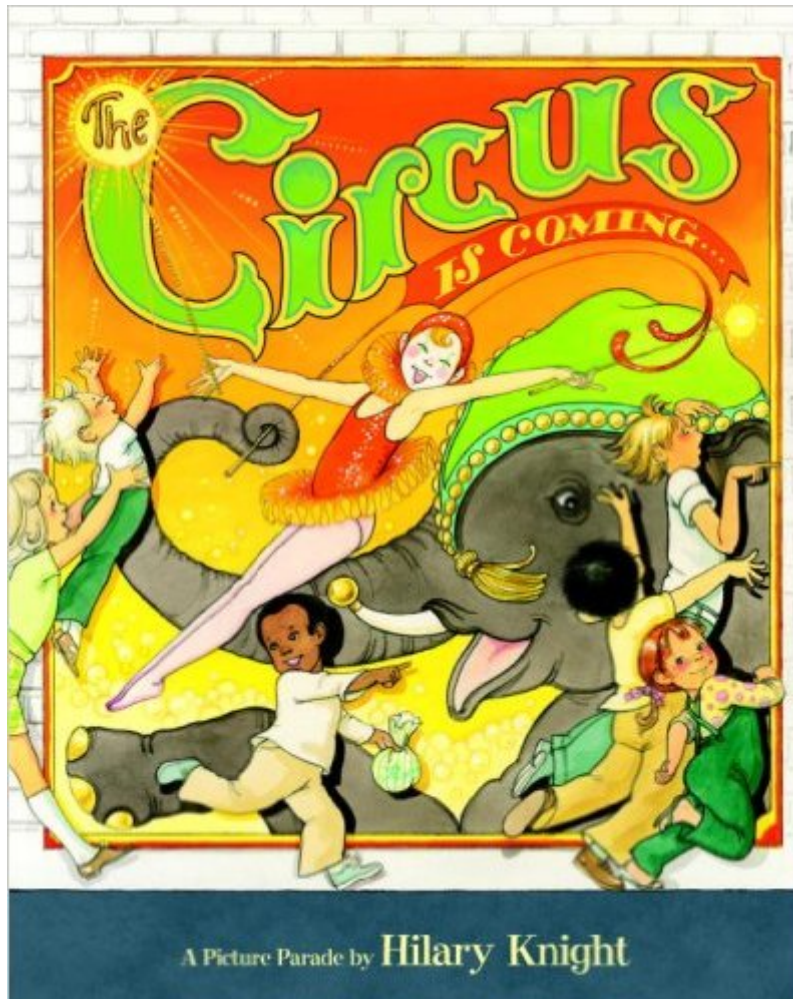


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# The Circus Is Coming (A Golden Classic)



## Synopsis

Step right up and see the dazzling displays and sensational sights of the brightest circus parade ever. From the golden calliope wagon to the proud pachyderms, each page of detailed delights will keep readers rapt. A treat for both young and old; no one will want to miss the clowns in cars and penguins in pools; ferocious felines and aerial artistryâ ”everything that’s marvelous and magical about the legendary big top! So get yourself some peanuts and cotton candy and settle in for the greatest parade on earth. First published in 1978 and unavailable for decades, Hilary Knight’s stunning picture book has been reprinted from the original art, and includes a beautiful new salute to South America.

## Book Information

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Age Range: 3 - 9 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 4

## Customer Reviews

This was a favorite of my daughter when she was early grade school. I showed it to my granddaughter, age 4 and she was fascinated with the wonderful illustrations! As a "remembrance" for my daughter, I got her a copy for Christmas and both she and the granddaughter sat down to look at it together.

My sisters and I had been looking for this book for years but couldn’t find it. It had been our favorite book when we were children but we couldn’t remember the name or author. I knew that if I ever saw

the book, that I would remember it...and I did. I ordered this book for my sisters and I and let me just say that it is EXACTLY as I remember. The illustrations are just beautiful and I think this is a wonderful book for any child to have. I just had my first child and I am soooooo happy that he can now have the same book that I fell in love with as a child. I recommend this to anyone who can appreciate the beautiful and fun art.

This book is a visual treat for young eyes. Each of my three sons could sit and listen to me read as we talked about the funny pictures and silly antics going on. Highly recommend for imaginative parents that want to stimulate a child's imagination!

He's best known for his illustrations of the "Eloise" Books, but these paintings are a masterful representation of his lifetime love of the circus and his craft as a master painter. I am honored to have had him ask me to write an "afterword." Paul Binder Founder and Artistic Director Big Apple Circus

My almost 4 year old daughter enjoys this book at bedtime. There are lots of interesting things to look at and something different will catch her eye each time. In the back there are suggestions of things to look for in the book, but we haven't tried that yet.

Hilary Knight's CIRCUS IS COMING first appeared in 1978 and has been unavailable since then: it's here reproduced from original art and includes a new salute to South America. Gorgeous drawings pair with easy invitations inviting kids to count, observe, and enjoy the circus.

Gorgeous artwork. This is the book I recall going to the library and hunting for every trip. I have not read it to a child yet who hasn't been fascinated by it.

A classic; I read it as a kid and adored the illustrations. Now, I read it to my baby brother and he loves it, too. Came in great condition.

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