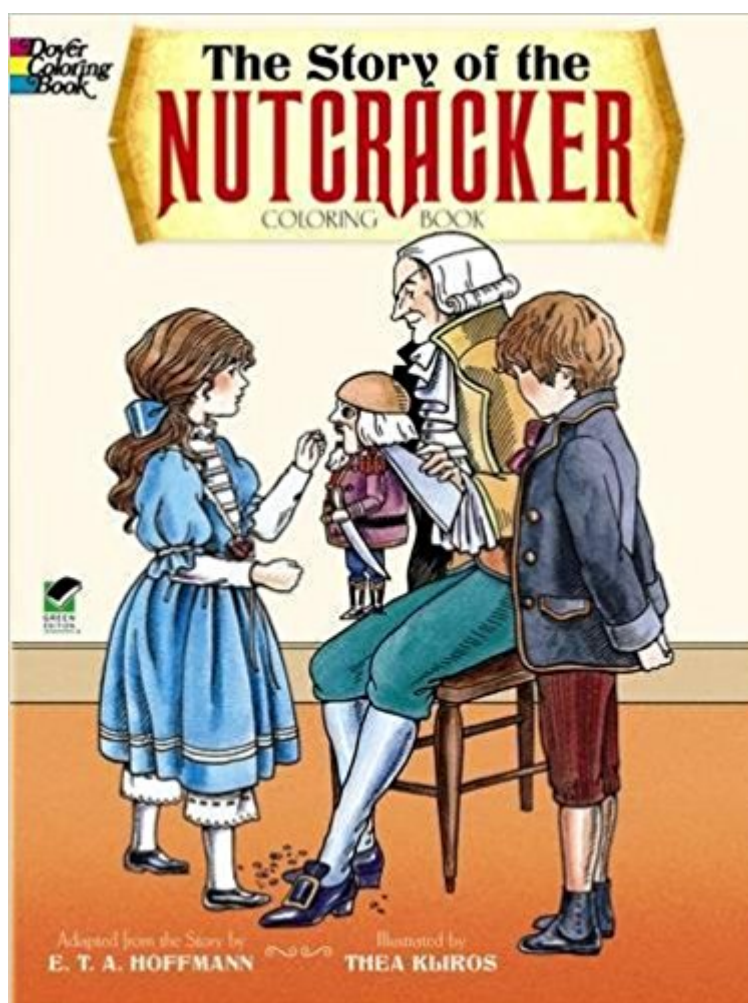


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# The Story Of The Nutcracker Coloring Book (Dover Classic Stories Coloring Book)



## Synopsis

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## Book Information

Series: Dover Classic Stories Coloring Book

Paperback: 48 pages

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Language: English

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Age Range: 3 - 11 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 5

## Customer Reviews

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I used these for gifts for several young ladies performing in the Appalachian Ballet Company Nutcracker. They also used them for autographs. This is the story version, not the ballet so the characters do not necessarily line up together.

My granddaughter Carmen has enjoyed many interpretations of The Nutcracker Ballet since she was two; at four, she treasures the coloring book I recently gave her. The illustrations are complex, offering opportunities for imaginative color choices. In addition to the art, Carmen loves the literature.

Too overly ornate. I think you can get online coloring sheet for the nutcracker ballet. Good to have to decorate on a coffee table? Good service. I received it on time.

Better for grades 4 and up.

I like it and look forward to reading as I color.

This is a perfect coloring book that contains the story of the Nutcracker. Good for ages 7 and up since there is a lot of detail.

5 star. Kelly needs it, very fast, receive it next day, very sharp and nice feel in your hand. A nice company to deal with. Hope my product and I get many happy years together. Would for sure buy another product from them. awesome and very well.

Very nice! Great illustrations.

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