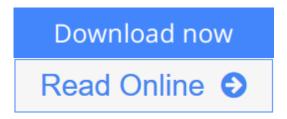


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Editorial Review

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Mr. Popper, when not painting or papering his neighbors' walls, has a persistent penchant for penguins. A decorator by day, he's an intrepid Antarctic explorer by night--at least in his imagination. Mr. Popper resigns himself to quiet evenings at home with his family and his travel books, until one day a mysterious package arrives. Pretty soon the Poppers have a house full of penguins, an ice rink in the basement, and an everincreasing bill for raw fish and canned shrimp. Time to take this show on the road!

The Atwaters wrote this unforgettable tale in 1938, but its timeless charm shows no signs of aging. Children are invited to imagine, dream, and believe that anything is possible. Robert Lawson, illustrator of *The Story of Ferdinand*, offers delightfully humorous pictures--as integral to this classic as the story itself. An ideal read-aloud book for all ages, *Mr. Popper's Penguins* will have any audience rolling in the aisles. (*Ages 9 to 12*)

Review

"Here is a book to read aloud in groups of all ages. There is not an extra or misplaced word in the whole story." —The Horn Book Magazine

About the Author

Richard Tupper Atwater (1892–1948) lived in Chicago and worked as a journalist, often writing humorous pieces for newspapers such as the *Chicago Tribune*. He wrote two books for children before beginning *Mr*. *Popper's Penguins*, a 1939 Newbery Honor Book. Before he could finish the story, however, he became ill. His wife, Florence Hasseltine Atwater (1899–1979) finished the book, helping launch a story that has remained popular for generations.

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