



Harry, the evil ghost of Urquhart Castle, travels to Switzerland as a stowaway, seeking redemption as a friendly family ghost.

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Description

How would *you* react if one day you found a genuine ghost sitting in your living room – declaring that from now on he’s your new housemate?

Meet Sir Henry, the bitter, mischievous ghost of Urquhart Castle in Scotland. Cursed by his own son to haunt his castle until he saves a girl’s life, he finally decides to leave his dilapidated, abandoned home and ‘emigrate’ to Switzerland, where he transforms himself into the genial and funny guardian spirit of his newly adopted family.

Our Ghost Harry is a charming ghost story that is equal parts spooky, hilarious and moving, perfect for readers aged 10 to 100. Ideal for reading aloud or enjoying on your own, it will terrify and delight audiences of all ages.

Endorsements

“Imaginative, atmospheric and deeply rooted in Scottish history, *Our Ghost Harry* weaves together myth, legend, and humanity with rare skill. Both playful and haunting, this tale of Sir Henry Urquhart’s long vigil on the shores of Loch Ness, and his adventure to Switzerland, will captivate children and adults alike. Told with warmth, humour and suspense, it offers thrills, laughter, and moments of reflection in equal measure. A ghost story with heart, illustrated with evocative artwork, it lingers in the mind long after the final page.” - **Derek Robertson**, Scottish artist and author.

“*Our Ghost Harry* is a story with genuine heart. It blends Scottish history and folklore into a tale that feels both timeless and freshly imagined. But Harry is more than just a ghost; he is a character who stays with you, flawed, proud, funny, and profoundly moving. The book treats adventure and sorrow with equal care, giving younger readers excitement while offering older readers something to reflect on. It’s the kind of story that invites you to sit back, listen,

and be transported to another time. A memorable, enjoyable read that lingers long after the final page.” - **Riga Violina**, author and actress.

“An absolute must-read for lovers of spooky ghost stories and history buffs! ‘*Our Ghost Harry*’ portrays life in a medieval Scottish castle so vividly that you feel as if you were right in the midst of the turbulent Scottish Wars of Independence between the clans and the English king - frequently startled by the ghost of Urquhart Castle.

The story cleverly shifts focus between haunting and reality, past and present, Scotland and Switzerland, as well as fiction and true family history.

Told with great warmth and beautifully illustrated, the tale not only gives readers chills but also brings hearty laughter with the ghost’s playful antics. Truly, a book for three generations! - **Roger Harper MBE**, retired Welsh judge.