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When Tucker the terrier wakes up on Saint Patrick's Day, he gets off on the wrong paw. Nothing is going his way until he rolls in a bed of clover — a bed of four-leaf clovers, that is, which just happens to belong to a leprechaun! Lucky Tucker! From snatching a falling scoop of ice cream to wrestling with his best friends to getting a whole box of new toys, Tucker is now the luckiest dog around!

Lucky Tucker Details

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From Reader Review Lucky Tucker for online ebook

Tina Bartholoma says

"St. Patrick's day, dogs,"

Sheila says

Kinda cute, but nothing that got me too excited.

Brian says

A great read a loud book for primary kids. Great illustration to keep the eyes fixed and a fun story to engage the mind. An all around great book for St. Patty's Day.

Goshen PL Childrens says

Read for Storytime, March 15th
Theme: St. Patrick Stories

Sharlene says

Read this book to my 1 year old. There are a good amount of words per page, but it couldn't hold her for the whole book. Age recommendation is 2+.

It's a good book to teach little ones about the typical St Patrick's Day things, like leprechauns, clovers and the luck of the Irish.

Not a book that I would buy, but it was a board book that I found at the library. Fingers crossed it makes it back in one piece. (of course it will!)

Lorie says

On St. Patrick's Day, Tucker thinks he is the unluckiest dog until he roles in a Leprechaun's bed of four leaf clovers. His luck changes dramatically making him dream about the even better possibilities of what his luck will bring him next year.

It seems like this edition is a board book reprint of what was a preschool picture book. The board book format does not necessarily make this a story for toddlers; it still is a story that takes some attention from the

reader to understand the context. The text is longer and the images smaller than typical board books, so this would still be better given to an older preschooler.

I would recommend this book for purchase for any public library.

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Peacegal says

Cute and fun easy reader that will appeal to the youngest doggie fans.

Amber W says

It was kinda lame.

Melissa Dragoo says

The best St. Patrick's book I've come across for reading aloud during story time. Tells the tale of a down-on-his-luck dog who has his day turned around around after rolling in a patch of 4 leaf clovers.

Luke says

Four leafed leprechaun.

Merrilyn Tucker says

This board book will be delightful for very young readers who have or love dogs. Tucker goes from having a bad day to a gloriously lucky day all because he rolled in some clover and met a leprechaun. If only life were so easy! The font is small, so this would have to be read to a child. There are no fuzzy patches or sound-makers, but it would make a sweet addition to a baby's board book collection, especially if there is a dog around the house.

Lindsey Lubker says

This is a cute story about Tucker the dog who thinks St. Patrick's day is going to be a bad day. Little did Tucker know that rolling in some four leaf clovers could change it to his lucky day.

Jj says

Cute St. Patrick's Day book for kids. While there is not much to it, it would work well for younger kids storytime.

Christine Turner says

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Notes

Leslie McGuirk has written and illustrated several picture books, including TUCKER'S SPOOKY HALLOWEEN; HO, HO, HO, TUCKER!; and SNAIL BOY. She is well known in Japan, where her artwork appears on everything from T-shirts to teapots to toilet-seat covers. Leslie McGuirk lives in Vero Beach, Florida.

Note: Cute story, but I really dislike the font size and style.

Lynda says

Little Tucker the West Highland terrier rolls in a leprechaun's field of four leaf clovers and enjoys a series of "lucky" adventures. Nicely illustrated with a short but fun tale.
