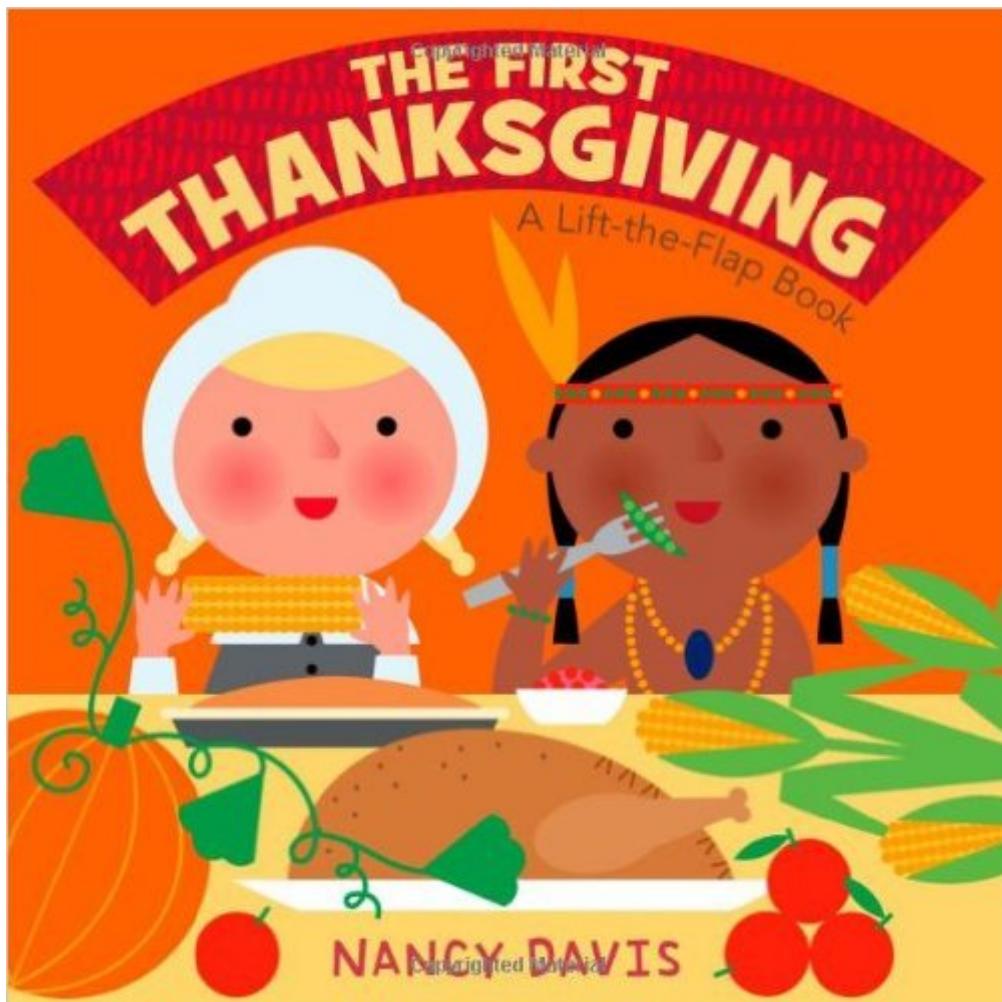


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# The First Thanksgiving: A Lift-the-Flap Book



## Synopsis

Nancy Davis recreates the excitement and wonder of the first Thanksgiving--how the pilgrims came to America and how the Native Americans taught them to plant and then joined them in a Thanksgiving feast. Parents can use the simple text and the bright, graphic illustrations of this lift-the-flap book to introduce a very young child to this holiday. Book Details:Format: Board BookPublication Date: 9/21/2010Pages: 14Reading Level: Age 2 and Up

## Book Information

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Board book: 14 pages

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Age Range: 2 - 4 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

## Customer Reviews

This is a great first Thanksgiving book for toddlers. It tells the basics of the Thanksgiving story: pilgrims, Native Americans, banquet with lift-the-flaps on each page for added interest. Best historical Thanksgiving book for this age group that I've found. Very happy with purchase.

After reading Nathaniel Philbrick's *Mayflower*, I wanted to make sure that when reading Thanksgiving books to my child, I was avoiding the fact-less drivel that passes for history lessons these days. This book has nice clear illustrations, and few words. Not much is really going on in this book actually, but that for me was a plus because it meant there wasn't much for it to get wrong. The book has flaps you can lift. Honestly they aren't the best done. My 2 year old wasn't that interested

in them, not like she is with the Spot lift the flap books. But I like that it was so simple, because as she has gotten older, I have been able to submit my own storyline and it still goes with the pictures. So far my favorite factual children's book for Thanksgiving is *T is for Turkey*. But this one is cute and pretty harmless, so I would recommend it.

LOVE LOVE this little book as an intro to thanksgiving for your little one. Though the text is very sparse, it's easy to fill in with details of your own, from the great illustrations. the lift the flaps are great, too. overall i'm pleased!

Love this one. Simple words, pictures, but accurate story for your little one! I would definitely buy again and am excited to have it in my son's library!

Great introduction of the first Thanksgiving for babies and toddlers. That said, my little guy (who loves lift the flaps) didn't really get into it. I think parents might like this better for kids, until kids are about 2 or so. I'm glad this book came out, though. There are not enough good Thanksgiving board books.

Adorable book about Thanksgiving. My baby was 13 months at Thanksgiving and so he loved all the flaps. He is mad for flaps! I was super pleased! They do show domesticated turkeys in this book, which my toddler pointed to. I am pretty sure he was a little disturbed by the inaccuracy, as the first turkeys were hunted and not raised at Thanksgiving, but he is a trooper and just kept going.

I love the book and I love how it shows small children the true meaning of Thanksgiving. What I didn't like is that the little flaps are just paper and could easily be torn off. This is a board book that is obviously designed for young children, but this is definitely not something I would leave my toddler alone with.

I purchased this book to introduce Thanksgiving to my 2 year old. It's a very short board book that is perfect to capture her attention (through fun rhymes and lift the flaps) and quickly teach her the basics of the story. For example, "This is the ship that sailed the sea....carrying Pilgrims to a land that's free." My daughter was quickly yelling out, "They go to 'Merica!!"

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