The Star Maiden: An Ojibway Tale

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**Synopsis**

Tired of wandering in the sky, the star maiden searches for the perfect home on earth.

**Book Information**

Age Range: 4 and up  
Lexile Measure: 430L (What’s this?)  
Paperback: 32 pages  
Publisher: Little, Brown Young Readers (September 3, 1991)  
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**Customer Reviews**

To date this is my favorite of the Native American legends books for children that I’ve read. I love the simple poetic writing, the storyline, the illustrations, and borders. Simply enchanting. I bought it for myself shortly after it was published, and I look forward to sharing it soon with my daughter.

The Star Maiden is an Ojibway tale about a star maiden who wants to find a perfect home. The Indian tribe welcomes the star maiden and hope she finds happiness and contentment among them in their restless world. A beautiful story that tells of a people long ago who’s lives and beliefs are very differently than those of today.

Beautiful book. Great for story telling and for reading to children when exploring different cultures. I would recommend this book.

Everything was good, as advertised.
A beautifully told story with illustrations to match. I would like to find out more about the illustrations and the borders - the symbolism, especially.

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