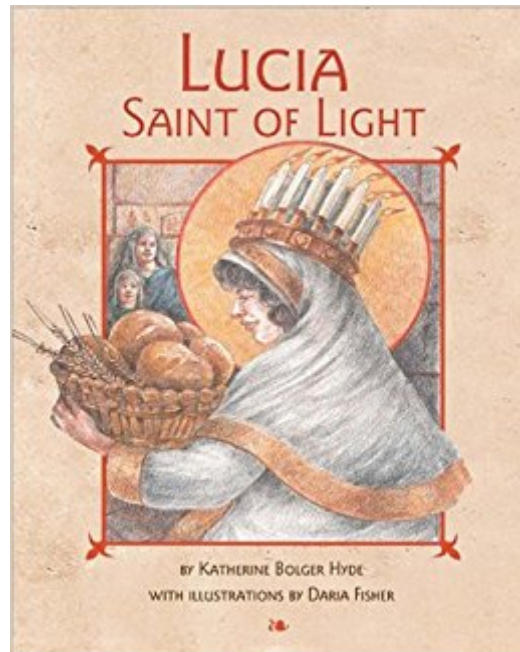




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Lucia: Saint Of Light



Synopsis

Long revered in both East and West, St. Lucia is an early virgin martyr whose life and legacy shine as a light of faith, hope, and compassion in the darkness of winter and sin. Lucia, Saint of Light introduces young readers to both her life and her delightful Christmas-related festival as it is traditionally celebrated in Sweden and around the world. Daria Fisher's warm and vivid illustrations will make this book a favorite with children and parents alike. Brighten your home this winter with the festival of Lucia, Saint of Light!

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Customer Reviews

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I love the illustrations in this book. It is very in depth and a lovely story. I would have liked to see the story told more "succinctly". It is a little long and too descriptive for my young kids. I tried to read this to a group of preschoolers/young elementary kids at a Lucia party we had and I lost their attention pretty quickly. I think this is more appropriate for older elementary ages - 8+.

I wanted to like this book better than I did. I felt that the text was affected and unnatural. Kids under 7 probably won't notice. It has lovely pictures, though, some recipes and it's a good way to provide some background to the feast day.

It is wonderful to find orthodox children's books. My children enjoy the stories of the saints, but a book with pictures keeps my children's attention better.

Both my 3 and 4 year old love this book. I think that they appreciate the pictures and are curious of this is also a tradition we should start at home. It covers the saint in the context of a little girl who's family celebrates the feast of St. Lucy every year with some traditions of cooking and the lighted wreath.

Great to finally find a book for my school children about this wonderful lady

Wonderful story with beautiful illustrations. This is a necessary story to own if you celebrate the saints and the liturgical year.

We love the way the stories of the real St. Lucia and the traditional ways of celebrating her are woven together in this book!

This is a great book, explaining the story of St. Lucia through a conversation between mother and daughter. This makes celebrating St. Lucia more exciting and relevant for young ones.

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