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A fable is a simple tale intended to convey a certain moral or truth. Although fables are popular in many cultures around the world, the most enduring fables have undoubtedly been those of Aesop. Aesop is believed to have been a Greek slave who lived in the first part of the 6th century B.C. His talent for entertaining people with fables eventually won him his freedom and made him an advisor to kings. *

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- Browse the subject **Aesop's Fables**, or more broadly, browse the subject **Fables**.

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COLLECTIONS OF AESOP'S FABLES

The collections of Aesop's fables in this list that have been arranged alphabetically by main entry under title or author as they appear in the online catalog. Within this alphabetical arrangement, books without authors have been placed before books with designated authors. Books with identical titles and authors have been arranged chronologically.

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