Dr. Seuss  
(Theodor Seuss Geisel)  

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

BORN: Springfield, Massachusetts, March 2, 1904

DIED: La Jolla, California, September 24, 1991

EDUCATION Springfield Public Schools, Dartmouth College, A.B. 1925; Lincoln College, Oxford, England, 1925-26


EARLY MAGAZINE ILLUSTRATIONS AND STORIES: Judge, Life, College Humor, Vanity Fair, Redbook, The Saturday Evening Post

ADVERTISING CAREER: Magazines, Newspapers Posters and Television - - 15 years with Standard Oil of New Jersey (originator of “Quick, Henry! The Fliit!”, ESSO Marine Products (Seuss Navy): Ford Motor Company


ANIMATED TELEVISION SPECIALS:
“How the Grinch Stole Christmas,” Peabody Award, 1971
“Horton Hears a Who,” Peabody Award, 1971
“The Cat in the Hat,“
“The Lorax,” Critics Award, International Animated Cartoon Festival, Zagreb, 1972; Silver Medal, International Film and TV Festival of New York, 1972
“Dr. Seuss on the Loose”
“Hoobers Bloob Highway”
“Halloween is Grinch Nigh,” Emmy Award, Best Children’s Special, 1977
“Pontoffel Pock Where Are You”
“The Grinch Grinches The Cat In the Hat,” Emmy Award, Best Children’s Special, 1982

PUBLISHING: President, Beginner Books, A Division of Random House, Inc.

SPECIAL TRIBUTES: First “Outstanding California Author” Award, California Association of Teachers of English, 1976
Los Angeles County Library Association Award, 1974
Laura Ingalls Wilder Award, Association for Library Service to Children, American Library Association, 1980
Regina Medal, The Catholic Library Association, 1982
Special Award for Distinguished Service to Children, National Association of Elementary School Principals, 1982
Pulitzer Prize, 1984
New York Public Library Literary Lion, 1986
And to Think That I Saw It On Mulberry Street (originally published by Vanguard Press 1937, reissued 1989)
The 500 Hats of Bartholomew Cubbins (originally published by Vanguard Press 1937, reissued 1989)
The King’s Stilts (1939)
Horton Hatches the Egg (1940)
McElligot’s Pool (1947), a Caldecott Honor Book
Thidwick the Big-Hearted Moose (1948)
Bartholomew and the Oobleck (1949), a Caldecott Honor Book
If I Ran the Zoo (1950), a Caldecott Honor Book
Scrambled Eggs Super (1953)
Horton Hears a Who (1954)
On Beyond Zebra (1955)
If I Ran the Circus (1956)
How the Grinch Stole Christmas (1957)
Yertle the Turtle (1958)
Happy Birthday to You (1959)
The Sneetches and Other Stories (1961)
Dr. Seuss’s Sleep Book (1962)
I Had Trouble Getting to Solla Sollew (1965)
The Cat in the Hat Songbook (1967)
I Can Lick 30 Tigers Today and Other Stories (1969)
The Lorax (1971), a NCSS Notable Children’s Trade Book/ Social Studies
Did I Ever Tell You How Lucky You Are? (1973)
Hunches in Bunches (1982)
The Butter Battle Book (1984)
You’re Only Old Once (adult – 1986), released in celebration of Seuss’s 82nd birthday
Oh, the Places You’ll Go! (1990)
Six By Seuss (1991)

Beginner Books:
The Cat in the Hat Comes Back (1958)  Oh, the Thinks You Can Think (1975)
One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish (1960)  The Cat’s Quizzer (1976)
Green Eggs and Ham (1960)  I Can Read With My Eyes Shut (19978)
Fox in Socks (1965)

Beginner Videos:
The Cat in the Hat Comes Back  Dr. Seuss’s ABC
One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish  Hop On Pop
I am Not Going to Get Up Today!  2 Dr. Seuss Favorites: Green Eggs and Ham and It's Grinch Stole Christmas!

Dr. Seuss Video Classics:
Horton Hatches the Egg/ If I Ran the Circus  Yertle the Turtle and Other Stories
Did I Ever Yell You How Lucky You Are?  Horton Hears A Who!
How the Grinch Stole Christmas!

Dr. Seuss Musical Specials Videos:
The Cat In the Hat Gets Grinched  Pontoffel Pock, Where Are You?
It’s Grinch Night!

Spanish Beginner Books Video
Un pez dos peces rojo pez azul (One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish)

For more information on Dr. Seuss, see:
DR. SEUSS FROM THEN TO NOW (Random House, 1987):