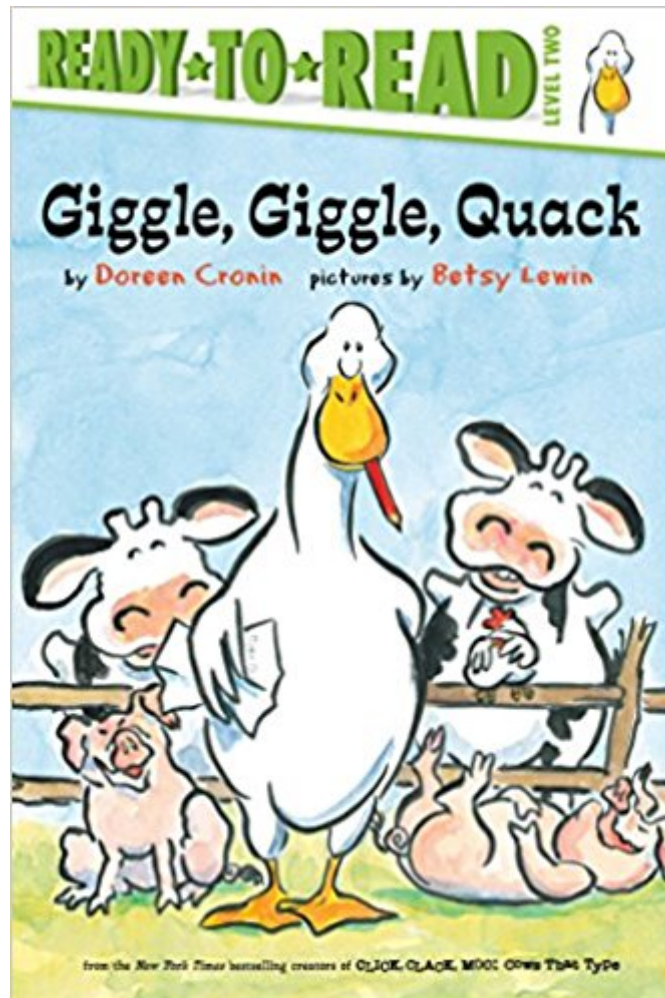


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# Giggle, Giggle, Quack (A Click, Clack Book)



## Synopsis

The sequel to the New York Times and Caldecott Honor-winning *Click, Clack, Moo* is now available as a Level 2 Ready-to-Read! Farmer Brown is going on vacation. He asks his brother, Bob, to take care of the animals. "But keep an eye on Duck. He's trouble." Bob follows the instructions in Farmer Brown's notes exactly. He orders pizza with anchovies for the hens, bathes the pigs with bubble bath, and lets the cows choose a movie. Is that he giggling he hears? Giggle, giggle quack, giggle, moo, giggle, oink! The duck, the cows, the hens, and the pigs are back in top form in this hilarious follow-up to the beloved Caldecott Honor Book *Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type*.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

The crafty barnyard crew from *Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type* is back, and this time Farmer Brown has decided to take a vacation. But not to worry--he's leaving his brother Bob to mind the farm: "I wrote everything down for you. Just follow my instructions and everything will be fine. But keep an eye on Duck. He's trouble." Of course, fans of Doreen Cronin and Betsy Lewin's last brilliant book already know to keep an eye on that manipulative mallard. Now, wait a minute...

what's Duck doing eyeing that pencil? Poor Bob has no idea what he's in for, and Duck and friends have shrewdly seized this chance to move on from collective bargaining to outright subterfuge: "Bob gave Duck a good long stare and went inside. He read the first note: 'Tuesday night is pizza night (not the frozen kind!). The hens prefer anchovies.'" Well, seems like strange way to run a farm, but... "Twenty-nine minutes later there was hot pizza in the barn." Giggle, giggle, quack, indeed. Clearly, Duck and his cow pals aren't the only ones around to have mastered the pencil and the keyboard. Cronin and Lewin have put their talents to good use yet again, offering up another simple but clever story fit for kids and grownups alike. Lewin seems to snicker throughout her playful watercolors (gotta love those monogrammed towels: "FB"), and Cronin has a ball with the animal cast and their human patsy. (What do the cows pick on movie night? "The Sound of Moosic," of course. Giggle, giggle, moo.) (Ages 4 to 8) --Paul Hughes --This text refers to the Board book edition.

The barnyard animals first seen in Cronin and Lewin's Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type continue to express themselves via the written word in this clever and funny sequel. When Farmer Brown takes a vacation and leaves his brother Bob in charge ("I wrote everything down for you. Just follow my instructions and everything will be fine. But keep an eye on Duck. He's trouble"), enterprising Duck sees boundless opportunity in the situation. The webbed fellow commandeers the pencil and paper that Farmer Brown has left behind and writes out his own feeding/care tips for Bob to follow: "Tuesday night is pizza night (not the frozen kind!). The hens prefer anchovies." (A "giggle, giggle, cluck" escapes from the onlookers.) Unaware of the note's authorship, Bob complies, and subsequent requests include indoor bubble baths for the pigs and the cows' choice for movie night ("The Sound of Moosic"). The jig is soon up with Duck and company found out in a humorous denouement. Cronin again balances wit and jovial warmth in scenarios that will have readers laughing out loud. Fans of the first book will delight in the details found in Lewin's chipper watercolor washes with a painted bold black line (the electric blankets originally demanded by the cows are put to good use, for example). This sitcom on the farm more than lives up to its title and demands repeat visits. Ages 3-7. Copyright 2002 Cahners Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to the Board book edition.

I absolutely loved the original Click, Clack, Moo Cows That Type. It was silly, fun to read, and very creative. The book ended with the ducks taking off with the type writer - which I thought set up for a sequel.... HOWEVER, the sequel Giggle, Giggle, Quack does not have a type writer nor are the ducks demanding for anything like a diving board nor is the typewriter passed to another farm

animal for further demands.... instead this book has the duck writing with a pencil to change notes left for their babysitter (because the farmer is on vacation). Overall, I found the book to pale in comparison to the original. Yes it is still silly to kids, but its not great. I wish I hadn't bought it. Overall this book is silly and has repetitive phrases like giggle giggle quack giggle giggle moo... but its not as good as the original by far and I wish the story flowed seamlessly from the original.

If you liked Click Clack Moo, then you'll love Giggle Giggle Quack. This time Duck has gotten hold of a pencil and Farmer Brown asks his brother Bob to watch the farm while he goes on vacay. Due to Duck's mischievousness, the animals also get to live the life of luxury while Farmer Brown is away. The electric blankets do make an appearance in this next installment. This author has a knack for finding a subject matter that appeals to kids as well as adults. My two year old loves this book because he loves anything that goes quack, moo, or oink. I love this book because I just find the idea of a farm animal insurrection hilarious. It's almost Office Space like in these books. I also like that these books are well-written although the language is simple. Overall, you'll enjoy reading this book over and over and over.

I purchased this for my daughter for Valentine's Day since we have the other two in this series (Click Clack Moo, Cows that Type; and Dooby Dooby Moo). We have borrowed this book from the library, but it is worth the purchase particularly in this board book style. This one is about the Farmer going on vacation and his brother coming to "pet sit" his farm animals. The clever duck character writes little notes that get the Farmer's brother to do silly things (purchase them all pizza, wash the pigs in the bathtub and use the good towels to dry them off, let them watch a movie inside the house, etc.). I think the book could have been longer following this theme, but it is cute the way it is and a nice length for bedtime stories particularly when your little ones want to read LOTS of book!! love the size of the board book as well. I would say it is about 5 x 7 in size. The pictures are clear and the words easy to read. My only complaint was that the last two pages in the book were stuck together. I'm not sure why this was the case, but I will need to exchange it for one that isn't damaged. I would definitely suggest purchasing this as a board book rather than a paperback because your kids will love it so much and want to read it over and over and over again. The board book version is much more durable and will last a lot longer.

This is a cute board book, from the series of books with the same characters. In this one Farmer Brown goes on vacation and leaves his brother Bob in charge, but Duck then quickly takes

advantage of the situation. Cute story in a short board book that will be durable for your little ones. Even if you don't have the series of books this works as a stand alone book.. If you do have other books in the series the story becomes that much more enjoyable because you know duck is going to do some funny things.

Art is cute but story is weak and a younger child will not get it. Falls short from other book from same author. Bought for young grandson and was disappointed.

Farmer Brown has gone on vacation, leaving his brother Bob to watch the farm, but he doesn't know that Duck has found a pencil and is giving Bob brand new (and need I say "animal-centric") instructions! Pizza for dinner, bubble baths for the pigs, and movie night in the house are probably not what Farmer Brown had in mind, but the animals seem to be enjoying themselves, giggling all the way to their electric blankets. This is another fun story from the creators of "Click, Clack, Moo: Cows That Type", with hilarious watercolor pictures augmenting the text. If your child has a sense of humor or thinks farm animals deserve a break, s/he will undoubtedly enjoy this tale of farm animals living the good life.

Another charming book by the same author of Click, Clack, Moo. Farmer Brown is off on vacation, leaving his brother behind to take care of the animals. Duck is in charge with all kinds of interesting instructions for Farmer Brown's brother. The animals chow down on pizza especially ordered for them, the pigs get bubble baths, in other words, the animals have a gay old time. I love the illustrations, the pigs taking a bath are just so happy. An excellent book for kids, and a real good laugh for adults too.

Not as good as Click, Clack, Moo- Cows That Type but still a cute and fun book.

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