



Lewis Carrolls Alices Adventures in Wonderland

By Lewis Carroll

Jerry N. Uelsmann Inc. Hardcover. Condition: New. Maggie Taylor (illustrator). 152 pages. Dimensions: 11.3in. x 11.2in. x 0.9in.According to Harold Bloom, Lewis Carroll redefined childrens books: Alice is the most mature, intelligent, and reflective character, hounded by petulant, stupid, and petty grown-ups. Descendants of Alices Adventures in Wonderland, todays childrens books typically contrast the inquisitive intelligence of children with the oppressive immaturity of adults. Many artists and writers have created their own versions of this timeless story. They include countless stage adaptations, eleven Hollywood film versions, and a rock opera by Marilyn Manson. No other childrens book has been accorded such creative reinvention. Inspired by the 1865 edition illustrated by Sir John Tenniel and the 1907 edition illustrated by Arthur Rackham, Maggie Taylor fuses European iconography, Victorian portraiture, and early photography with Surrealism, digital technology, and contemporary American art to create a unique artists book that is a work of art in itself. Accompanied by Carrolls full text, Taylors illustrations are composited from original images, many of them nineteenth century daguerreotypes and tintypes, and re-imagined through a digital lens. A one-of-a-kind item for Lewis Carroll and Maggie Taylor collectors, this book is also perfect for anyone who wishes to relive...



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