

Foreword Review PICTURE BOOKS

## The Tale of the Tiny Man

Barbro Lindgren Eva Eriksson, Illustrator Gecko Press (Apr 5, 2022) Hardcover \$18.99 (36pp) 978-1-77657-409-4

Now with new illustrations, this Swedish classic follows a wistful man whose solitude is broken by an eager pup. But before his canine rescue, he endures the hostility of those who don't understand his quaint, kind ways. Light, pencillined images edged in watercolor follow along as the man sends wishes for companionship into the world—and is answered by his new friend's rough tongue, wet nose, and tumbling habits. Audiences will also be "pleased as punch" over the man's turn in fortunes.

## MICHELLE ANNE SCHINGLER (May / June 2022)

Disclosure: This article is not an endorsement, but a review. The publisher of this book provided free copies of the book to have their book reviewed by a professional reviewer. No fee was paid by the publisher for this review. Foreword Reviews only recommends books that we love. Foreword Magazine, Inc. is disclosing this in accordance with the Federal Trade Commission's 16 CFR, Part 255.