

The Lightning Thief

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This book is about a half-blood named Percy Jackson who has many adventures. He goes to a camp called camp half-blood and meets many other half-bloods. Percy later finds out that Poseidon is his father. Percy's first adventure in this book is when he has to find Zeus' master lightning to stop a giant war from coming.

Rick Riordan's message in *The Lightning Thief* is to teach about ancient Greek mythology. The way he shows it is by including the Greek gods as characters in the book.

Rick Riordan uses **imagery** very well in *The Lightning Thief*. One example is when Percy wakes up to a hurricane in his vacation with his mom. He described how loud the sound of rain and wind. He also described the rattling sound of the cabin.

I recommend this book to people who like Greek mythology and like adventure. This book shows both of these.

Other titles:

- *Percy Jackson and the Olympians book 2: The Sea of Monsters*
- *Percy Jackson and the Olympians book 3: The Titan's Curse*
- *Percy Jackson and the Olympians book 4: The Battle of the Labyrinth*
- *Percy Jackson and the Olympians: Demigod Files*
- *Percy Jackson and the Olympians book 5: The Last Olympian*