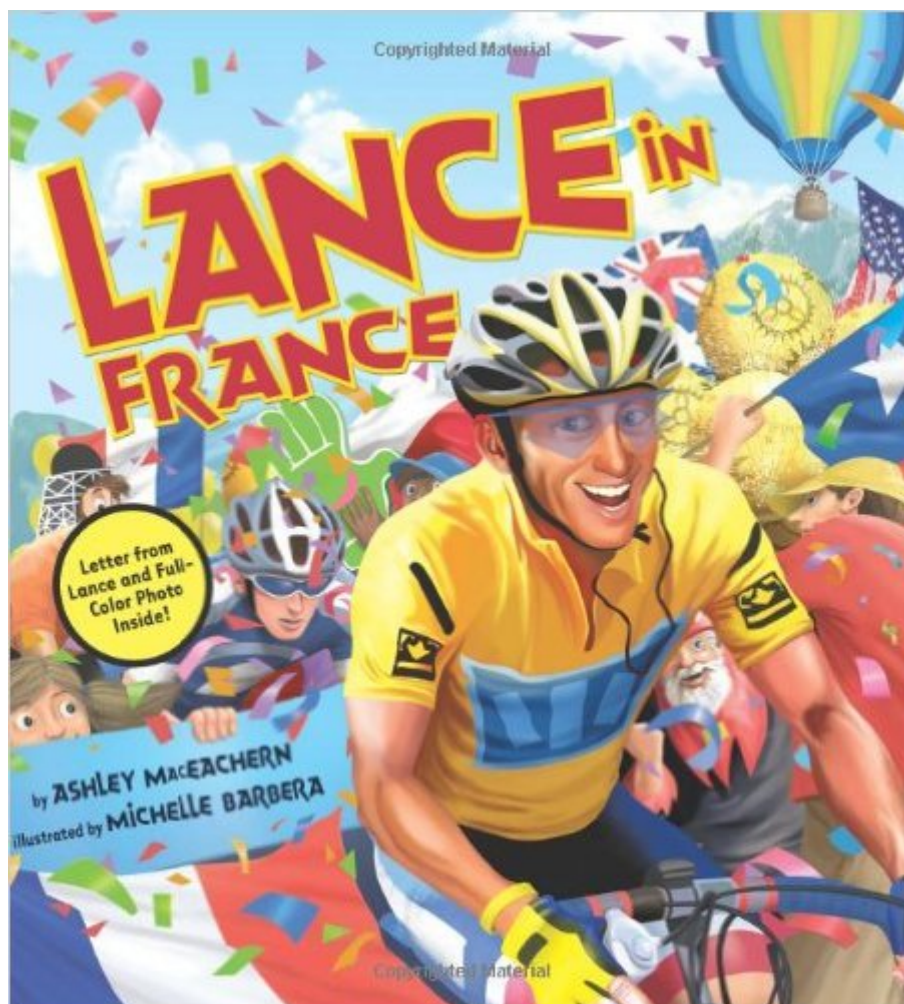


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# Lance In France



## Synopsis

Riders, get ready! The biggest bicycle race in the world is about to begin—the Tour de France. Lance Armstrong is the fastest, most famous bike rider in the world, so what could go wrong? Plenty! From rainstorms to crashes to cows in the road, Lance goes the distance to show that winners never quit. And while Lance pedals you'll enjoy discovering funny details and recurring characters in art that gives a spectacular view of the race. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

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## Customer Reviews

I saw this book listed on [Amazon](#) and thought "Sweet Lincoln's mullet! What a great book to give to my children to teach them how to work really hard for what they want". I thought Lance Armstrong would be the greatest example of humankind to show my children perseverance, strength, humility and how honesty is so very important. Great Odin's raven was I wrong? And then I find out he is really nothing this book claims. I was so heartbroken to learn that Lance is a cotton-headed ninny-moggins using doping drugs to "pedal faster". There should be a two page disclaimer in this book letting people know that it is purely fictional. Even if those two pages were in there, the book still would have sucked. The illustrations are lovely, but by the beard of Zeus I am certain that there were no dragons, aliens, or dinosaurs at the race as the book depicts. But, in one illustration it shows El Diablo standing proudly atop a cargo van wearing house slippers and I am not sure if Satan really wears house slippers though... I am so hurt after learning this book is not at all true. I'm

in a glass case of emotion.

This book was recommended to us by a friend who does triathalons. I love Lance Armstrong and think what he has accomplished personally and professional is amazing. This book, however, is really cheesy. It's almost difficult to read because it borders on arrogance. I understand the authors are trying to teach kids that one can overcome insurmountable obstacles and still win but it seems more like a one man wonder show.

The author does a really good job bringing the excitement of the race to the reader. The illustrations are really colorful and very detailed. We really loved this book. My son, even at age two, really was interested - there is enough action, not too many words per page, and lots of things to look at in this book.

I really enjoyed this book. It sends a great message to young and old alike...never, never, give up! I can't wait to read it with my grandchildren. The illustrations are so colorful and so easy for young ones to enjoy and do the search for the recurring characters.

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