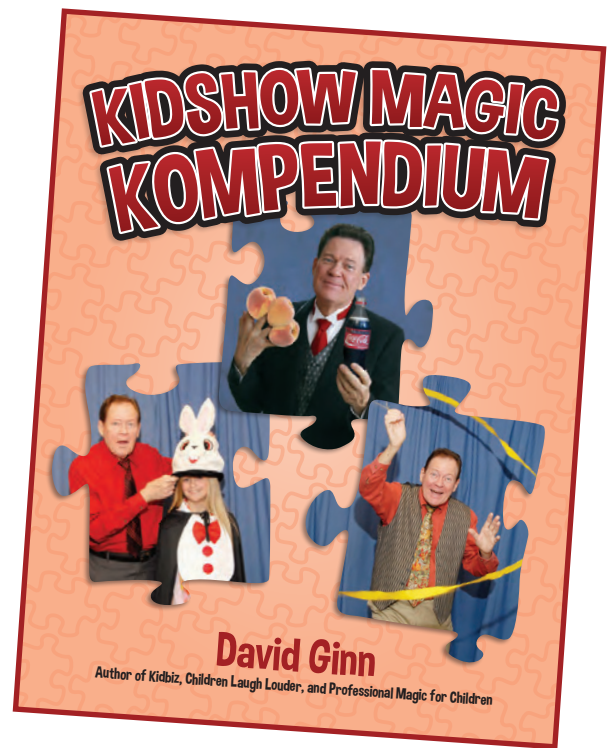


Autumn's Leaflet

Just when you thought I — *David Ginn* — had said all I could say about **entertaining children with magic** — after three years of constant work (and 30 years polishing these routines in live shows and lectures) — here I am at last with the new book —

Kidshow Magic Kompendium

Believe me, in **544 pages** with over **900 color photos**, I share with you **130 tried and tested kidshow routines** I've used to make my living in schools, libraries, churches and parties. Most of these have NEVER appeared in book form. On the next three pages of this newsletter, you can read the entire contents *plus* 44 highlights of *Kidshow Magic Kompendium*.



But there is more. Woven into every part of this massive volume are stories and history surrounding the tricks and routines. You will learn where I acquired the props, ideas, and methods I have used, plus how I **adapted** them to create theme shows. You will also read biographical details of my *growing up in magic*, which helps everything in the book make sense.

What might help you? 16 comedy warm-ups, visual magic to music explained, how to work pre-schools, plus tricks with one or two children, as well as groups on stage. There are chapters of magic for **older kids** and **close-up tricks** for children too. I spend one chapter addressing using *adults on stage* with full routines kids love. I spend the final chapter discussing ways to close your children's shows. Plus there is a full, complete 14-page index!

In the 20+ pages after that last chapter, I share with you a tribute to my mentors and how they positively affected my magic life. You will read about Harold Taylor, Fantasio, Doug Henning, Bev Bergeron, John Booth, Edwin Hooper, Ian Adair, Gene Gordon, Duke Stern, Billy McComb, Sammy Smith, Steve Taylor, Mark Tripp, Leon McBryde, Neil Young, and lots more.

YES, KMK is part history, part autobiography, and ALL KIDS MAGIC!

Important: The First and *ONLY* Edition of *Kidshow Magic Kompendium* will consist of 1300 hardbound copies. This is the most expensive book of my career. Understand, this is not a little book. Hardbound at 8.5 x 11 inches, the book weighs five pounds. *It will NOT be reprinted.*

Bottom line: *Kidshow Magic Kompendium* is not only the book of my lifetime, but also the book of YOUR lifetime. If you perform for children anywhere, I wrote this book for YOU. By sharing what worked in 16,000 shows for me — I can pass on the torch to you, for entertaining and educating children with magic wherever you live. Sound interesting? Turn the page and check out the contents.



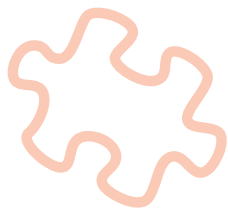
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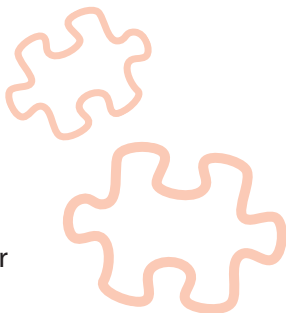


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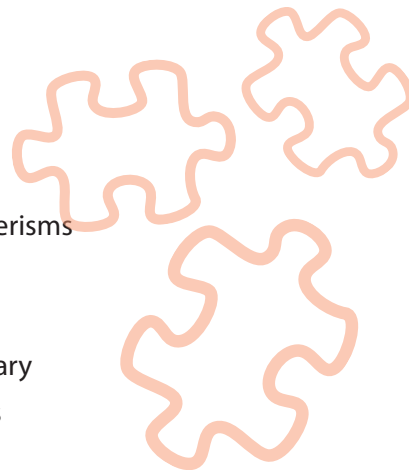
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- Best Fantasio Cane Ever!
- Ali Bongo's Shrek Monster Hat
- Best Water Suspension Ever!
- Burning a Teacher's Shoe



- Edwin's Best Pirate Routine
- Germain Ring on Teacher Arm
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