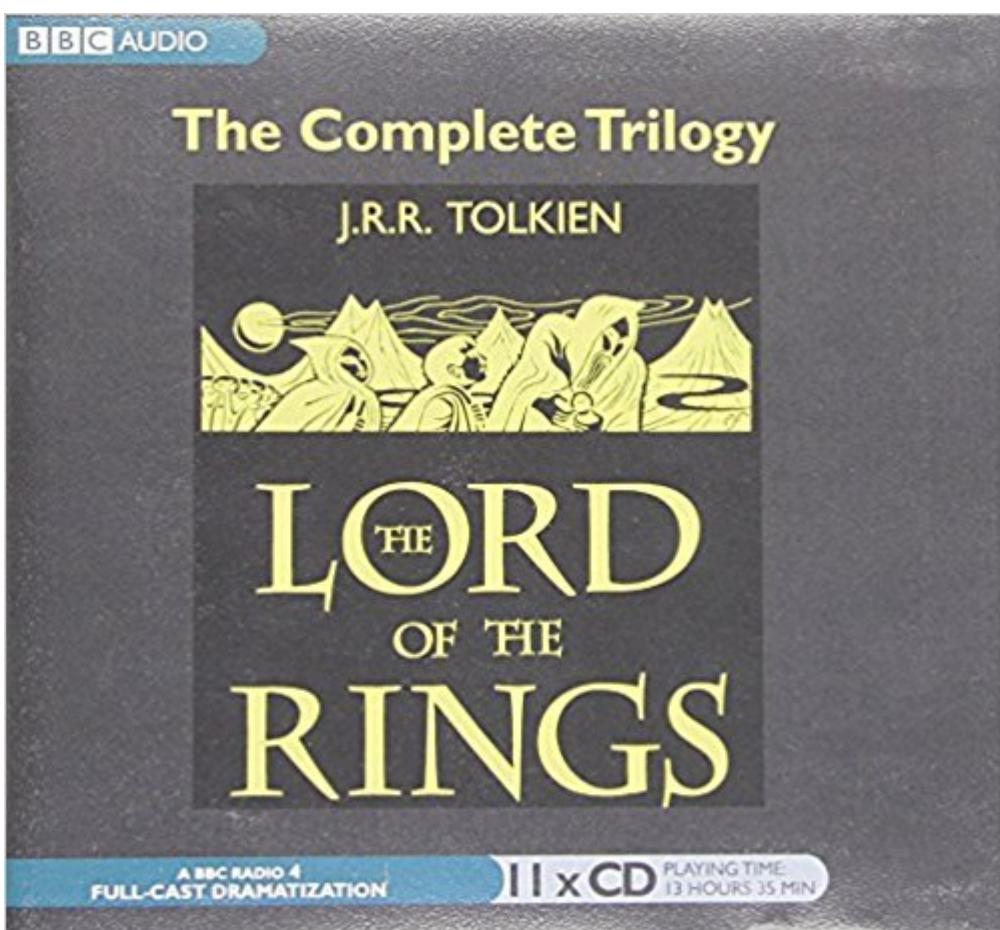


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I love Lord of the Rings. It is one of my favorite trilogies. As an incentive for students, we listen to it from time to time. We finished The Hobbit, which everyone loved, so I decided to continue on the J.R.R Tolkien. This audio quality is awful. Some of the voices are unclear, making it difficult to follow

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This review is regarding the theatrical narration, not the content. To be honest, I could not even finish the first CD. The actors were absolutely horrible. I listen to a lot of dramatized books and this is by far the worst I have ever heard. The actors were whiny and annoying. Lord of the Rings is one of my favorite stories, it is a shame that such a great book was subjected to such horrible (verbal) acting. Do yourself a huge favor and purchase this dramatized story from another producer. Even listening to one person reading the story would be better than this particular attempt at "bringing the story to life".

This audio book is perfect! they don't cut all of the extra's out of the book like the movies! The book is still more detailed however for those looking to hear a great story while on a car trip with the kids this is perfect. Some of the narrative is humorous to hear with funny voice acting it keeps the kids entertained and interested. Those going on a short trip will enjoy the layout format of this audio book 9 cd's 1 Hour each perfect for a There and back chapter to the supermarket! simply put this is a purchase you wont regret!

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It's a radio drama. Not an audiobook. The story is still good because it is lotr but the voices of the elves and hobbits sounded a little too squeaky. This dramatized version was created in the seventies so the technology was not the best but I still think that Orson Welles and the Mercury Theatre had a better idea of blending the music, sound effects, dialogue, and narration together. I think the director of this radio drama should of studied the mercury theaters radio dramas more.

Great series! Although I love the series, I hate that is a dramatization. I find it takes away from the story itself. When you read a book, you do not have all the background music, and such. However, I love having books on CD for my car. I used to only have one book on CD, and it got old fast. Nice to have other books to switch back and forth.

This was not the version I was looking for but I loved it anyway. It has Tom Bombadil, who was conspicuous in his absence in other versions!

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