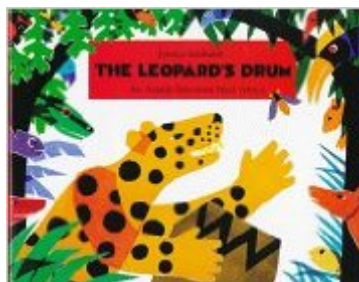


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# The Leopard's Drum: An Asante Tale From West Africa



## Synopsis

When Osebo the leopard refuses to share his magnificent drum with Nyame, the Sky God, Nyame offers a reward to the animal who can bring him the drum, and a small tortoise undertakes the task of outwitting Osebo.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Beautifully illustrated. a cute story from west Africa. My son asks me, all the time, to read this to him. Sometimes I hear him talking to the characters Osebo, Onini, Atchi Cheri in some game he is playing. I bought it and it arrived in great condition!

This book is about a leopard who is very proud and his name is Osebo. I liked it when Achicheri (the tortoise) trapped Osebo in his drum. Then Achicheri took the drum with the leopard inside to the sky god, Nyame. A python, an elephant and a monkey all tried to get Osebo's drum, but they failed. But Achicheri got the drum by tricking Osebo. It was a great read.

It is such a rare find! Great folk tale with a good Punjabi translation. Grab it if you love Punjabi books for your children. Also, look at the folktales straight from the Punjab at [folktalesofpunjab dot com](http://folktalesofpunjab.com).

This is my autistic grandson's favorite book. He lives so far away that I can only see him on SKYPE. But it is great having this book to discuss with him.

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