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Raggedy Ann's Tea Party Book

Elizabeth Silbaugh ; Illustrations by Laura Fillippucci
Simon and Schuster, \$14.00. 1999

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Raggedy Ann shows young readers how to mail invitations, plan and make refreshments, organize games and even set the table. Of course, you'll have to invite Raggedy herself to your party to make it complete! 1999, Simon and Schuster, \$14.00. Ages 4 to 8.

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Raggedy Ann prepares a tea party for her doll friends, making and sending invitations, baking cookies, setting a pretty table, and deciding which games to play. Directions and recipes are included, along with hints about making a shopping list and deciding who to invite, so children will be able to plan a party of their own. Saccharine illustrations accompany the stilted text, but the book may serve as a springboard for party ideas. Category: Nonfiction-Technology. 1999, Simon, 32pp, \$14.00. Ages 5 to 9. Rating: 5: Marginal, seriously flawed, but with some redeeming quality.

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