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This second title is another thoughtful selection of stories for the same age group with sympathetic narrators. Both presentation and material is varied: Johnny Morris reads 'The Elephant's Child' with his inimitable characterisation. Miriam Margolyes gives a warm, spirited reading of Alexei Tolstoy's retelling of the traditional 'The Great Big Enormous Turnip' and Nigel Anthony tells a funny primary school story every 5-year-old will identify with: 'Melanie Brown and the Pencil Sharpener' by Pamela Old-field. Stephen Thorne characterises rural Mr Pig beautifully in Mary Rayner's delightful 'The Potato Patch' where the young pigs 'help' by planting a banana and a felt tip pen in the potato patch. Excellent value.

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