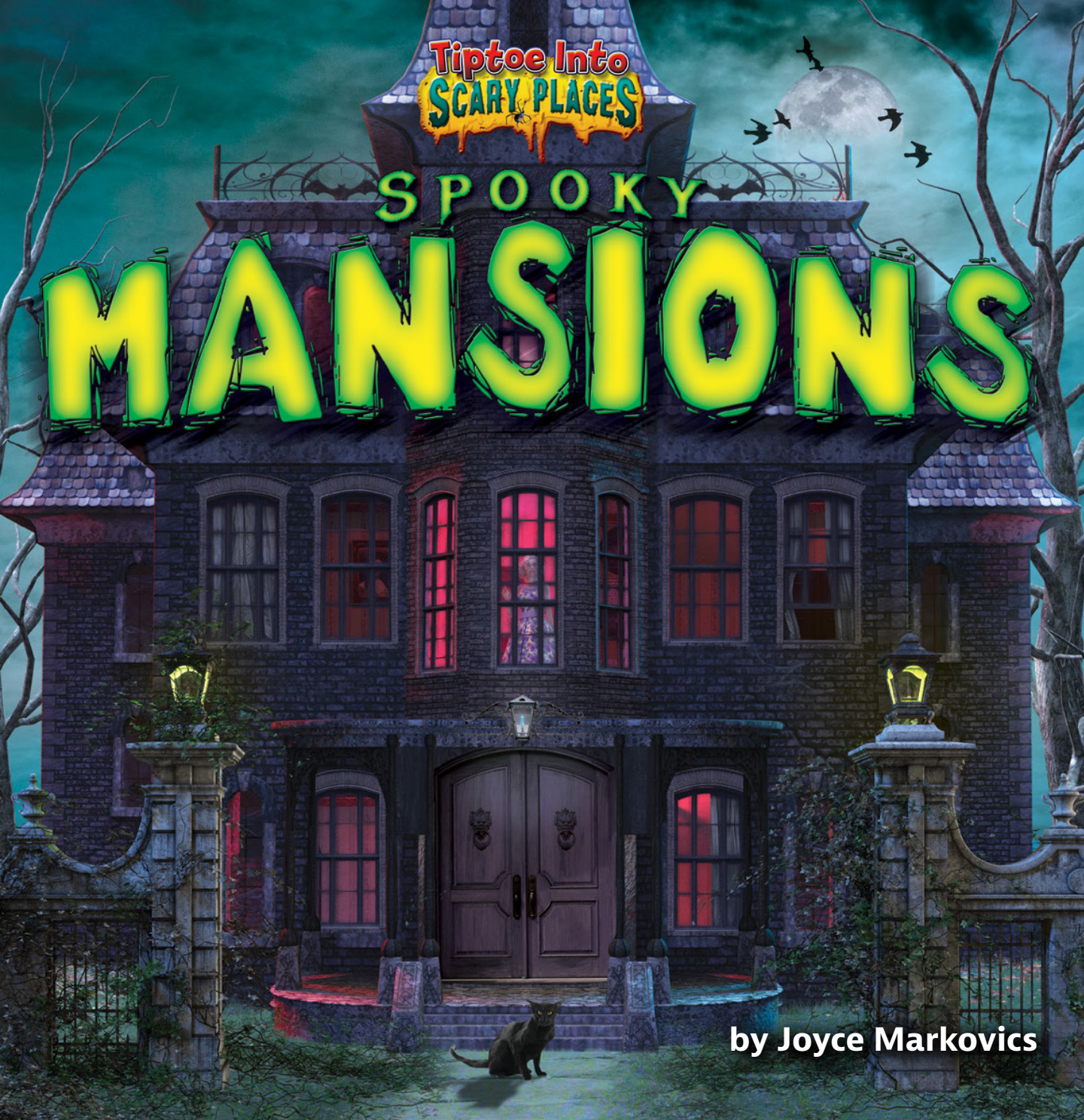


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# SPOOKY MANSIONS

A huge, empty house sits high on a hill.  
One of the windows glows an **eerie** green.  
The light brightens and then flickers.  
Suddenly, a thin, hunched figure appears in  
the window. "Leave my house!" it growls.





Get ready to read four hair-raising  
stories about spooky mansions.  
Turn the page . . . if you dare.



# BACK FROM THE DEAD

Laurel Hall, Shrewsbury, Vermont

John P. Bowman was heartbroken as he buried his dead wife Jennie and two daughters in an **elaborate** tomb. Across from the tomb, he built a large house called Laurel Hall.

In 1891, John died. But he left money for his staff to continue to care for Laurel Hall. For years after his death, they cleaned the house and cooked meals. John had believed that he and his family would rise from the dead and return home!



**Laurel Hall**

