

THE OLD WOMAN'S DAUGHTER AND THE OLD MAN'S DAUGHTER

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THE LITTLE DRAGONS

A good and hardworking girl was sent away from home by her father and stepmother, who had a lazy and mean daughter. On her way she helped a puppy, a pear tree, a well and a furnace.

One day she came to a meadow, where she saw a house. An old woman came out of the house and spoke kindly to her: "Who are you, girl? And what are you in search for in these remote places?"

"I am a poor girl, without a father and without a mother. Only I know what I've been through! I'm looking for kind-hearted people who'll take me into their home and let me work for them to earn an honest living. Please take me into your house, for night is coming and there are many creatures in the forest."

"Poor girl, I am the Mother of the Forest. Help me with the household work, in return I will give you a roof to spend the night under. And if you help me, be sure you won't leave my house empty-handed tomorrow."

"All right, Mother! What can I do for you?"

"I want you to wash my babies and feed them."

Without fear, she washed the Forest Mother's children, who were all kinds of wild animals and beasts, and prepared food for them.

The Mother of the Forest was delighted to see how the girl cared for her children. She told the girl to go up to the attic and choose a chest as payment. Out of all the chests there, the girl chose the oldest and ugliest. Then, saying her goodbyes, she would return to her parent's house with joy.

On the way, she ate pies baked in the furnace she took care of; farther on she drank water from the well filled with clear, sweet, cold water; farther on, the pear tree full of yellow pears as sweet as honey bent its branches down and the girl ate a lot of pears.

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When she met the little dog, who was now strong and beautiful, it gave her a gold necklace, which she wore round her neck, as a thank-you for having cured her of her illness. When she got home, the old man's eyes filled with tears and his heart with joy. Opening the chest, countless herds of horses, herds of cattle and of sheep came out of it. The old man was overjoyed when he saw these riches.



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