

Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs

Part One

Once upon a time there was a little princess...

She was called **Snow White** because she was **white** as **snow**. Her **lips** were **red** as **blood**. And her **hair** was **black** as **night**. She was a **beautiful girl**, **sweet** and **gentle**. She lived in a **palace** with her **father** and her **stepmother**: the **King** and the **Queen**.

The **Queen** was a **beautiful woman**. But she was **wicked** and **vain**.





Every day, the **Queen** looked in her **magic mirror** and asked:

"Mirror, mirror on the wall, Who's the fairest of all?"

And every day, the **mirror** answered:

"You, my Queen! You are!

You are the most beautiful of all."

Time passed and little **Snow White** became a beautiful **young lady**. Everybody loved her.

One morning, when the **Queen** asked her **magic mirror**:

"Mirror, mirror on the wall, Who's the fairest of all?"



The **mirror** answered:

"My Queen, you are beautiful, it's true!
But Snow White is more beautiful than you."

The Queen was furious! She planned a horrible crime. She called a huntsman and commanded him: "Take Snow White deep into the forest... and kill her!" "But... Your Majesty! The beloved Princess!" he said. "Kill Snow White! And take out her heart," the Queen commanded again.

Part Two

The huntsman took Snow White deep into the woods.

"Forgive me, my Princess... I have orders from the Queen to kill you! But I can't do that!" he said.

"Oh, good man!" she cried, "I'll run into the forest and I'll never come back!"

Snow White ran and ran **through the dark forest**. She was so **scared**! Then, she found a **little house**. The **door** was **open**. She went in.





A **little table** was set for dinner: seven little **chairs**, seven little **bowls**, seven little **spoons**, seven little **knives**, seven little **forks**, and seven little **mugs**.

Snow White was **hungry** and **thirsty**. She thought: "I'll have **a little bread** from each **bowl**. And I'll drink **a little wine** from each **mug**."

Then, feeling **so tired**, she lay down on one of the seven **little beds**. And she fell asleep.

In the morning, she woke up and saw the seven masters of the house looking at her. They were seven dwarfs.

"Who are you?" they asked.

"My name is **Snow White**," she answered. And she told them the **whole story** about **the wicked Queen**.

"Princess Snow White, you can stay," the Dwarfs said.

"Can you help us cook and clean?"

"Yes! I can **cook** and I can **wash**. And I can **make beds**," she said happily.

"Please, remember: don't open the door to strangers!" said the Dwarfs. "The Queen will find you."

Part Three

At the Palace, the **Queen** asked her **magic mirror**:

"Mirror, mirror on the wall, Who's the fairest of all?"

The **mirror** answered:

"My Queen, you are beautiful, it's true!

But Snow White is more beautiful than you.

In the mountains, she dwells

And she is still alive and well."

The Queen was absolutely furious! "I will kill Snow White myself!" she thought.

She made a **deadly poison**. Then, she put the **poison** in a **beautiful red apple**.





The **Queen**, dressed in **old clothes**, went to **the little house in the mountains**. She knocked on the door, calling:

"APPLES! JUICY APPLES! APPLES FOR SALE!"

Snow White answered: "I'm sorry, madam. I can't open the **door** to strangers."

"Oh, I'm just an **old woman!** Open the **window** and take **one apple**," said the **Queen**.

Snow White opened the **window**, took the **apple** and had **one bite**. She fell **dead to the floor**!

"Now, I'm the most beautiful of all. Ha, ha, ha!" the Queen said and she ran away.



Back at the Palace, the **Queen** ran to her **magic mirror**:

"Mirror, mirror on the wall, Who's the fairest of all?"

The **mirror** answered:

"You, my Queen! You are!
You are the most beautiful of all."

The wicked Queen was happy now because the magic mirror never lied.

Part Four

The **Seven Dwarfs** found Snow White **dead on the floor**. In her honor, they made her a **glass coffin** and placed it **on top of a mountain**.

One day, a young **Prince** stopped to see her. And he **fell in love with** Snow White. With a **kiss**, she came back to a **new life** with her Prince.

Snow White and the Prince had a big wedding. Everyone was invited to the celebration. Even the wicked Queen! And that night, when the Queen saw Snow White, she choked with envy and hate. And she fell dead to the floor. The Prince and the Princess lived happily ever after...

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