

The Secret Garden

(Ages 8-12)

Lily's grandmother gave her a rusty key.

"It opens something special," she said.

In the backyard, Lily found an old gate.

The key turned? click!

Behind the gate was a garden? wild, colorful, alive.

Every day after school, Lily planted, watered, and read books there.

One day, she found a note in a flower pot:

"Thank you for caring. ? The Garden."