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Have you ever heard of a book series called the Lunar Chronicles? If you haven’t then you are missing out. The Lunar Chronicles is a series of four books by Marissa Meyer. It is a series based on fairy tales that have been changed to adapt a fictional world. It is very interesting because when you are reading you can see the important parts of your favorite childhood fairy tales, which makes it even more fun to read. All of the books have a little action every once in a while, and they really deliver. Also, the books have a little bit of romance, because what good fairy tale doesn’t have romance? I think that the Lunar Chronicles is an amazing series of books, and I hope you will agree.

One of my favorite parts about all of the books is the adaptations of classic fairy tales. While reading, you can see your favorite characters put into a whole new light. You can recognize the most iconic parts of those classic stories, which gives it an odd sense of relatability. You can also see how the author has a completely new take on every character and their stories, so you also don’t always know what to expect. I think that this is a very endearing and oddly entertaining twist on the traditional young adult novel.

The books also have a decent amount of action. They put the classic fairy tales into a more realistic form, which includes not sugar coating and showing some nasty battles between good and evil. There are certain parts where you constantly remain on the edge of your seat and can’t wait to keep reading just for the sake of the battles themselves. They also very fairly represent females by having them be just as useful in battle as almost any other male character instead of the classic damsel in distress. I think that the element of action makes this series even more adaptable where boys and girls both can read it and actually enjoy its pages just the same.

The books also have a little romance, which is personally my favorite part. Although the author did make the fairy tales more realistic, she still included some romance for the classic fairy tale connoisseurs. The romantic parts may be sparse, but they don’t disappoint and leave you with the same sort of satisfaction as when you read the romantic parts in any classic fairy tale. The romance also adds depth to otherwise solemn and serious characters, who you wouldn’t expect to see fall in love. I find that the romance is an essential part of the story and its character progression.

I think that I have proven that this series is an interesting one that is suitable for anyone that loves fairy tales or young adult books. It embodies the important classic elements while remaining new and modern. It also changes the game by adding action and not making women the classic damsel in distress who needs a man to save her, but the fierce warrior who puts up just as good of a fight as any man. Even though it adapts to modern ways of life and an alternate society, it also includes the most important parts of fairy tales: romance, no matter how obscure. I think that the Lunar Chronicles is an amazing series in which anyone can find enjoyment, and it is one that should be treasured one day as a timeless classic.