

Once Upon Short Story Boxsets: Six Short Retellings of Favorite Fairy Tales

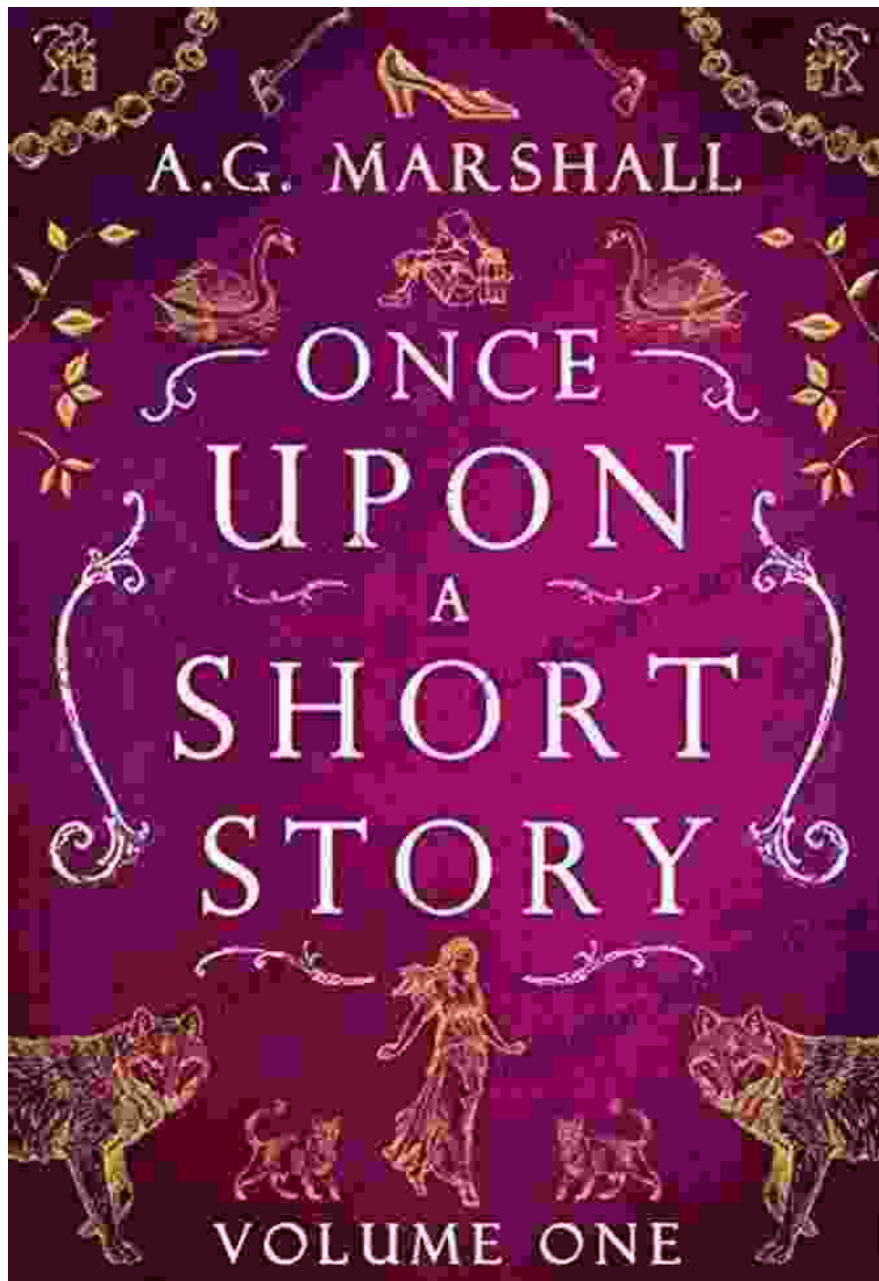


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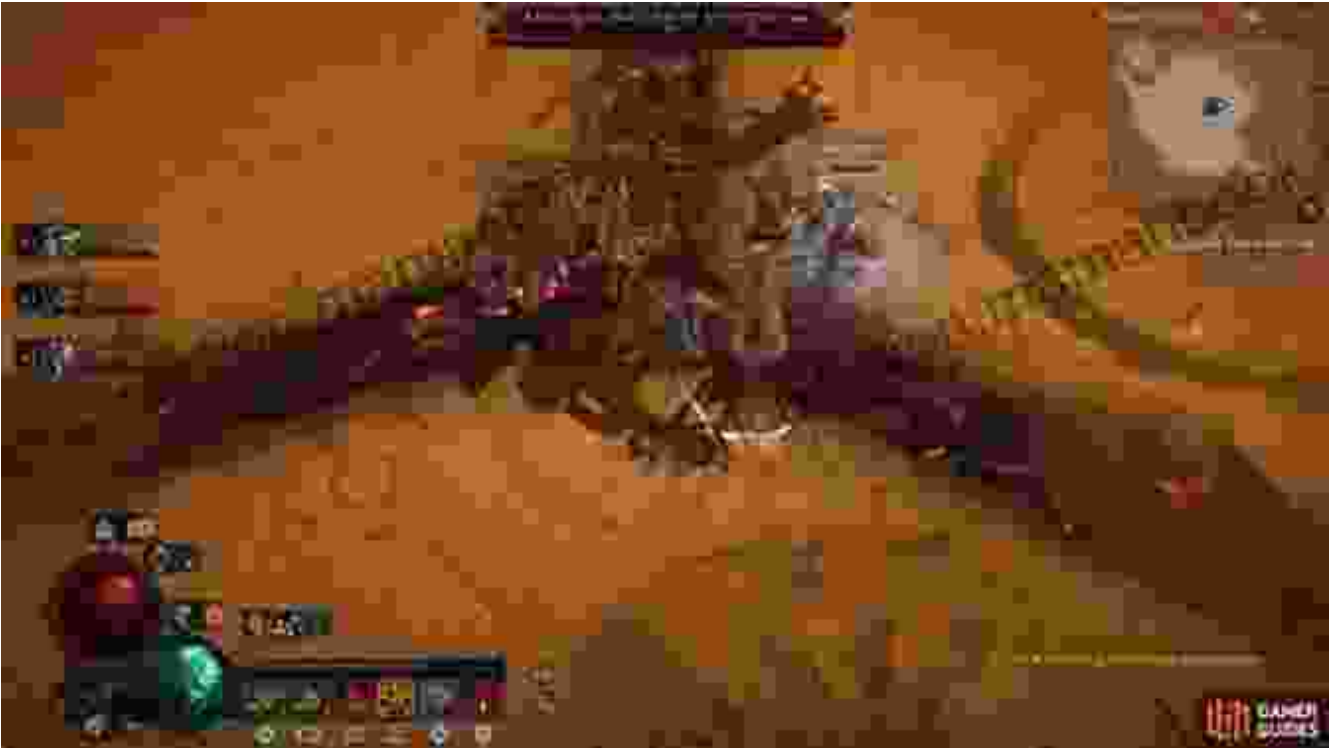


A Literary Journey into the Realm of Childhood Dreams

Immerse yourself in the timeless magic of fairy tales with Once Upon Short Story Boxsets, a captivating collection of six extraordinary retellings that revisit beloved classics with a fresh perspective. These enchanting stories are crafted with exquisite detail, capturing the essence of the original tales

while adding a touch of innovation and intrigue that will captivate readers of all ages.

1. The Maiden's Quest: A Retelling of "Rapunzel"



In this retelling, Rapunzel is no longer a damsel in distress but a strong and resourceful woman who embarks on a daring quest to free herself from her isolated tower. With the help of a mysterious stranger, she uncovers the secrets of her past and discovers her true destiny, challenging the traditional gender roles of the fairy tale genre.

2. The Shadow of the Huntsman: A Retelling of "Little Red Riding Hood"



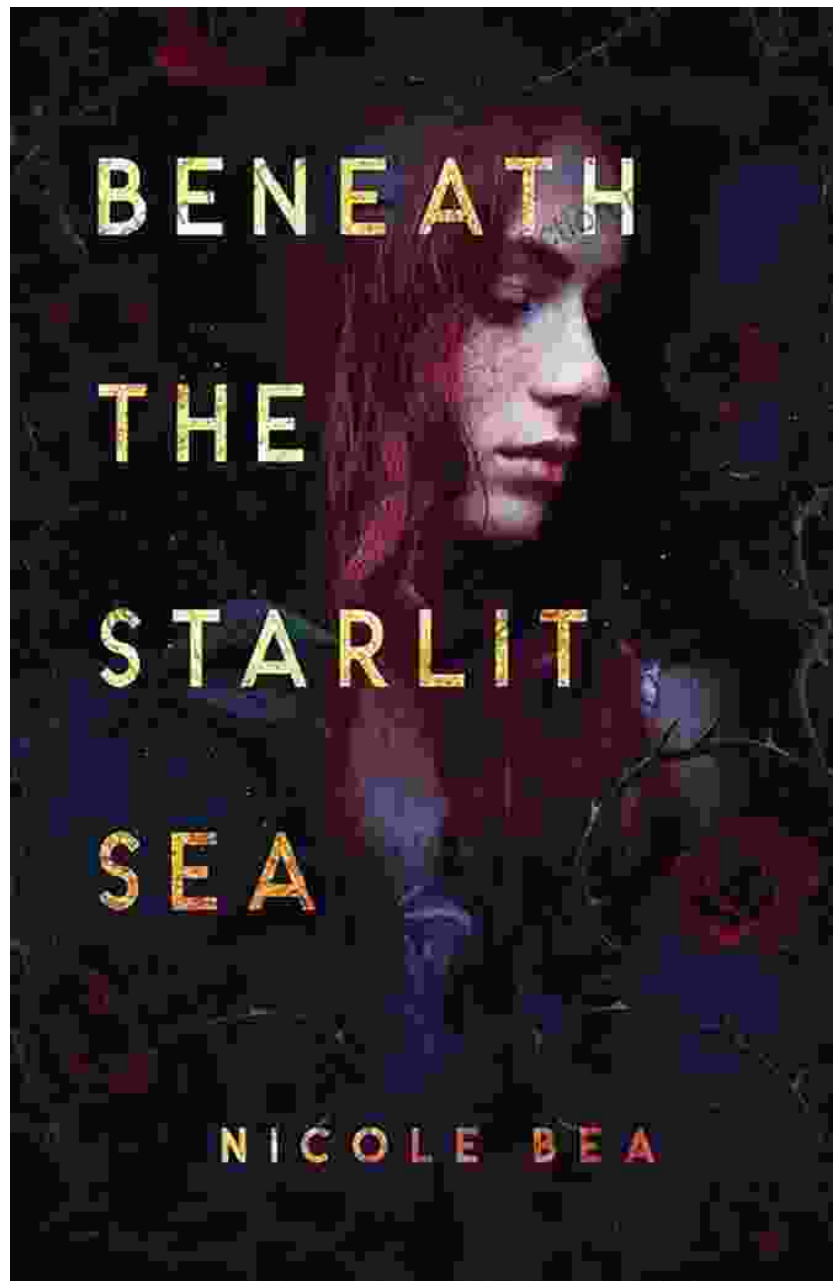
This haunting reinterpretation of "Little Red Riding Hood" transports the story to a dark and enigmatic forest. Instead of a playful girl, Red is a brave and cunning woman who must outwit a sinister huntsman who holds a deadly secret. The tale explores the themes of innocence, danger, and the power of courage in the face of adversity.

3. The Cursed Prince: A Retelling of "Beauty and the Beast"



Step into a world of enchantment with this fresh take on "Beauty and the Beast." Belle is a book-loving woman who finds herself drawn to the mysterious prince who resides in a hidden castle. However, this prince is burdened by a terrible curse that only Belle's compassion and unwavering love can break. The tale delves into the transformative power of love and the importance of looking beyond appearances.

4. The Starlit Sea: A Retelling of "The Little Mermaid"



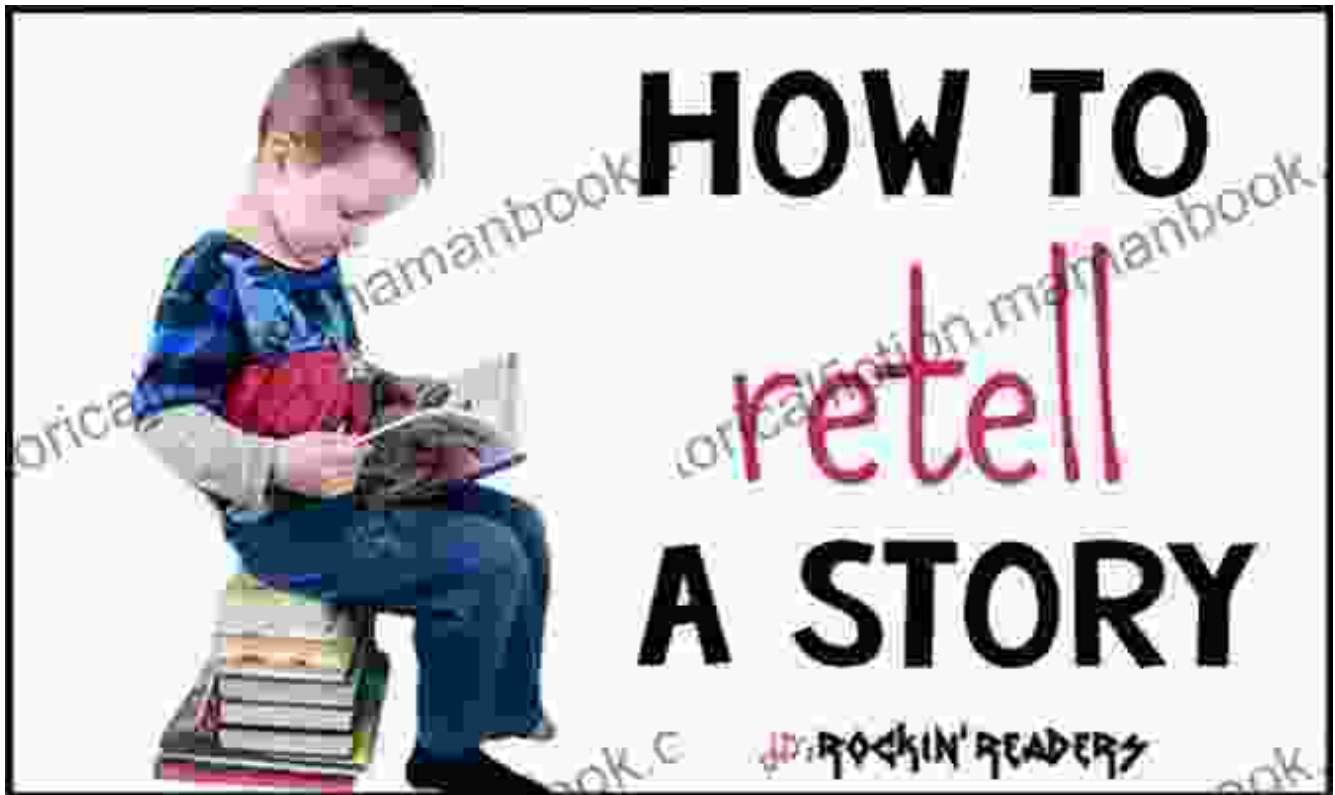
Dive into the depths of the ocean with this captivating retelling of "The Little Mermaid." Ariel, a curious and adventurous mermaid, dreams of exploring the surface world and falling in love with a human prince. But her journey is filled with sacrifices, challenges, and the complexities of forbidden love. The tale explores the themes of longing, loss, and the pursuit of one's dreams.

5. The Enchanted Forest: A Retelling of "Hansel and Gretel"



Venture into a shadowy and dangerous forest in this reimagining of "Hansel and Gretel." Hansel and Gretel, two young siblings, must rely on their wits and courage to escape the clutches of a cunning witch. Along the way, they encounter magical creatures and face their own inner fears, learning valuable lessons about survival and the strength of family.

6. The Lost Child: A Retelling of "Peter Pan"



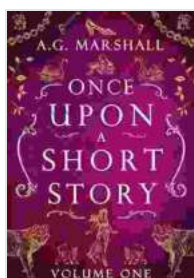
Take flight over Neverland in this mesmerizing retelling of "Peter Pan." Wendy, a young girl who longs for adventure, joins Peter Pan and the Lost Boys on their magical journey. But as Wendy navigates the enchanting island, she must confront the challenges of growing up and the complexities of the human heart. The tale explores the themes of childhood, imagination, and the bittersweet journey from innocence to adulthood.

Once Upon Short Story Boxsets is a literary treasure that offers a delightful escape into the enchanting world of fairy tales. Each retelling breathes new life into a beloved classic, capturing the magic of the original while adding a touch of originality and captivating twists. Whether you are a nostalgic reader seeking a fresh perspective on childhood memories or a new reader discovering these timeless stories for the first time, this collection will

transport you on an extraordinary literary journey that will linger in your imagination long after you finish the final page.

About the Author

The author of Once Upon Short Story Boxsets is a renowned storyteller and master of the fairy tale genre. With a deep understanding of the classic tales and a boundless imagination, the author has crafted these retellings with exquisite care and attention to detail. Their passion for storytelling shines through every page, inviting readers to lose themselves in the enchanting worlds they create.

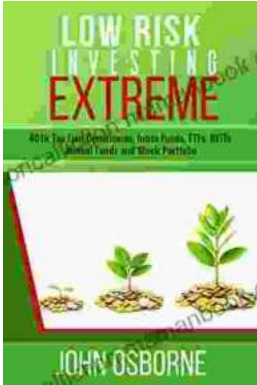


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