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# Personality Magazine

# About the Author

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Find her at [www.awsome dolls.blogspot.com](http://www.awsome dolls.blogspot.com) (awesome is meant to be spelled awesome)

## My Life is Turning Chinese!

# Calling All Writers!

I am looking for a co-writer and someone to send in frequent stories, plays, poems, reports, and pictures. If you are interested please email me.



# Random Section



## camp song



There was a great big moo-oose! (echo)

He liked to drink a lot of juice. (echo)

Repeat 1X

Who-oh, Who-oh (echo)

Yody, yody, yody, yo (echo)

The moose's name was Fre-ed! (echo)

He liked to drink his juice in bed. (echo)

Repeat 1X

Who-oh, Who-oh (echo)

Yody, yody, yody, yo (echo)

He drank his juice with care! (echo)

But he spilled some in his hair. (echo)

Repeat 1X

Who-oh, Who-oh (echo)

Yody, yody, yody, yo (echo)

# Featured Play

## ~Marie~

Cast:

Marie: Princess of England, sister of Raven, and friend of Alice

Alice: apple seller and friend of Marie

Raven: Princess of England, evil sister of Marie, friend of Duchess's daughter, Madaleine

Madaleine (Mad-u-lane): duchess's daughter and friend of Raven

Scene 1

Raven: Dear sister, to where are you headed?

Marie: To the market.

Raven: When shall you return?

Marie: five till ten

Raven: Do you promise to be back?

Marie: Here and now I swear.

Raven I will expect your knock.

Marie: I shall be off!

Scene 2

Alice: Fresh red apples! Shiny and bright! Buy one, buy one if you might!

Big red apples! Buy one from me! Fresh red apples right off the tree!

Marie: Apple seller, what is your name?

Alice: Alice is my name. You are Princess Marie, hair black as a raven, long as a vine.

Marie: Alice! What a name divine. But please, Marie is fine. Let's enjoy a snack in this fine weather.

Alice: It's so much nicer to be together.

### Scene 3

Raven: She should be here

(enter Marie)

Marie: Hello, Raven. I am back.

Raven: What did you do on a day so fair?

Marie: I met an apple seller by the name of Alice. We had a wonderful time!

Raven: An apple seller? How awful! You should stay away from her!

Marie: You cannot stand between us.

### Scene 4

(Raven knocks on Madaleine's door)

Madaleine: What is wrong, dear Raven?

Raven: Marie has befriended an apple seller!

Madaleine: I understand why you are upset. Why do you want advice from me?

Raven: Not advice, but help; to rid myself of Marie.

Madaleine: I will help you.

### Scene 5

Raven: let us separate them

Madaleine: are you sure?

Raven: I have the tools, I have the funds

Madaleine: an open window, and open door

Raven: now is our chance

Madaleine: but what about the king

Raven: he knows nothing of this

Madaleine: then we must now sing

Raven: it's now or never

Madaleine: yes, now or never

Raven: true friends join

Madaleine: to fight together

Raven: it's now or never

Madaleine: truly now or never

Raven: yes, now or never

Raven: we will win or forever endeavor

Madaleine: it's now or never

Raven: now or never we sing

Madaleine: we will separate them now

Raven: a promise, yes, a vow

Both: let us both go now!

## Scene 6

Marie: Why is Raven angry with me? Dislike! Love! Sorrow! Intrusion! I'm in the dark eternal confusion! Loathing! Friendship! Alliance! Detest! Though you are the friend I like the best!

Alice: I have an idea to protect our friendship.

Marie: Please, what is it?

Alice: I cannot say but leave it to me.

## Scene 7

Madaleine: Raven, this has gone too far!

Raven: to banish Marie from the kingdom is not too far, Madaleine!

Madaleine: What if you find out that the apple seller is kind. You do not know her! You should be happy that Marie has found a friend. You should also befriend the apple seller. Besides, if your mother and father find out they won't take kindly to this. You're not being kind to your sis.

Raven: Well said but I must continue.

Madaleine: You have a stubborn will, Raven. This has made you most unlike yourself.

(Enter Marie)

Marie: What is going on?

Madaleine: You will know very soon I fear.

Raven: The die is cast; the ship has sailed. The goal is set; I cannot fail.

## Scene 8

Madaleine: Perhaps going to the market will keep my mind off things.

Madaleine: Hello, apple seller. What is your name?

Alice: I am Alice and who are you?

Madaleine: My name is Madaleine. May I have an apple?

Alice: Here you go. Two pence please.

(Madaleine drops after biting the apple)

Alice: Are you all right?

Madaleine:

I have consented to an evil plan

I have left kindness in a desolate dream

The world is ending as it seems

The unkind is I

That now I see

Raven, oh-

Woe is me!

(She dies)

## Scene 9

Raven: Marie!

Marie: Yes, Raven?

Raven: How could you partner with that apple seller to kill Madaleine?!

Marie: What are you talking about?

Raven: Madaleine was found dead near your friend's apple stand with an apple in her hand.

Marie: I knew not about this.

Raven: Yes you did! Now my best friend is gone.

My heart is broken

My dear friend is gone

My joy is shattered

This ends my song

Pain now has a brand new name

My life will never be the same

I was never good to her

Madaleine! Oh-

Woe is me!

(She dies)

## Scene 10

Marie: Alice!

Alice: Yes, Marie? Are you all right? Horror haunts your eyes.

Marie: You know the answer to that.

Alice: I thought that being friends would make up for the deaths of the late Raven and Madaleine...

Marie: Now I see! You traitor! You rebel! You're deserting me!

You are a spy invading this place! Falsehood lurks upon your face! A friendship withers at your call! You never answer me at

downfall! I'll wait alone to stay my fate! You grow not love but always reap! You cause the innocent to weep! Raven was right!

Madaleine too! I don't even know why I'm talking to you!

## Scene 11

Alice:

Dead

It is all my fault

I have caused myself great misery

I have lost my very best friend

This shall be the death of... me...

(she dies)

## Scene 12

(Alice is still laying their dead)

Marie: Alice? Alice! This is my entire fault! My sister is dead, my friend is dead, my best friend is dead... am I dead?

(She screams and dies)

The end



*Marie* started off as a play titled *Helena* by Lune Violette but with her permission Karina Allison changed it to what is now *Marie*.

## Featured Story

The Girl With Train Tracks on her Teeth by Karina Allison

"There's Ms. Train Tracks!" shouted Kylah Jade Olivieri at Bella White as she was walking home from school. Her "sidekick," Annalee Parker laughed.

Bella had been teased by Kylah Jade and Annalee for years but they had done it even more since she had got her braces.

"Braces are already bad enough without Kylah Jade and Annalee teasing me," thought Bella. She felt like her mouth hurt more when she was being teased.

"Wait up, Bella!" Bella turned and saw her friends Nikki McDonald and Emileigh Carson running up.

"what's up?" asked Emileigh.

"We Kylah Jade and Annalee. Were they teasing you again?" asked Nikki.

Nikki had perfect teeth. Period. Nikki had a perfect bit and her teeth were pure white and as straight as a pole. Emileigh's teeth were as bad as Bella's but she didn't have braces. Whenever anyone asked whether she would get braces she would say that she didn't know. Bella knew the two of them tried to help her but they couldn't relate to her. This gave her a feeling of loneliness.

"Yeah," said Bella glumly.

"I hope she doesn't tease you about them till they come off," said Nikki.

"She probably will," said Bella.

"Come on Bella! I know you have a lot on your plate what with your braces, being teased, and your civics project but-"

"What civics project?" asked Bella, interrupting Emileigh.

"We are all supposed to come up with a fund raiser for a good cause . Weren't you paying attention to Ms. Kelli?" replied Nikki.

"I must have zoned out or something. What am I going to do about that?" asked Bella.

"I'm not sure. I'm having enough trouble coming up with my own idea," answered Emileigh.

"I plan on doing mine to benefit starving kids in Africa," said Nikki.

"I wish I could have thought of that. I have no creativity in me right now," said Bella.

"Hey, it's a Friday! Do you two want to have a sleepover at my house? Maybe I could help you both," asked Nikki. "

"Sure!" replied Bella and Emileigh. Bella went home to get permission and get her stuff together.

"I think I've finally figured out mine. I will do a stuffed animal drive for kids in orphanages in China," said Emileigh at the sleepover.

"I still can't come up with one that millions of other people won't be doing," said Bella.

"How about you raise money to help kids whose families can't afford braces," said Emileigh.

"I don't want to give people a reason to be teased. How did you come up with that idea?" asked Bella.

"From my own life," said Emileigh slowly.

"What do you mean?" asked Nikki.

"I was supposed to get braces but my parents couldn't afford it. I've always thought you to be very lucky, Bella," said Emileigh.

"I'm not sure you would if you were teased all the time," said Bella.

"I would take the teasing if I could have braces. You don't have to use my idea but please think about it."

A week later Bella was standing in her front yard selling different crafts she made. Above her was a sign that said "Ms. Train Tracks' Crafts- proceeds go to helping unfortunate kids get braces."

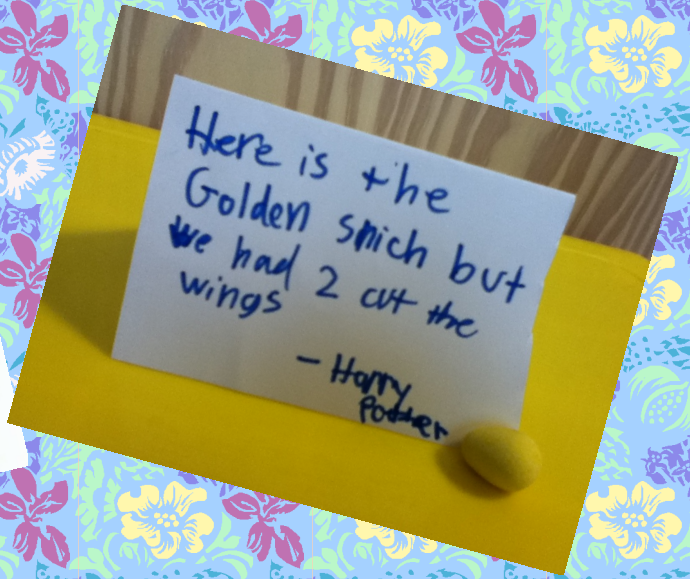
"You actually used my idea!" said Emileigh as she and Nikki walked up.

"Yep! After talking with you at the sleepover I realized how fortunate I really am," said Bella.

"Aren't you afraid that people will be teased?" asked Nikki jokingly.

"They might be teased but once their braces are off they can give the people who teased them a beautiful smile."

# pictures



# book recommendations

## Karina Allison recommends

1. Swordbird
2. Series of Unfortunate Events
3. Harry Potter
4. Bridge to Terebithia
5. Matilda's House
6. The Secret Series
7. Caddie Woodlawn
8. Do Hard Things

## Pnut recommends

1. Secret Series
2. Lemonade War
3. Rebel Force Series
4. Voyage of the *Dawn Treader*

## Lune Violette recommends

1. Harry Potter
2. Wrinkle in Time
3. Ivy and Bean
4. Number the Stars
5. The Little Princess
6. Hear My Sorrow

## Silvermist38 recommends

1. Harry Potter (all except the 6th book)
2. Series of Unfortunate Events 3, 5, and 11

# AG Update

## New Dolls



In case you haven't been reading the website and catalogs, AG dolls have gone up to \$100. I can't believe someone could charge so much for a doll. When I got my first doll they were only \$80!

# Personality News

Hello and welcome to Personality News. This is your reporter, Karina Allison, with some news for you. You may have noticed the change in this magazine. I had a poll on my blog and the results showed that I should continue this magazine on a new path. I will now post about different things and post about AG sometimes.

The school year will be starting soon and I will try to add all sorts of school related things for the September issue. I hope you all do well and enjoy your next year at school. I will be entering a very challenging year of school and might not have a whole lot of time for my blog and this magazine. Also when we head to China I will not be able to do anything. I will let you know when I will not be able to post on my blog or do a magazine.

If there is a time when I cannot do my magazine for a month then I will hopefully have a co-writer that will take over.

I need stories, poems, plays, songs, pictures, recipes or anything that you can think of for my magazine. I welcome cover photos as well.

That is all for Personality News. This is your reporter, Karina Allison, signing off.

# Random Quotes

“Bravery is not the courage to fight but the courage not to fight,” - Karina Allison

“Anakin never graced the planet, he walked on it,” -Pnut

“Luke, there is another Skywalker...” -Yoda

“Come to the Dark Side, Luke...We have cookies!” Pnut and Silvermist38

“Are we warriors or are we wimps?” “We are wimps sir!”- kids on Adventures in Odyssey

“Your over confidence is your weakness.” “Your faith in your friends is yours.” -Luke Skywalker and Emporer Palpatine

“No, I am your father,” -Darth Vader

“Darth Vader, only you could be so bold,” -Princess Leia

“When I come back I expect to find you gone. Wait for me!” - Mortimer Brewster

“I’m not a cab driver, I’m a coffeepot!” -cab driver

“It’s God who sees the beauty in everything. I just choose to agree with Him,” -Sweetpea Beauty



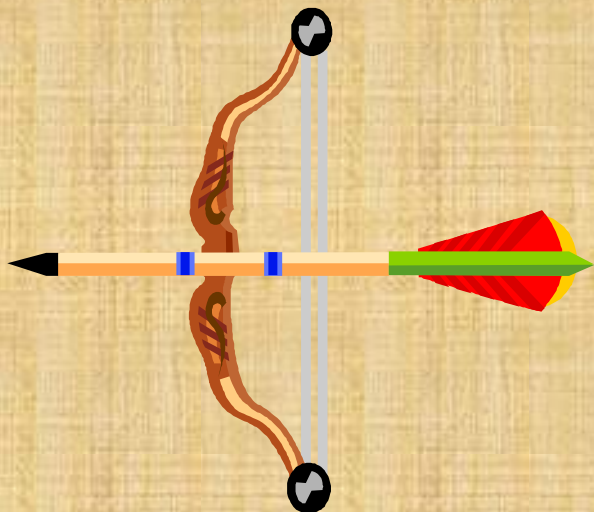
# Featured Poem

I shot an arrow into the air,  
It fell to earth, I knew not where;  
For, so swiftly it flew, the sight  
Could not follow it in its flight.



I breathed a song into the air,  
It fell to earth, I knew not where;  
For who has sight so keen and strong,  
That it can follow the flight of song?

Long, long afterward, in an oak  
I found the arrow, still unbroke;  
And the song, from beginning to end,  
I found again in the heart of a friend.



# A Lune Violette Creation

DON'T BE AFRAID TO BE YOURSELF. DON'T BACK DOWN. STAND UP FOR YOURSELF AND YOU'RE FRIENDS. NEVER GIVE UP. DON'T LET THEM STOP YOUR DREAMS. YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE. DON'T START THE PROBLEM, STOP IT. AND NEVER EVER GIVE IN TO THEIR THREATS. BE BRAVE. BE UNIQUE. BE YOURSELF. AND DON'T LISTEN IF THEY CALL YOU WEIRD, OR A DORK, OR A LONER. BECAUSE THE MORE YOU STAND UP, THE MORE PEOPLE WILL STAND TOGETHER. STAND FOR THEIR UNIQUE PERSONALITIES, STAND FOR THEIR DREAMS, STAND FOR WHAT THEY BELIEVE IN. BE YOURSELF.

**be confident**

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**THANK YOU FOR READING MY MAGAZINE!**