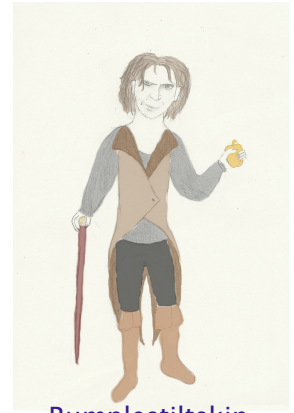


The Golden Apple

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Rumplestiltskin

Once upon a time in a great kingdom lived an Evil Queen. The Queen one day decided she wanted to have a feast with all of her evil friends, but forgot to invite the mischievous Rumplestiltskin.

When Rumpel heard about this he became angry. So to get back at the Queen he created a golden apple with the words "For the Fairest of them all" engraved on it. Rumplestiltskin made it appear in the room the feast was

held in and immediately Maleficent, The Evil Queen, and the Queen of Hearts started arguing over who should take it.

Maleficent The Evil Queen The Queen of Hearts



The Evil Queen knew it was her that deserved the apple so she decided to bring someone in to choose on who should get it. The Queen thought that a young orphan named Peter would be perfect for the job, and even better Peter had no idea who she or her friends were.

Peter was suspicious, he had never seen these people before. The Queen knowing how to cope with adolescents

Peter



used her sweetest and most trusting voice to convince him to decide on who is fairest. Peter gave in. When the feasting hall got settled Peter cautiously looked over the 3 women, and made a deal with them he said “The decision is tough and I truthfully think you are all fairest, so I will tell you what, whoever gives me the best bribe will win the apple.” The room was silent for a

moment then Maleficent yelled “I will give the use of magic to make you an optimist so even in the darkest times you will find the best in everything” Peter thought it was a good bribe but he also knew that he could get a better bet so he listened to the others.

The Queen of Heart’s bribe to Peter was she would give him luck, fortune, and good health. Peter thinking it couldn’t get better than this couldn’t wait to hear the last one. The Evil Queen yelled “I know how orphan boys are so how about I give you a secure place to live where you will never grow old.” Peter thought this was perfect for him. Peter made his decision, but he did want one more thing from the winner of the apple. Peter said “The lady to win the apple would be the Evil Queen but, I want to know if I could bring some of my friends to this haven, you see they are as lost as me.” The Queen smiled, snapped her fingers and a fairy appeared she instructed it to bring Peter and the Lost boys to this haven, I believe she called it Neverland.

THE END Or maybe it’s a new beginning