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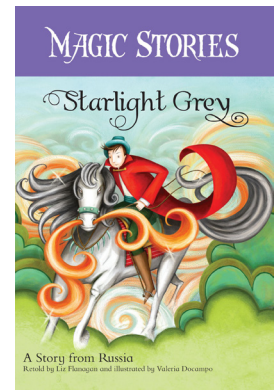
A BAREFOOT DISCUSSION GUIDE FOR AGES 6+

STARLIGHT GREY

1. Ivan likes to sit and dream by the fire. What do you like to do when you're not busy? Why is sitting beside a fire such a relaxing thing to do?
2. Ivan's father's ghost gives him a magic bridle. What magic gift would be useful in your life?
3. Ivan and Starlight Grey have to jump high to reach the princess in the tower. Can you think of another story where the hero has to pass a difficult test?
4. Why do you think Ivan might want to hide the mark on his forehead that came from the princess's kiss?
5. What stories does *Starlight Grey* remind you of? What things about the stories are the same, and how are they different?
6. Draw a magic creature that could be your friend and helper.

CARA AND THE WIZARD

1. Have you ever gone for a walk at daybreak like Molly does in this story? What is the world like early in the morning?
2. Cara's father gives Cara one lucky gold coin, and her mother gives her a silver thimble (as well as some other special gifts). Do you have a lucky token that someone has given you?
3. Why do you think Cara sings as she sets off on her journey to find Molly? How does singing make you feel?
4. There are seven white statues in the wizard's hall. Seven is often a magic number. What other numbers are sometimes in stories about magic?
5. Seven is a prime number. Do you know any other prime numbers?
6. Is there someone in your life who you'd risk everything for, if they were in danger?

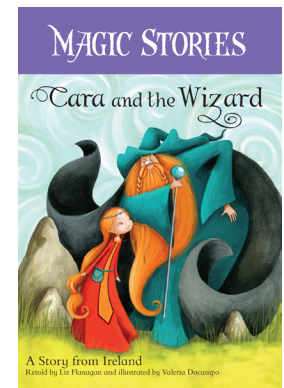


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