



[Fairest: The Lunar Chronicles: Levana's Story](#) by Marissa Meyer

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*Age Range: 12 to 18 (Suggested by Publisher)

BOOK SYNOPSIS

Mirror, mirror, on the wall.
Who is the Fairest of them all?

Pure evil has a name, hides behind a mask of deceit, and uses her "glamour" to gain power. But who *is* Queen Levana? Long before she crossed paths with Cinder, Scarlet, and Cress in The Lunar Chronicles, Levana lived a very different story—a story that has never been told . . . until now.

New York Times–bestselling author Marissa Meyer reveals the story behind her fascinating villain in *Fairest*, an unforgettable tale about love and war, deceit and death. This extraordinary book includes a special full-color image of Levana's castle and an excerpt from *Winter*, the exciting conclusion to The Lunar Chronicles.

REVIEWS AND PRAISE

"An interesting mash up of fairy tales and science fiction . . . a cross between Cinderella, Terminator, and Star Wars." —*Entertainment Weekly*

"Prince Charming among the cyborgs." —*The Wall Street Journal*

"Terrific." —*Los Angeles Times*

"Marissa Meyer rocks the fractured fairy tale genre." —*The Seattle Times*

"Epic awesome." —*Bustle*

"A binge-reading treat." —MTV

"Takes the classic to a whole new level." —NPR

"Meyer is putting a spin on the evil queen from Snow White fame to show how Levana became the kind of woman who would rule the moon colony of Luna and want to take over Earth, too." —*USA Today* on *Fairest*

"An unrelentingly gripping read . . . Channeling her inner George R. R. Martin, Marissa Meyer weaves the grimmest of fairy tales in *Fairest*." —Hypable on *Fairest*

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“Will thrill fans and entice new readers.” —*School Library Journal* on *Fairest*

AWARDS AND ACCOLADES

#1 *New York Times*–Bestselling Series

USA Today Bestseller

Publishers Weekly Bestseller

***A NOTE ON AGE RANGES**

A publisher-suggested age range covers the gamut of readers that publishers envision using the book, whether for independent reading, family sharing, group study, or in other ways. Educators have the best sense of the appropriate age range for the diverse learners they work with and understand these ranges vary depending on a book’s intended use.

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