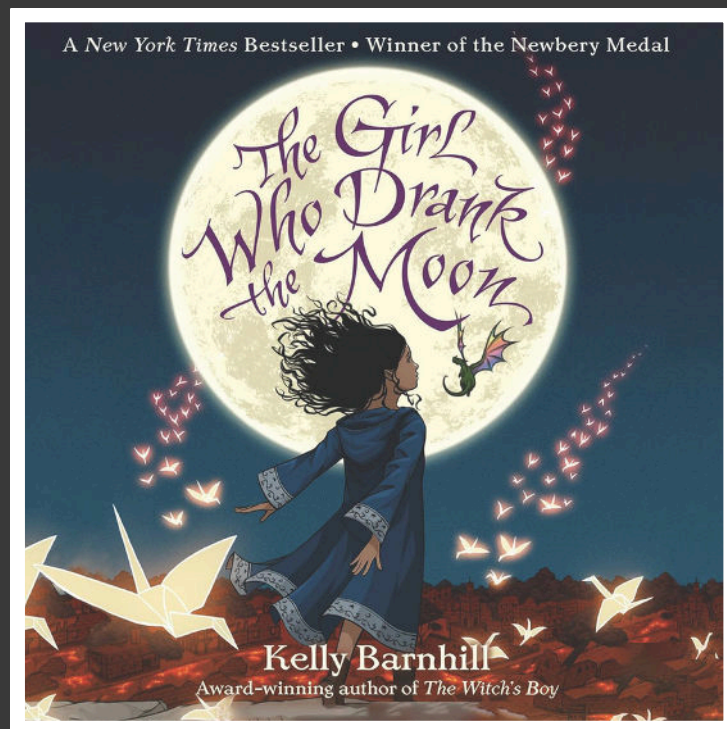
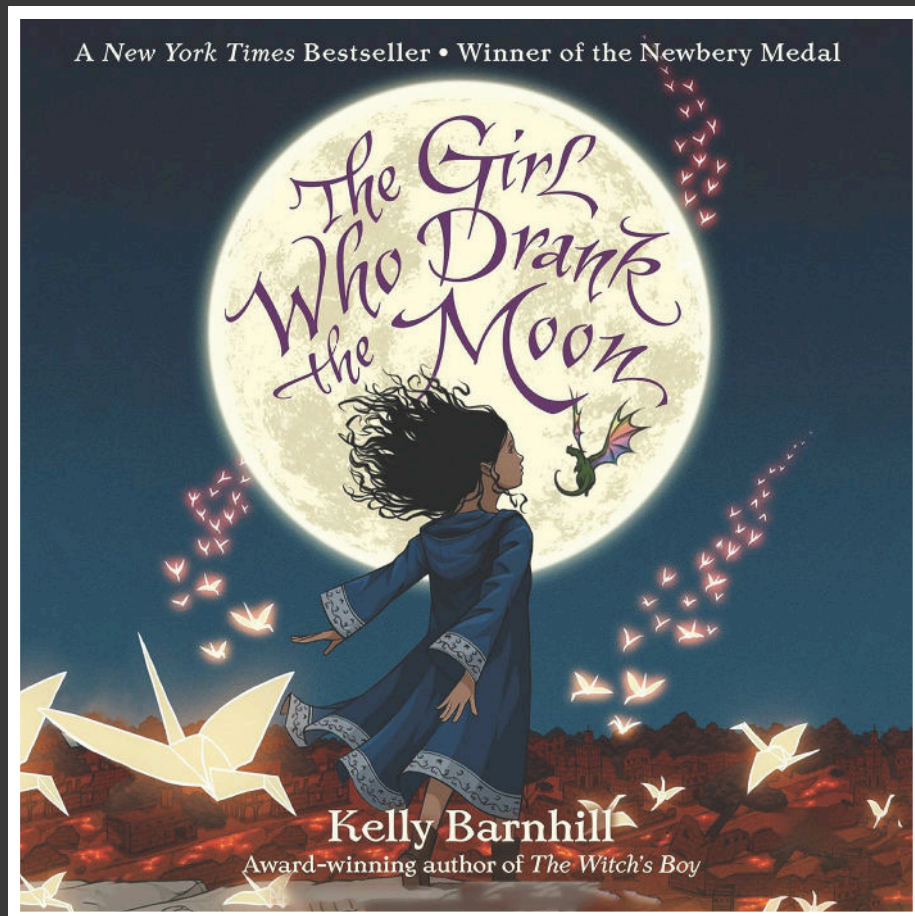




The Girl Who Drank the Moon

Simple Plot Summary

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What is a plot summary?

A **plot summary** is a description of the show, including key events and characters.

Reading a **plot summary** can help someone:

- know what to expect
- reduce anxiety about unexpected moments
- help understand character actions and emotions
- follow the story more easily

How to Use It:

- read it before attending the show
- use it as a reference during the show
- revisit it after to talk about the story

An expanded version and additional Access Materials are available.





The Village Is Afraid

A village is afraid of a witch in the forest.

Every year, they leave a baby as a sacrifice to the witch.

They believe this keeps them safe.

The villagers feel sad, but also scared.



The Truth About the Witch

The witch, Xan, is actually kind.
She rescues the babies instead of harming them.
She takes them to safe homes.
The village does not know the truth.



Luna Becomes Special

One baby drinks moonlight by accident.

Moonlight gives her strong magic.

Xan names her Luna and raises her.

Xan hides Luna's magic to keep her safe.



Luna's Family

Luna grows up in a loving home.

Her family includes:

- Xan (grandmother)
- Glerk (swamp monster)
- Fyrian (small dragon)

They care for her and keep her safe.



Luna's Mother and the Secret

Luna's birth mother is alive but locked away.

People think she is "mad," but she is grieving.

She misses her daughter and searches for her.

Village leaders keep secrets and use fear to control people.



Luna's Magic Awakens

As Luna turns 13, her magic begins to return.

She has headaches and feels confused.

When she understands her magic, it becomes strong.

She starts to learn who she is.



A Journey Begins

Xan goes into the forest, even though she is weak.

Luna goes to find and help her.

Others are also searching:

- A man trying to save his baby
- Luna's mother searching for her



Facing Danger and Finding Hope

A dangerous enemy uses people's sadness for power.

Luna learns to use her magic and be brave.

The truth is revealed, and fear begins to fade.

Families are reunited, and there is hope for change.



See you at the theatre!

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