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Book: Tia the Tulip Fairy

A Fairy Garden

'I think the Fairy Garden must be through here,' Rachel Walker said, pointing to a wrought iron gate. She and her friend, Kirsty Tate, were exploring the grounds of Blossom Hall, an old Tudor house hotel, where their families were staying over the Easter holidays. Both girls had been interested to hear the owner of Blossom Hall, Mrs Forrest, speak about the history of the house and garden as she'd served their breakfast that morning. And they had been particularly intrigued when Mrs Forrest had mentioned the Fairy Garden. After all, Kirsty and Rachel knew a lot about fairies: they were friends with them!

'It's known as the Fairy Garden because there is a perfect ring of tulips growing in the middle of it,' Mrs Forrest had explained. 'We call it the Blossom Fairy Ring. And you've come at just the right time of year. The tulips are blooming and they look lovely, even though I don't think they're quite as bright and beautiful as last year.'

As soon as they'd finished their breakfast, Rachel and Kirsty had asked their parents it is was all right for them to go exploring. They'd arrived at Blossom Hall the night before, and were eager to look around during the sunny morning. From the breakfast room, the gardens looked very pretty, with their pink and white flowering cherry trees, long rolling lawns and masses of cheerful flowers.

'Of course you can explore,' Mr Tate had said 'Just make sure you stay within the high wall that runs all the way around Blossom Hall and its gardens.'

Mrs Forrest had told the girls to follow the winding path that led through a copse of trees at the back of the house.

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