



The Star in the Center

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Five radiant star friends named Lumi, Kira, Sela, Nara, and Tala dance across the deep indigo canvas of the night sky. Their trails of stardust create swirling patterns as they leap between soft, glowing clouds in the vast universe.



Their laughter echoes through the cosmos, shimmering like bells as they play games of tag among the constellations. Lumi cheers for Kira, their combined light casting a warm, comforting glow over the sleeping world below.



As the nights pass, Tala begins to feel a quiet sadness when she notices her four friends often clustering together. A small, empty space seems to grow between her and the others, making her feel like an outsider in her own home.



When the stars form pairs to drift through the galaxy, Tala is frequently left to wander the dark expanses alone. Her vibrant silver sparkle begins to flicker and fade, turning into a faint, melancholy glimmer as her heart grows heavy.



During a grand game of star formations, Lumi, Kira, Sela, and Nara quickly link hands to create a perfect square. They are so caught up in their own excitement that they do not notice Tala standing alone on the cold, dark fringes of their playground.



From the shadows of the Milky Way, Tala watches her friends glow with joy, her own light barely a whisper against the darkness. She softly speaks to the silence, wishing for a place where she truly belongs and where her light is finally seen.



One night, the four friends suddenly stop their game when they realize the sky feels darker than usual. They find Tala huddled near a distant nebula, her light so dim she is almost invisible, and they rush to her side with hearts full of concern.



With tears of stardust in her eyes, Tala bravely tells her friends how lonely she feels when they form groups without her. She explains that even though she loves them, she often feels invisible when they are all together.



The four stars look at each other in realization, their own lights pulsing with regret for the pain they unknowingly caused. Sela steps forward to apologize, promising that they will never let their games make a friend feel small again.



The five friends gather to create a magnificent new constellation with the four stars at the points and Tala shining like a diamond in the very center. As they link their light together, they realize that they are only truly complete when every single one of them has a place to shine.