



## CHARACTERS

- **The banished duke:** He was a kind-hearted man and the father of Rosalind. He was the lawful duke but was banished by his brother Frederick and lived in the Forest of Arden with his followers.
- **Frederick:** The lawful duke's brother and the father of Celia, who first deposed and banished the duke and then banished his daughter Rosalind, is reformed in the end.
- **Rosalind:** Daughter of the banished duke and the cousin of Celia, she was widely admired for her nature. Frederick's misdeeds did not affect her love for Celia.
- **Celia:** Frederick's daughter and the cousin of Rosalind, she loved Rosalind dearly. She accompanied Rosalind when she too was banished by Frederick.



- **Orlando:** The youngest son of the deceased Sir Rowland de Boys, he was mistreated by his elder brother Oliver and was deprived of school education. He still grew up to be a brave and noble young man.
- **Oliver:** The elder son of Sir Rowland de Boys, he was assigned by his father the responsibility of taking care of his younger brother Orlando. He treated Orlando badly, was extremely jealous of his talents and conspired to murder him. He was reformed after Orlando saved his life.
- **Adam:** An old servant of Sir Rowland de Boys, he was very fond of Orlando. Not only did he save Orlando when Oliver conspired to murder him, he also went with him to the forest to serve him.
- **Ganymede:** Disguised as a country boy, Rosalind assumed this name when she went into the Forest of Arden to look for her father, the banished duke.



- **Aliena:** Disguised as a country girl and Ganymede's sister, Celia assumed this name when she accompanied Rosalind to the forest.



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