

**A Necklace of Raindrops** by Joan Aitken

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Who says each of the following?

**Choose from:** Meg, Laura, the North wind, the Princess, the King, Mr Jones

You have helped me, so now I will do something for you.

Said by.....

Don't cry. You shall have the necklace back, for I can see it is yours.

Said by.....

It isn't fair. Why should Laura have that lovely necklace and be able to stop the rain? Why shouldn't I have it?

Said by .....

Oh, what will happen when I tell my godfather That I have lost his present?

Said by.....

Stop, stop! That is quite enough for one little girl!

Said by .....

Who is this girl? Who let her into my garden? Take her away and drop her into the sea!

Said by.....

**Where did the necklace go?**

Draw a line showing the journey of the necklace of raindrops. Start with the North Wind. Put the other people in the right order.

Meg

Princess of Arabia

North wind

Meg's father

Laura

King of Arabia

Laura

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