



The Magic Flute

Once upon a time, the world was split into two lands. One land was ruled by the sun and the other, the moon. After a disagreement, they fought day after day, year after year. This was the way of the world, until a curious prince became lost in the mountains that separated these two kingdoms.



Turn the page to help Prince Tamino start his quest. **Press the musical note on each page** to bring the story of *The Magic Flute* – and Mozart's music – to life.

Look! There's Prince Tamino...
being chased by a dragon.





The dragon
circles closer and
closer... the fire from
its breath licking at
Prince Tamino's clothes!
But just as the dragon is
about to snare the prince,
three mountain rangers
gallop past on horses.

"He looks kind," says Stella.
"And generous," says Luna.
"And lost," says Halley.
They cast a spell to save the prince
and send away the dragon into
the night sky. The prince
faints from shock.



When the dragon
has disappeared, a funny figure
pokes his head out from behind a rock.
"It's Papageno, the bird watcher! Hello,"
says Stella. "Do you know who this man is?"
"My lady, he is Prince Tamino," Papageno replies.
"I saved him from the dragon."
"Hmmm... did you?" says Luna. "Because I could
have sworn we scared the dragon, not you."
Halley casts a spell to padlock his mouth shut.
"Perhaps now you will learn not to tell lies," she says.
"Hm! Hm! Hm! Hm!" grumbles Papageno.



The noise
wakes Tamino.

"Prince!" Luna
exclaims. "We saved
your life and we ask
for something in return.

We work for the Queen of the
Night, whose daughter was taken
prisoner by the Sun King."
Halley shows the prince a picture
of the powerful Princess Pamina.

"You must bring her home so she
can end this war," replies Stella.

"She is the only one the
Queen will listen to."



