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## Editorial Review

From School Library Journal

Gr 9 Up—This elegant presentation of well-known and more obscure fairy tales from the point of view of the fairies combines the mysterious and magical with cold calculation and complexity: successful ingredients for sophisticated readers. The authors whimsically present the perspectives of the different fairies, thus revealing their thoughts and motivations. Breaking up the first-person accounts is a story about the little Duster fairies, which gives structure and ongoing focus. This treatment puts all the stories in a different light and makes fresh and new even the most well-known tales, such as "Tam Lin," "Cinderella," and "Sleeping Beauty," as well as the lesser known fairies, such as Moon Dancer, the King's Knight, Alyssa the Changeling-Maker, and the Shadow Man. The art is rich with deep colors, intricate borders, fanciful sketches, and searching portraits, creating a background for the humorous, romantic, sad, or dangerous tales. The last section includes documentation, which will be a solid resource for readers who want the authors' source materials and suggestions. VERDICT The Frouds' quality work is so well known and popular that this title will be a welcome addition to the genre.—Nancy Call, Santa Cruz Public Libraries, Aptos, CA

## Review

"Nobody does fantasy art like the guy who gave us *The Dark Crystal* and *Labyrinth*."  
(*io9*)

"Sure to please existing fans of the Froud team, who will probably look at this closely, this also works as a conversation-starting coffee-table book for browsers."  
(*Booklist*)

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"A beautiful and eerie book..."  
(*Tribune News Service*)

"A lovely package of visual fun we've come to associate with the Froud's work."  
(*Locus magazine*)

## About the Author

**Brian Froud** has created some of the most respected and highly acknowledged mythic artwork of our time. He has won numerous awards, including the Hugo Award for Best Original Artwork. **Wendy Froud** is an American (born in Detroit) who is a doll artist, sculptor, and puppet-maker, best known for her work creating creatures for the Jim Henson films *The Dark Crystal* and *Labyrinth*, as well as her work on the *Star Wars* series, for which she was the fabricator of Yoda. The Frouds live in Devon, England.

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