One day a 12-year-old girl decided to look for a fairy for herself. She wanted a pretty, small one with wings, and with long hair, so she went to a mysterious forest near her house, convinced that she would find what she was looking for. She started walking and walking until she came across an old woman who had a very wrinkled face and long hair. The girl said:

-Who are you?

But the old woman did not answer. The girl asked again:

- -Are there fairies around here?
- "No, but I know where they are" said the old woman.
- "Could you tell me where they are?" said the girl.
- -That depends, do you want the fairy to tear off her wings? Well, then come with me. What do you want? To be a fairy first and then find the fairy, or do you first want to find it and then you become a fairy?
- -I would like to be a fairy the sooner the better. said the girl.
- -Very well. said the old woman.

So they headed for a hut that seemed abandoned. When they entered the girl's jaw dropped because she did not believe what she was looking at . The hut was full of pots with a blue flame fire, a large fireplace, and newborn owls with their mother in the corner. The old woman began to remove cans from a cupboard, placing them on a table next to a large pot. Then she put its contents in the pot along with magic words.

Boom Bang! From the pot came a beautiful fairy just as she wanted. The old woman said to the girl:

-This little fairy will be your new companion, her name is Leigh. You just need to ask her for the wish to become a fairy yourself.

The girl was very surprised, but did what she had asked. After a few seconds she started to shrink and suddenly... Boom! She also transformed into a beautiful fairy.

- "Thank you, thank you," said the girl.
- -No problem. Now we have to go back to the forest, but do not be scared because when you become a fairy, you will now be able to see what was invisible to the sight of ordinary people. There we will meet other fairies and new friends.
- "You follow me," said Leigh.

When they left the hut, they appeared in a totally different forest from the one the little girl knew. In it were goblins playing, trees chatting, mushrooms celebrating a birthday, and fairies, many fairies. Her new friends from the magical forest gave the girl-turned-fairy the name Petal. Petal found the home she wanted with the fairies and other creatures that showed her the beauty of the forest along with the fantasy and magic of their world.

The End

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