

## How the Moon Became Beautiful

"How the Moon Became Beautiful" is a Chinese Fable. Read the story and check the correct Chinese symbol.







The moon was not always beautiful. It was too dark and gloomy to light up the sky. One day it said, "I do not like being a \_\_\_\_\_. I wish that I was a bright star or a pretty flower."

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The \_\_\_\_\_ said, "I cannot help you. My job is to light up the sky. Sorry, moon."



The \_\_\_\_\_ said, "Oh what a shame, moon. I am too busy blooming in the garden."



One day the moon met Tseh-N'io, the most beautiful girl in the world.

The moon said, "If you come with me forever, I will be beautiful."

Tseh-N'io went away to live on the moon. She shared her beauty with the night sky. That is how the moon became beautiful.