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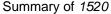
あらすじ:

聖士峰をはさんで、極めて裕福な Orioc 国と、貧困に苦しむ Lumbli 国がある。Lumbli 国の第二王子で 15 歳の Zelos Baart は、裕福な Orioc 国の皇帝となるためにその国の王女と結婚することになっていた。しかし王子は、Orioc 国に侵入し、この"卑怯な"政略結婚を解消するという計画を自ら立てていた。ところが、王女に会う前に、王女の侍女 Ana Basil と共にワナにはまり、ナゾの呪いをかけられて 10 歳の子供にされてしまった。もとの 15 歳に戻るには、もう一人がさらに 5 歳若返らなければならない。 黒幕は誰なのか。そして、王女に危険が迫っている。王子 Zelos とAna は、企てを暴いて呪いを解き、それぞれの国を救うことができるのか?



KAI は、香港で最も優秀なマンガ作家/アーティストの一人で、香港および中国本土の同人誌界では、1998 年頃から

有名であった。香港と中国南部で出版された人気マンガ『SchoolDay』『The Holmes Theater』のほか、マンガ雑誌『Mangaka』で多くの短編を発表。文芸書や雑誌のイラストレーター/グラフィック・デザイナーとしても活躍。『十五二十』は月刊誌『Speed Up』で連載中。



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Synopsis:

On both sides of Saint Mountain, there lay two countries, of which "Orioc" is extremely wealthy, while "Lumbli" is unsightly poor. Zelos Baart, the second prince of Lumbli, had been arranged to marry the princess of Orioc, and to be the future emperor of that prosperous country. However, this 15 years old prince had an other plan of his own. He struggled his way into Orioc, trying to call off this "craven" political marriage. Unfortunately, before he even had the chance to meet with the princess, he was trapped together with the princess' maid, Ana Basil, and were both cursed by an unknown spell and "shrank" to the size of 10 years old! They could turned back to their original 15 years old self againk, only with the expense of the other becoming 5 more years younger... Someone was behind all these and the princess was in grave danger! Could Zelos and Ana find out what's going on? Could they break the curse and save both of their countries?

Author's Profile

KAI is one of the most talented manga writers and artists in Hong Kong. She has been well known in both the Hong Kong and China *doujinshi* circle since 1998. KAI has published several popular manga in Hong Kong and southern China, such as *SchoolDay, The Holmes Theater*, as well as many other short stories published in the Chinese manga magazine *Mangaka*. She is also an illustrator and graphic designer. Her works were published in many novels and magazines. *1520* is being serialized in the monthly magazine *Speed Up*.

