In Athens, all are getting ready for the marriage of THESEUS and HIPPOLYTA-

**THESEUS' COURT**

**EGEUS**
- He wants Hermia to marry him.
- She is his daughter.

**HERMIA**
- She doesn't like Lysander.
- She loves Demetrius.
- He likes her.
- She is his friend.

**LYSANDER**
- She loves him.

In Athens, if a girl doesn't marry who her daddy says, she's put to death. Hermia has until Theseus' wedding day to decide. What should she do?
1. Marry Demetrius?
2. Go into a convent?
3. Die?!

She and Lysander run away to the magic forest.

**IN THE MAGIC FOREST:**

**OBERON**
- King of the fairies
- They love each other but they fight.
- Oh no!
- Oberon is jealous because Titania wants the Indian boy.

**TITANIA**
- Queen of the fairies

**PUCK**
- Fairy/servant to Oberon
- Look for a magic potion here somewhere

**IN THE TOWN,** some workmen are getting ready to put on a play for the wedding:
- **PETER QUINCE** the organizer
- **SNOUT**
- **BOTTOM** the bossiest
- **FRANCIS FLUTE**
- **ROBIN STARVELING**

Watch them. They are very funny.