



# A Fit of Shivers

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Joan Aiken's ten stories are crafted with the sure touch that we'd expect. I enjoyed the battling sisters who deliberately give each other ghastly birthday gifts and the twins in 'The Rose-garden Dream' who share the same dream. There's a variety of writing styles throughout and in some stories no concessions are made on vocabulary, especially in 'Number Four, Bowstring Lane', which uses a great number of words that would be fairly out of the way for many young readers.

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