

Carlotta is fed up
with being a fairytale princess.
She doesn't like pink,
and she doesn't want to kiss frogs
to see if they turn into charming princes.

Carlotta wonders
why there are no fairytale princesses
who play with dragons,
sail the seven seas,
or have incredible adventures
while flying in hot air balloons.

**15TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SPANISH BESTSELLER.
FOR THE FIRST TIME IN ENGLISH!**



Being a Fairytale Princess Is Such a Bore

Raquel Díaz Reguera



Being a FAIRYTALE PRINCESS Is Such A BORE



Raquel Díaz Reguera





Being a Fairytale Princess Is Such a Bore
Egalité Series

© Text and Illustrations: Raquel Díaz Reguera, 2010/2017/2026
© Edition: NubeOcho, 2026
© Translation: Cecilia Ross, 2026
www.nubeocho.com · info@nubeocho.com

Original Title: *¿Hay algo más aburrido que ser una princesa rosa?*
English Editing: Caroline Dookie, Rebecca Packard

First edition: April, 2027
ISBN: 979-13-88132-93-3
Legal Deposit: M-15894-2026

Printed in Spain.

All rights reserved. Reproduction is strictly prohibited.

*To my mother,
for all the unconventional princesses, winged elephants,
talking cats, and impossible journeys
that live in her stories.*

*Thank you to Pablo, Violeta, Guille, Jimena, Elena, and Martina
for being the salt of the earth and the ray of sunshine in all my smiles.*

Being a FAIRYTALE PRINCESS Is Such A BORE

Raquel Díaz Reguera





Carlotta is a **fairytale** princess
who wears **pink** dresses,
has a closet full of **pink** clothes
and sleeps on a bed topped with
piles of **pink** sheets and a **pink** pillow.

But Carlotta **is sick** of pink
and sick of being **a fairytale princess.**

Fairytale princesses are so **painfully prim** that a single miniscule pea, **buried** under a stack of a hundred mattresses, keeps them wide awake.

Carlotta, on the other hand, can sleep like a log, **even** on top of an elephant.



Carlotta once met a princess
who spent all day long
at the pond **kissing frogs**,
just to see if any of them
would turn into a charming **prince**.
But Carlotta **didn't want** a charming prince.



Why aren't there any fairytale princesses
who sail the seven seas
in **search of adventure?**

Or brave ones who don't need
to be **rescued** by charming princes?



Why aren't there any fairytale princesses
who are **astronauts** and
give names to the **stars**?
Or **architects** of imaginary **cities**?





Carlotta **dreams** of **winged**
dragons to **play** and have
adventures with.