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A gentle story in the fairy tale tradition; Princess Anah is set a royal birthday quest. She has to find one thing in the kingdom that needs changing and she has a birthday gift of a stone on a golden chain to help her -and Doxa, a tufted and incredibly clumsy, pet carpet dragon who, in spite of or perhaps because of his loyalty to her, is a cuddly and lovable hindrance. Each hilarious episode can be read in isolation and yet they all hang together wonderfully naturally to show Anah growing into a true princess in the most admirable of ways. A delight to read and a good resource for assemblies for the middle school. Themes of boastfulness, humility, listening, caring, tolerance and pride receive sensitive attention. Each can be understood as a straight narrative or a deeper allegorical tale - a superb touchstone for discussion.

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