

“Can you break free now the punishment time is over?” Wes asked.

The man pressed his hand against his side of the glass, but it didn’t come through. “If the mirror-maker is already out, she must be stopping us from leaving.”

Cat glanced at Wes. “She was breaking the mirrors. Before we ran — she was smashing them.”

She looked back at the man and his eyes widened. “If she breaks our mirrors, we will be trapped forever,” he said.

“Why did you come here?” Cat asked, frowning. “When a mirror appears, bad things happen.”

“We don’t make the bad things happen,” a woman said in a mirror to Cat’s left. Cat stepped back so she could see her more clearly. “The curse brings the bad luck and we send the mirrors as a warning. It’s been this way since the

