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The Family Star

There's one in every family. Wistful, pathetic, maddening, lovable, supremely annoying fifteen-year-old. A trying creature, immature, struggling from childhood to womanhood. Spending three quarters of her time in attempts to make herself beautiful so the boy she met at high school will notice her. Spending the other quarter wishing she could go out and play hopscotch or jacks with the other kids.

She sits for hours before her mirror, plucking her eyebrows to a thin line, powdering her fresh young skin to a sickly white, coloring her lips to a screaming red in her white face. She sees herself as Garbo, Dietrich, slinking, slouching, striding about! Every night she is late for dinner, and every day a different person. Restless, unhappy Miss Fifteen-Year Old! If she only knew it she is lovely as she is!