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A Curse on War!

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A sensitively told gut punch of a tale about how war shatters lives.

April 1917. The schoolmaster asks his class to imagine writing a letter to the soldiers in trenches. Eleven-year-old Fulbert has but one idea in mind: carrying the mail to his father on the front.

Animated by the desire to see his father, who's been away for so many months, he mounts a secret and perilous expedition into inhuman territory. The presence of a child sows chaos on the battlefield at first, but soon enough, war takes back its own. Fulbert has juste enough time to hug his father, a final opportunity...

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"A Curse on War!" the child will repeat for a long time afterward–just like a monument to the dead dares proclaim in a village in the middle of France.