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Chapter 1: Jesse

Jesse wants to be the fastest runner in school. Jesse runs all the time.

Jesse's mom complains about how much Jesse runs. Jesse has the job of milking the cow.

There is a new family moving in next door to Jesse's house.

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Chapter 2: Leslie

When Jesse comes home from playing, he milks the cow.

As Jesse is milking the cow, a person starts talking. Jesse cannot decide if it is a boy or a girl.

The person says their name is Leslie. Leslie is one of Jesse's new neighbors.

Jesse decides that Leslie is a girl.
Chapter 3: The Fastest Kid in the 5th Grade

It is the first day of school. Jesse and Leslie are in the same class. Jesse is very excited to run at recess. At the beginning of recess the class begins running races. During the race Leslie beats Jesse. Jesse avoids Leslie for the rest of the day.

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Chapter 4: Bosses of Terabithia

Leslie continues to join the races at recess and keeps winning.

The boys decide to stop having races. Jesse still avoids Leslie.

During the music teacher's lesson, Jesse notices how nice Leslie is.

Jesse and Leslie begin talking on an old rope hanging from the tree near the river.

They imagine a land across the river called Terabithia.

Jesse and Leslie love going to Terabithia to play.

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Chapter 5: The Bullies

Jesse's sister is bullied by another girl. Leslie and Jesse decide to fix the problem.

In Terabithia, Jesse and Leslie come up with a plan.

Jesse and Leslie write a letter to the bully saying that a boy has a crush on her.

The letter asks if they can meet. The bully waits for the boy but he never shows up.

The bully is mad. Jesse's sister is happy about what Jesse did for her.

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Chapter 6: The Coming of a New Friend

It is Christmas time. Jesse does not have extra money to buy Leslie a Christmas present.

Jesse finds a free puppy for Leslie. Leslie names the puppy Prince Terrien.

Leslie buys Jesse an expensive art kit. Jesse gets an electric toy car from his dad.

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Chapter 7: The Golden Room

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Chapter 8: Easter

Jesse and his family go to church for Easter.

This year Jesse's family cannot get new clothes because his dad lost his job.

Leslie asks if she can go to church with them. Jesse does not like church and finds it boring.
Chapter 9

It rains a lot for a week. Each day, the water in the river rises higher and higher.

Jesse is afraid of swinging over the water, but Leslie makes him anyways.

Leslie decides that the rain is actually evil people falling into Terabithia.

Jesse has hard time imagining, but Leslie does not push him.

They return to Jesse’s house to watch TV instead.

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Chapter 10: The Good Day

Jesse goes to the art gallery with his teacher. Jesse has a good day looking at art.

The teacher buys Jesse lunch and ice cream.

Jesse knows that something is wrong when he gets home. Jesse is told that Leslie died.
Chapter 11: No!

Jesse's dad tells him how Leslie died.

Leslie had tried to swing into Terabithia and the rope broke.

Leslie hit her head and could not swim. Jesse does not believe his father.

Jesse goes for a run and runs faster and faster. Jesse's dad brings him home.

Jesse goes to sleep when he gets home.

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Chapter 12: Alone

Jesse and his family go to Leslie's house. Everyone is crying.

Leslie's father hugs Jesse and thanks Jesse for being a good friend. Jesse gets angry.

Jesse hits his sister and throws his paint set into the river.

Jesse's dad comes to comfort him. Jesse finally feels close to his father. Jesse watches Prince Ternen.

when her parents go away.

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Chapter 13: Building the Bridge

The next day, Jesse crosses to Terabithia by using a tree branch.

Jesse is afraid that the magic will be gone, but it is not.

Jesse hears his sister yelling on another branch. Jesse helps his sister get to the other side.

Jesse's sister says she does not want to be alone. Jesse and his sister go home.

Leslie's parents give Jesse her books and paints. Jesse builds a bridge to get to Terabithia.

Jesse and his sister still go to Terabithia.

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