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Dear Brandon Mull,

Your books inspire me a great deal. They change my outlook on life, particularly your Fablehaven series. I love sci-fi. This is my favorite series that I have ever read! When I read Fablehaven, my gullible side takes over, and I go to a whole other world!

You use real life lessons in your books that I use to enhance my own life, and I learn new things that I didn't know before. For example, in book one of the Fablehaven series, chapter 4, The Hidden Pond, the characters begin talking about how long to cook steak, and mention not to put ketchup on it.

I have had this series on audio book for about 5 years now, and still listen to it almost every night when I go to bed! The only problem is, they don't put me to sleep so my mom has to come in several times to tell me to turn it off.

Sometimes I like to look outside, and imagine fairies instead of butterflies, and satyrs instead of goats. I love all of the characters and how you define their personalities. I also enjoy how you use jokes and humor to make your books exciting and entertaining.

Because of your books, I've begun writing my own sci-fi, and hope to have it published. Without Fablehaven I may never have had the idea, the inspiration, or the guts to write a book of my own.

I would like to thank you for writing such awesomely inspiring books! I like to pretend that all of it is real and I truly wish that it were. I can just hear the Fablehaven theme from the audio books playing in my head!

Your inspired reader, writer, and admirer,

Katy Heywood