

The realm of Sun Kingdom is terrorized by the Fiend of Night and his storm sylphs. Before the action of the opera starts, Prince Caedmon has left to try and capture a ray of the morning sun and to bring it home to banish the Fiend and his 'Cloak of Night' forever. The king and queen and the Prince's sister, Princess Cerys, are worried for his safety. Mistress Prudence advises Jacominus, the court storyteller and poet, to search for Prince Caedmon and to bring him home. Jacominus leaves with his three minstrel friends, Luke, Jakelyn and Warin. Before they leave Jacominus sings of his love for Cerys. On their journey the four friends meet various agents for good which help them to find Prince Caedmon and to defeat the Fiend. They return to Sun Kingdom triumphantly



Two of these agents are the hawthorn trees and the moon.

