

April 6 2011

## Gorgeous

**Author:**

Rachel Vail

**Reading Level:** Grades 7-9

14-year-old Allison feels like the boring filling in a beauty sandwich. Her blonde, perfect, talented older sister can do no wrong while in their parents eyes and Allison's younger sister is everybody's darling. Allison only gets her parents' attention when she is in trouble (which usually isn't her fault).

One day Allison mutters, "I would give anything to be somebody." That night the devil arrives in her bedroom to seal the bargain but instead of her soul, all he wants is her cell phone. Gorgeous for a cell phone? Who wouldn't take that deal?

[Check availability of this book](#)

[More books by Rachel Vail](#)

**Other tales of Faustian bargains include:**

[Devilish by Maureen Johnson](#)

[On the Devil's Court by Carl Deuker and](#)

[The Wager by Donna Jo Napoli](#)

**YS Book Level:**

[7th Grade](#)

[8th Grade](#)

[High Schoolers](#)

**YS Locations:**

[JY Fiction](#)

**YS Reviewers:**

[SJS](#)

**YS Genres:**

[Books for Girls](#)

Family  
Fantasy  
Friends  
Humor  
Self Image  
Supernatural

---

**Source URL:** <http://hplibrary.org/kids/reviews/gorgeous?page=20>