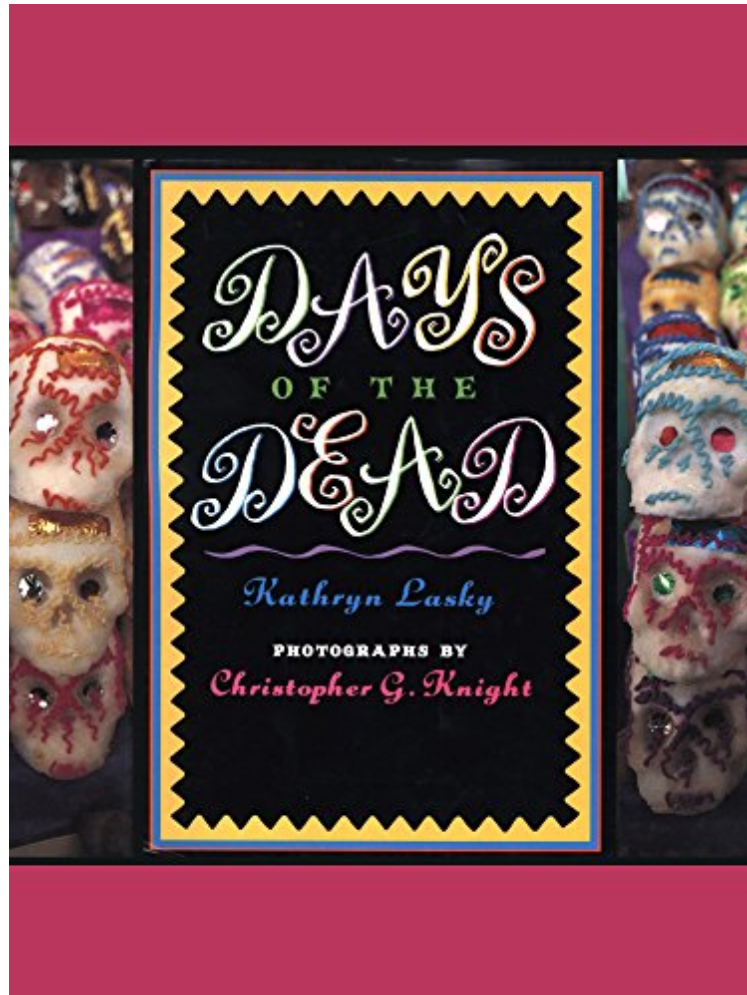


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Synopsis Describes the origin and meaning of the Mexican festival of the Days of the Dead, and shows how it is observed by one peasant family.