

# TANABATA story

Once upon a time, there was a woman called Orihime and a man called Hikoboshi.



They lived across Milky Way. Orihime weaved Kimono clothes. Hikoboshi took care of cows. (P1)

Orihime's Father was The King of Sky. He was looking for a marriage partner for Orihime. He introduced Hikoboshi to Orihime. Orihime and Hikoboshi fell in LOVE at once. Then, they became husband and wife. Orihime and Hikoboshi were deeply in LOVE. They were always together. However, they STOPPED to work. (P2)

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The Sky King was angry. He separated them across the milky way. Orihime and Hikoboshi were very sad. Orihime said, "I'm sorry, I wish to meet Hikoboshi one more." Hikoboshi said, "I'm sorry, King. I wish to meet Orihime one more time. The King was thinking and permitted them to meet each other ONLY ONE NIGHT of the year, July 7th. Today, Japanese people celebrate on that day." (P3)