

# The Gurney to the Surface

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*Under the sea live a human like creature, they have never seen us we have never seen them. Now one has the curage to see whats there past his home, but he finds some of his kind don't want to find out, and will stop at nuthing to stop him.*

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# 1 - Forward

## The Gurney to the Surface

### Forward

In the deepest groves under the sea lives a human like creature. They have never seen us, we have never seen them. It is not certain how long its been that way, but indeed theyâ€™re there. They are pail, pail white and there hands and feet are big with webbed toes and fingers. There eyes are at a squint, since they cant see well in there dark lair. They have long lengthy body and have 3 thick gills on each side of there neck. They live in different holes in there under water homes. They speak a different language than any surface dweller. They have never seen air, for water is all they know. They are the Zetropakatats, the humans, of the sea.

## 2 - Chapter 1

### Note to reader

Zetropakatats as I have said speak a completely different language than us so I have tried my best to translate it all. Also their names are very difficult to say so I changed them to, and last I changed their places which are extremely long, Example... Mt.Kanotopaconatoukatrumous, I changed to Mt.Kanotopa for reading pleasure.

### Chapter 1

#### How it Began

Karter was a 12 year old Zetropakatats when he first received the knowledge(I have not figured out how yet) that his cousin Jeffrey had disappeared .He had always talked of trying to climb Mt.Kanotopa, a mountain that was so tall it poked through a hole far above every one. Some say it lead to doom, some to a new life, a new world, but no one has ever been there. They are either too scared or die on the way up. Jeffrey had always told everyone he would be the first. Karter did not particularly like Jeffrey but the idea was cool.

Then at Jeffrey's deduction(what they have when someone is announced dead) Karter promised he would now be the first, he also said he start the day he came of age, 13, which was now a few months off at the time.

Time went on, day after day, week after week. Finally the day before Karter's ceremony, after cutting the Canula strips off the Canula Kent(a very large under water plant), and all his other chores. Karter swam to the outskirts where he picked a Kacola leaf (there form of paper) to start writing his coming of age speech . A required, dull, long, speech. Finally the day of the speech. He could hear the clinking of goop stones, and the blow of Bambodalacanidors(a water instrument similar to the trumpet). He stepped forward and began, In it he had to recite the laws and his history. But Finally what he would do for the World.

"After news that my cousins disappearance", he began, "I decided to live his dream so tomorrow I will leave for Mt.Kanotropa".

There where gasps from the crowd, and murmurs like, Idiot boy, and he went last 3 days. After the party a slimy haired guy came up to him, "hey kid, you should not be poking around that Mt.K, it's not right, the way I see it, it's an evil gateway to another world we aren't ment for, I say forget your friend and call it off ". Yet Karter was determined and was not going to quit. So the next day he made his first swim toward Mt.Kanotropa.