

# Uncharted Territory

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*Chapter 1 of 1*

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East of my heart  
There is a forest.  
It is deep, and full of mystery.  
I never travel there, unless I am well protected.  
Or if I do, I take a great risk  
For in that forest,  
There are only two outcomes of my venture:  
First, something terribly unforgettable may happen.  
Something will suck me in,  
And I,  
Unprepared,  
May fall on my ass and not stand up for a while.  
Or,  
As I cautiously survey my inner demon,  
Something unexpected may occur.  
A gift, one so generous,  
May be bestowed on me

By the grace of God.

And these gifts I am very thankful for,

As I recognize them for the treasure they are.