



From "Frog Legs:"

Finally, Chia sensed the boy was saying something about his body. It had never occurred to Chia that there was anything remarkable about his body, certainly nothing he should be ashamed of. Gradually Chia began to think of his legs in a way he never had before

"Best if used by . . . "

The aroma of cinnamon hit me as soon as I opened the front door. In the kitchen I got a tall glass of milk, took a stool, and helped myself to a warm Snickerdoodle cookie. I tried to sound casual, like it was no big deal. "Mom, there's a girl in my English class I want to meet. I don't know what to say."

"From the Heart of the Iliad"

While reading Homer's Iliad in the original Greek, of course, I turned a page and a curious figure popped up in a chair across from my desk.

"Boone"

On the bookshelf at Goodwill thrift shop, a tiny book by Mark Gellman caught my eye, "does God have a big toe?" Hellman's stories, based on Bible myths, took me back to the year when my mother died and I met God.

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