

## Medea Ate

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[scene: boat                    subject: fish                    notes: dead]

*The fish had lived his whole life unaware of water  
(he was a boy).*

[scene: net                    subject: fish                    notes: pregnant]

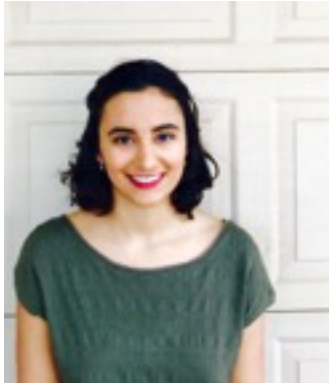
*His lover had always known.  
When the men took it away from her, she only wondered that she'd ever had it in the first place.*

[scene: kitchen subject: bones                    notes: filleted]

*Though he had never felt water (never loved her, either), he felt its absence, and was confused.  
In his last moments, he didn't ponder the existence of water or the whereabouts of his lover.*

[scene: bathroom                    subject: caviar                    notes: positive]

*But that's what I want:  
I want boys to notice what girls are never surprised to lose.*



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