

Prologue

There is a land in dream-time where happiness is a state of being. The sunshine falls in radiant showers, and the rains fall in gentle sprays upon an earth that offers its cornucopia of gifts freely.

The trees grow tall and straight with leaves so green they shimmer like silk when the soft winds blow through them. The land is fragrant with flowers gowned in beauty and the air is scented with their sweetness. The seas and streams of water run pure and clear and gladden the heart of all living creatures. The birds of the air and the animals of the ground share space with the earth's inhabitants in cooperative friendship. All creation rejoices in its creatures that are at peace.

Come—unleash your sense of wonder and belief. Put on your hiking boots and hit the trail with Jal on an expedition to the peaceable kingdom.