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At that brazen second, while reading a completely unrelated text in a quiet corner of the Rizal Library, during what could be the hinge your life turns on, a long rejected memory steals you into a stupor. This makes you realize, in the most intrusive way, how bloody far you've come and how small you still are to that lost little girl—hastily drowned by oceans, yet, simultaneously, so uncomfortably, you.

## Antonia Jerann C. Elumba

"Don't ever let somebody tell you you can't do something, not even me. Alright? You dream, you gotta protect it. People can't do something themselves, they wanna tell you you can't do it. If you want something, go get it. Period." (The Pursuit of Happyness)