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Grandmas garden hummed with the songs of Summer twilight. Cricket's

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and thin. Some plants had flowers. others bowed with plump red tomatos long green beans shiney chili peppers, or round purple eggplants.

In the front rite corner clumps of spikey grass poked up from the ground. I pulled one clump and un-earthed a small orange Carrot. Brushing the damp dirt off i tossed it into my basket. Most of the Chili peppers were still green, a few had aged to carnation red. I reached for a red pepper the size of my index finger quickly dropped it in mine basket. I snapped a handfull of smooth green beans from the fragill plant. I ran out of the garden and back into grandma's house, wear we would cooked are garden dinner

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