gravelortian part 12

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He said his friends called him the Deer Tick Which was fine but What were we supposed to call him?

We found a private spot in Der Hundland For our picnic A little clearing in a patch of furry wood The giant trees like follicles Massive hairs like black trees Scrape the sky This could be the day that I tell you I love you

He would have kept walking but You were always so nice to everyone You waved and called him over

Boasting braggart talked about Something called a deer From Otherworld Said he shoved his ugly face into The animal's belly, gnawed open the skin Gobbled up the guts, smashed his head into the meat Emptied out the carcass, ripped off the head And wore it like a hat These crazy horns called antlers He said

I scratched up a handful of soft Pimply ground Nibbled as he talked

Available online at *«http://fictionaut.com/stories/chad-smith/gravelortian-part-12»* Copyright © 2014 Chad Smith. All rights reserved. He said I was doing it all wrong Opened up his ghastly mouth Shoved his head down with one enormous bite then Chomped and chomped and slurped Tearing up the ground, pushing his head in deeper He was stuffed in past his shoulders A slight tremor was felt

It was quiet again And it was just you and I You hadn't been listening You had been dancing Spinning around in the clearing Quietly singing

I ate another clump of ground Watched your beautiful body as you danced You are firm and strong Laughed You smile I love to watch your behind I love to watch your behind as it spreads And oopfs out a beautiful white egg You spin and quickly oopf out another I love to watch your bottom