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*Tonoharu* tells the story of a young American who moves to rural Japan to work as an English teacher. Through the skillful interplay of prose and beautifully detailed illustrations, *Tonoharu: Part One* explores the joys and frustrations that result from an extended stay abroad.

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