

THE 7 BASIC PLOTS

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CHARACTERS
INTRODUCTION

ACTIONS

MESSAGE/
MORAL

SETUP

CONFLICT

RESOLUTION

PLOT

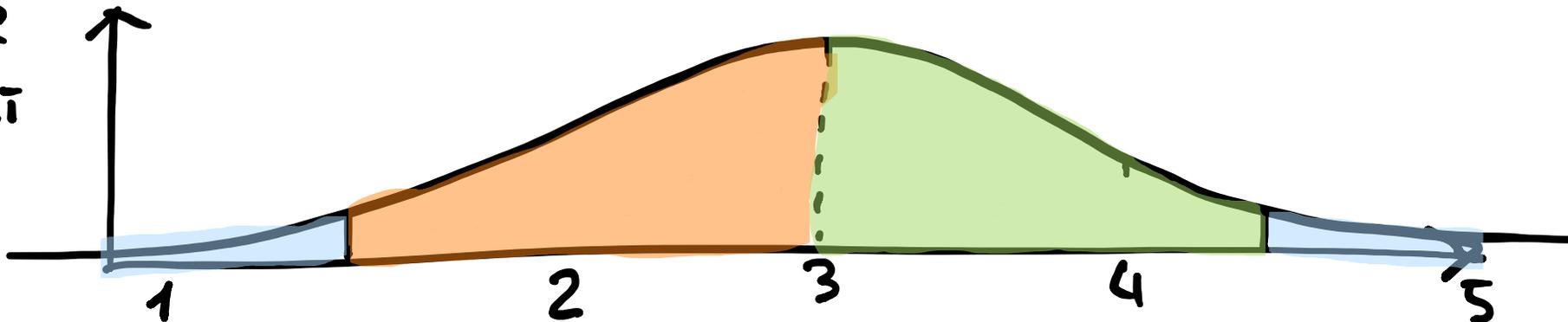
BEGINNING

MIDDLE

END

DEGREE
OF
CONFLICT

(FREYTAG)



EXPOSITION

RISE ACTION

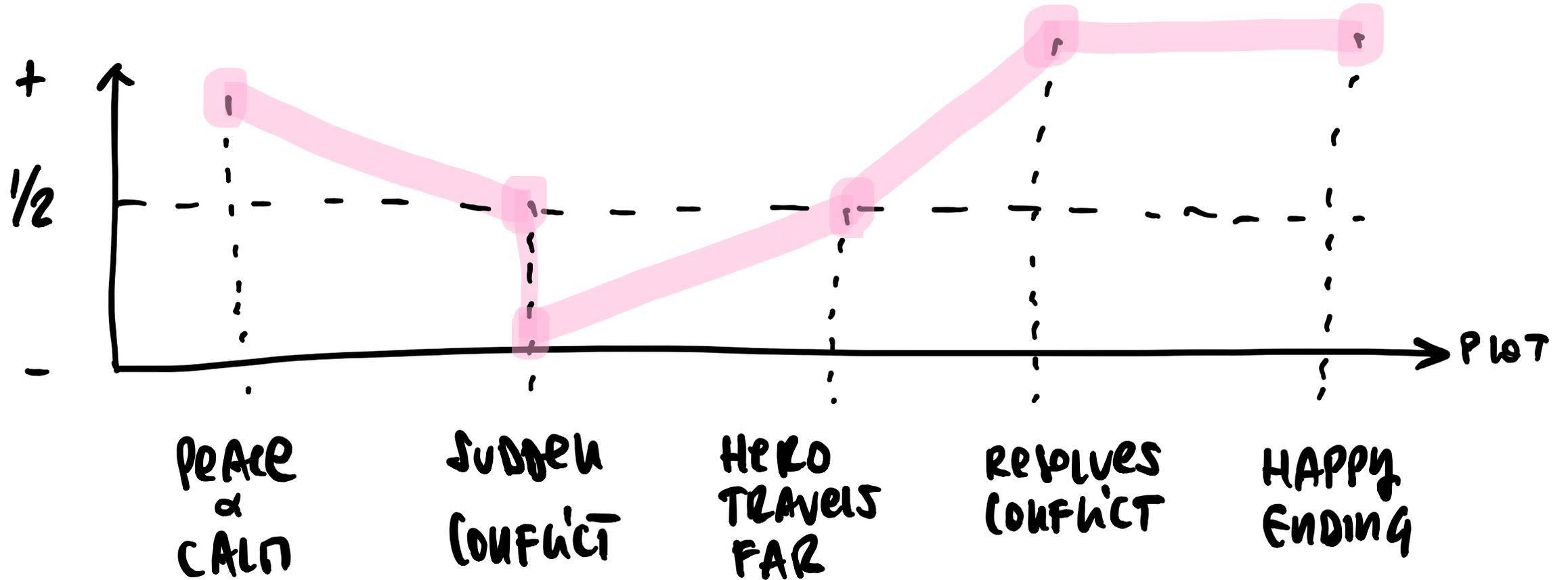
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FALLING ACTIONS

RESOLUTION

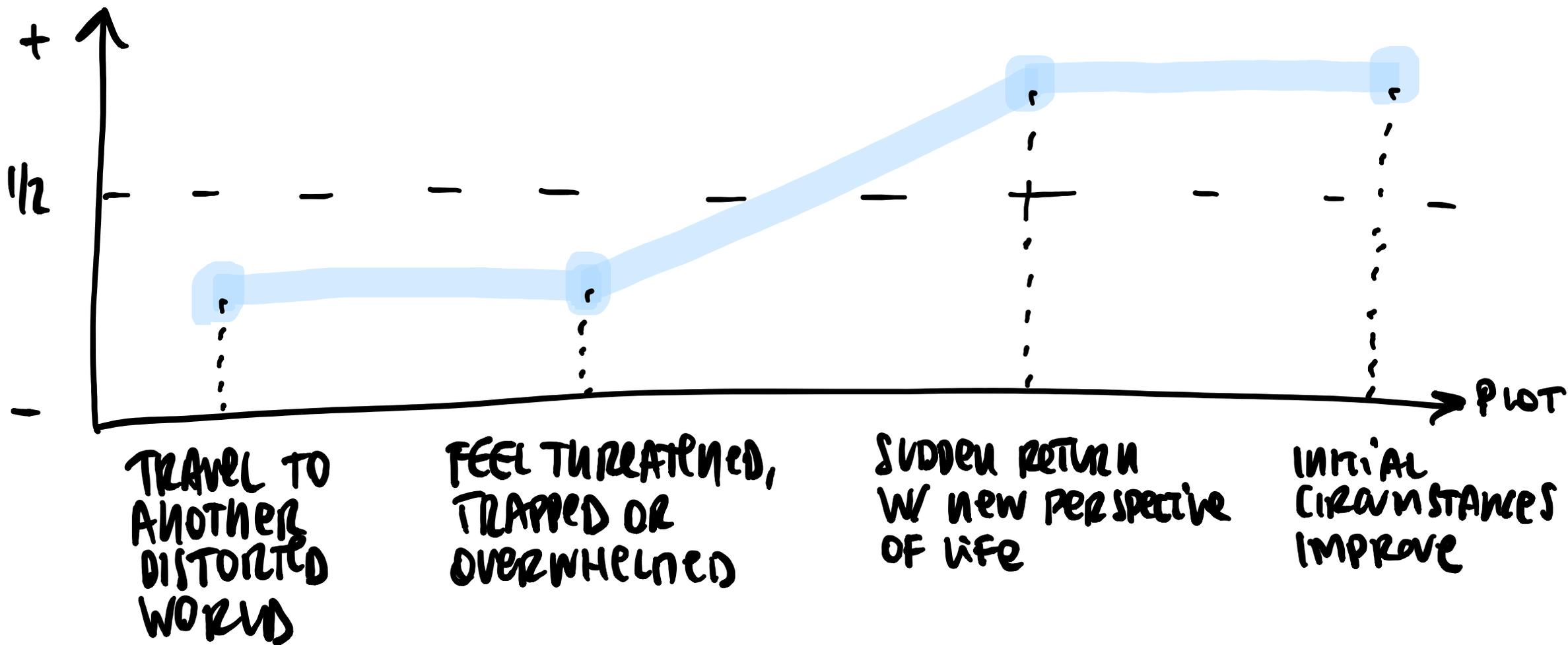
PLOT 1

OVERCOMING THE MONSTER



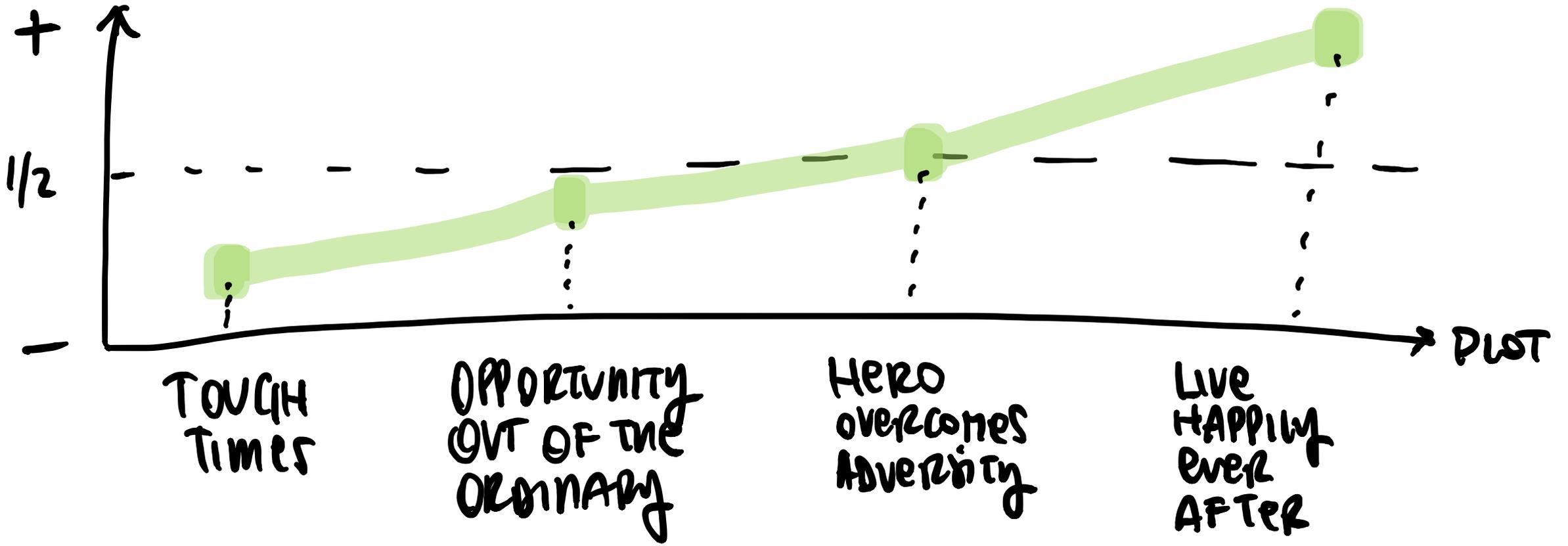
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VOYAGE & RETURN



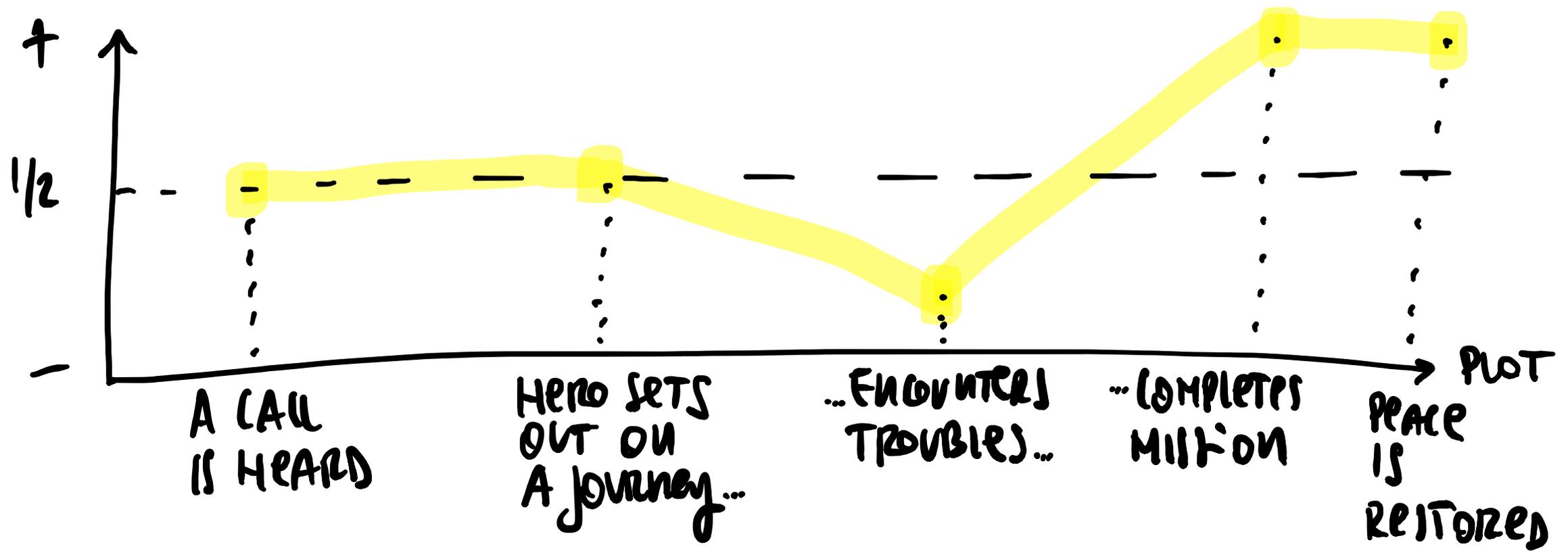
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RAGS TO RICHES



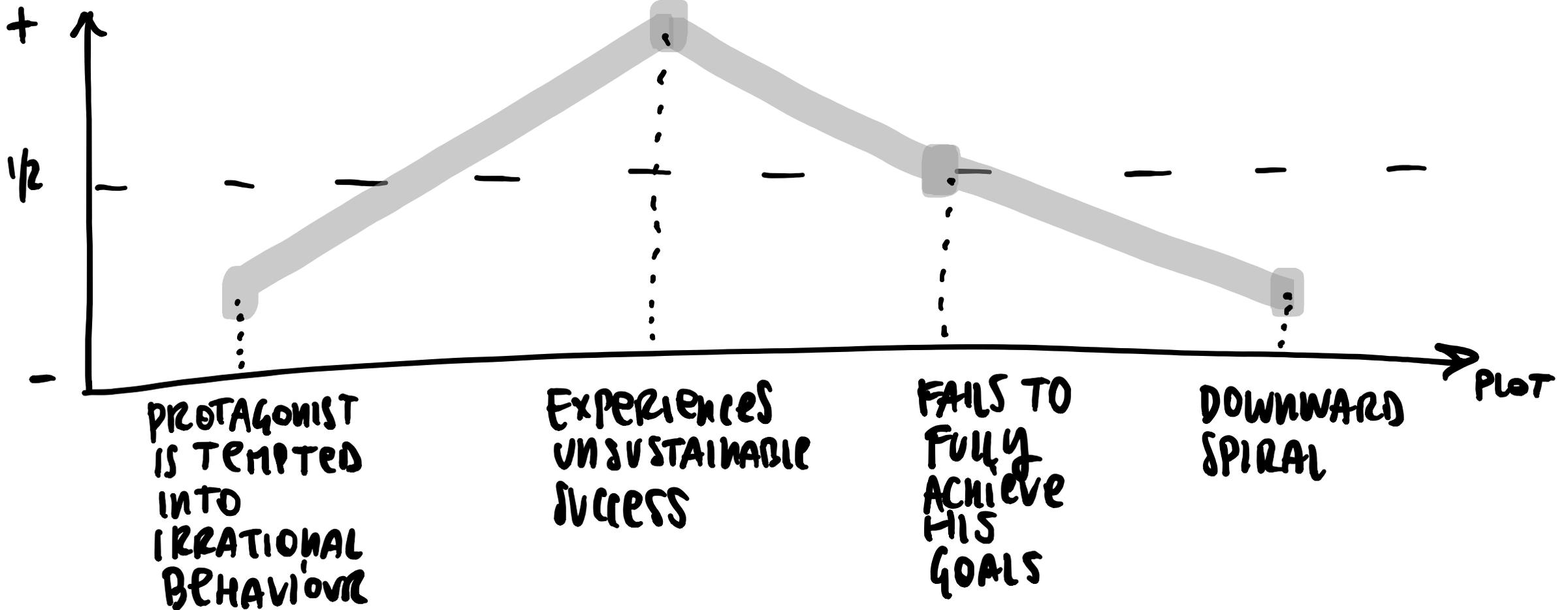
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THE QUEST



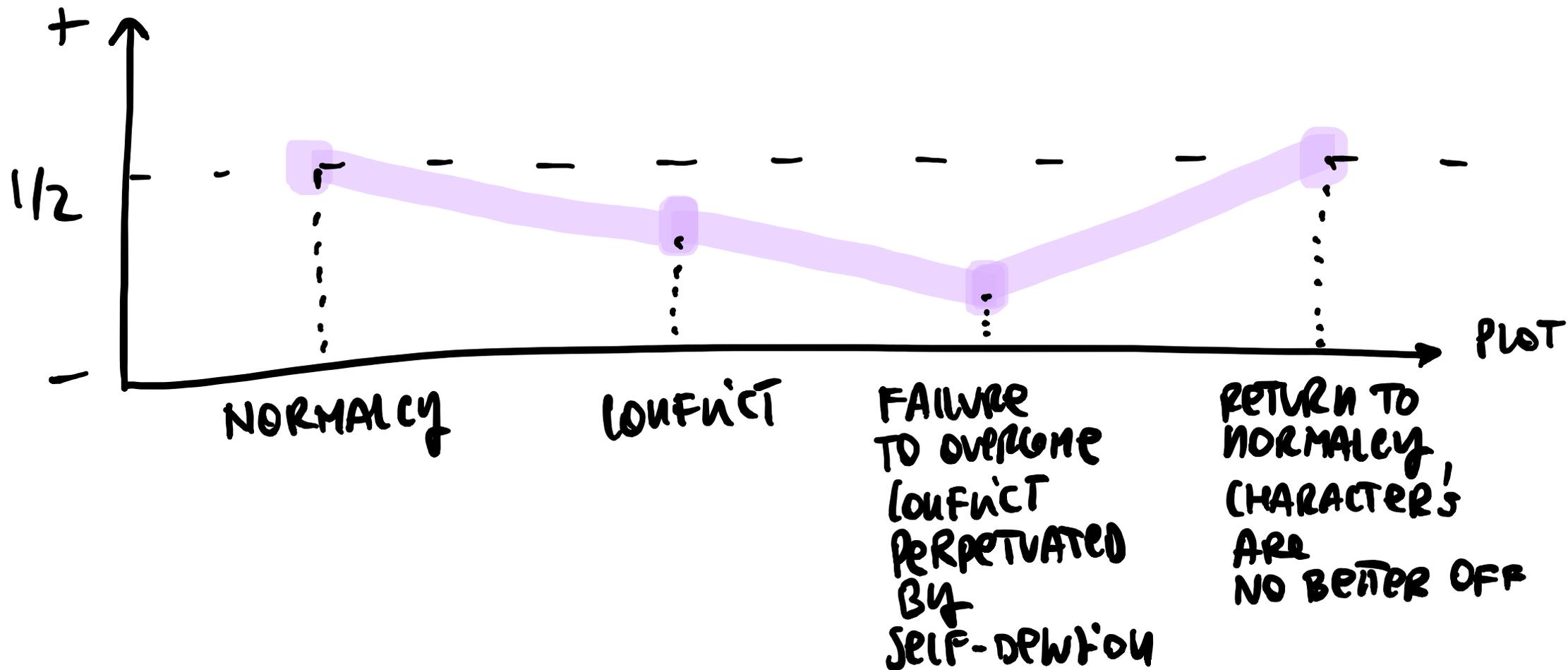
PLOT 5

TRAGEDY



PLOT 6

Comedy



PLOT 7

REBIRTH

