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Narrative Start

Directions: Create the opening of a narrative by describing a setting that strongly shapes the theme, mood, or character emotion. Focus on how the environment influences the story's direction. Use descriptive details that reveal mood or emotion and hint at a theme.

Pick one to build your narrative start:

- An abandoned greenhouse at sunrise
- A crowded train platform during rush hour
- A cliffside overlook on a foggy evening
- A quiet rural road after heavy rain
- A festival street filled with lanterns
- A dim attic filled with stored memories

Your Setting-Driven Narrative Start
