Yin was the greatest among his folk
or so he thought, and most others agreed
Yin would often list his virtues
  his strength
  his prowess
  his cunning
  his wit
Everyone around him shied away, for fear of seeming
to badly in comparison
One day Yin, sure of his powers, went to slay the mighty dragon which lived
in the hills east of the village, which was said to be the most evil of all creatures in the whole world!
Everyone feared for Yin, wondering if even he could possibly dare anything so great.
Some had faith in him
Some ran to pray for his soul
Some thought that he was making a mockery of the gods
Some thought that he was just doing this to have everyone awed by him
they might be right
He first spent many days preparing his supplies
He made sure he had everything he might need for the journey
He made sure he had the charms to bless him from the curses which surrounded the dragon lair
He made sure he brought every sort of weapon used for killing dragons
He finally set off on his fine mare
  when he came within a few miles of the dragon
  the mare ran away back to town
  unable to stand the aura of the dragon
  even at that distance
So Yin proceeded on foot
  with his pack
  and his sword
  and his charms, which were made by the greatest wizards of the land
Yin crossed hills and valleys
Yin crossed streams and ravines
Finally he came to see the dragon
It was huge and scaly
  its scales shown green, and red, and yellow
it lay on a huge pile of stolen gold and jewels
it was surrounded by the bones of the others who came to slay the dragon
it was the most fearsome sight Yin or anyone else had ever seen
Yin proceeded bravely, as bravely as all the others had who came to slay the dragon
He drew his sword and charged the dragon

No one was really surprised when Yin didn't return from trying to slay the dragon