

The Call of Night



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WHAT THE HELL
IS GOING ON?



I LEFT HERE
YEARS AGO...

IMPOSSIBLE!



...THIS IS MY
OLD ROOM.



SLAM!



WHAT!?!





WHEN THE TWO CLOCK HANDS
MEET AND EMBRACE UNDER THE
MOONLIGHT, THEY SHALL BE SET
ON FIRE AND BE WELCOMED BY
THE KISS OF NIGHT.

WAIT A SECOND,
BOSS...



WHO THE FUCK
DO YOU THINK
YOU ARE?

WHY ARE WE IN
MY OLD HOUSE
AND IN MY OLD
ROOM?

I AM
FATE.

I AM YOUR ONLY HOPE
OF MAKING IT THROUGH WHAT
YOUR SPECIES HAS DONE.



LOOK.





WHAT THE HELL
IS GOING ON?!

THAT CAN'T BE ME!

WHAT THE
FUCK IS THAT
WOLF DOING...

I'VE GOT TO BE
DREAMING!

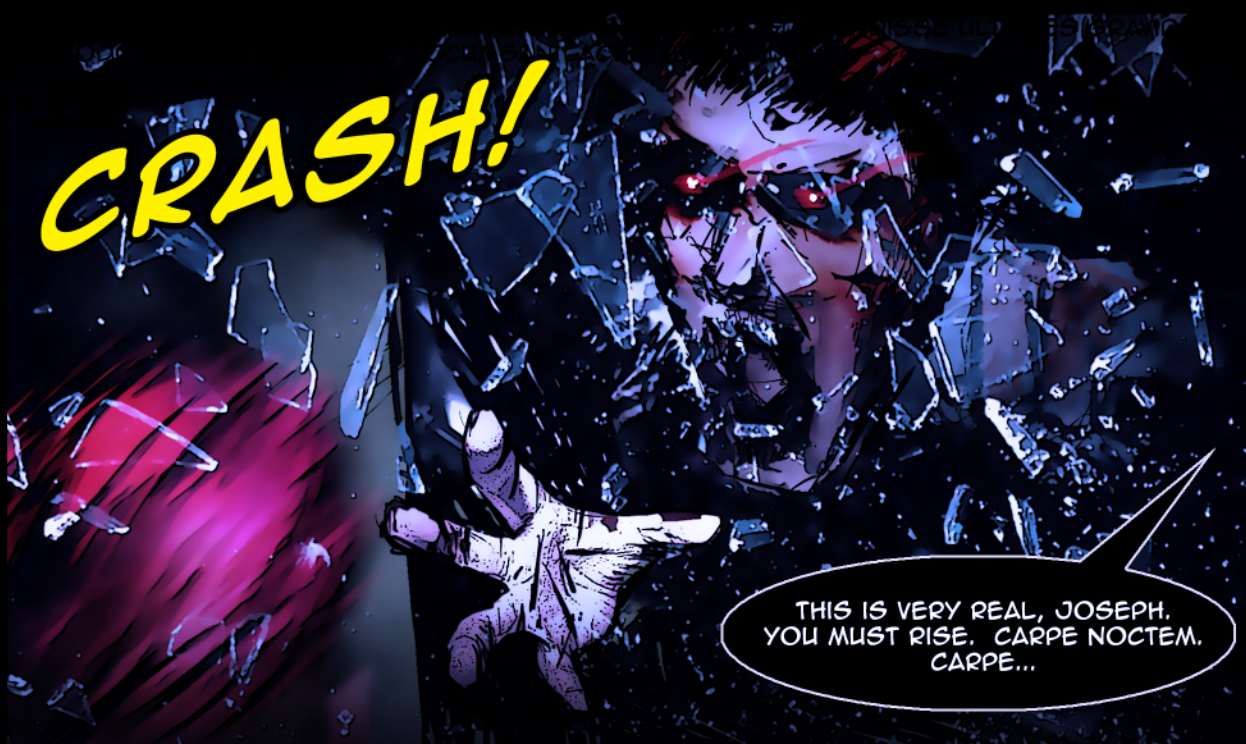


WHAT'S WRONG JOE?



THIS CAN'T
BE REAL!

COME ON!
WAKE UP,
ASSHOLE!



CRASH!

THIS IS VERY REAL, JOSEPH.
YOU MUST RISE. CARPE NOCTEM.
CARPE...



NOCTEM.
CARPE NOCTEM-
SEIZE THE
NIGHT.



HEH...

SHIT.



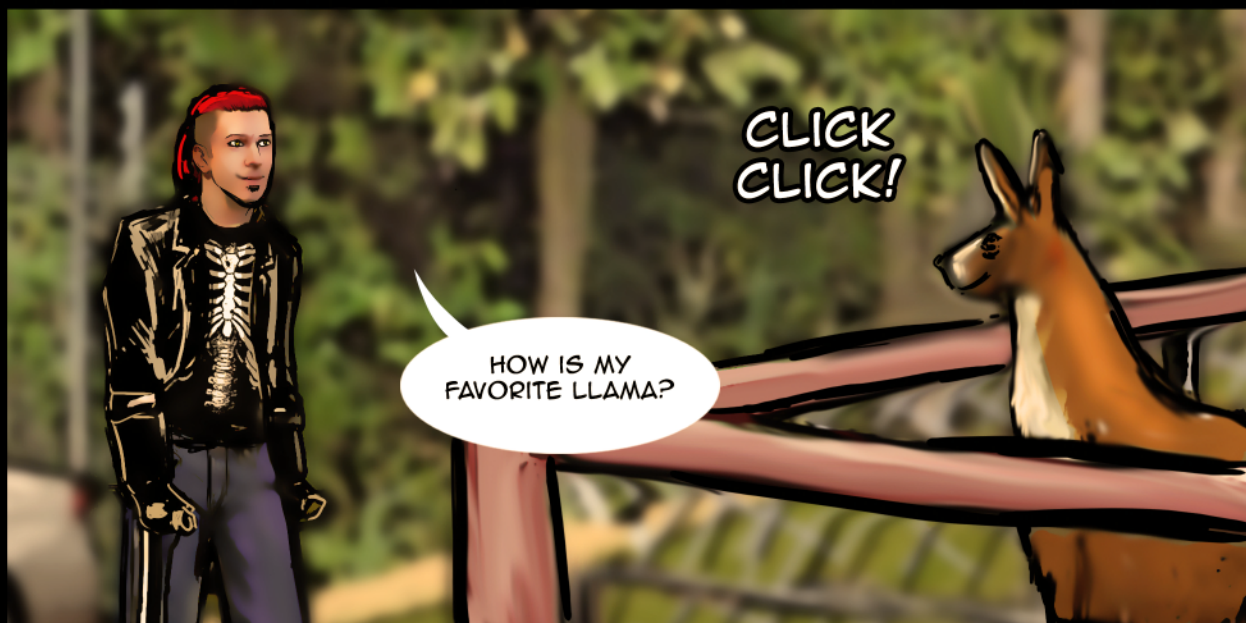
CAN'T BELIEVE I
DID THAT TO MY
HAND.

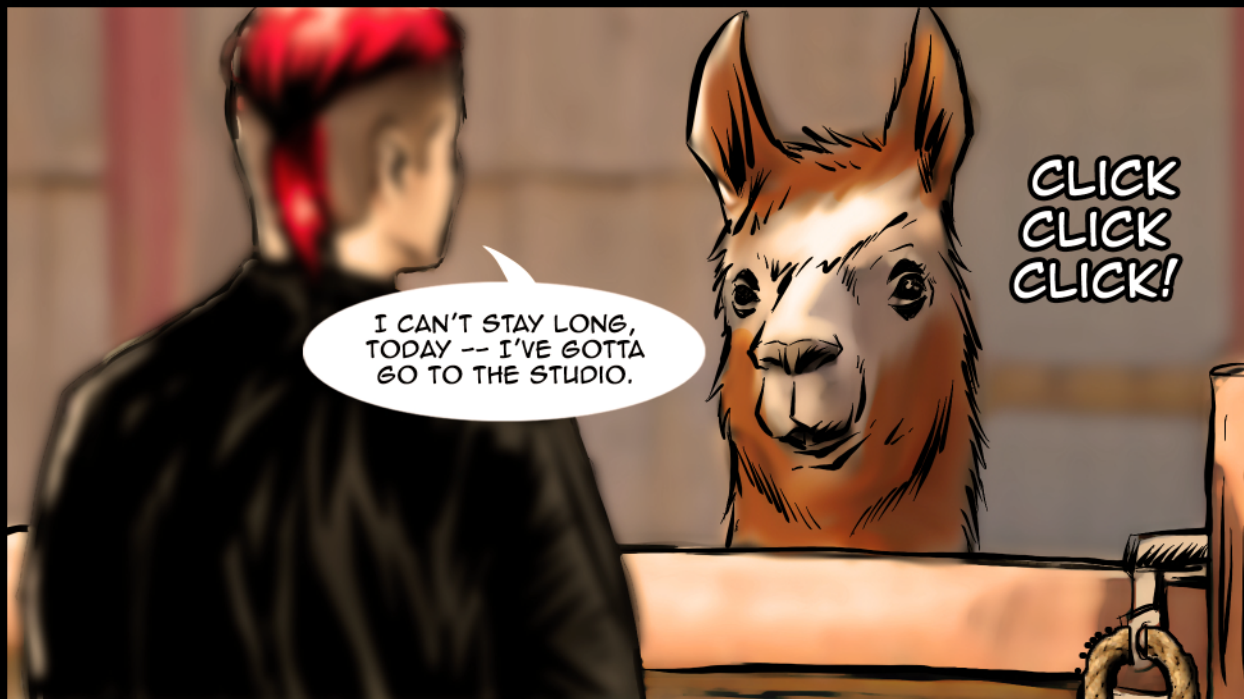


WHOA, SPARK
THAT WAS ONE HELL
OF A DREAM.

I NEED TO GO OUT
TONIGHT AFTER GOING
TO THE STUDIO.











SO, HOW ARE YOU HOLDING UP?

I'M OKAY... I COULD BE DOING BETTER, TONY.

JOE, I KNOW STUFF HAS BEEN ROUGH FOR YOU, BUT YOU HAVE TO MAKE A MOVE.



I KNOW TON, I KNOW. I THINK THAT I'M GOING TO GO OUT TONIGHT. I NEED A GOOD NIGHT OUT.



HI, JOE. I JUST GOT DONE WITH YOUR SOLOS FOR THE ALBUM.

RICHIE, YOU ARE A BEAST. I CAN'T WAIT TO CHECK ALL OF THEM OUT. THANKS!



NO PROBLEM! BY THE WAY - I'M GOING OUT TONIGHT WITH DENNIS FOR A DRINK OR TWO, BEFORE HE GOES BACK TO CALI.

WHY DON'T YOU COME OUT WITH US!? TEN O'CLOCK. ECLIPSE.

THAT SOUNDS LIKE AN AWESOME IDEA. SEE YOU AT TEN.



COOL. HAVE A
BLAST, GUYS! SEE
YOU LATER, JOE!

LATER MAN.

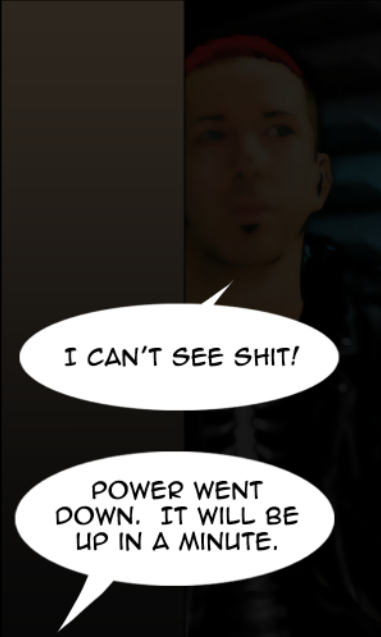
OKAY JOE, LET'S
GET TO WORK.



LIKE FIRE FROM
BELOW, I WILL
RISE!

ZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZT
ZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZT

TONY, WHAT
HAPPENED?



I CAN'T SEE SHIT!

POWER WENT
DOWN. IT WILL BE
UP IN A MINUTE.





8:00PM

Eclipse



THERE HE IS!

HEY JOE!



WHAT'S UP GUYS!

I'M GLAD THAT YOU COULD COME OUT ON MY LAST NIGHT IN NEW YORK!

WE'VE GOT TO MAKE IT MEMORABLE THEN, RIGHT RICH?

MY THOUGHTS EXACTLY.



HEY JOE! BEEN A WHILE. WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN?

RECORDING WITH THESE CLOWNS OVER HERE.



JOE, THAT'S GREAT. YOU KEEP KICKING ASS. WHAT WILL IT BE?



A BEER, PLEASE.

I'LL TAKE ANOTHER, TOO.

COMING RIGHT UP GUYS.



SERIOUSLY -- THANKS FOR COMING OUT, JOE.

WE KNOW THAT YOU'VE BEEN GOING THROUGH A LOT RECENTLY.

TELL ME ABOUT IT!





JOE, IT'S GETTING LATE. I HAVE TO GET GOING. I HAVE A GIG TOMORROW, SO I HAVE TO GET HOME TO REST.



I SHOULD PROBABLY GO BACK TO MY HOTEL, TOO. I HAVE TO GET UP EARLY TO CATCH A FLIGHT BACK TO CALIFORNIA.



ALRIGHT GUYS. NO PROBLEM. IT WAS AWESOME SEEING YOU BOTH.

JOE, DO YOU NEED A LIFT HOME?

NAH BRO, I'M GOING TO HAVE ONE MORE BEER AND WALK HOME SINCE I LIVE SO CLOSE TO HERE.

ALRIGHT. ENJOY YOUR SECOND BEER, YOU LIGHT WEIGHT.



11:00PM



I'M ABOUT TO
LEAVE FOR THE
NIGHT.



DO YOU NEED
ANYTHING ELSE,
BEFORE I GO?

NAH, PAL -- I'M
GOOD, THANKS.



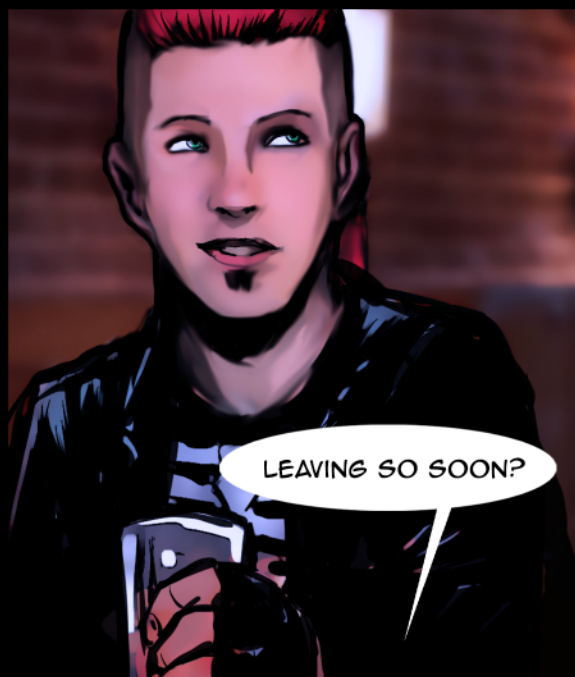
JOE...
BE CAREFUL
TONIGHT.

THERE'S A LOT OF
STRANGE ENERGY IN
THE AIR. PLUS, IT'S A
SUPER MOON.



THANKS. DON'T YOU
WORRY ABOUT A THING.
I'LL BE LEAVING IN A FEW
MINUTES, MYSELF.

SEE YOU SOON,
JOE. COME OUT MORE.
I MEAN IT.



LEAVING SO SOON?



YOU WOULDN'T
LEAVE BEFORE HAVING A
DRINK WITH ME...



WOULD YOU?



WELL, IF YOU PUT IT THAT
WAY -- MAYBE I WILL
STICK AROUND FOR A BIT
MORE.



I'D LIKE THAT.
WHAT BRINGS YOU
OUT TONIGHT?

I CAME OUT TO CELEBRATE
THE START OF THE ALBUM
THAT I'M DOING AND A NEW
CHAPTER IN MY LIFE.

I'M JOE, BY THE WAY.



YOU'RE A
MUSICIAN?

THAT'S SEXY...

I'M MAGDA.



WHY, THANK YOU. WHAT
BRINGS SUCH A BEAUTIFUL
LADY LIKE YOU OUT
HERE?



JUST WANTED TO
MEET SOME NEW FACES,
AND GET A DRINK.



WELL THEN -- YOU
DID BOTH. CONGRATS.

A TOAST?

SURE.

TO EVERY END
THAT HAS A NEW
BEGINNING.



WELCOME EVERYONE -- I'M MICHELLE JOY AND THESE ARE THE TOP STORIES FOR TONIGHT.

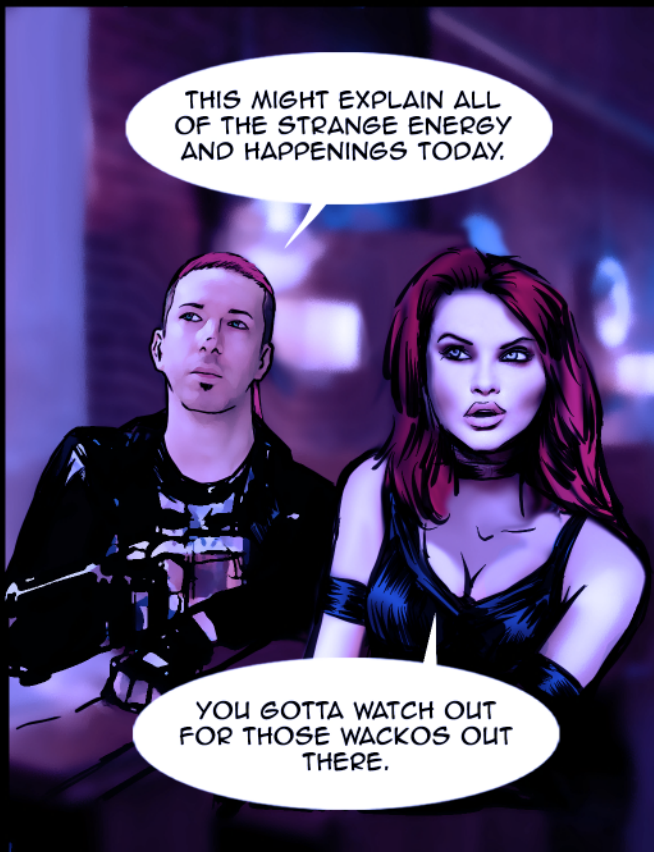
THE FULL MOON IS SETTING A RECORD.



SCIENTISTS CALL THIS A "SUPER MOON," DUE TO ITS CLOSER THAN NORMAL DISTANCE FROM THE EARTH.

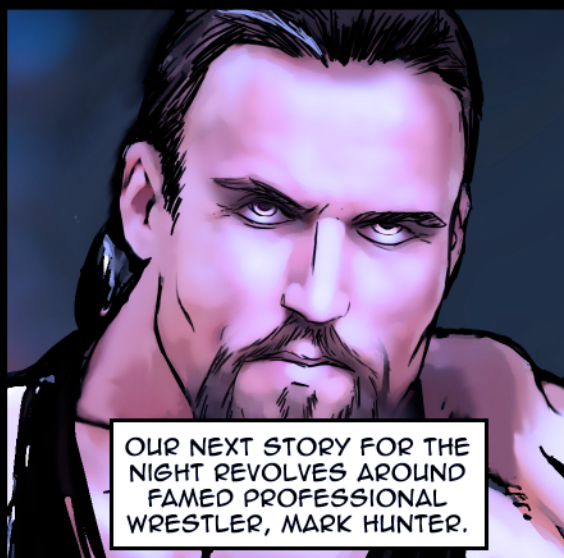


HOWEVER, THIS SUPER MOON IS CLOSER THAN ANY ON RECORD.

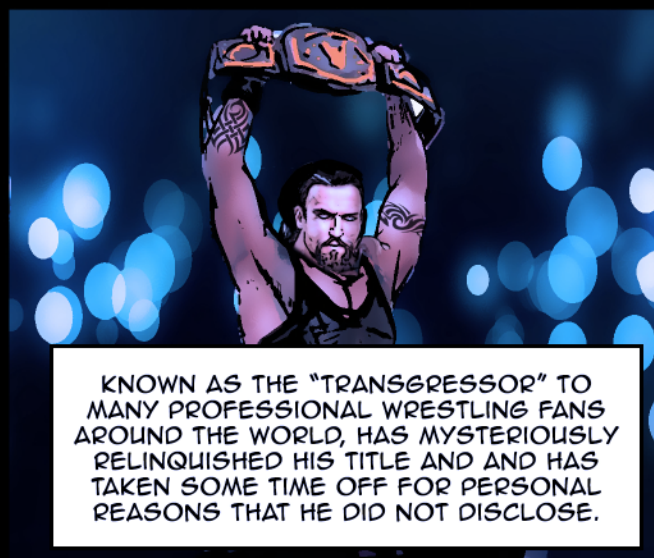


THIS MIGHT EXPLAIN ALL OF THE STRANGE ENERGY AND HAPPENINGS TODAY.

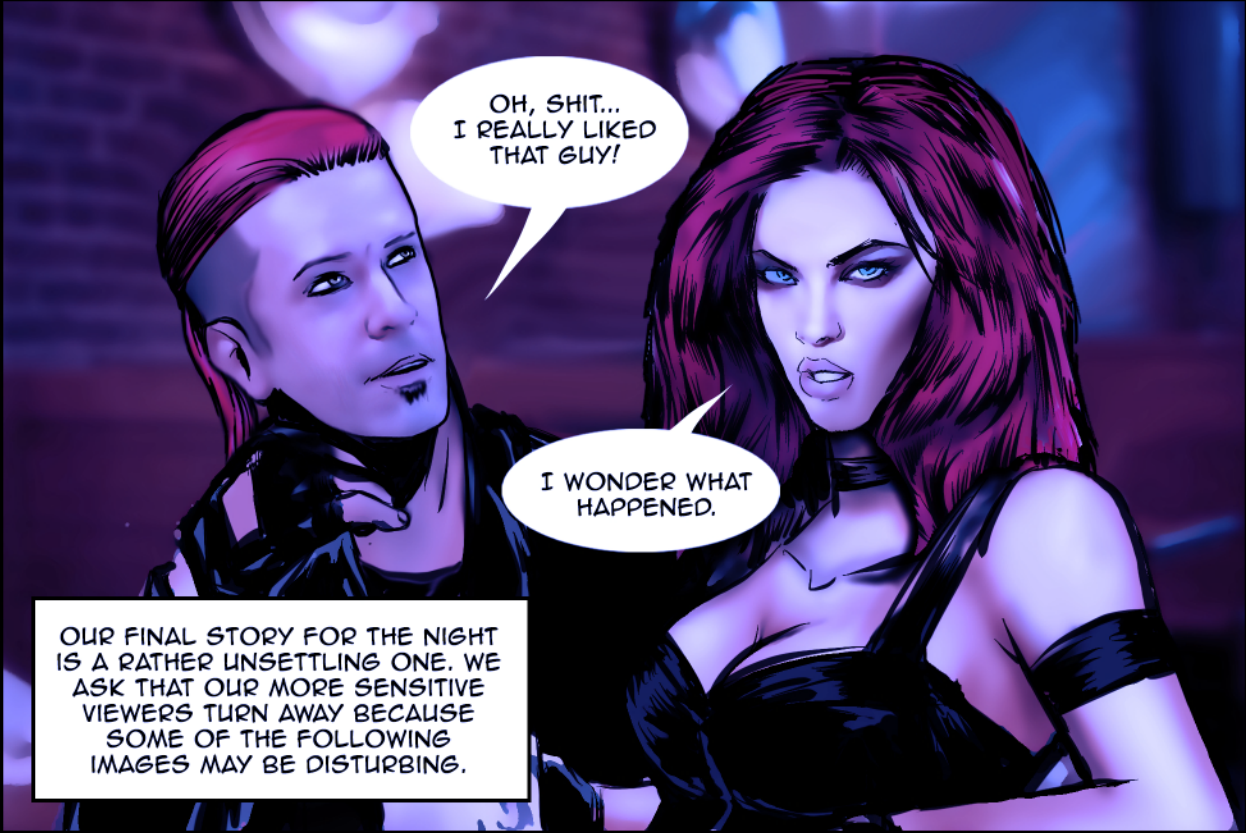
YOU GOTTA WATCH OUT FOR THOSE WACKOS OUT THERE.



OUR NEXT STORY FOR THE NIGHT REVOLVES AROUND FAMED PROFESSIONAL WRESTLER, MARK HUNTER.



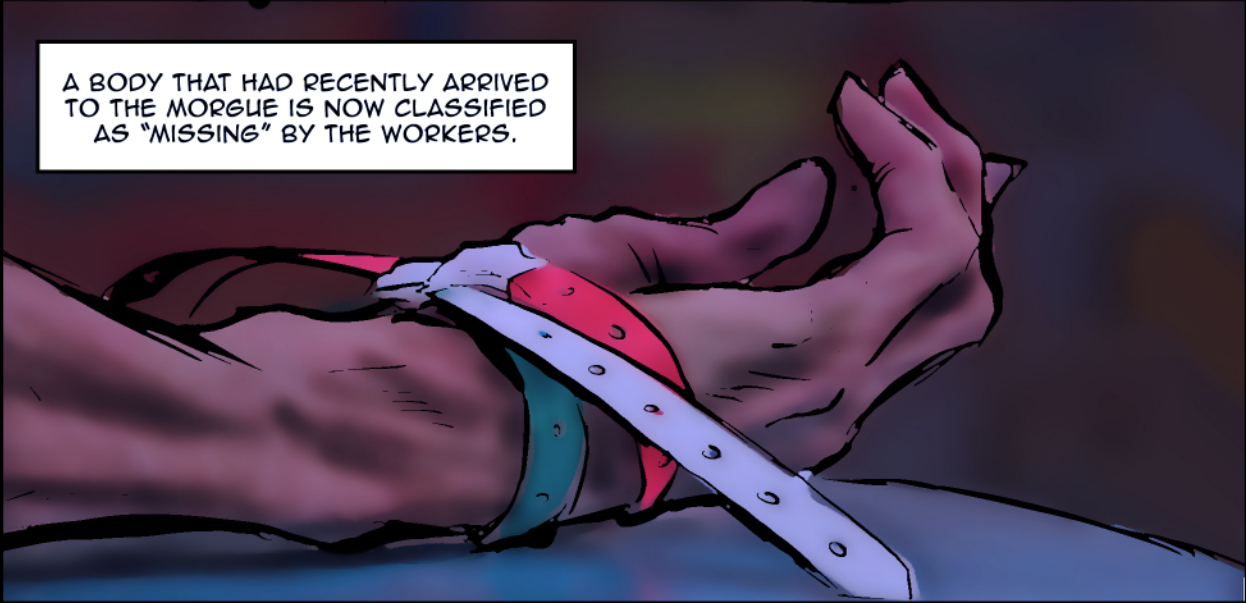
KNOWN AS THE "TRANSGRESSOR" TO MANY PROFESSIONAL WRESTLING FANS AROUND THE WORLD, HAS MYSTERIOUSLY RELINQUISHED HIS TITLE AND AND HAS TAKEN SOME TIME OFF FOR PERSONAL REASONS THAT HE DID NOT DISCLOSE.



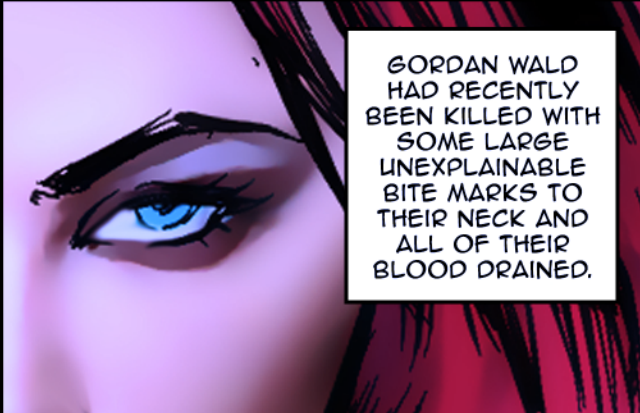
OH, SHIT...
I REALLY LIKED
THAT GUY!

I WONDER WHAT
HAPPENED.

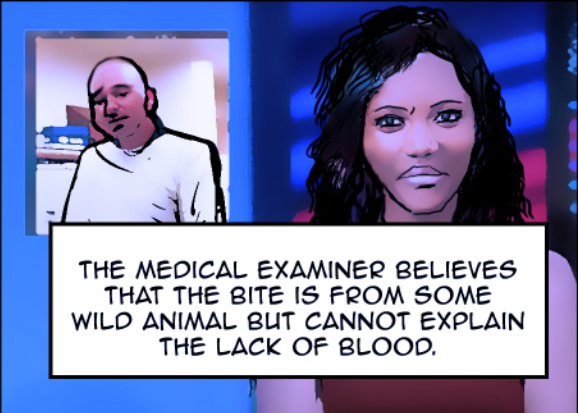
OUR FINAL STORY FOR THE NIGHT
IS A RATHER UNSETTLING ONE. WE
ASK THAT OUR MORE SENSITIVE
VIEWERS TURN AWAY BECAUSE
SOME OF THE FOLLOWING
IMAGES MAY BE DISTURBING.



A BODY THAT HAD RECENTLY ARRIVED
TO THE MORGUE IS NOW CLASSIFIED
AS "MISSING" BY THE WORKERS.



GORDAN WALD
HAD RECENTLY
BEEN KILLED WITH
SOME LARGE
UNEXPLAINABLE
BITE MARKS TO
THEIR NECK AND
ALL OF THEIR
BLOOD DRAINED.



THE MEDICAL EXAMINER BELIEVES
THAT THE BITE IS FROM SOME
WILD ANIMAL BUT CANNOT EXPLAIN
THE LACK OF BLOOD.



THIS COULD BE THE WORK OF
SOMEONE VERY DISTURBED WHO
ATTACKED GORDAN WALD AND FLED...



WOW, YOU SAID IT.
THIS WORLD REALLY
IS GOING TO SHIT.

SNAP!



BACK TO EARTH.

DON'T WORRY
ABOUT THAT SHIT.

YOU'RE RIGHT.



WHAT MATTERS
NOW, IS TONIGHT.



11:30PM



IT'S GETTING
REAL LOUD IN
HERE.



WHY DON'T WE GO
BACK TO YOUR PLACE
TO GET OURSELVES
MORE ACQUAINTED.



SURE, I DON'T LIVE
FAR FROM HERE.



YOU SURE THAT YOU'RE
OKAY WITH THAT? I COULD
BE A TOTAL FREAK AND
TAKE FULL ADVANTAGE OF
YOU.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED.

Eclipse







I WILL PROTECT
YOU FROM THE WIDDLE
PUPPYWUPPY.



YOU'RE
SOMETHING ELSE.

LET'S
GET INSIDE
BEFORE...



CLINK



SHIT...




DO YOU WANT ME
TO GET THAT?



NO, I'VE GOT IT.
THANKS.



11:45 PM




NICE PLACE.



THANKS.

MAKE
YOURSELF AT
HOME.



I WOULD
LOVE TO.

YOU LIVE
ALONE?

HOOOOOOOWL







NO THANK YOU.

BUT, I
DO WANT *you*.



NOW.



YOU DON'T
HAVE TO TELL
ME TWICE.

SO...WHERE DO
YOU SLEEP?

COME - I'LL
SHOW YOU

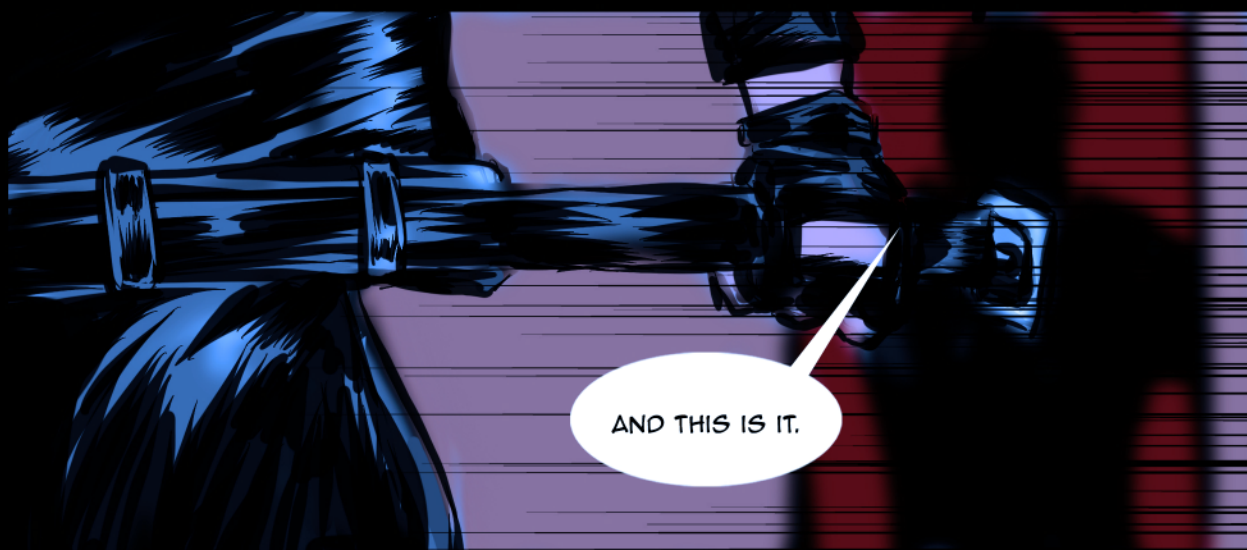


THE MOON IS
SO BEAUTIFUL
TONIGHT.

ROMANTIC, YOU
THINK?



I'VE NEVER
SEEN IT SHINE
SO BRIGHT.



AND THIS IS IT.



I LIKE YOUR
BED.



HOW ABOUT
SOME MUSIC?

SURE.

♪ UNDERNEATH THE FULL MOON... ♪



I LIKE THIS.



♪ WE ARE ONE. ♪

OH MY!



TAKE A SEAT.



♪ OUR FIERY FLAME IS DANCING... ♪

HA HA HA HA!!!
YOU'RE PRETTY
STRONG!



♪ THE NIGHT HAS JUST BEGUN. ♪

YOU HAVEN'T EVEN
SEEN WHAT I CAN
DO YET!

♪ I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR SO LONG, TO HOLD YOU CLOSE TO ME. ♪

BBZZRT

SHIT -- THE MUSIC
STOPPED.

FUCK THE MUSIC.
ON THIS NIGHT, I'M
GOING TO MAKE
YOU MINE.

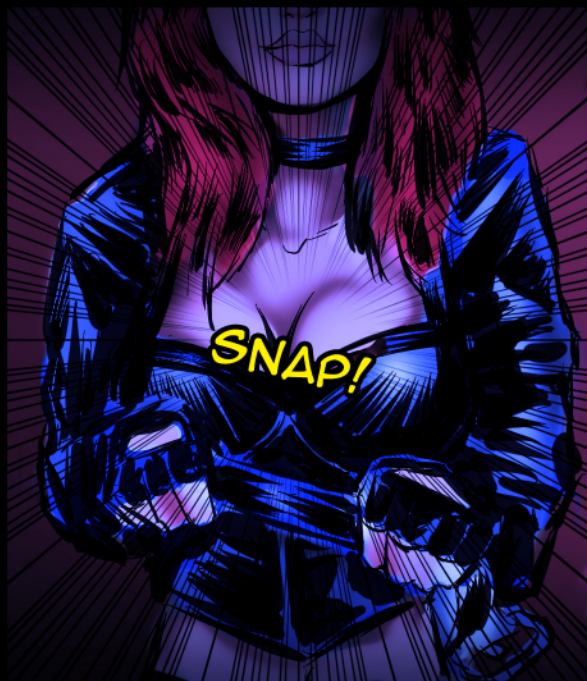
I'M NOT SURE
THAT YOU CAN
HANDLE THIS.

LIKEWISE.

YOU'RE FREEZING.



THEN WE
SHOULD HEAT
THINGS UP A
BIT...



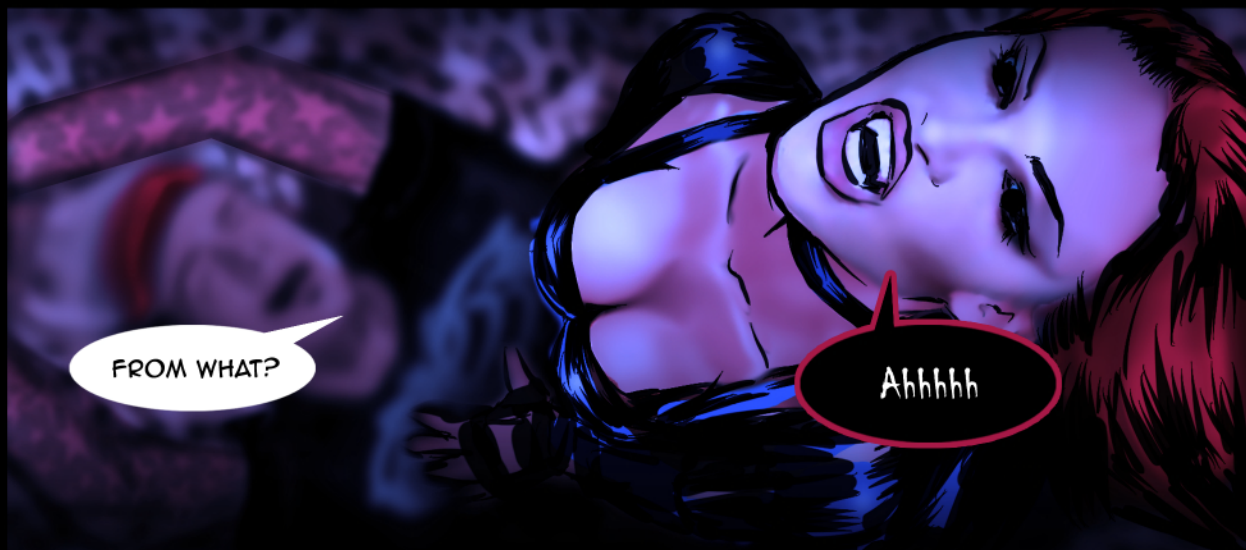
SNAP!



OH HELL YES!



YOU'RE MINE NOW.





WHAT THE
HELL AR...

AHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHHH!!!



OH HONEY, YOU
TASTE FANTASTIC!
HOT DAMN!

**STOP!
PLEASE!**

WHAT'S THE MATTER?

I THOUGHT THAT YOU
LIKED IT ROUGH!



WHY?!
WHY ARE YOU
DOING THIS?!



BECAUSE, WE ALL DO WHAT
WE MUST DO TO SURVIVE.





AWWWW...



ENJOY YOUR LAST
FEW MINUTES OF LIFE WITH
YOUR FUCKING DRAGON.



CRUNCH

CRACK

I HOPE IT WAS AS
GOOD FOR YOU...




AS IT WAS FOR ME.

DON'T LEAVE
ME HERE TO DIE
ALONE.




12:58PM




GAH! KA...



WHY...



WHOEVER...WHATEVER
IS OUT THERE...



PLEASE HEAR MY
WORDS. IF SOMETHING
THAT EVIL IS IN THE
UNIVERSE...

SOMETHING MUST
BE OUT THERE TO
BALANCE IT. HELP
ME, PLEASE!!!





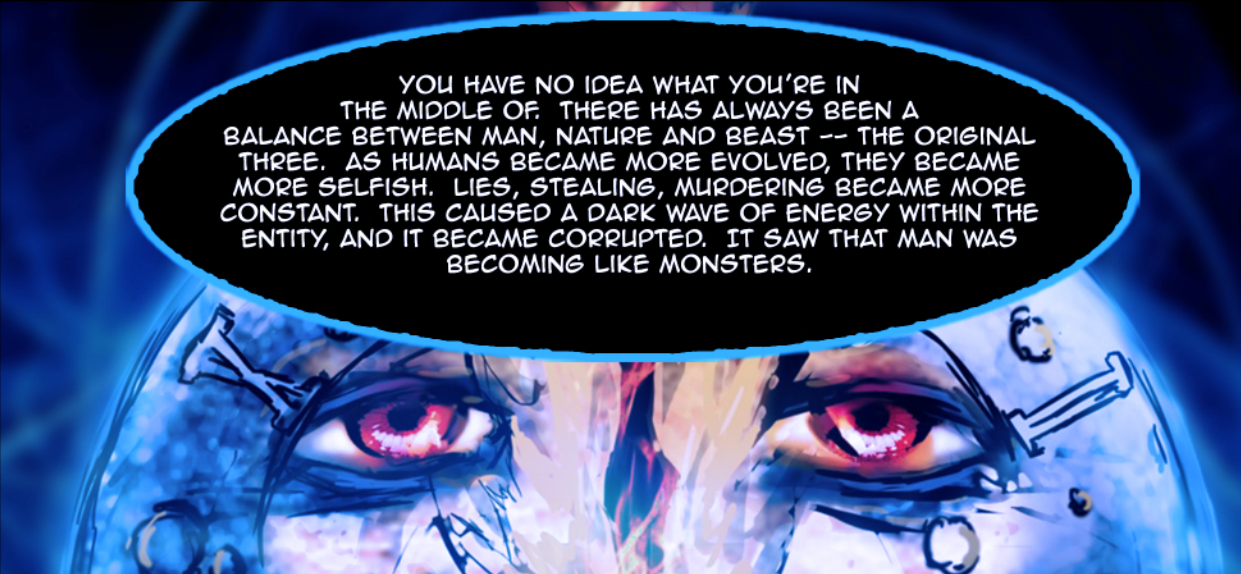
OH...THERE IS
SOMETHING IN YOUR
EYES...




BE CALM, CHILD.
RISE.

YOU'RE ALIVE?!
ALL OF THIS
TIME?! WHAT IS
GOING ON?


I WILL ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS IN DUE TIME.
YOU WERE DIRECTLY IN MY GAZE WHEN I HEARD YOUR
PLEAS. I OFTEN HEAR MANY, YET SO FEW MEAN WHAT THEY
SAY. PEOPLE PRAY, PEOPLE YELL, AND PEOPLE CRY OUT IN
THE DARK -- YET THEIR HEARTS AREN'T DEDICATED TO THEIR
OWN CAUSE OF HUMANITY. THE WORLD IS CHANGING, AND
THERE IS NO BALANCE IN THE UNIVERSE ANYMORE.



YOU HAVE NO IDEA WHAT YOU'RE IN
THE MIDDLE OF. THERE HAS ALWAYS BEEN A
BALANCE BETWEEN MAN, NATURE AND BEAST -- THE ORIGINAL
THREE. AS HUMANS BECAME MORE EVOLVED, THEY BECAME
MORE SELFISH. LIES, STEALING, MURDERING BECAME MORE
CONSTANT. THIS CAUSED A DARK WAVE OF ENERGY WITHIN THE
ENTITY, AND IT BECAME CORRUPTED. IT SAW THAT MAN WAS
BECOMING LIKE MONSTERS.



THERE ARE
MORE OF THOSE...
CREATURES OUT
THERE?

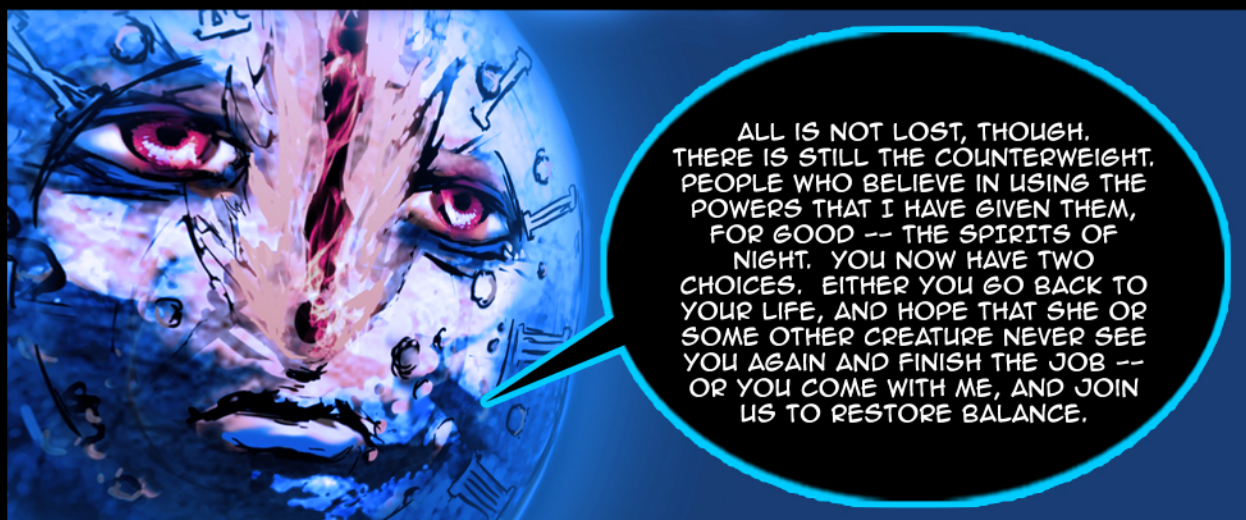


IT CAME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT IF MAN WAS
ACTING LIKE SUCH FOUL WRETCHED CREATURES, THAT IT WOULD
BECOME THE VERY THING THAT THEY ACTED LIKE. WHAT YOU
ENCOUNTERED TONIGHT WAS A CREATURE OF THE DARKNESS.
THERE IS STILL A SMALL OUNCE OF HUMANITY WITHIN HER, BUT
IT IS WANING. THE MORE SHE USES HER POWERS FOR
DARKNESS -- THE FURTHER SHE SLIPS
AWAY FROM HUMANITY.

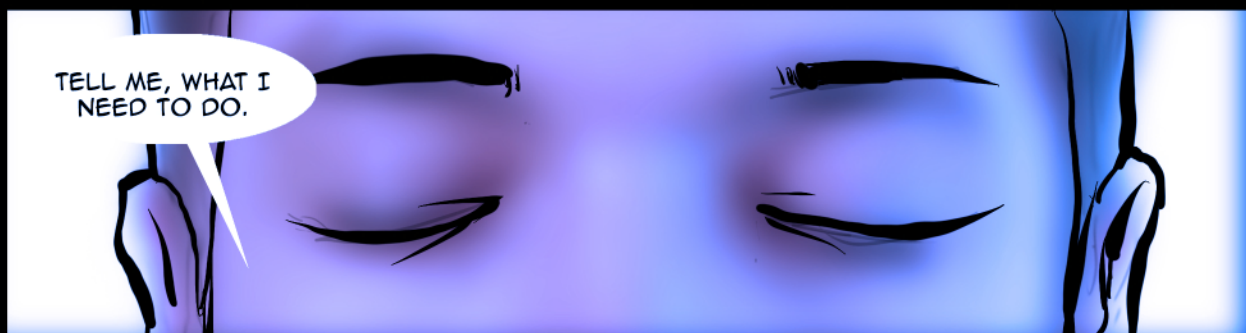


I SAW HER EYES AFTER SHE TRIED TO KILL ME. HER HUMAN SIDE TOOK OVER, AND THAT'S WHEN SHE LEFT ME TO DIE. I SAW REMORSE. SHE MUST BE STOPPED.

INDEED.



ALL IS NOT LOST, THOUGH. THERE IS STILL THE COUNTERWEIGHT. PEOPLE WHO BELIEVE IN USING THE POWERS THAT I HAVE GIVEN THEM, FOR GOOD -- THE SPIRITS OF NIGHT. YOU NOW HAVE TWO CHOICES. EITHER YOU GO BACK TO YOUR LIFE, AND HOPE THAT SHE OR SOME OTHER CREATURE NEVER SEE YOU AGAIN AND FINISH THE JOB -- OR YOU COME WITH ME, AND JOIN US TO RESTORE BALANCE.



TELL ME, WHAT I NEED TO DO.

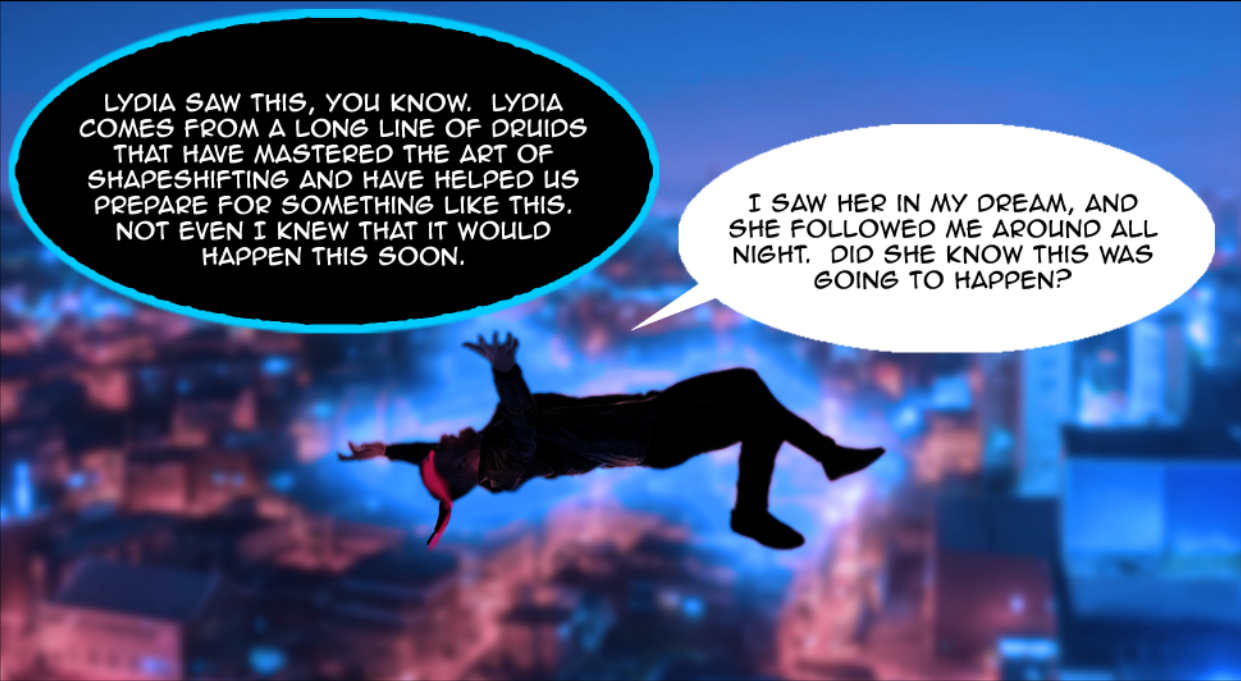


STEP INTO MY LIGHT.





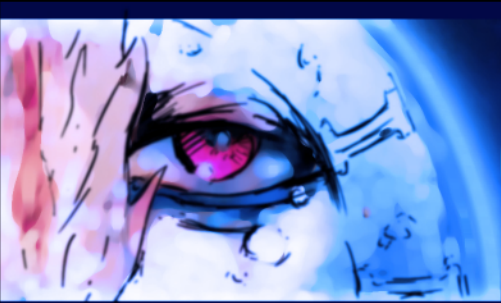




LYDIA SAW THIS, YOU KNOW. LYDIA COMES FROM A LONG LINE OF DRUIDS THAT HAVE MASTERED THE ART OF SHAPESHIFTING AND HAVE HELPED US PREPARE FOR SOMETHING LIKE THIS. NOT EVEN I KNEW THAT IT WOULD HAPPEN THIS SOON.




I SAW HER IN MY DREAM, AND SHE FOLLOWED ME AROUND ALL NIGHT. DID SHE KNOW THIS WAS GOING TO HAPPEN?



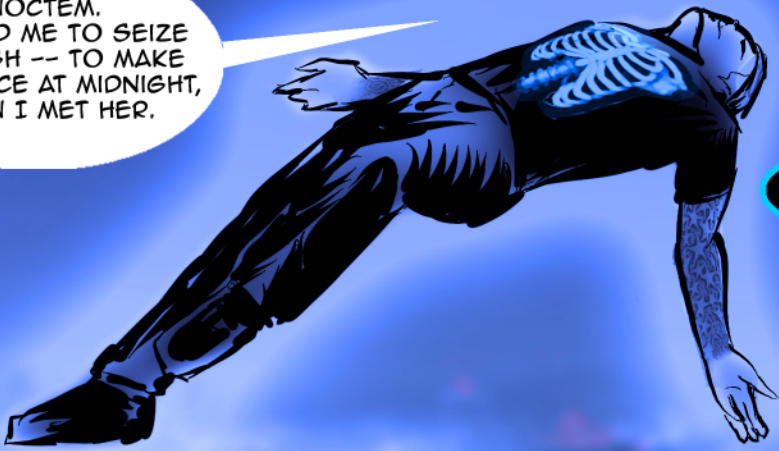
YES, HER SECOND GIFT IS PEERING INTO DREAMS AS SHE MEDITATES THEN SLEEPS. SHE FELT A STRONG ATTRACTION TO YOUR DREAM AND PEERED IN AS A WOLF TO SEE WHAT MADE YOUR DREAM SO DIFFERENT.



WHY DIDN'T SHE WARN ME?!



IT WAS ORDAINED BY FATE. FATE KNEW THAT THE TIME WAS CLOSE AT HAND, AND HAD TO ACT QUICKLY. HE CHOSE YOU. BUT IN THE ACTION OF CHOOSING YOU, HE GAVE YOU THE ULTIMATE CHOICE. HE SPOKE IN RIDDLES TO YOU... CARPE...



NOCTEM.
HE TOLD ME TO SEIZE
THE NIGH -- TO MAKE
MY CHOICE AT MIDNIGHT,
WHEN I MET HER.

CORRECT.



WHY ME,
THOUGH?

YOU ARE STRONGER THAN
YOU KNOW, AND YOU WILL SEE
THAT SOON. FOR NOW -- REST,
AND SHUT EVERYTHING ELSE OUT.
I CAN ONLY HEAL YOU SO MUCH
WHILE YOU'RE AWAKE.

WHAT IS YOUR NAME?




I AM NIGHT.



WHAT DO YOU
KNOW?!?!?

ROAAARRRRRRR!!!!



I-I-I DON'T KNOW
ANYTHING, MAN... WOLF...
WHATEVER THE FUCK
YOU ARE?!

I SWEAR!
PLEASE DON'T
KILL ME.



SNIFF
SNIFF



I BELIEVE YOU...
BUT I WILL BE
WATCHING YOU...

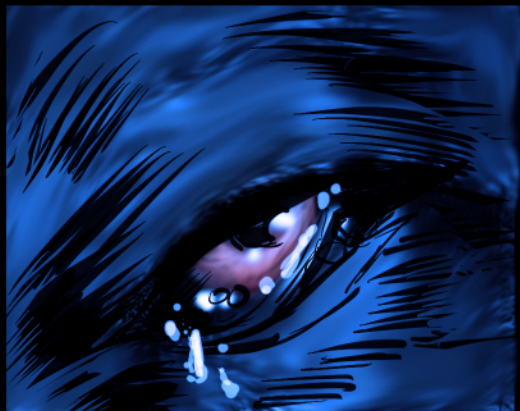
THUD



DON'T YOU EVER
STEAL ANYTHING EVER
AGAIN -- DO YOU HEAR
ME?!

I PROMISE, I WON'T!
BY THE HEAVENS I
WON'T!

AAAAAAAAAWOOOOOOOOOOOOOO!!



OH DEAR... I'M GOING TO HAVE
TO ADDRESS THAT SOON.



JOE... WAKE UP.

WE'RE HERE.



I FEEL
REFRESHED...



LIKE
NOTHING EVEN
HIT ME.



I FEEL STRONGER
THAN I HAVE EVER
BEEN, BEFORE.



GOOD. MY HEALING
ABILITIES ARE STRONGER
WHEN YOU'RE ASLEEP AND
DREAMING. IT SHOWS THAT
THERE'S A WILL TO FIGHT.



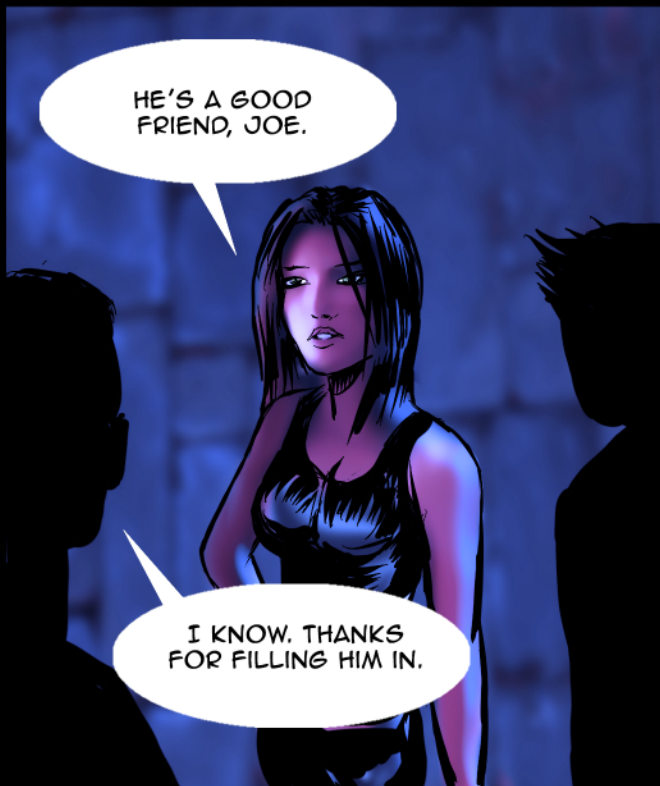
I'M READY.



I'M SO GLAD TO SEE
YOU'RE OK, MAN!



LYDIA TOLD ME
EVERYTHING.



HE'S A GOOD
FRIEND, JOE.

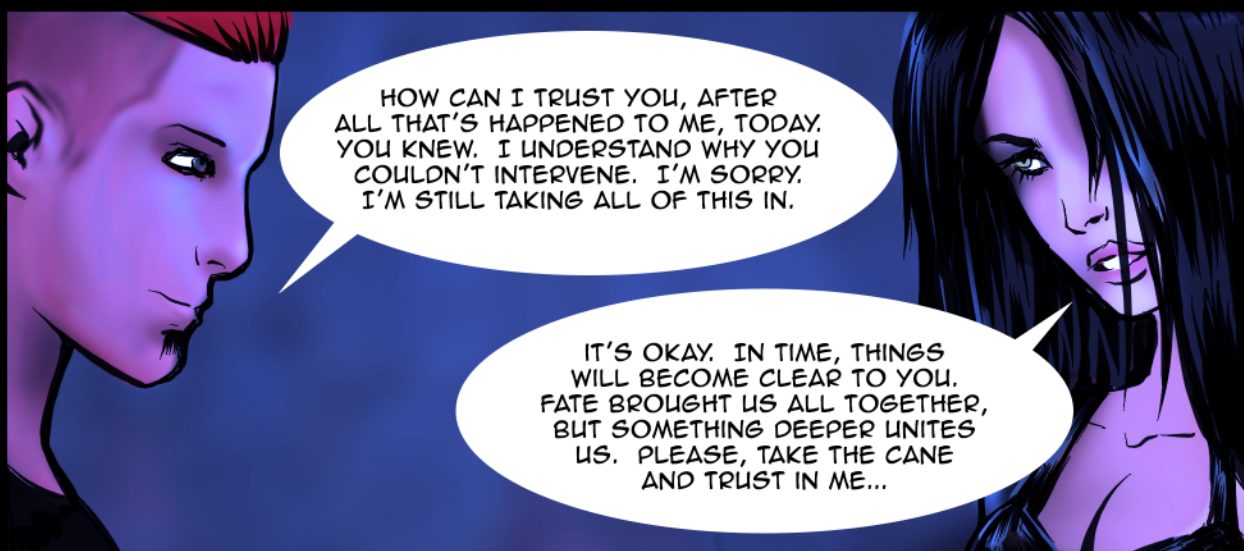
I KNOW. THANKS
FOR FILLING HIM IN.




LYDIA, THIS IS
AMAZING!

IT'S HOME.

OH, BY THE WAY
JOE...







NOW WE HAVE OTHER IMPORTANT
MATTERS TO ATTEND TO.

THE OATH.

CHARLEMAGNE,
GET THE SWORD



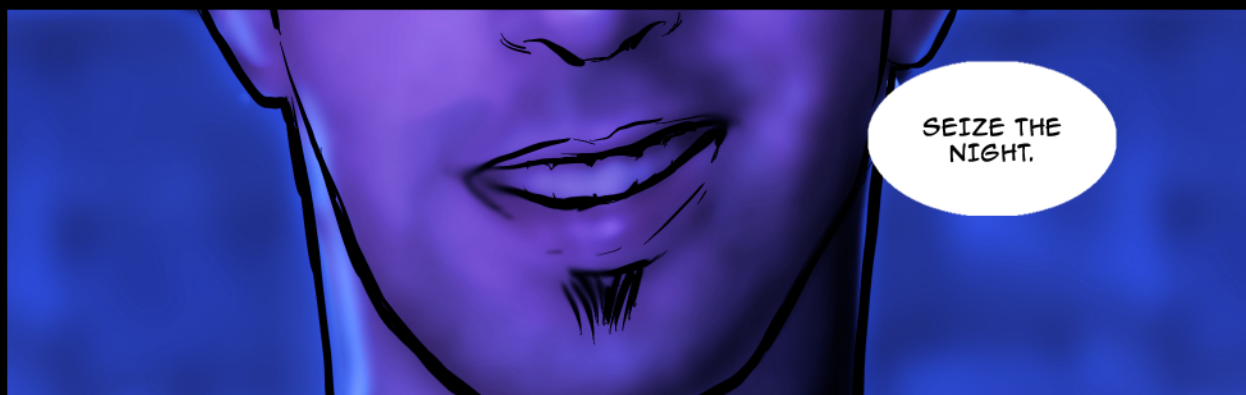
JOE, BEFORE ANYTHING ELSE IS
DONE -- YOU HAVE TO CONFIRM TO
THE HIGHER POWERS ABOVE MYSELF
YOUR INTENTIONS TO BE OUR PRIME
WEAPON TO RESTORE BALANCE. DO
YOU AGREE?

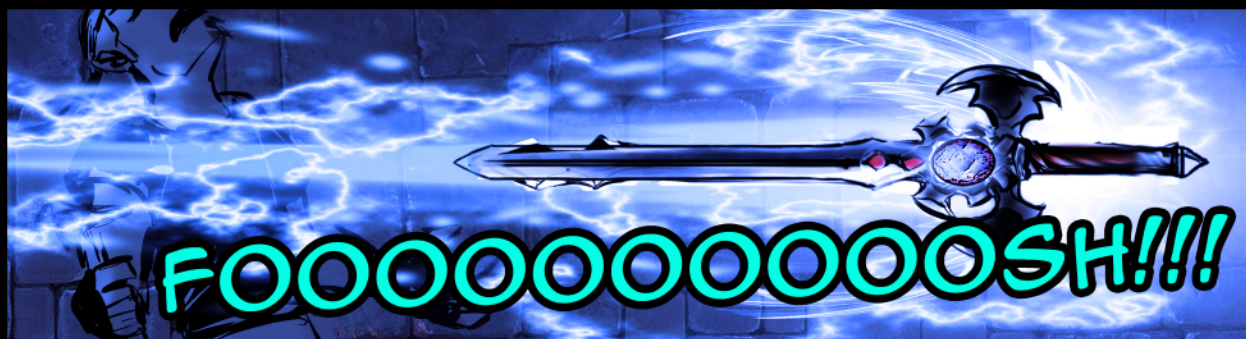
I AGREE.











JOE?



RISE, CHAMPION
OF THE NIGHT.



IT IS DONE.





FATE!?!

THE MIRROR
AWAITS YOU.



MIRROR?

OH, LOOK AT
WHAT WE HAVE
HERE! A CRIPPLE,
AND HIS FREAK
FRIENDS.



JOE...

QUIET.

THIS IS HIS FIGHT.
BEFORE HE CAN LAY
ANYTHING ELSE TO REST,
HE HAS TO LAY HIS OWN
DEMONS TO REST.



CLEARLY, I HAVE THE LOOKS AND BRAINS OUT OF US BOTH. YOUR DAD WAS RIGHT WHEN HE SAID THAT HIS REAL KID DIED AT BIRTH.



CRASH!

YOU PIECE OF SHIT!



ARE YOU GOING TO TAKE THAT FROM HIM, JOSEPH?



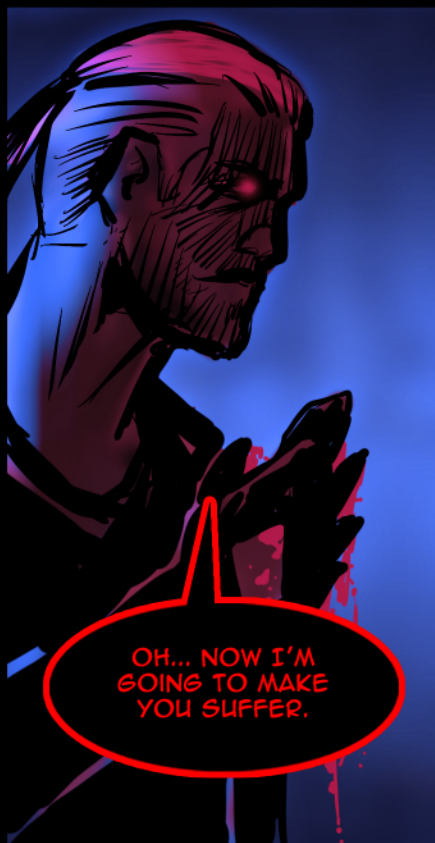
STAY DOWN, AND LET ME FINISH THIS QUICKLY!

IT'S HAPPENING... JOE, BE CALM.





LET ME OUT.

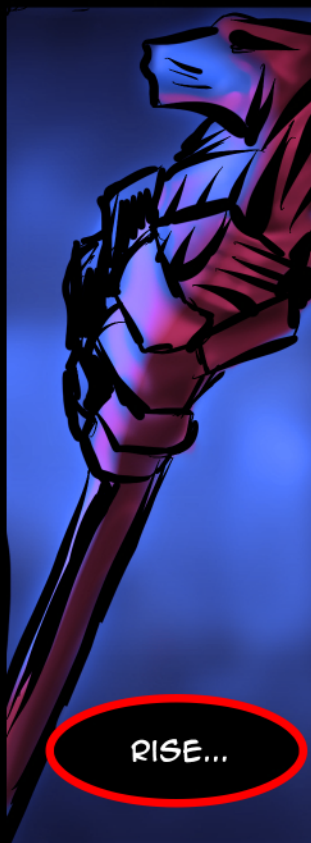


OH... NOW I'M
GOING TO MAKE
YOU SUFFER.



NO... YOU WON'T.
YOUR END WILL BE
MY NEW BEGINNING.

RISE...



RISE...



UHHHH.



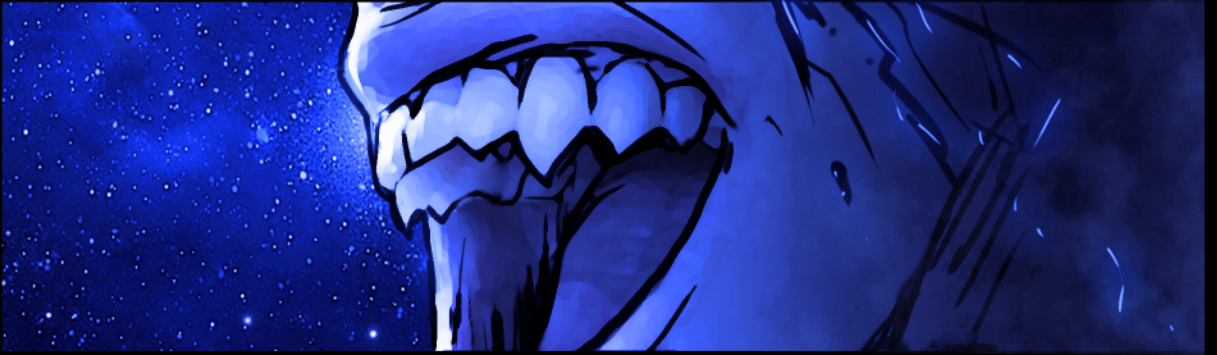
YOU'LL NEVER
BE RID OF ME...

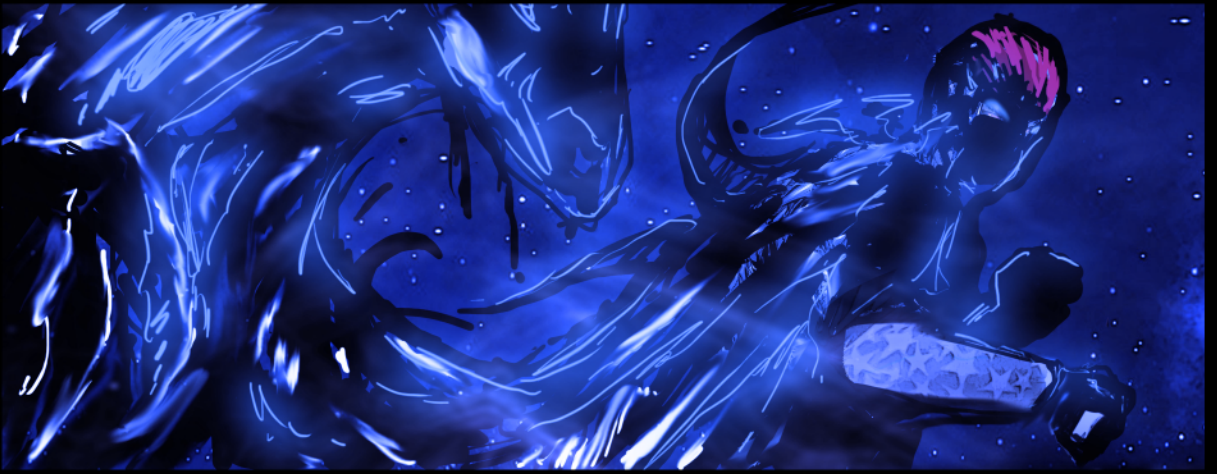


I'LL ALWAYS BE
A PART OF YOU.



HAHAHAHAHA!!!!!!!!!!!!

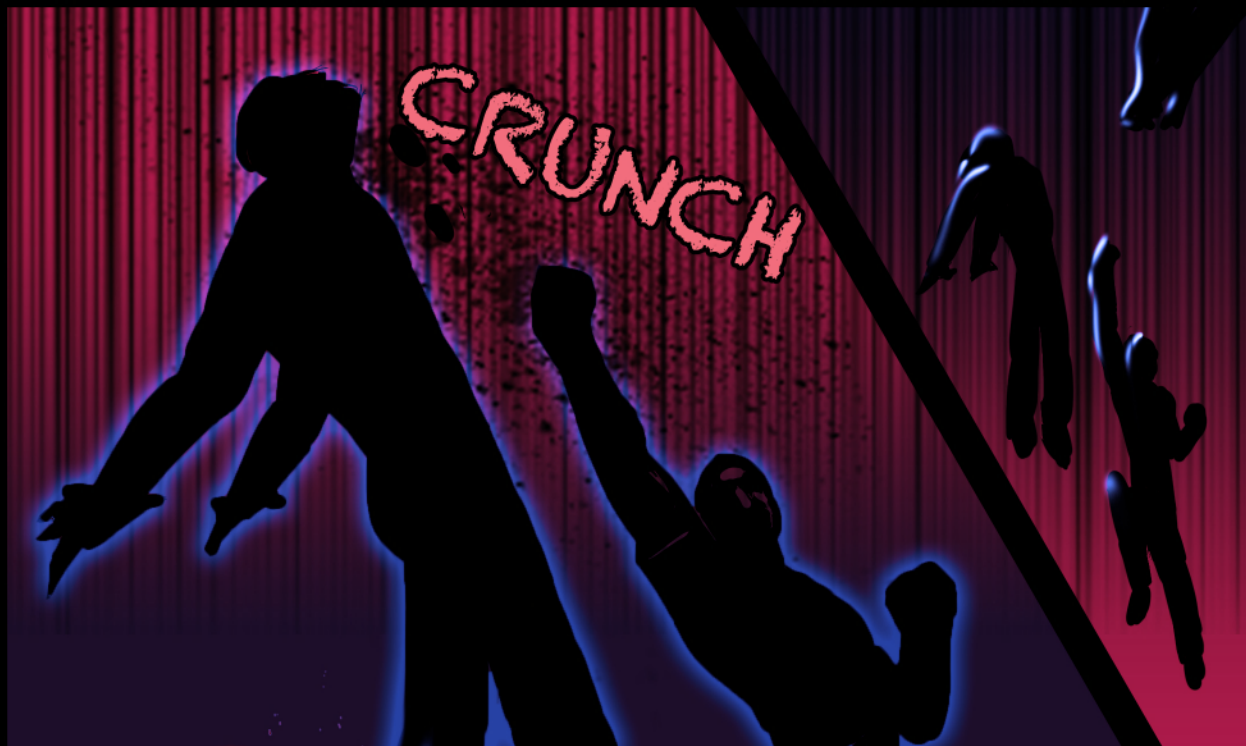










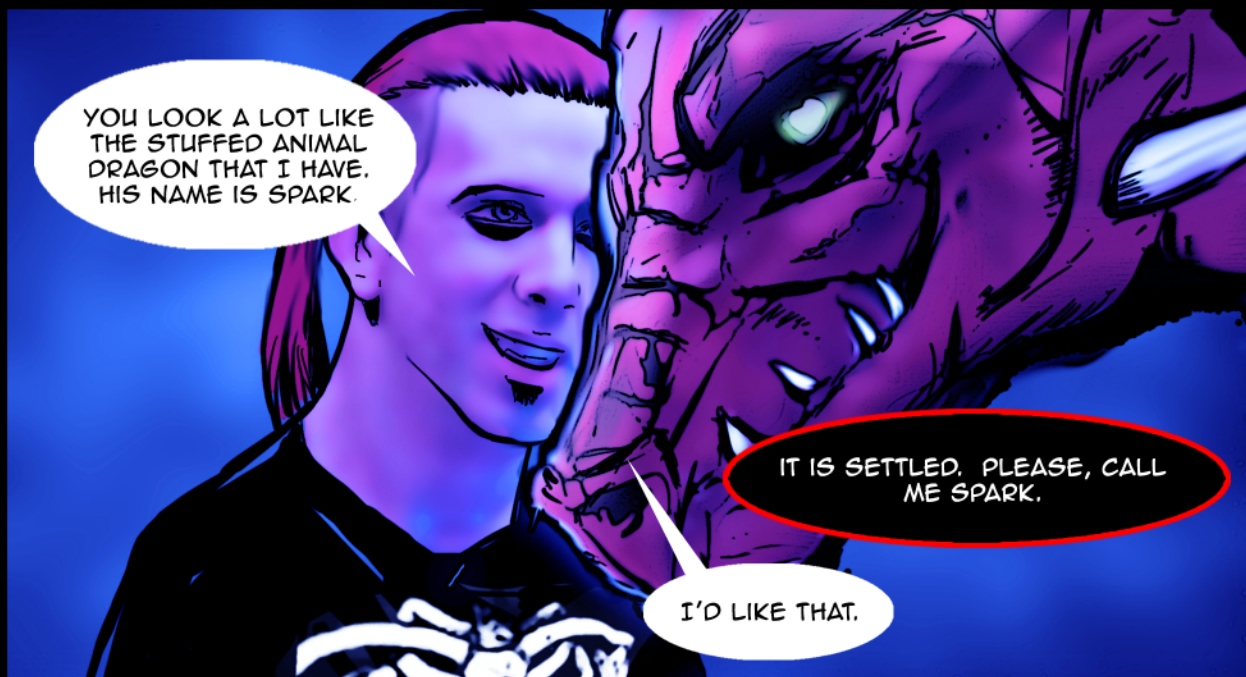




IT WILL BE OKAY.
DON'T WORRY.

MY GOSH, I'M
CRYING...

I GET THAT FROM MY
GRANDFATHER'S SIDE
OF THE FAMILY.



YOU LOOK A LOT LIKE
THE STUFFED ANIMAL
DRAGON THAT I HAVE.
HIS NAME IS SPARK.

IT IS SETTLED. PLEASE, CALL
ME SPARK.

I'D LIKE THAT.



JOE, YOU HAVE
DONE WELL.

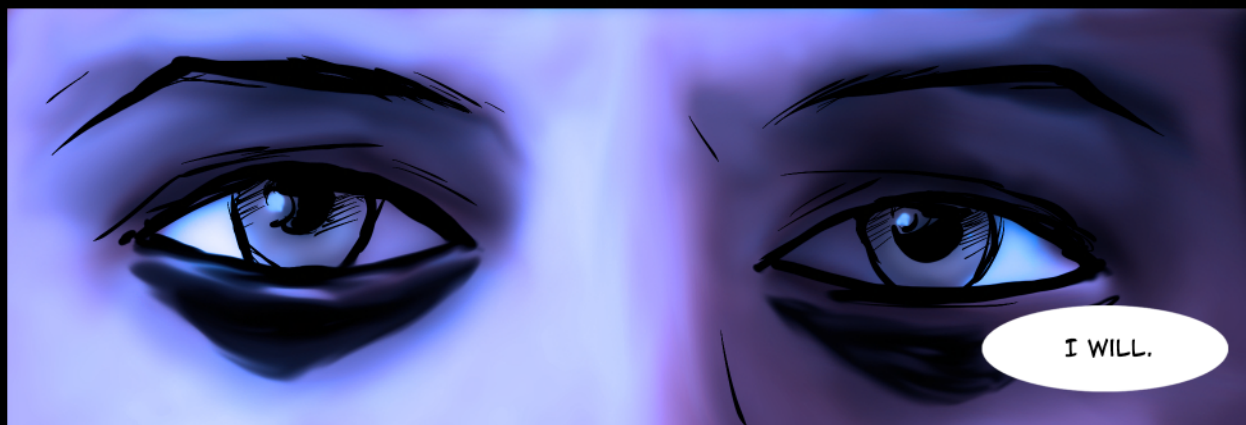
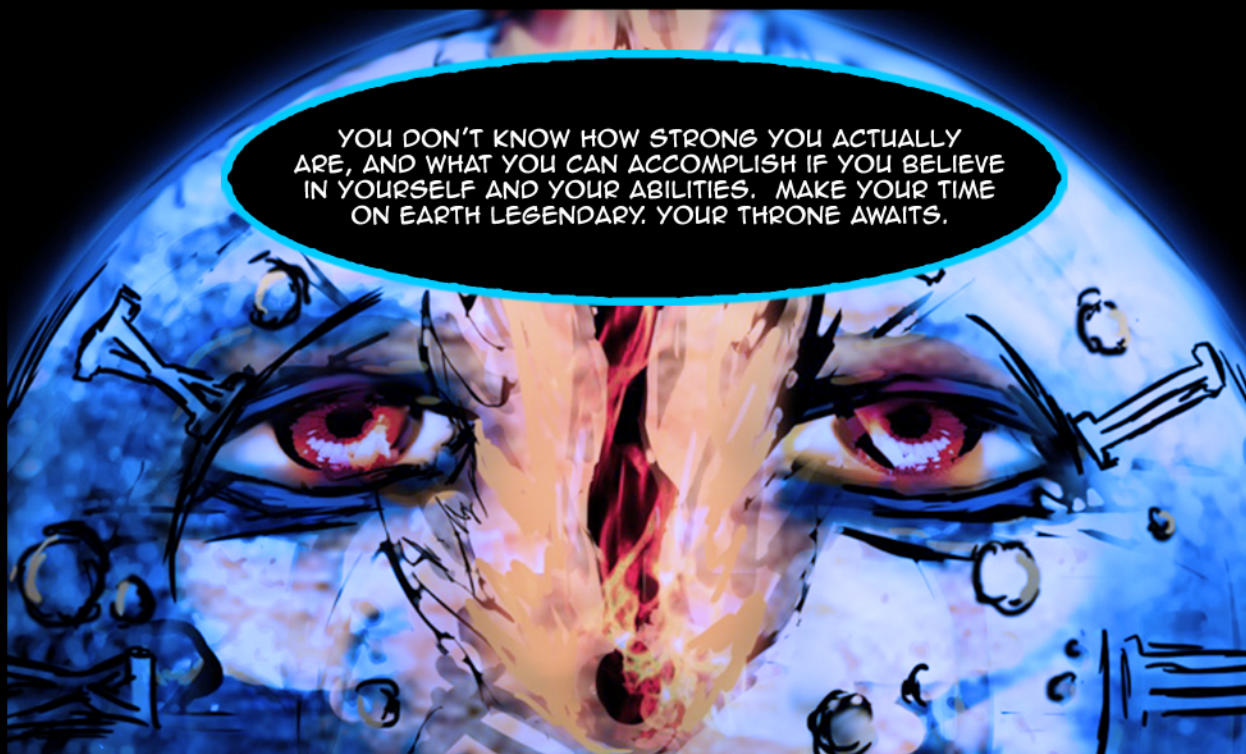


I WILL BE
WATCHING YOU.






YOU DON'T KNOW HOW STRONG YOU ACTUALLY ARE, AND WHAT YOU CAN ACCOMPLISH IF YOU BELIEVE IN YOURSELF AND YOUR ABILITIES. MAKE YOUR TIME ON EARTH LEGENDARY. YOUR THRONE AWAITS.



I WILL.



IT'S ALMOST MORNING. I MUST
LEAVE, SOON. KNOW THIS, YOU ARE STILL MORTAL.
WHILE YOU ARE DISCOVERING WHAT YOU'RE
ACTUALLY CAPABLE OF, YOU WILL ONLY BE ABLE TO
SHIFT AT NIGHT. YOU WILL BE EVEN STRONGER IN
MY LIGHT.

AND MOST OF ALL, YOU MUST BE
CAREFUL DURING THE DAY. GO ON
ABOUT YOUR DAILY BUSINESS.
DURING THE NIGHT, WE WILL MAKE
OUR STAND.

I UNDERSTAND.

GO REST. LYDIA WILL TAKE
YOU HOME. CHARLEMAGNE
MUST GO INSIDE BEFORE IT
GETS LIGHT OUT.



RETURN TO ME



I AM HERE
ANYTIME YOU NEED
ME, BECAUSE WE
SHARE A LINK. DAY
OR NIGHT - I'M WITH
YOU.



WELL, WASN'T THIS A
FUCKING TRIP! SEE YOU AT THE
STUDIO, IN THE AFTERNOON! I
DON'T THINK THAT WE SHOULD
TELL ANYONE WHAT
HAPPENED...

YOU KNOW... WE MIGHT
GET LOCKED UP.

RIGHT.



THANK YOU.



NO. THANK YOU.
I NOW KNOW WHAT I
NEED TO DO - MY
PURPOSE.



MAGDA...
YOU HAVE A
GUEST.

MMMMMMMMMM...



ABSOLUTELY
DELICIOUS.



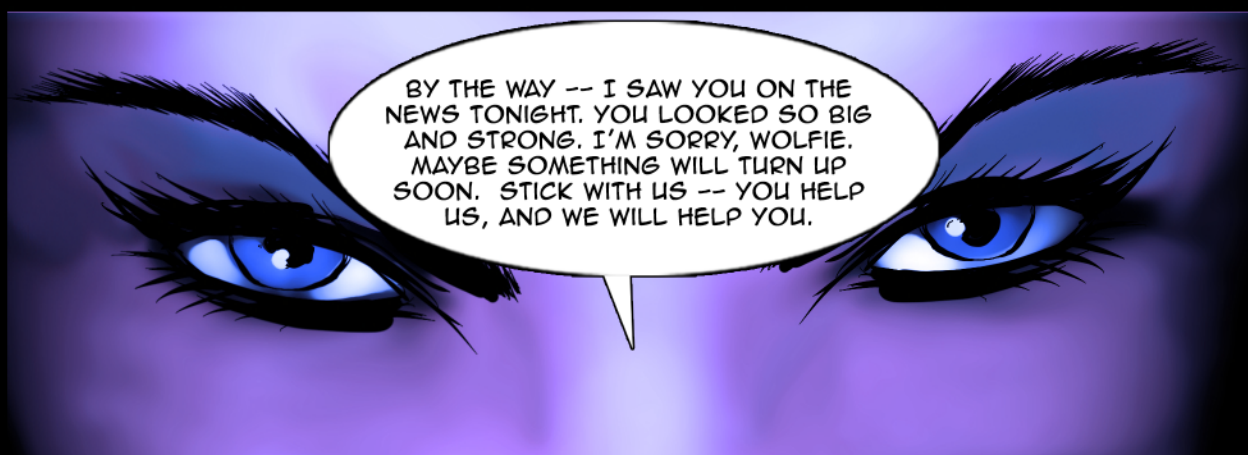
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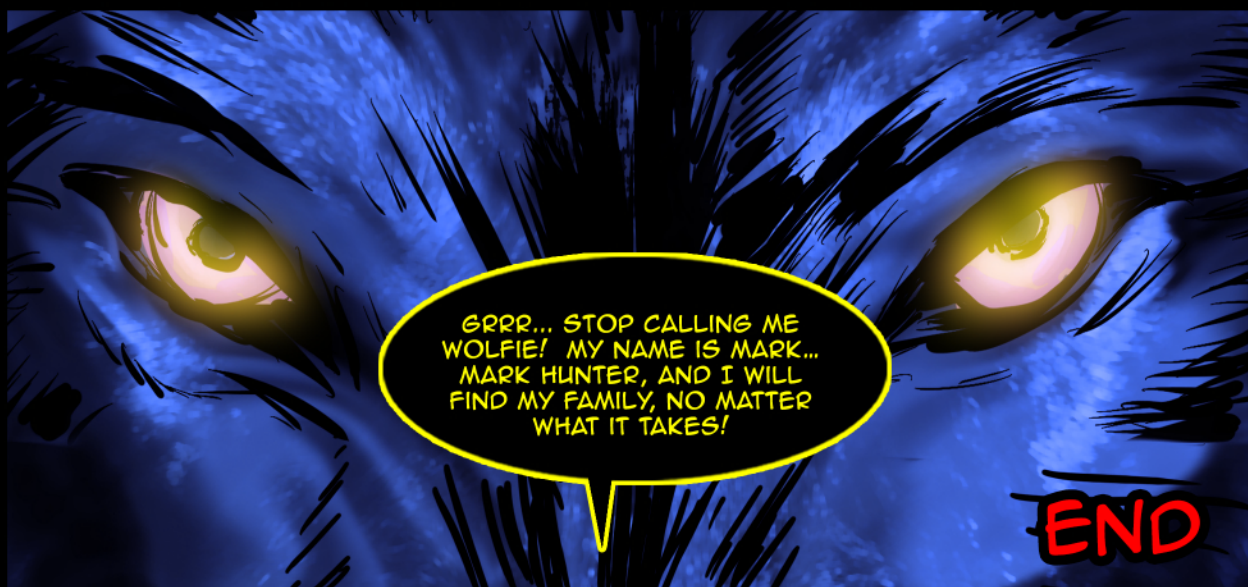


OH, LOOK WHO IT IS!
DID YOU HAVE ANY LUCK WITH
FINDING ANY INFORMATION
ABOUT YOUR WIFE AND
DAUGHTER?

GRRR... NO. A COLD
TRAIL... AGAIN.



BY THE WAY -- I SAW YOU ON THE
NEWS TONIGHT. YOU LOOKED SO BIG
AND STRONG. I'M SORRY, WOLFIE.
MAYBE SOMETHING WILL TURN UP
SOON. STICK WITH US -- YOU HELP
US, AND WE WILL HELP YOU.



GRRR... STOP CALLING ME
WOLFIE! MY NAME IS MARK...
MARK HUNTER, AND I WILL
FIND MY FAMILY, NO MATTER
WHAT IT TAKES!

END

Hi and thank you SO MUCH for checking out my debut graphic novel. My team and I put so much into this book. I really hope that you dug what I consider now as the trailer for what is to come.

Some people say that you need to be absolutely out of your damn mind to follow your dreams and make your own path. What do I say? I say that you have to be a little crazy, a dreamer and a fighter to go for what you believe in.

I had a vision in my head that kept calling to me. I had already started on my professional music path and thought that this graphic novel was yet another way to tell my story and bring it to the next level.

The story, like my music, kept evolving – twisting and turning as it grew wings. I kept getting inspired by things old and new and had a countless amount of long night conversations with my team. In the beginning of coming up with the idea for the story, we had no idea that it would turn into something way bigger than just a standard sized comic book.

I hope that this book and my music inspires you. May it light an even bigger fire within you to follow your dreams.

For more information on Night Spirit and how you can help give me the humble task of continuing the story, please visit:

www.nightspirit.net

Best,
Joe Melluzzo

The Call of Night