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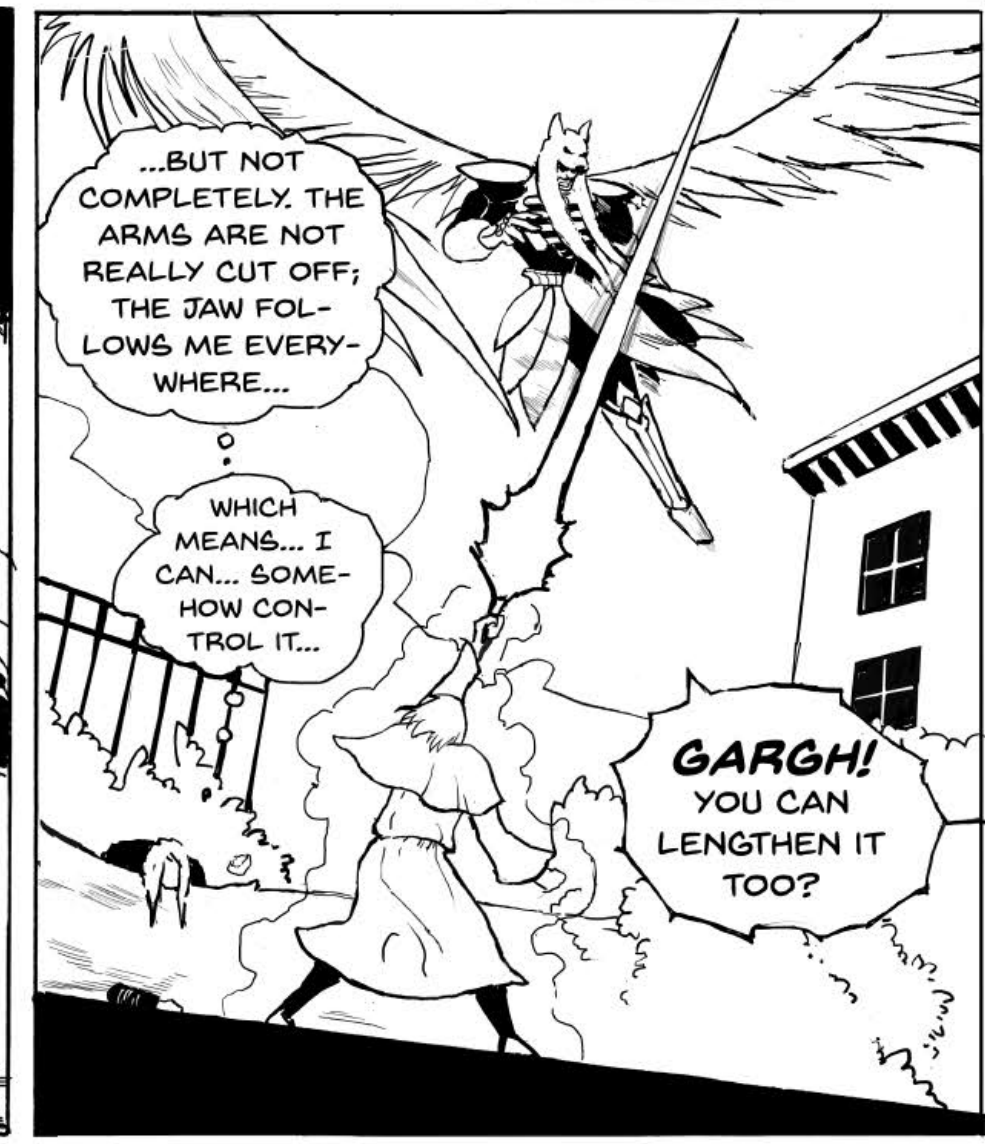
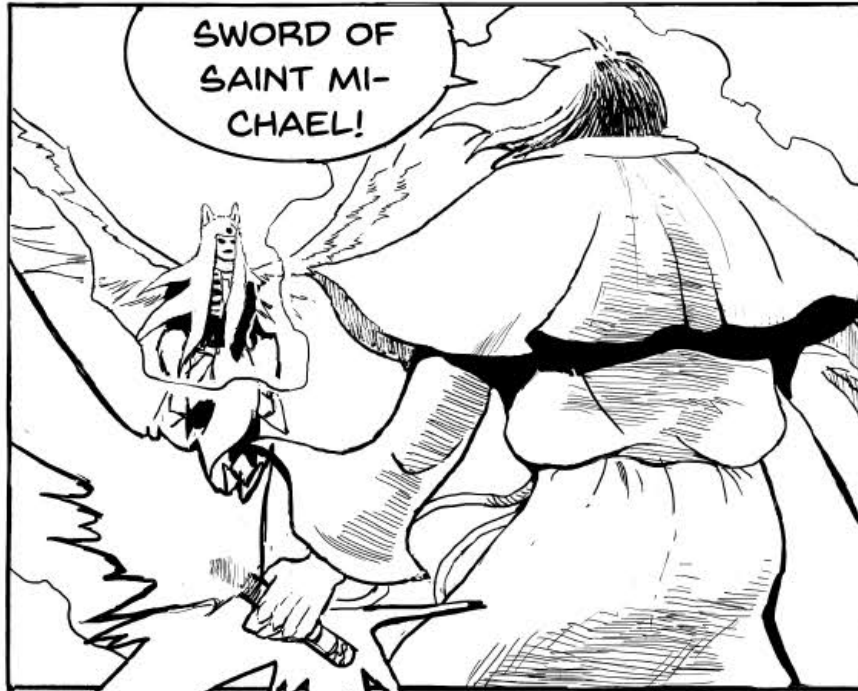
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MAYBE I CAN... USE MY ARMS, YEAH, TO...



MAN-BEAST...



HM?



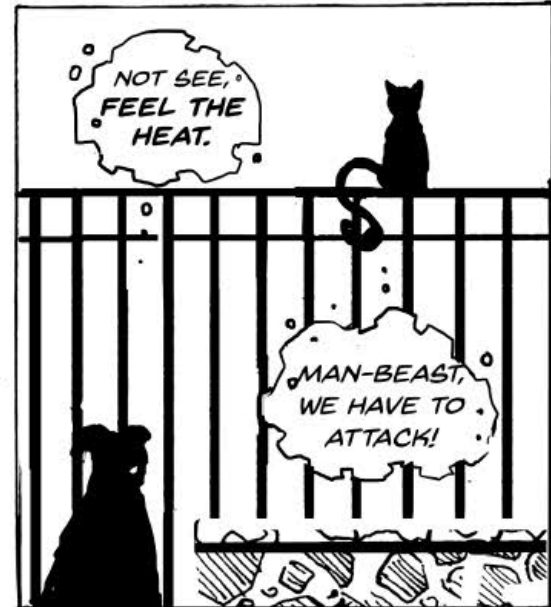
MAN-BEAST! THEY ATTACK-ING!



DEFEND US! WE! WHAT TO DO?



WAIT. YOU SEE THE GUY? YOU SEE US?

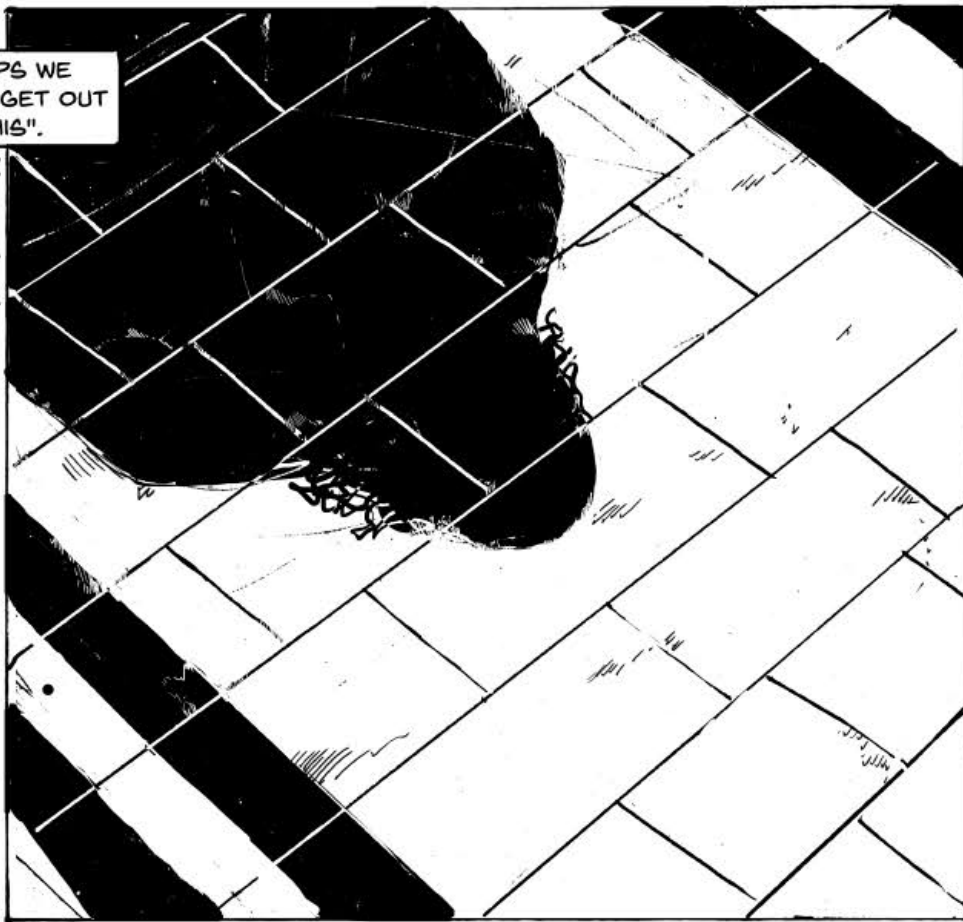
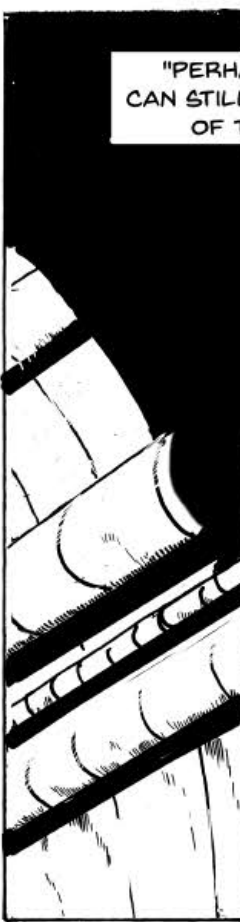


NOT SEE, FEEL THE HEAT.

MAN-BEAST, WE HAVE TO ATTACK!



HMM.



"PERHAPS WE CAN STILL GET OUT OF THIS".



ADAM.

GET OUT OF HERE.



SO YOU CAN ACCUSE ME OF BEING A COWARD?



DON'T WORRY, ADAM. I ONLY COME FOR SIGURD.

YOU CAN GO... FOR NOW.



HE'S A HEREMITE. A HIGH-RANKED ONE. GO.



AREN'T THESE THE ONES WHO FORCED YOU TO FRAME ME JUST TO FUCK WITH YOU?



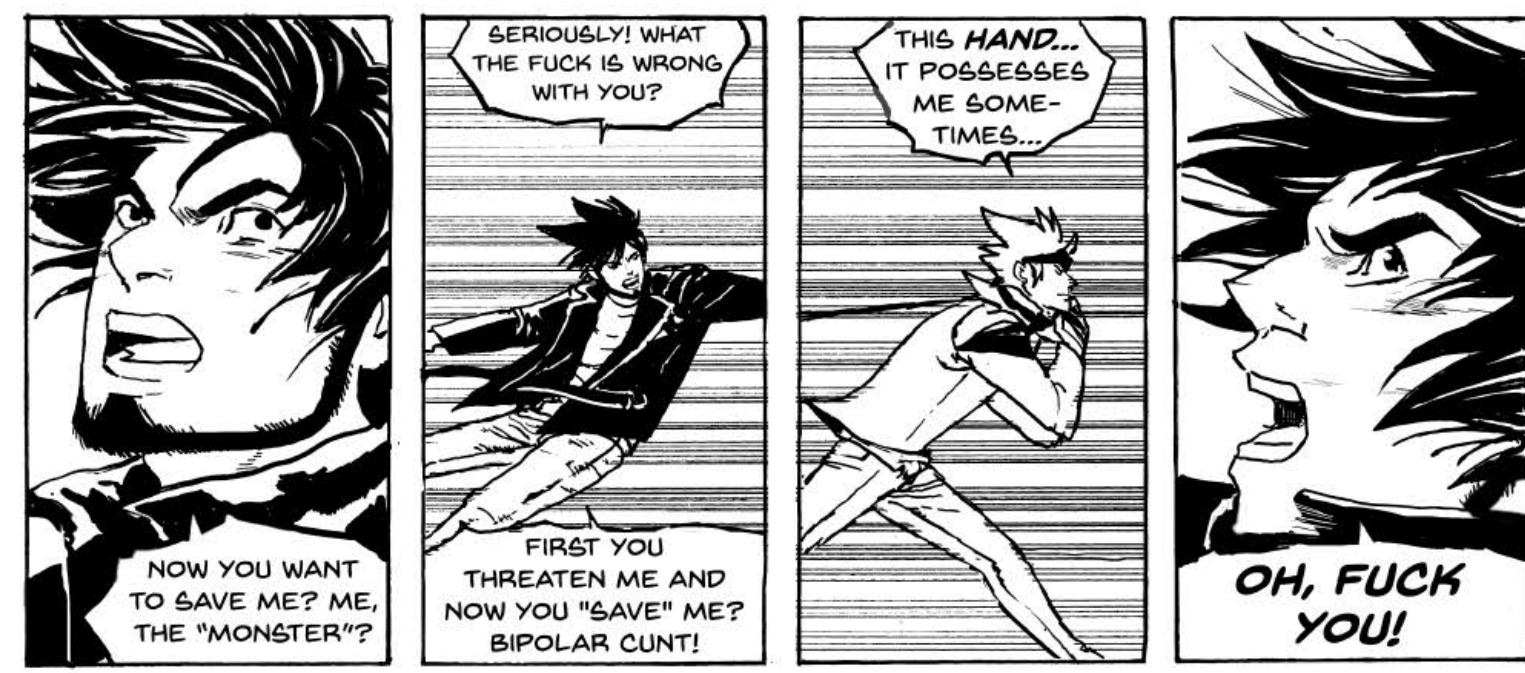
HE SAID THAT?

WE JUST WANTED TO TRAIN HIM IN OUR WAYS.

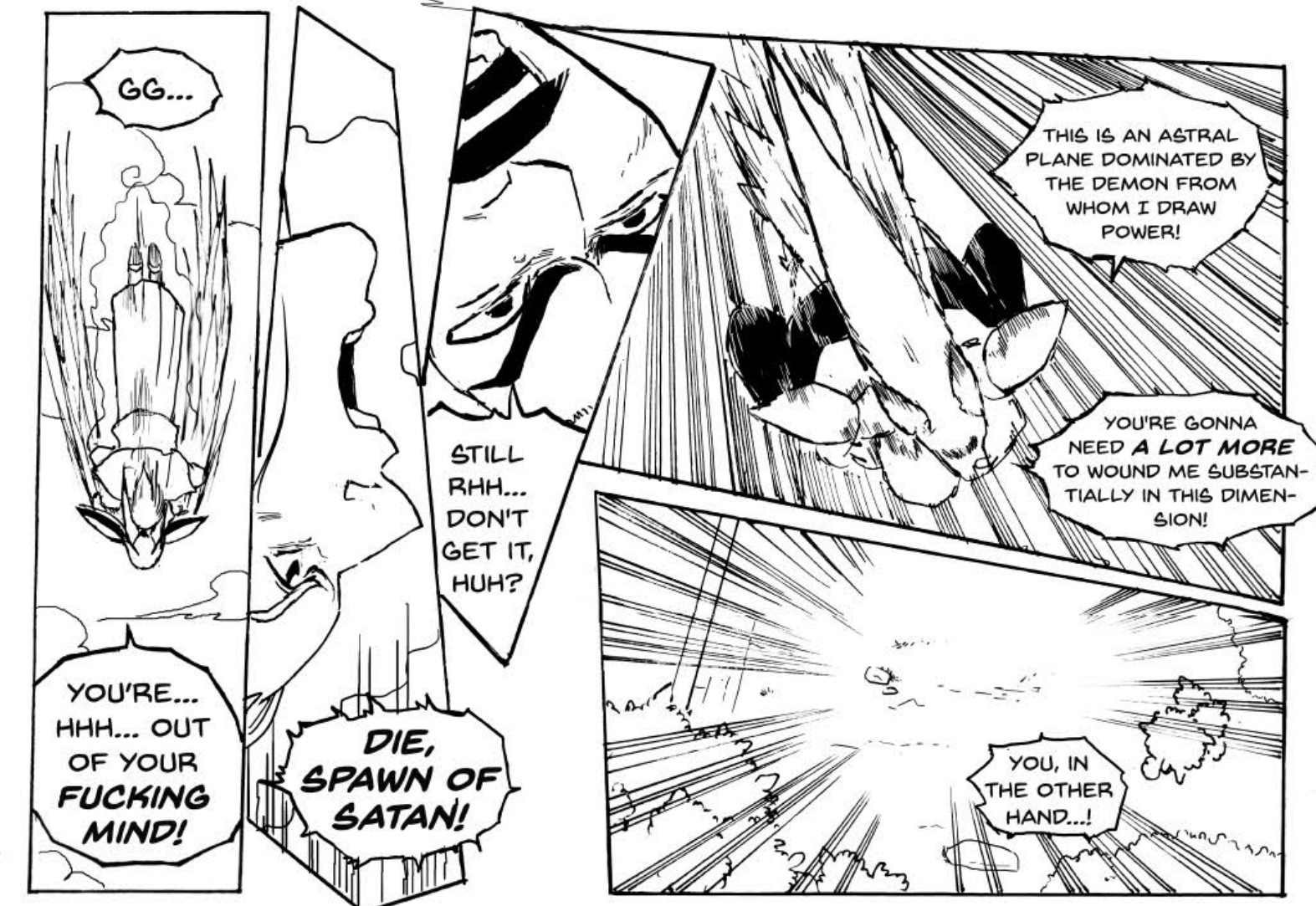
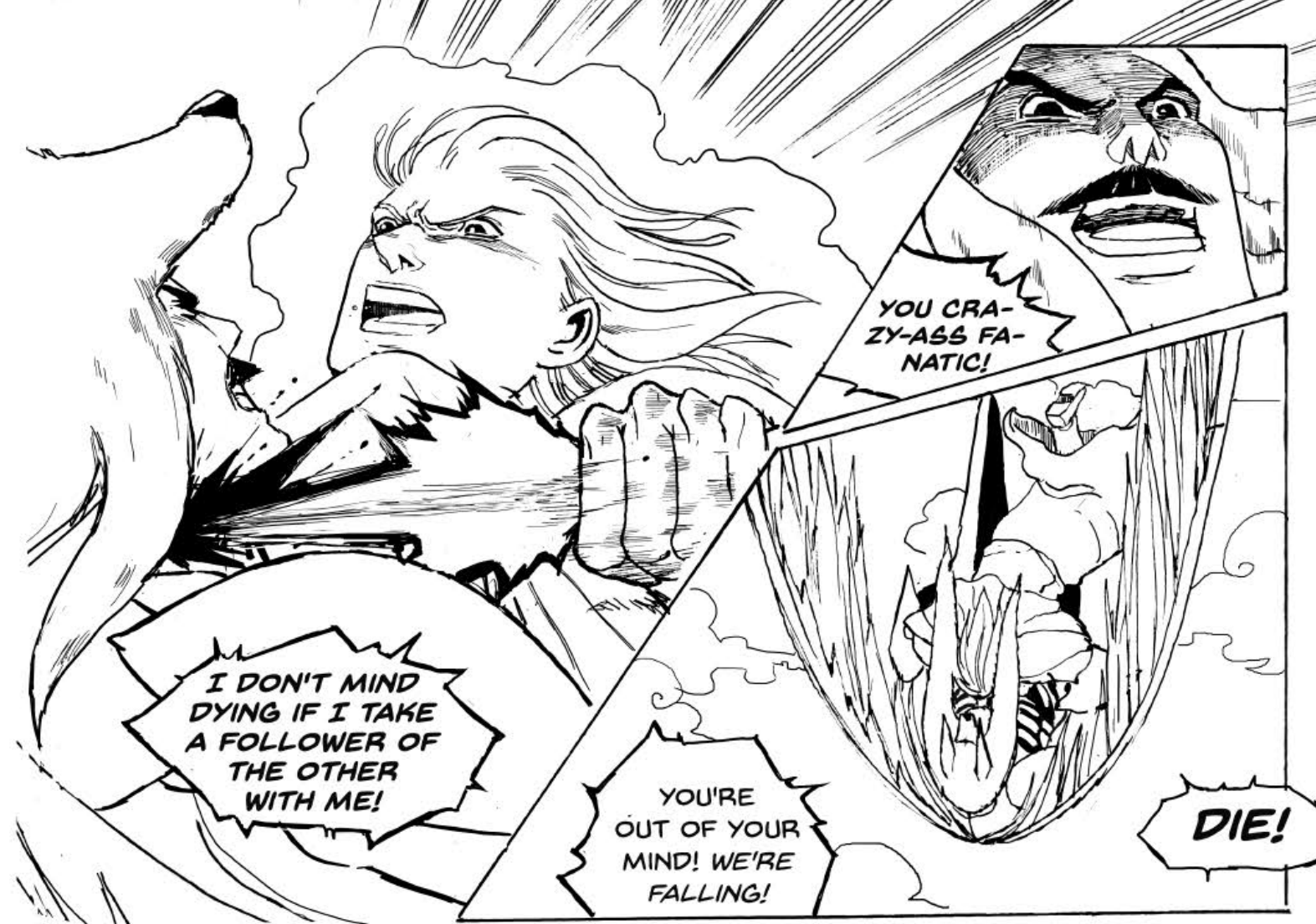


A LOT OF WILL-POWER IS REQUIRED TO BE **SOMEONE** IN OUR ORGANIZATION.

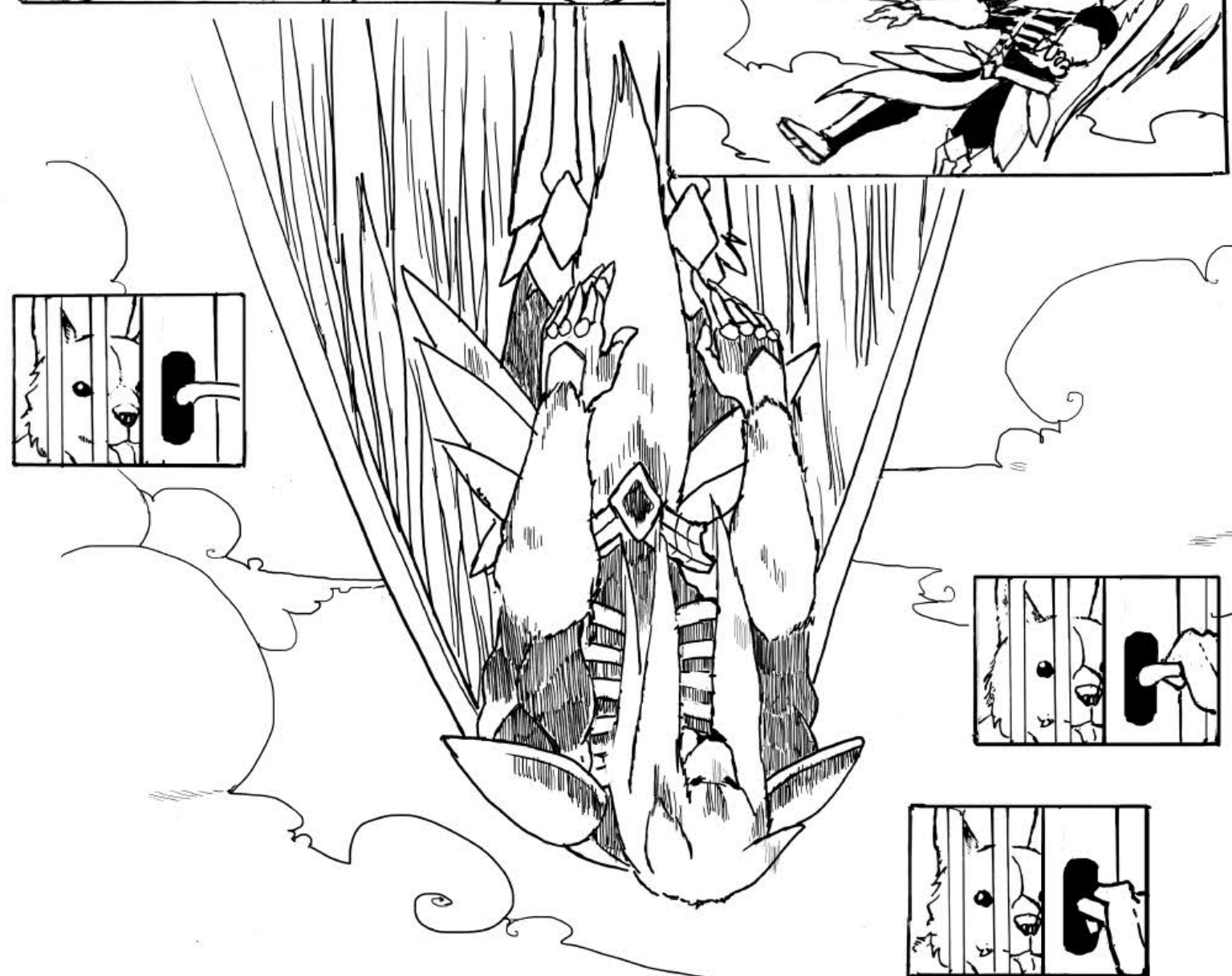
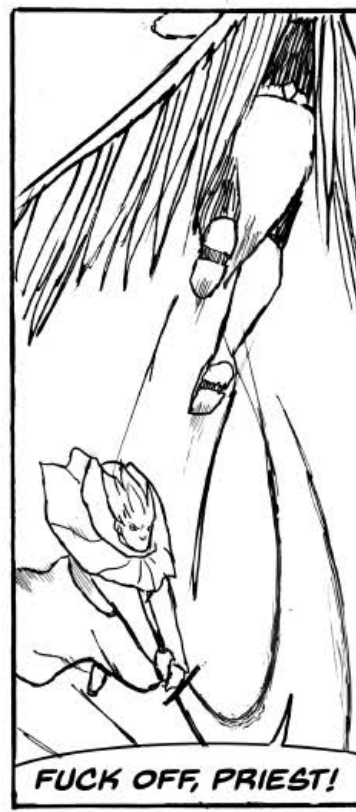
I'M BEGINNING TO SEE WHY SIGURD CONSIDERS YOU THE WORST ONES...















KEEP HIM  
BUSY! I'M  
GOING TO SEE  
THE ROCK!



AS I SUS-  
PECTED!

THE MORE  
MAGIC HE USES,  
THE MORE THE  
NAME REVEALS  
ITSELF!



OF COURSE. WE  
ARE ALL LIMITED  
BY OUR **WILL-  
POWER...**



FOR EXAMPLE, I'M PRETTY SURE  
THAT THE SWORD OF SAINT MICHAEL IS  
**DRAINING** YOUR ARMOR OF LIGHT...



**SOLVE.**



AH



HURTS,  
HUH?

MAYBE THIS ISN'T  
THE REAL WORLD, BUT I  
ASSURE YOU THAT SPEND-  
ING A LOT OF TIME WITH-  
OUT A HEART IS GOING TO  
**FUCK YOU** ANYWAY!



**SOLVE.**







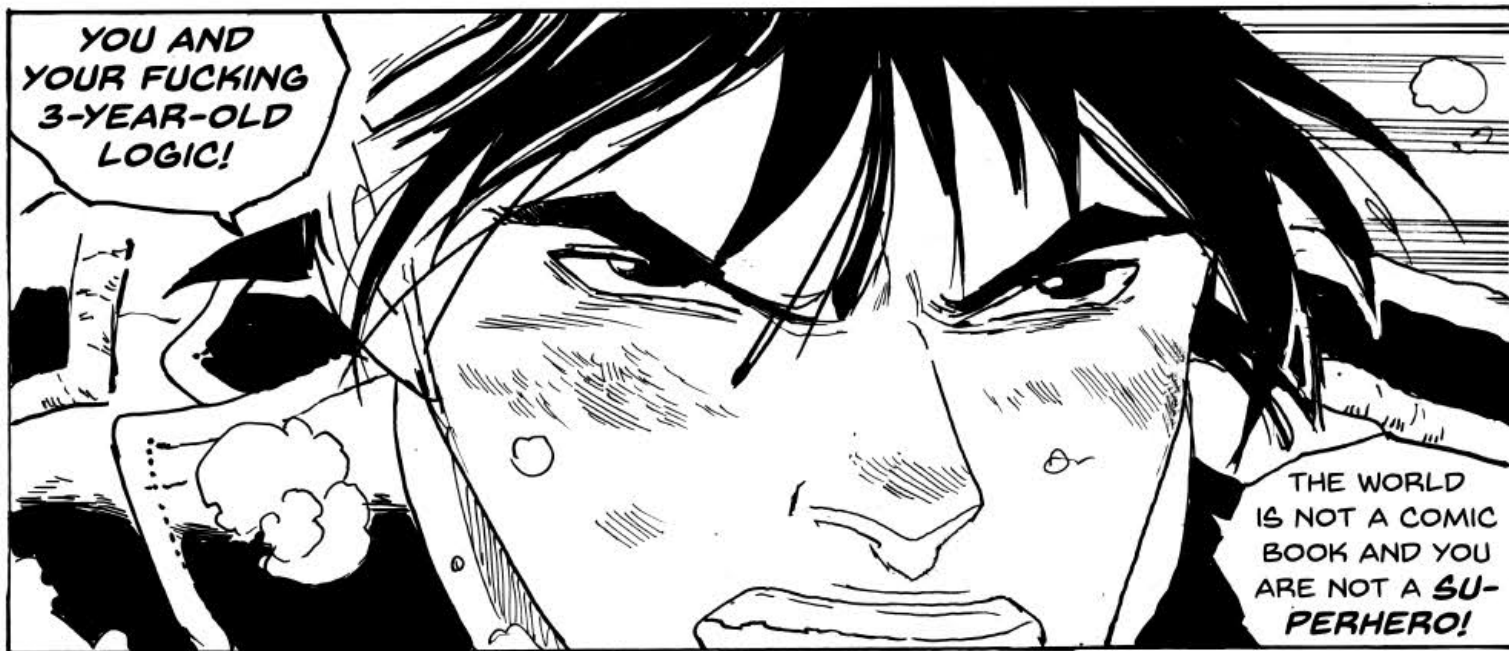
LET ME GO!



YOU CAN'T DEFEAT FRANK, EVEN WITH YOUR HAND!

SHUT UP! I'M SURE THERE'S A WAY OUT OF THIS...!

OF COURSE THERE IS! SURRENDER VOLUNTARILY, AND THE EBI...!



YOU AND YOUR FUCKING 3-YEAR-OLD LOGIC!

THE WORLD IS NOT A COMIC BOOK AND YOU ARE NOT A **SUPERHERO!**

ARE YOU KIDDING ME? I'M NOT JOINING A GROUP LIKE THAT, MAN! THEY'RE **VILLAINS!** THEY KIDNAP PEOPLE AND LIE TO THE POPULATION!



THEY SAID ELIYA DIED OF MURDER AND THEN, WHEN THEY COULDN'T CATCH ME, OF HEART ATTACK!



YOU'RE WRONG, SIGURD. ADAM'S A HERO.



THE GUY'S BEEN BETRAYED...

HOW IS HE HERE ...?

...HE'S BEEN CHARGED WITH MURDER AND IS NOW BLACKLISTED BY THE EBI...



HE CARRIES A PROTECTION FOR HIS NAME, NOT UNDERSTANDING THAT NOW THIS MAGIC, AND HIS HAND, **IDENTIFY HIM...**

PEOPLE IN HIS SITUATION...



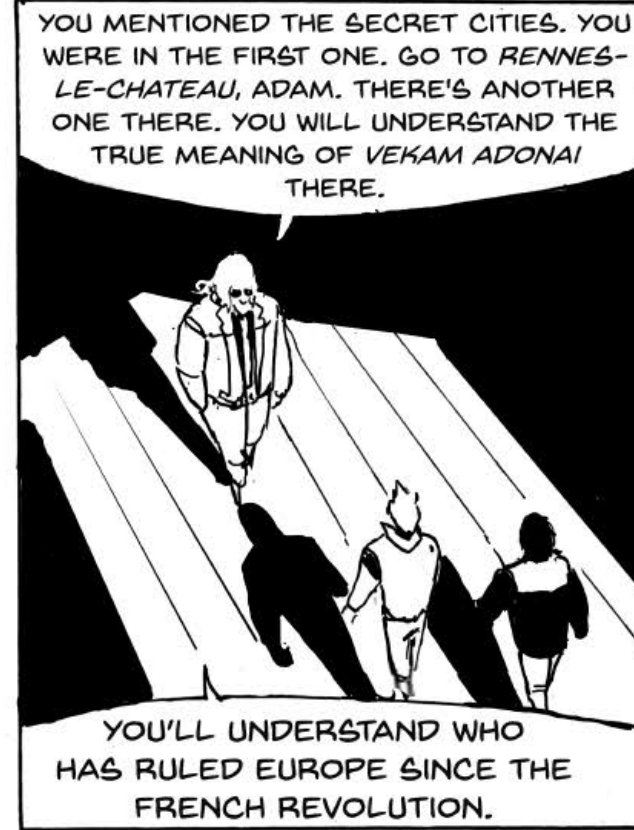
...RARELY LAST MORE THAN A MONTH BEFORE THE EBI OR WE CATCH THEM.

NO ONE HAS ENOUGH **WILLPOWER** TO STAND UP AGAINST US...



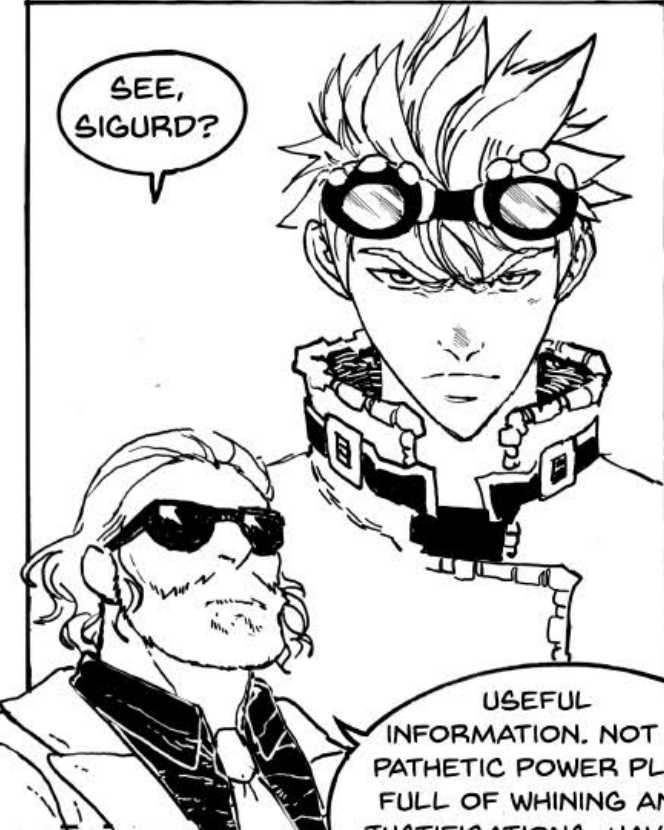
NO ONE...

...EXCEPT ADAM, APPARENTLY.



YOU MENTIONED THE SECRET CITIES. YOU WERE IN THE FIRST ONE. GO TO **RENNES-LE-CHATEAU**, ADAM. THERE'S ANOTHER ONE THERE. YOU WILL UNDERSTAND THE TRUE MEANING OF **VEKAM ADONAI** THERE.

YOU'LL UNDERSTAND WHO HAS RULED EUROPE SINCE THE FRENCH REVOLUTION.



SEE, SIGURD?

USEFUL INFORMATION. NOT A PATHETIC POWER PLAY FULL OF WHINING AND JUSTIFICATIONS. HAVING SAID THAT...





I HAVE THE  
PRIEST'S HEART IN  
MY HAND. YOU DON'T  
WANT TO SEE WHAT  
HAPPENS IF I  
**SQUEEZE.**

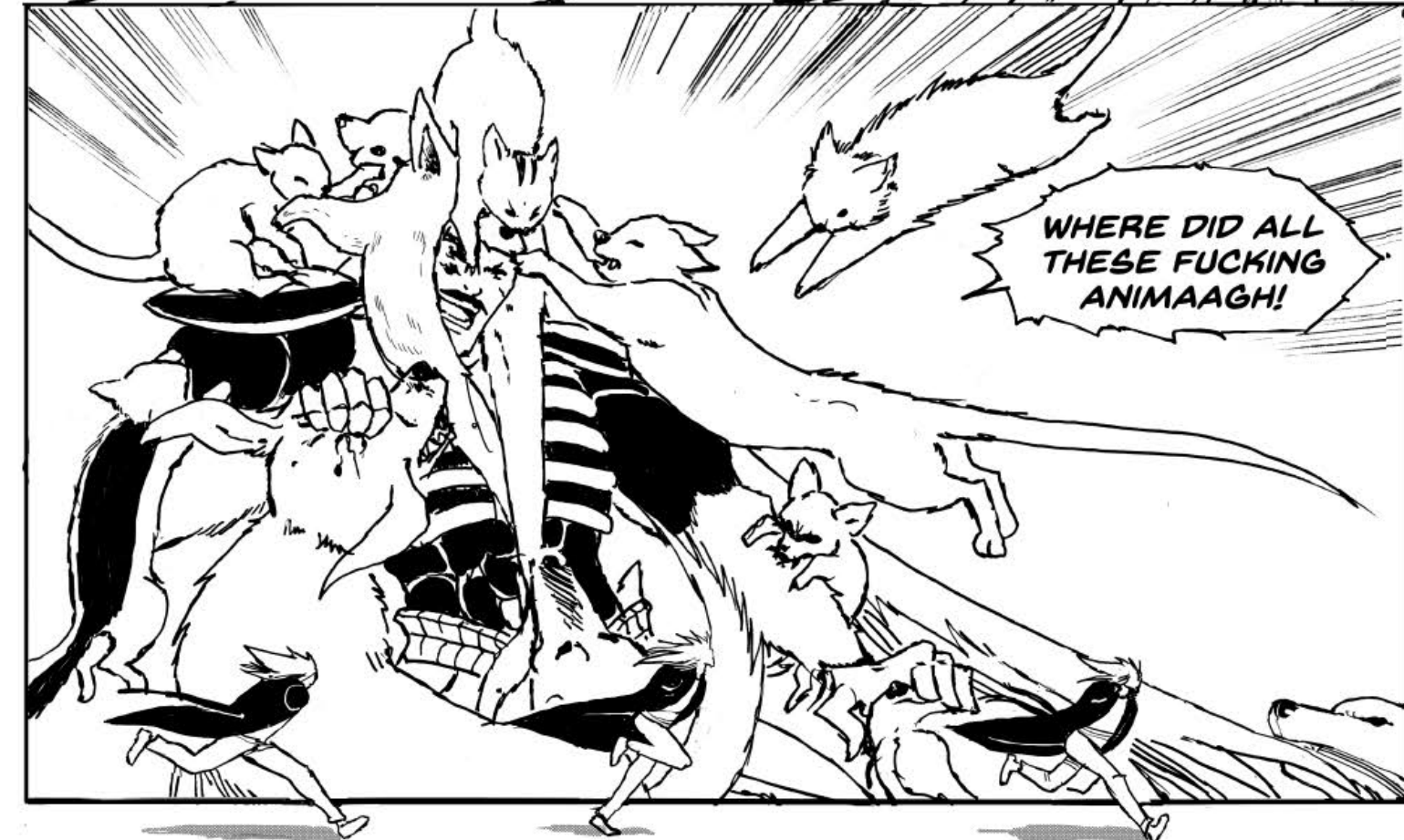
I GIVE YOU  
**TWO OP-  
TIONS.**

YOU RESIST,  
AND DIE IN THE  
MOST **PAINFUL**  
WAY YOU CAN  
IMAGINE...

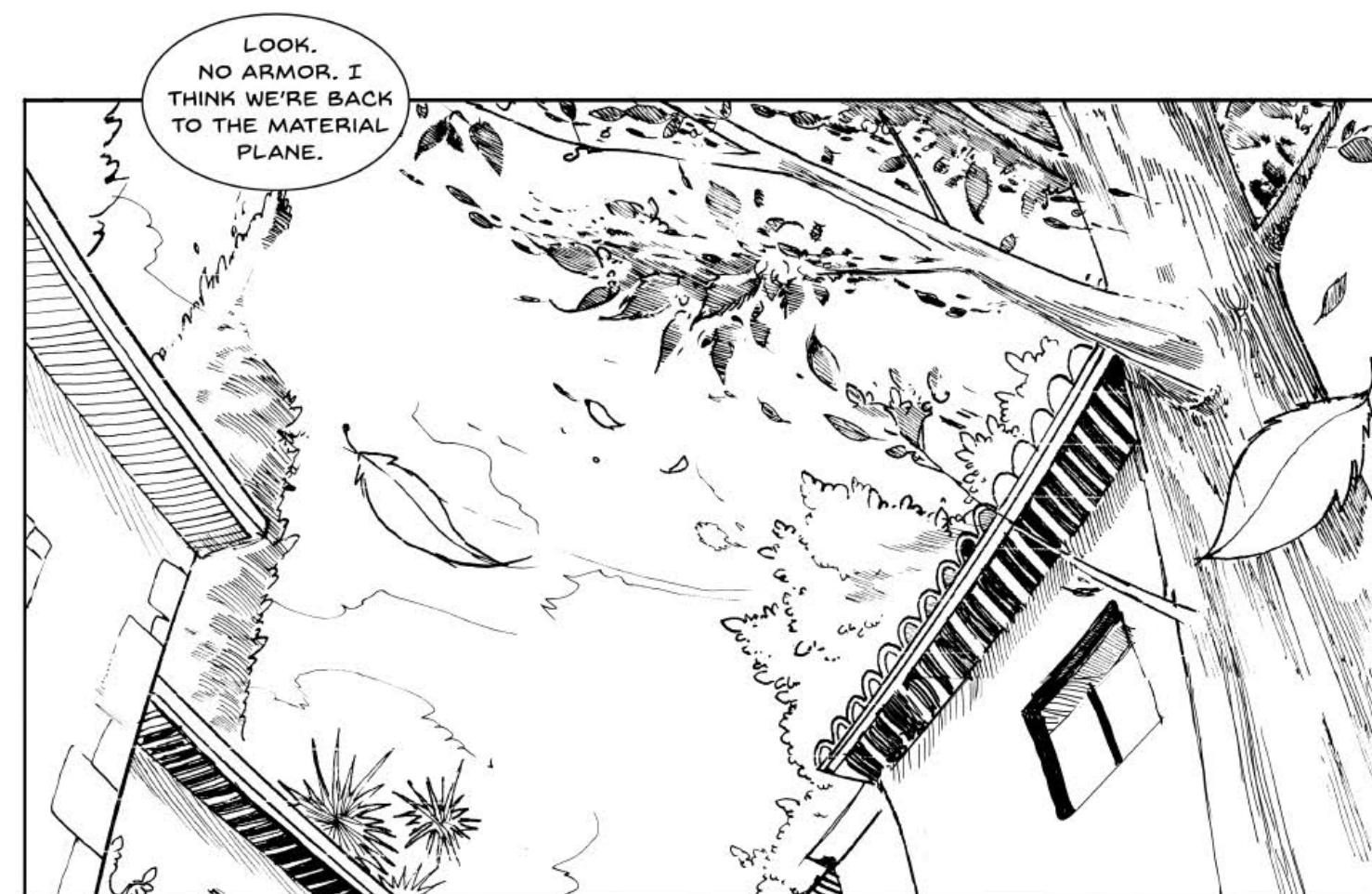
...OR YOU TELL  
ME HOW ELLEN  
DIED AND WHERE  
THE HAND OF  
SATAN IS.













# ...TO BE CONTINUED

UPSURGE IS AN ALMOST MONTHLY (40 DAYS) SERIES THAT STILL HAS A LONG WAY TO GO TO REACH THE INTENDED ENDING. HOWEVER, WE CAN'T KEEP DOING IT FOR "FREE" INDEFINITELY. IF YOU'RE INTERESTED IN HELPING US WHILE ALSO GETTING **EARLY ACCESS** TO AN ISSUE, **PREVIEWS** OF FUTURE EPISODES, OR **VIDEOS** AND TEXTS ABOUT OUR CREATIVE PROCESS, PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPORTING US THROUGH PATREON AT THE 3\$ PLEDGE LEVEL (LINK BELOW). IF WE HAVE ENOUGH HELP, WE'LL TURN UPSURGE INTO A **MONTHLY** SERIES. THANK YOU!

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