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THERE ARE THOSE WHO BELIEVE THE CURSE ON MAN WAS ONE MADE LONG AGO, WHEN THE OLD GODS STILL WALKED THE EARTH.

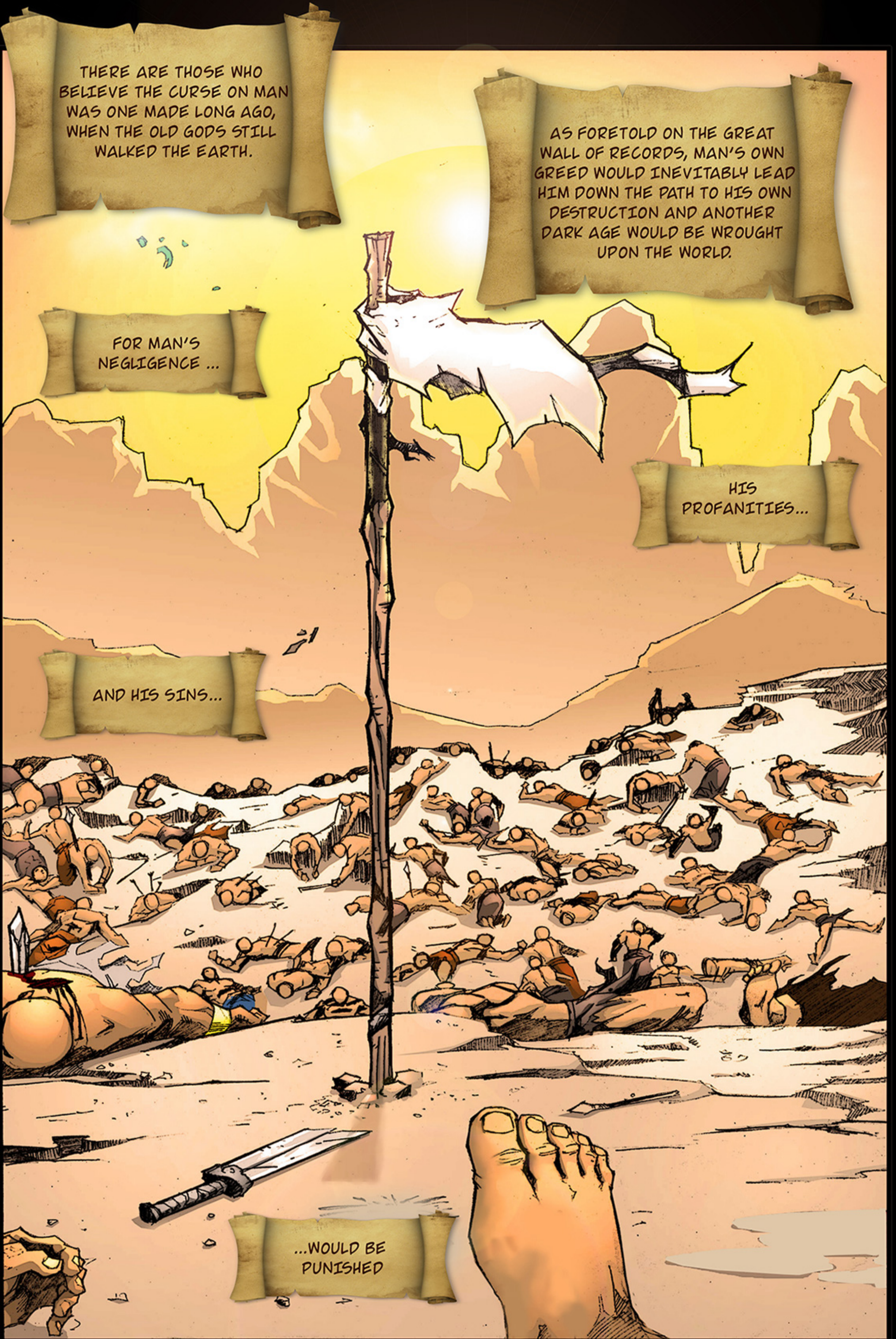
AS FORETOLD ON THE GREAT WALL OF RECORDS, MAN'S OWN GREED WOULD INEVITABLY LEAD HIM DOWN THE PATH TO HIS OWN DESTRUCTION AND ANOTHER DARK AGE WOULD BE WROUGHT UPON THE WORLD.

FOR MAN'S NEGLIGENCE ...

HIS PROFANITIES...

AND HIS SINS...

...WOULD BE PUNISHED



THESE TRUE "BELIEVERS",
WORSHIPERS OF THE OLD
RELIGION, WOULD WAIT FOR
AN ETERNITY FOR HIS
PROPHECY TO BE FULFILLED.

...WHEN THEIR POWER WOULD
BE RENEWED...

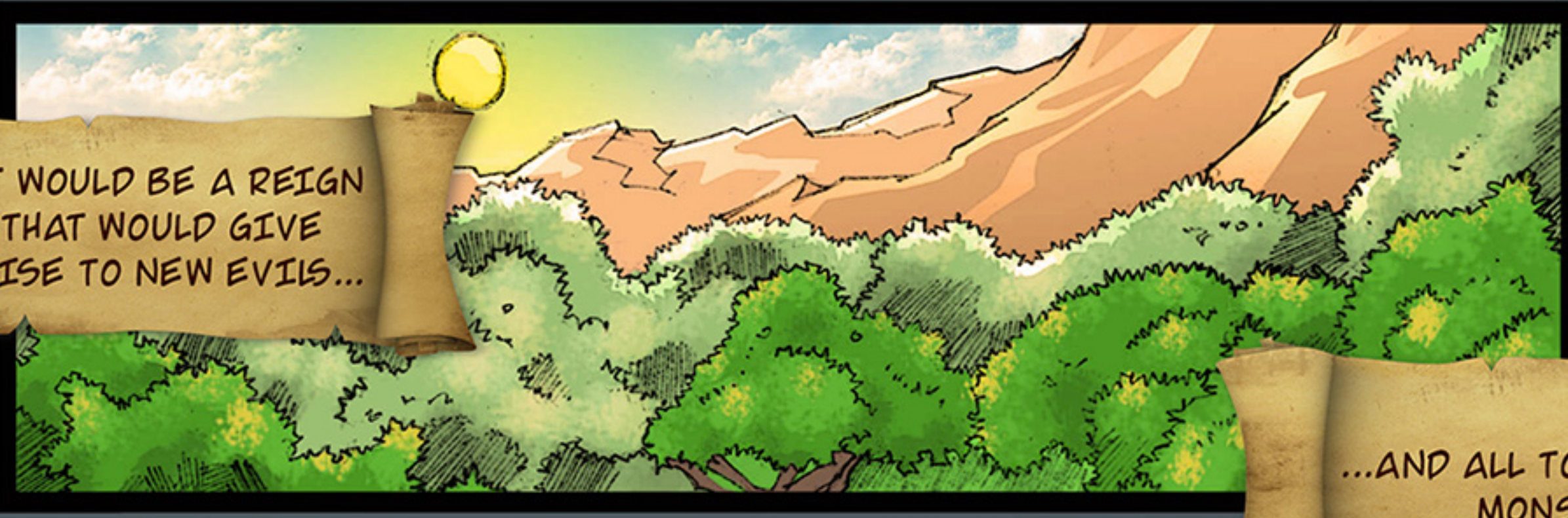
FOR CENTURIES...

...THEY SAT BACK
AND WATCHED.

WAITING FOR
THE TIME...

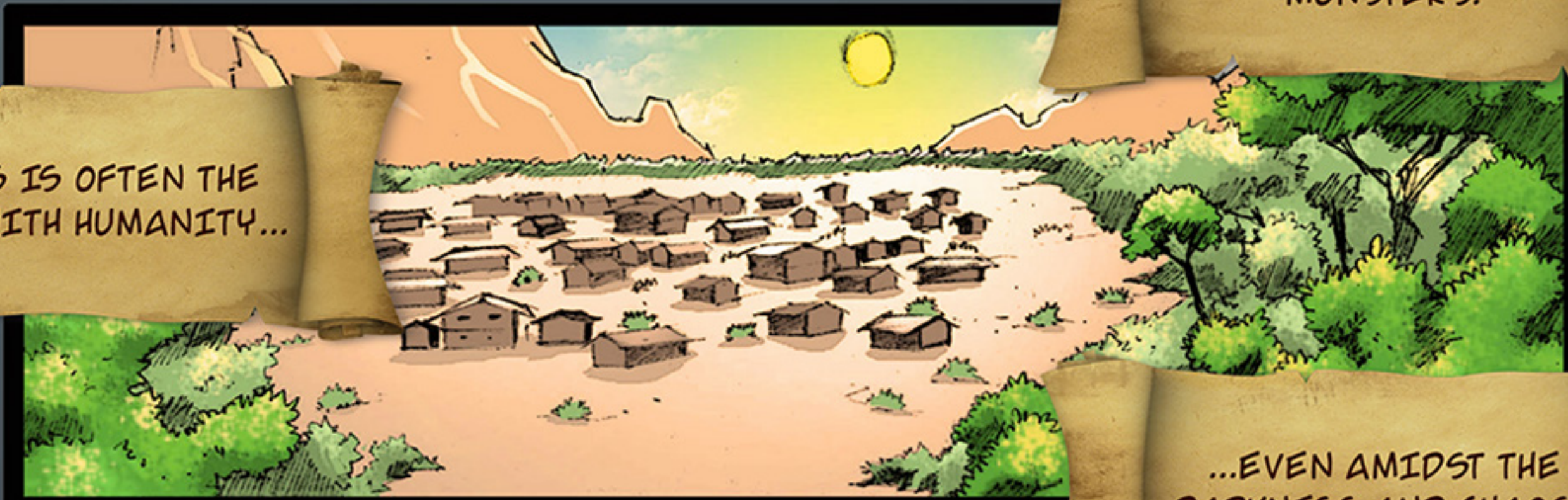
...AND "THE BELIEVERS"
WOULD ONCE AGAIN HOLD
SWAY OVER THE
DARK CONTINENT.






IT WOULD BE A REIGN
THAT WOULD GIVE
RISE TO NEW EVILS...

...AND ALL TOO FAMILIAR
MONSTERS.




BUT AS IS OFTEN THE
CASE WITH HUMANITY...

...EVEN AMIDST THE
DARKNESS AND CHAOS...




...ONE THING ALWAYS
REMAINS CONSTANT

...HOPE

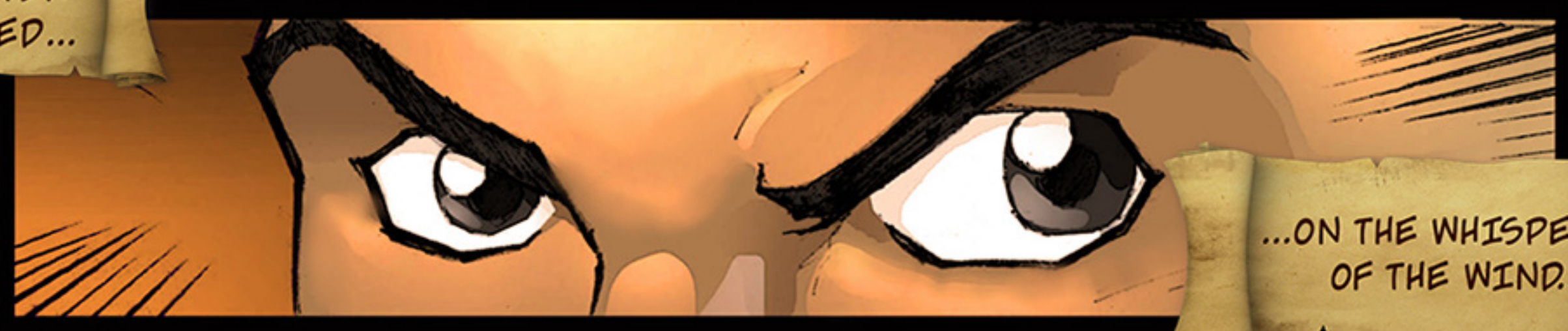


...HUMANITY'S HOPE

...FOR A
BRIGHTER FUTURE.



ONE OFTEN
CARRIED...



...ON THE WHISPERS
OF THE WIND.

VISIONARY



THE GODS ARE COMING...



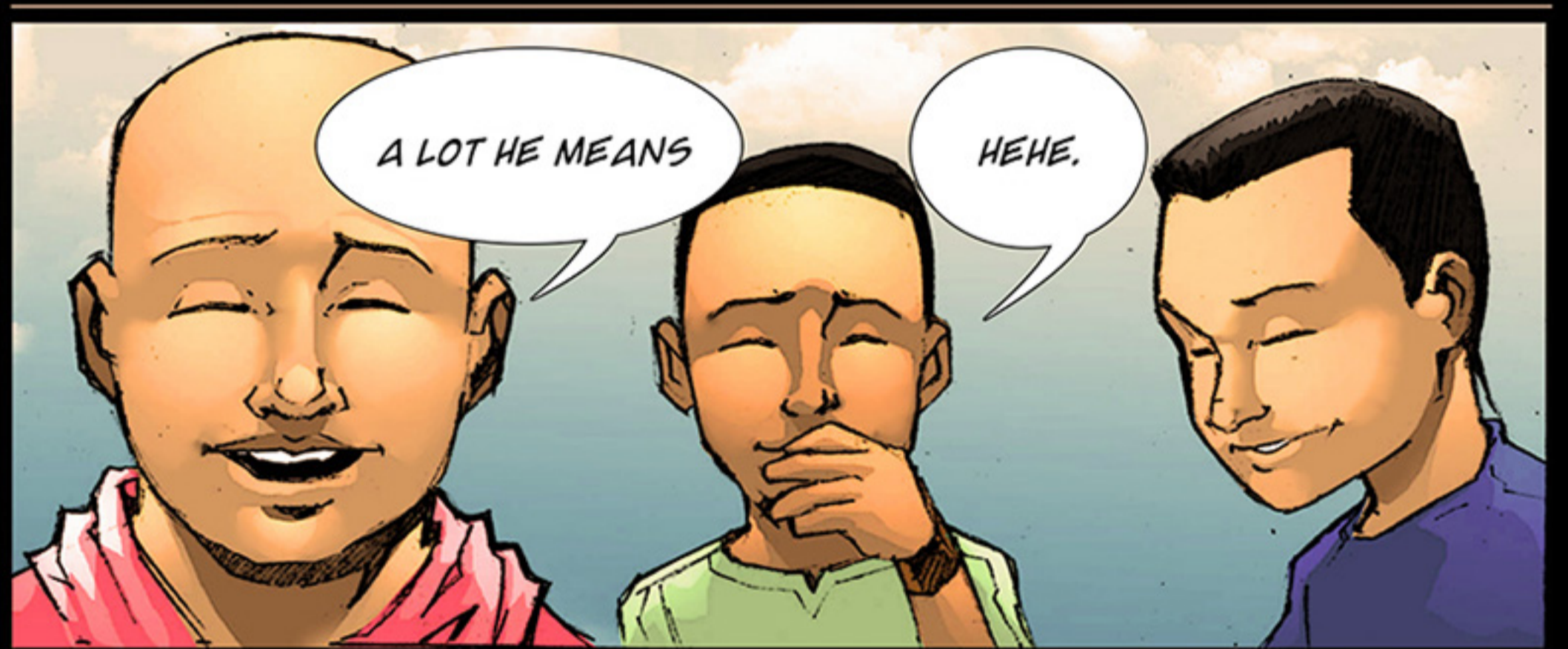
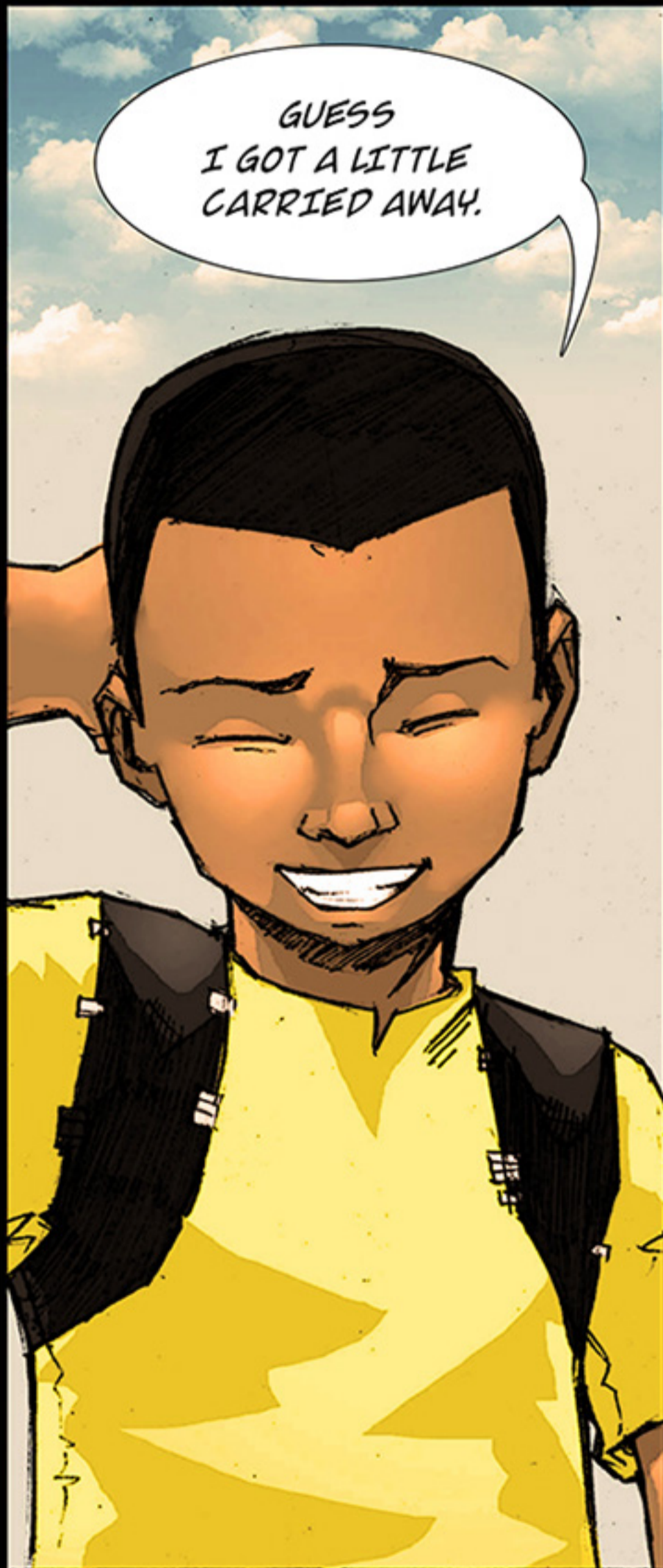
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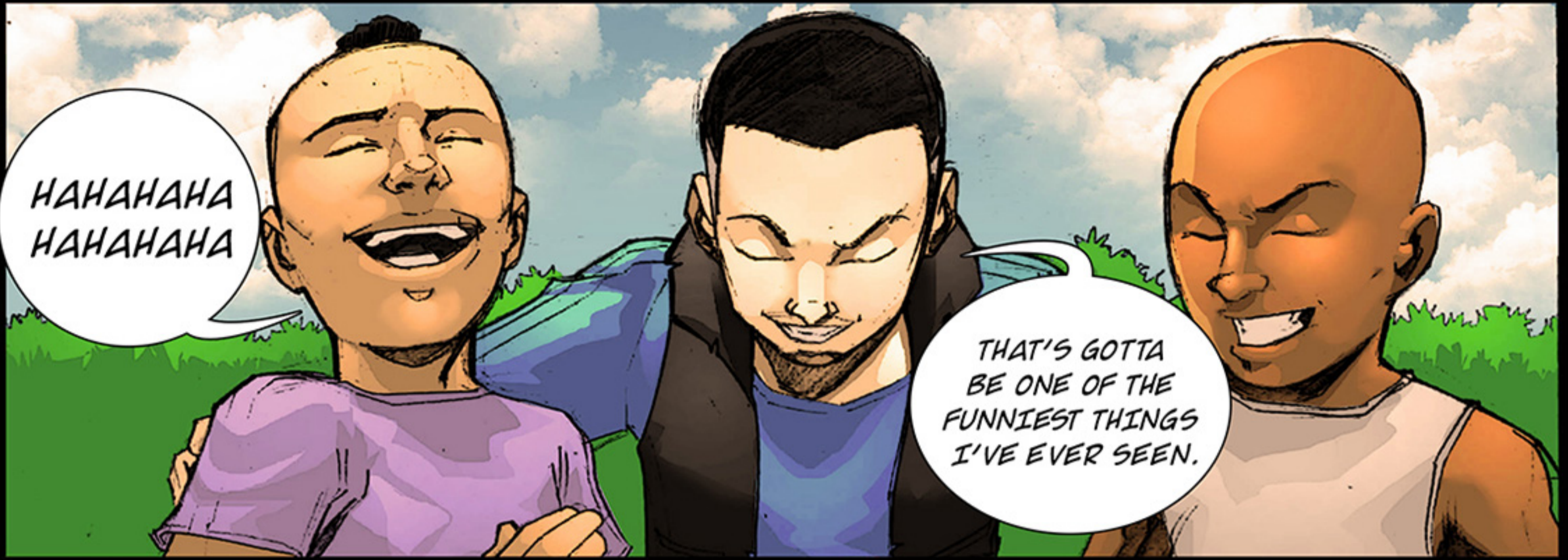
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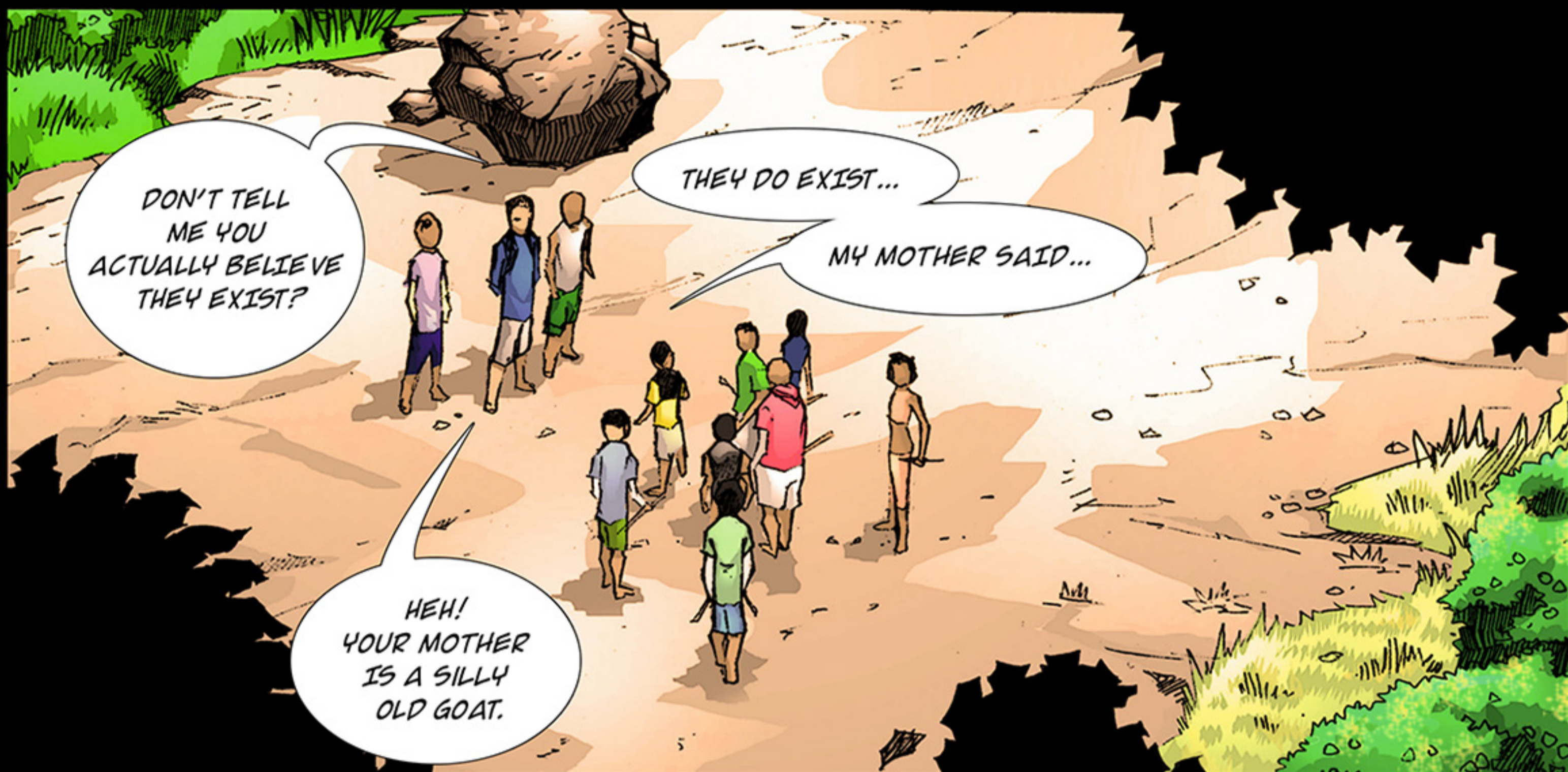




AND WHAT'S SO FUNNY?

EVERYONE KNOWS ABOUT THE WINDRIDERS!

BAH! THE WINDRIDERS...



DON'T TELL ME YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVE THEY EXIST?

THEY DO EXIST...

MY MOTHER SAID...

HEH! YOUR MOTHER IS A SILLY OLD GOAT.



TAKE THAT BACK... BEFORE I SHOVE MY FIST DOWN YOUR THROAT!

WHY SHOULD I?

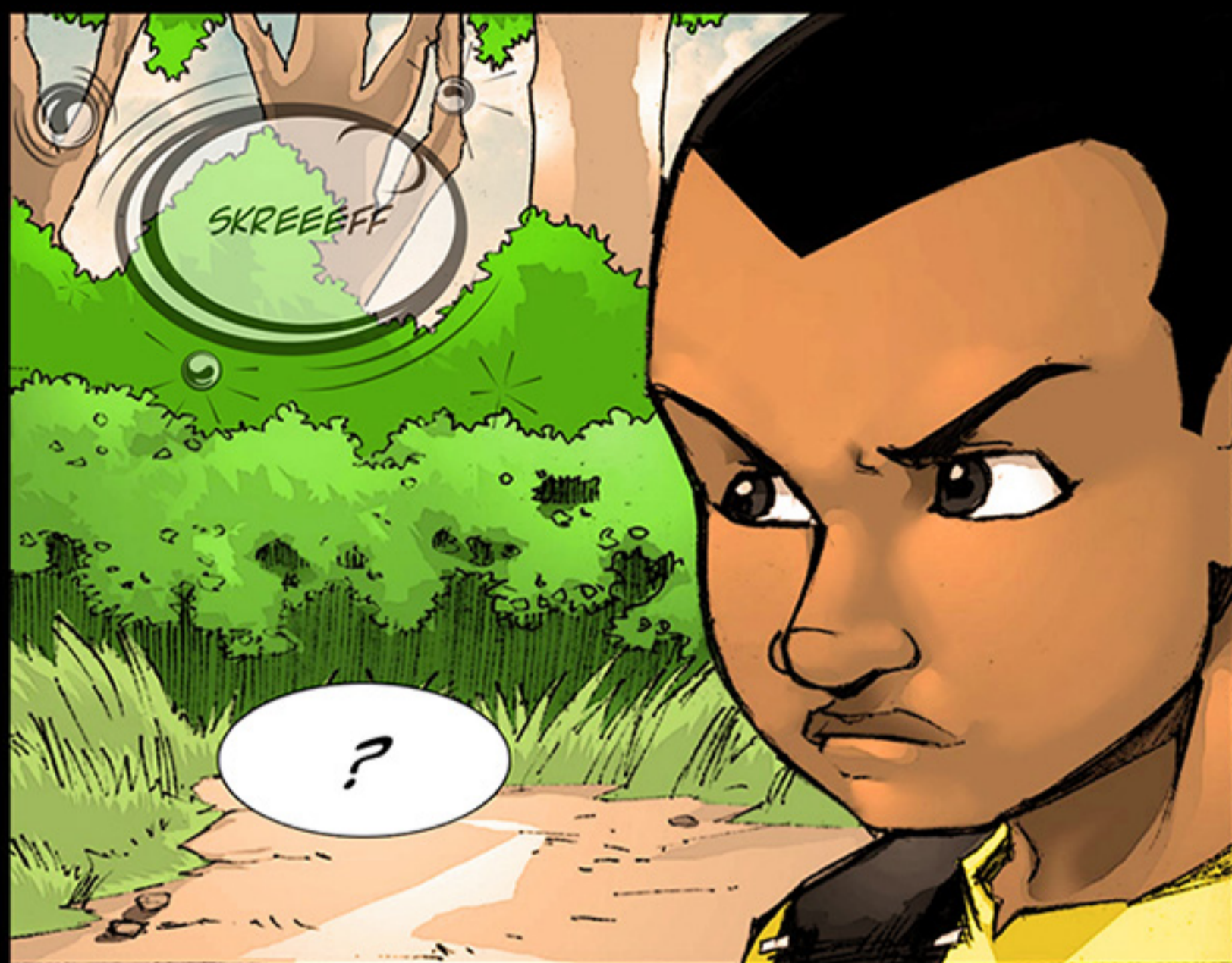


WHAT WE NEED ARE REAL HEROES AND REAL SOLDIERS.

IT IS THE ONLY WAY WE CAN EVER EXPECT TO STAND UP TO THE BLACK CAULDRON...



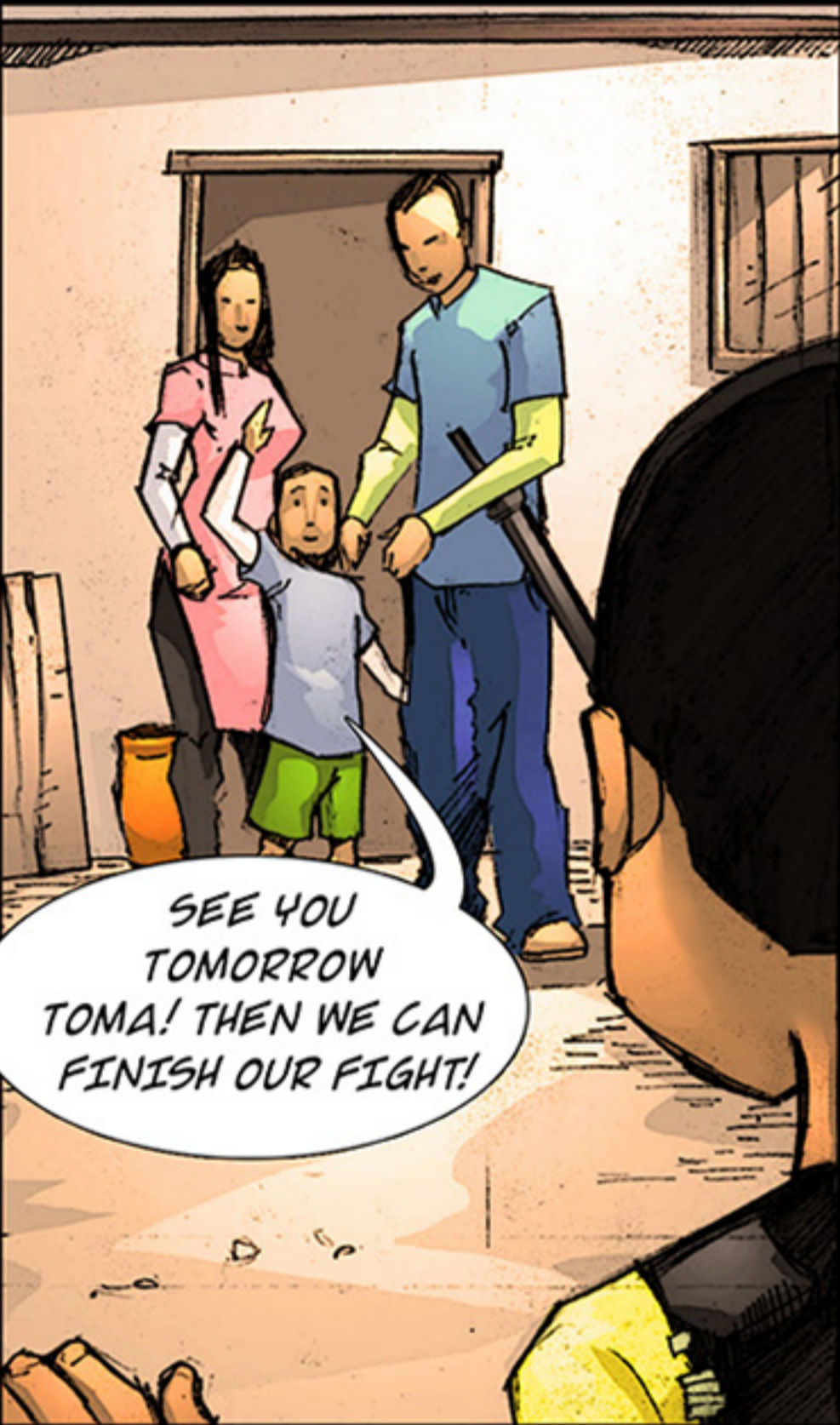




AND SO- AS THEY SAY -
HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL



...EVEN IF ONLY IN THE
IMAGINATION OF
LITTLE CHILDREN.



SEE YOU
TOMORROW
TOMA! THEN WE CAN
FINISH OUR FIGHT!



HEHE... SORRY AGAIN
ABOUT YOUR HEAD
ELLIE.



WHAT WAS
THAT?




WHAT HAVE I TOLD YOU
ABOUT PLAYING WITH
STICK'S YOUNG MAN?




MAAAA!




HOWEVER...




...THE DARK FINDS
US ALL



BOTH THE YOUNG...



...AND THE ELDERLY.



FOR IT DOES NOT
DISCRIMINATE WHEN
CHOOSING VICTIMS.

IT IS TIME



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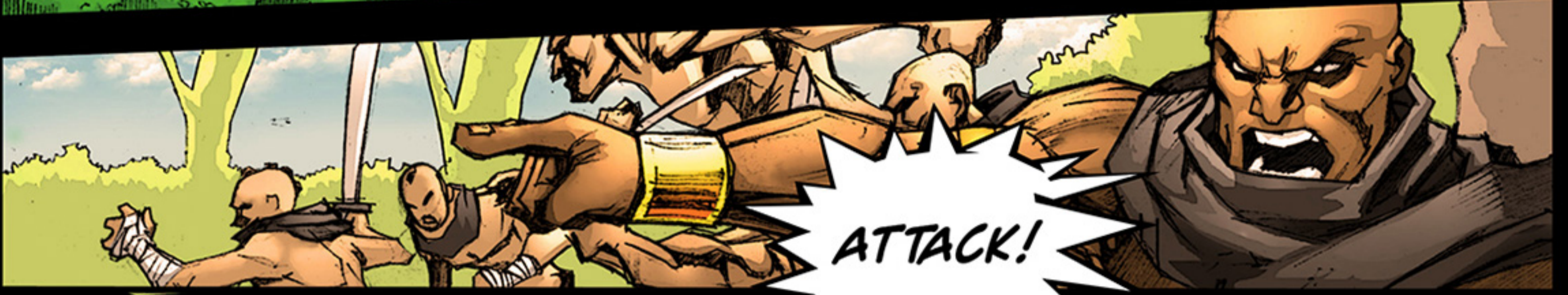
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THE BLACK CAULDRON
KNOWS THIS ALL
TOO WELL.



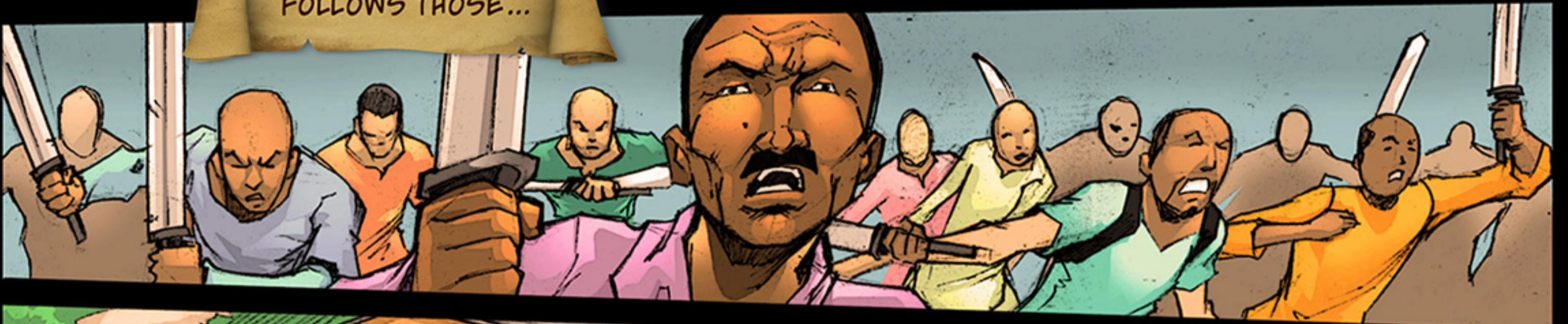
ATTACK!



AND WHILE THEIR
ACTIONS ARE OFTEN
CARRIED OUT UNDER
THE GUISE OF THE LIGHT...

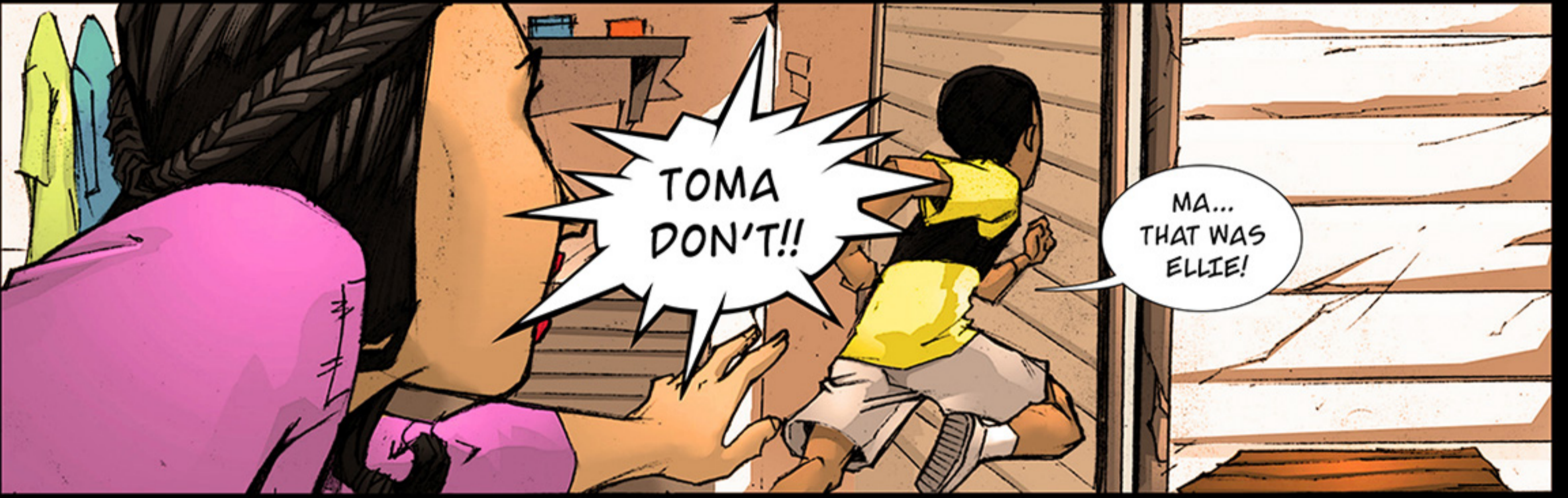


DARKNESS ALWAYS
FOLLOWS THOSE...



...WHO SEEK POWER.





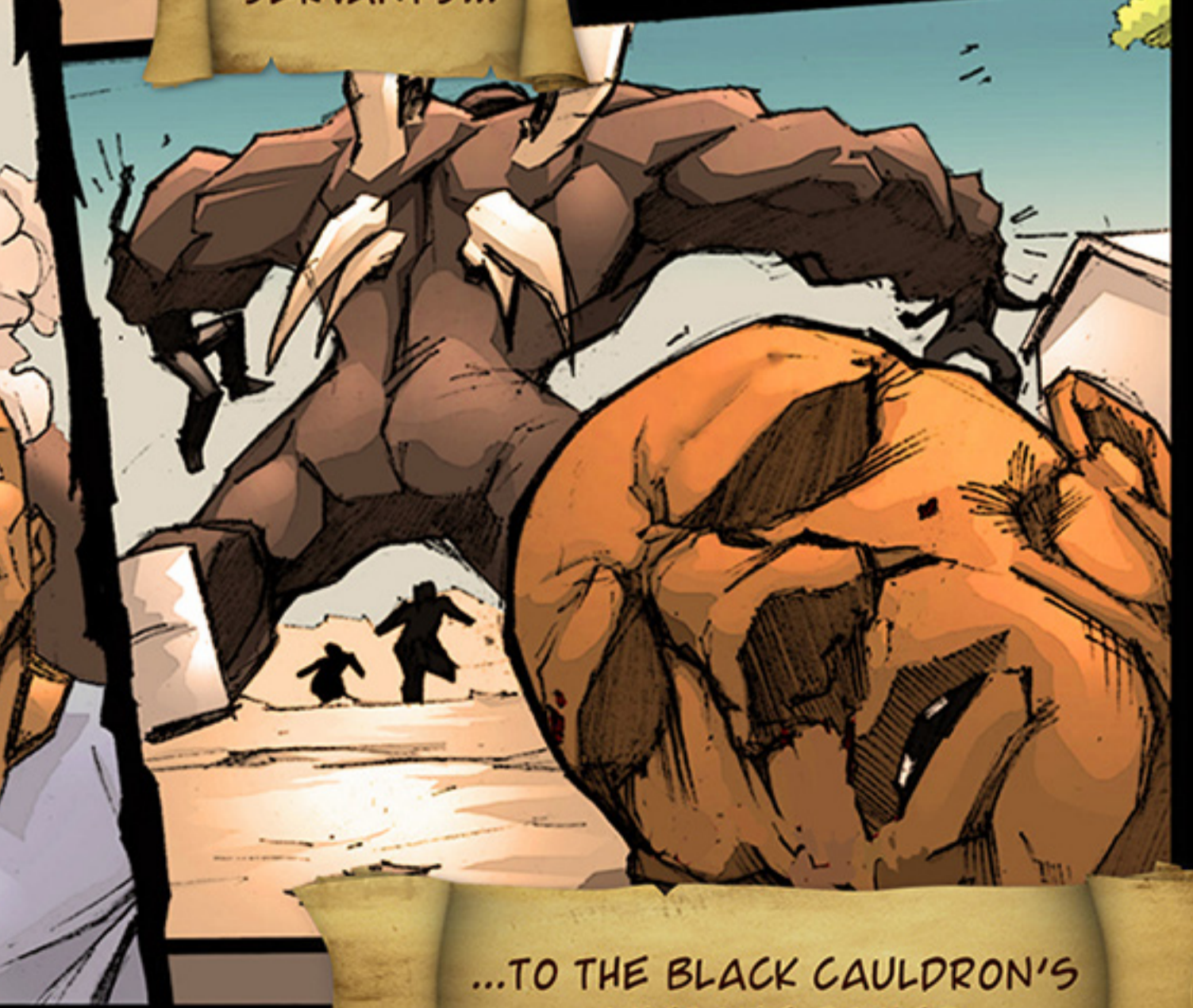


THEY ARE CALLED "THE HORDE"

...MONSTERS



SERVANTS...



A RACE OF VICIOUS CREATURES

...TO THE BLACK CAULDRON'S AWESOME POWER.

BUT NOT ALL
MONSTERS ARE SO
EASILY IDENTIFIED.

SOME...

...LOOK NO DIFFERENT
THAN YOU OR ME.

AND EVEN A
MOTHER'S LOVE...

...IS NOT ENOUGH
TO DETER THEM.

NO!

AND YET...



EVEN IN THE
FACE OF
MONSTERS...

...A YOUNG CHILD
TAKES UP ARMS
TO FIGHT.



TO FIGHT...



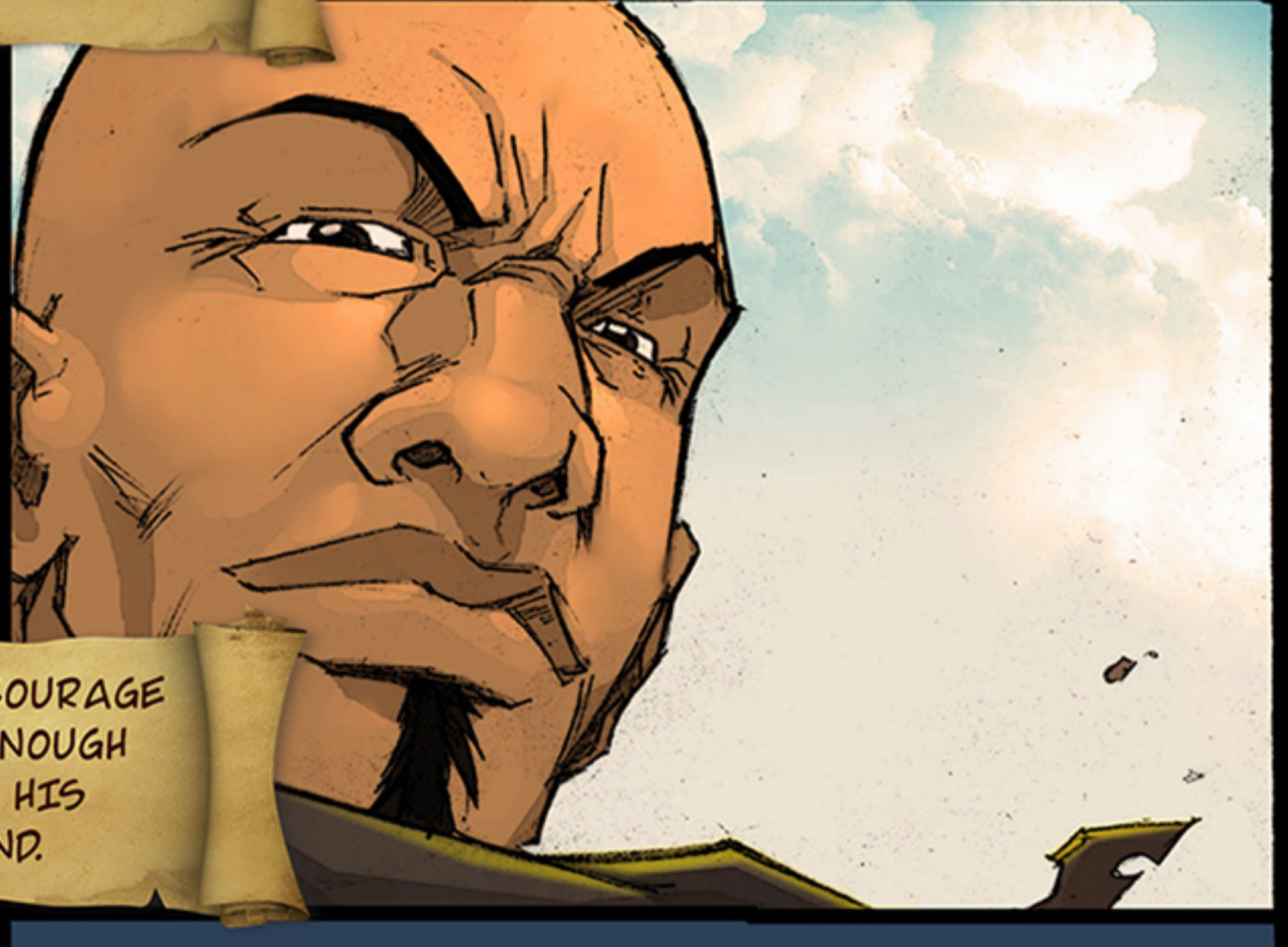
AGAINST
HIS OPPRESSORS...



HOPING BEYOND
HOPE...



...THAT HIS COURAGE
WILL BE ENOUGH
TO SAVE HIS
FRIEND.



BUT SOMETIMES...



THOUGH VERY RARELY...

ARRGGHHH

SOMETHING...



KID...

...EXTRAORDINARY
HAPPENS.



OPEN YOUR
EYES



YOU ARE
OK..

SOMETIMES...

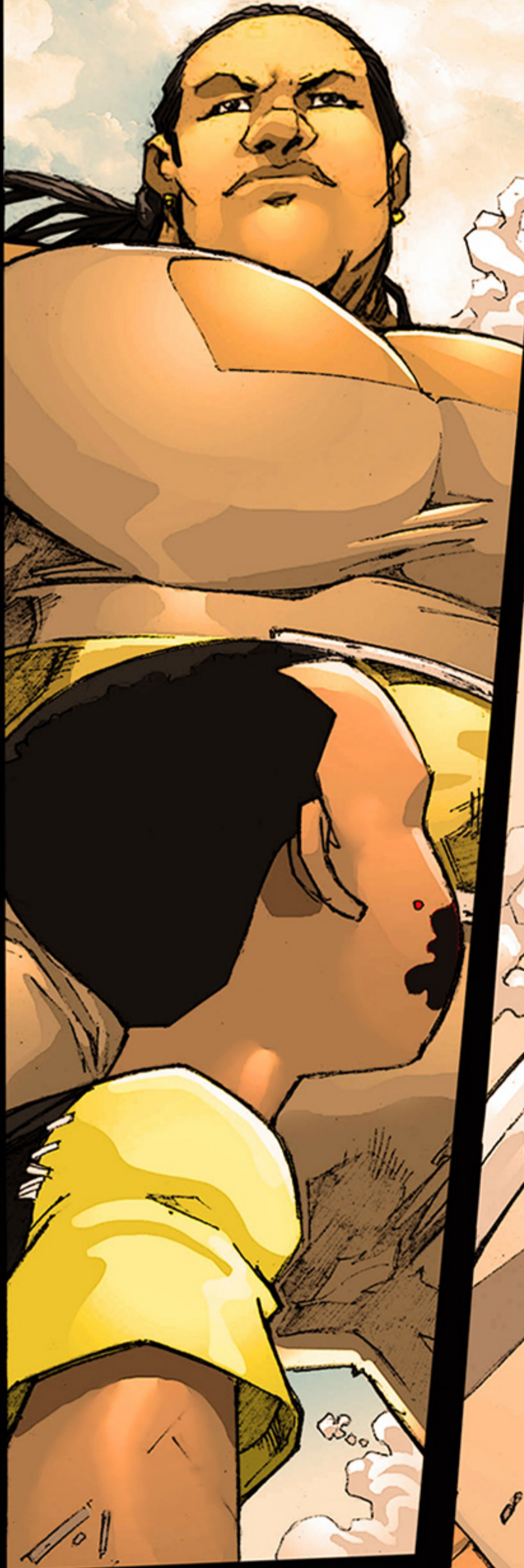


WHEN WE LEAST
EXPECT IT...

MY NAME
IS...



ROTUNDA



...THERE ARE HEROES
WHO STAND TO
FIGHT FOR US.



I AM A
FRIEND.



I WILL KEEP
YOU SAFE.

YOU BE
COURAGEOUS.

FREE WIND

Any fan of Nigerian comics for the past 10 years knows that Legend of the windriders is not just a name but the title is actually legendary. As a matter of fact, it's one of the things that inspired me to start making Nigerian comics. From the first time I laid my eyes on the title, I loved everything about it.

From its manga themed characters to its fantasy styled Nigerian themed environment, I could go on and on, but I'm sure you get the gist already, I am a big fan.

So when Mr Adeniran Adeniji agreed to allow Comic Republic continue to tell the tales of the windriders,

We were ecstatic!

So what's the plan?

We've started with remastering the very first half of the original book. We will completely remake the title from the second half, working with some amazing talents here at Comic Republic.

We assure all fans of Uhuru: Legend of the windriders nothing short of an awesome ride. To the new readers,

Welcome on board this epic tale!

We will take this title to it's next level.

As always, it's a good time to Join the Republic.

May the Republic guide you
and the nation be with you.

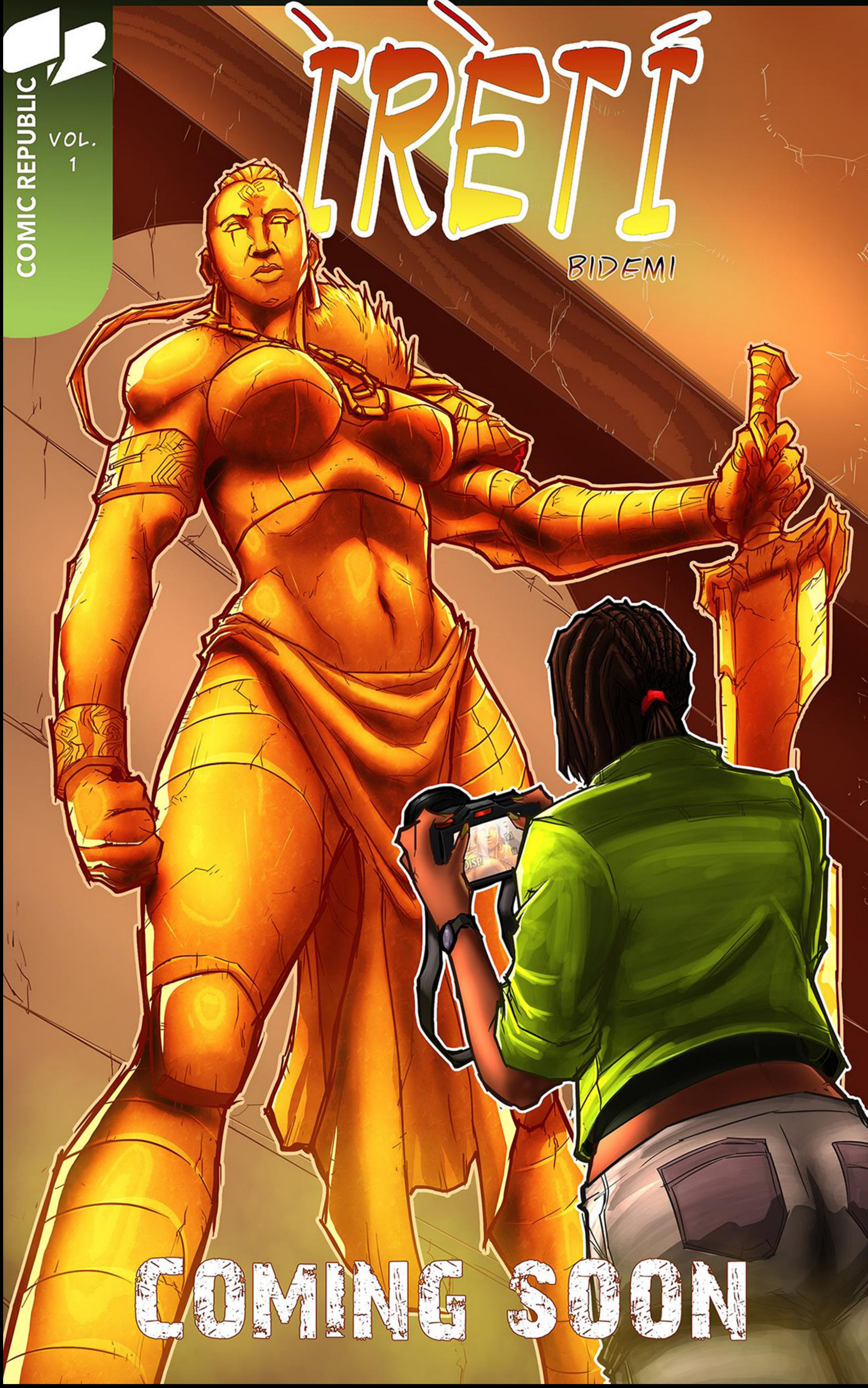
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