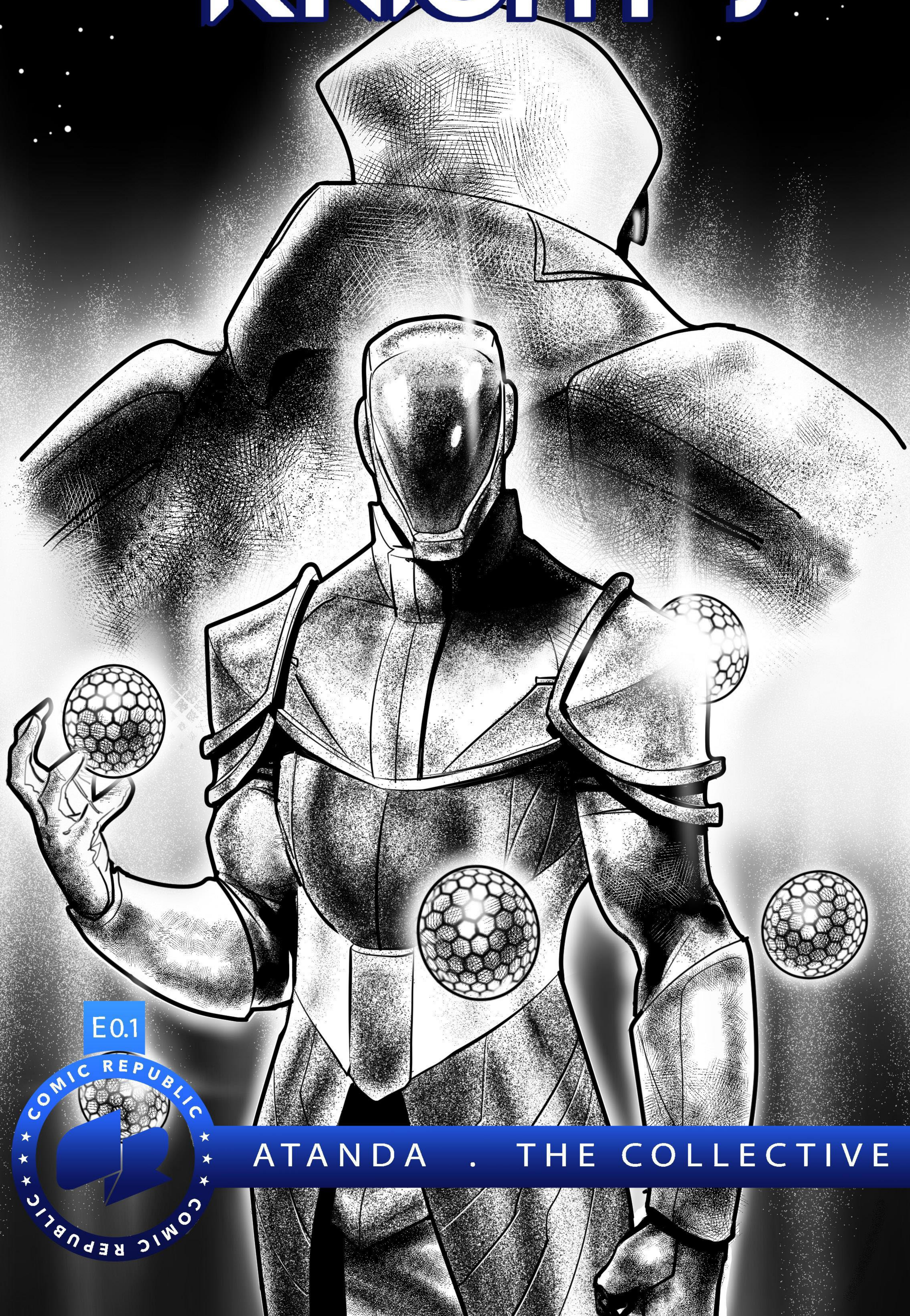
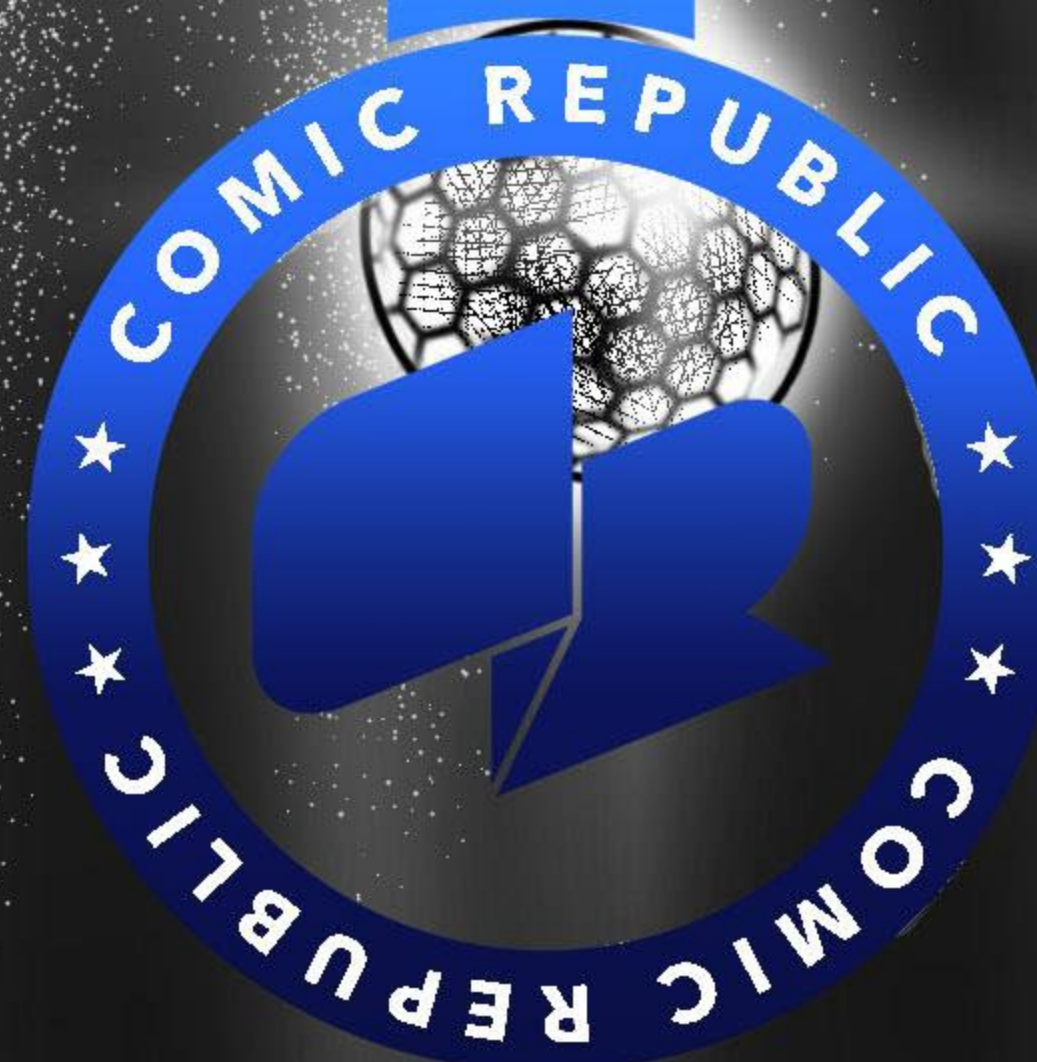


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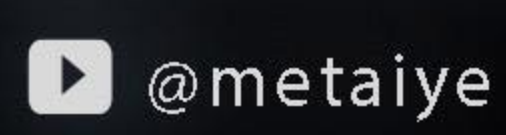
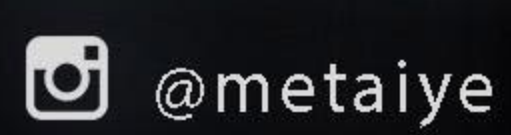
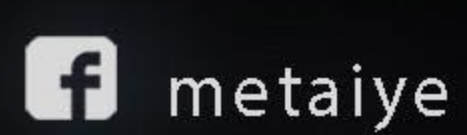


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SATOSHI SWOOPS BACK TO DIGITERRA TO TRY AND FIND SOME INFORMATION ON THE HOMELESS HERO IN THE ALLEY THAT CAME TO HIS AID IN HIS FLIGHT FROM FANG AGENTS. HE'S SHOCKED BY WHAT HE DISCOVERS AND REALISES THERE'S MORE TO THIS CHANCE ENCOUNTER THAN HE HAD EXPECTED. HE RACES BACK TO DIGITERRA WITH A CLEAR UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT NEEDS TO HAPPEN NEXT. BOTH HE AND DEJI WILL HAVE TO MAKE A CHOICE AND THEY BOTH ARE GOING TO HAVE TO TAKE A LEAP OF FAITH. THE STAKES ARE HIGH AND TIME IS RUNNING OUT.



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ON THE INTERNET...

...TO DECRYPT
THEM...

...LOG ON TO
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AND CLICK THE "ADD TO
HOME" POP UP THAT
APPEARS AT THE
BOTTOM OF THE
SCREEN...


...CLICK "ADD" AND
THE HOME BASE OF THE
HEROES AUTOMATICALLY
DOWNLOADS TO YOUR
HOME SCREEN...

...DO IT QUICK!
MAKE CR HOME...
NOW!




“HE WHO KNOWS NOT, AND KNOWS NOT THAT HE KNOWS NOT, IS A FOOL! LEAVE THEM.
HE WHO KNOWS NOT, AND KNOWS HE KNOWS NOT, IS A CHILD! TEACH THEM.
HE WHO KNOWS AND KNOWS NOT THAT HE KNOWS, IS ASLEEP! WAKE THEM.
HE WHO KNOWS AND KNOWS THAT HE KNOWS, IS A WISE MAN! FOLLOW THEM.”

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SEARCH- ACCESS
TEMPORAL HISTORY
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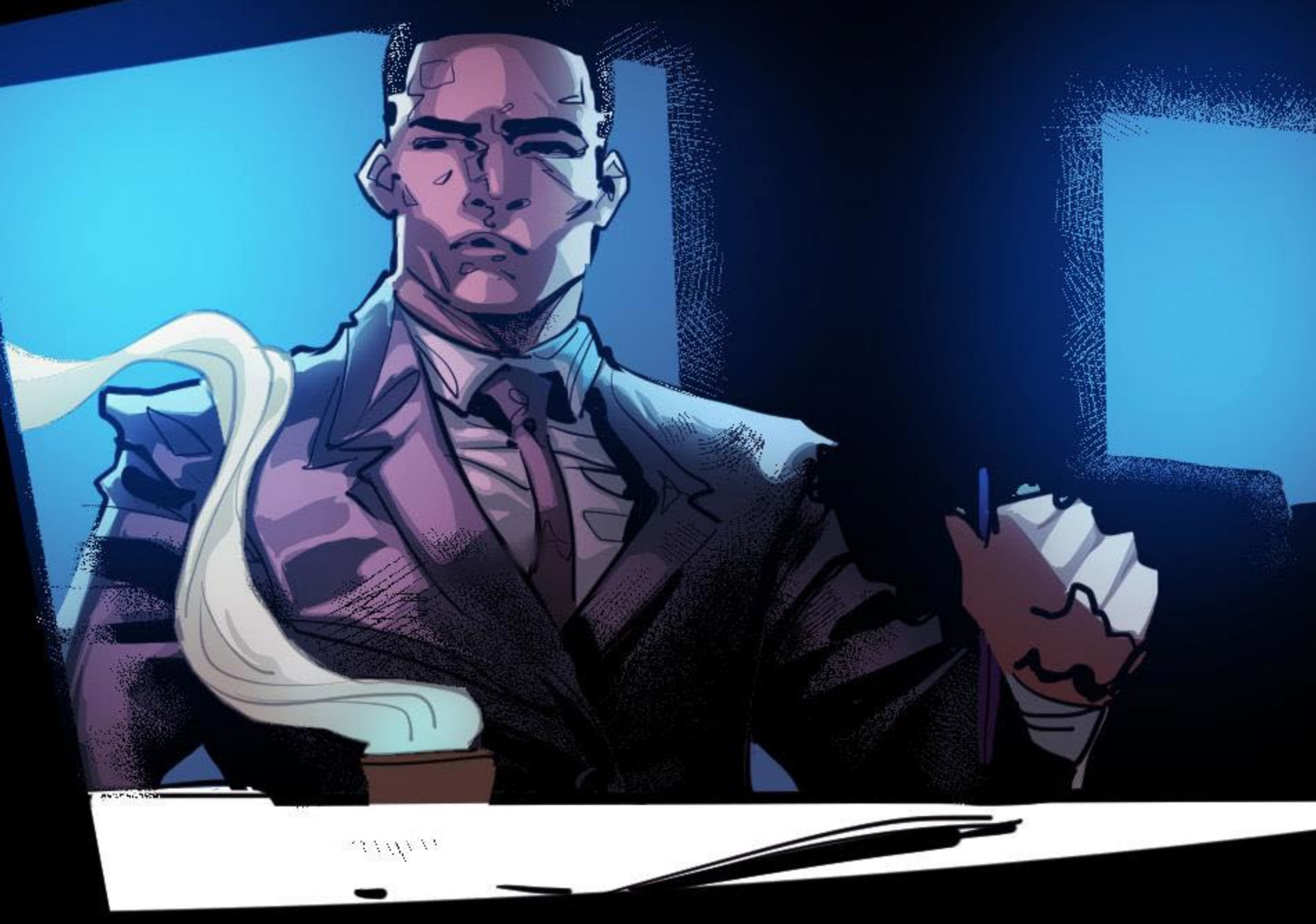
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RECOGNIZED HIM. HE'S
THE WHISTLEBLOWER WHO
DISAPPEARED.

BUT WHAT'S
SPECIAL ABOUT
HIS DIGITAL
TWIN...?

ACQUIRE
REPLAY
MATRICES.

REWIND.

I DO
RECOGNISE HIM!
HE'S THE...



ELSEWHERE IN DIGITERRA...

CAN YOU
ESCAPE IN TIME?
HE'S THRASHING US
IN THE REAL
WORLD!



SO...SORRY...GENERAL.



EVEN IN KRYPTO
TIME...

...WE AREN'T FAST
ENOUGH.



WE CAN'T GET
FREE IN TIME.



WE HAVE TO BEAT
HIM IN THE REAL
WORLD...






YOU...
YOU FOUND
US.



LOOKS LIKE
I DIDN'T EVEN NEED
TO. I SEE THE SHIELDS
HELD LONG ENOUGH FOR
HIM TO GIVE YOU A GOOD
THRASHING.




YOU HAVE
WON. DO WHAT
YOU WILL,
SAGE.




I DON'T THINK YOU
UNDERSTAND PACIFISM. JUST
BECAUSE I HAVE THE POWER
TO ANNIHILATE YOU WHERE
YOU STAND, DOESN'T
MEAN I WILL.



BESIDES, YOU DON'T
STAND A CHANCE AGAINST
THIS GUY. HE DOESN'T KNOW
IT YET, BUT HE'S
GIFTED.



HE CALCULATES THE
POSSIBILITIES VERY
INSTINCTIVELY. HE WAS
ALWAYS A STEP AHEAD
OF YOU...YOU JUST
DIDN'T KNOW IT.



I DON'T NEED
TO DO ANYTHING HERE.
HE'S GOING TO TAKE
YOU DOWN IN TIME.
I'LL SEE YOU BACK
IN REALITY.



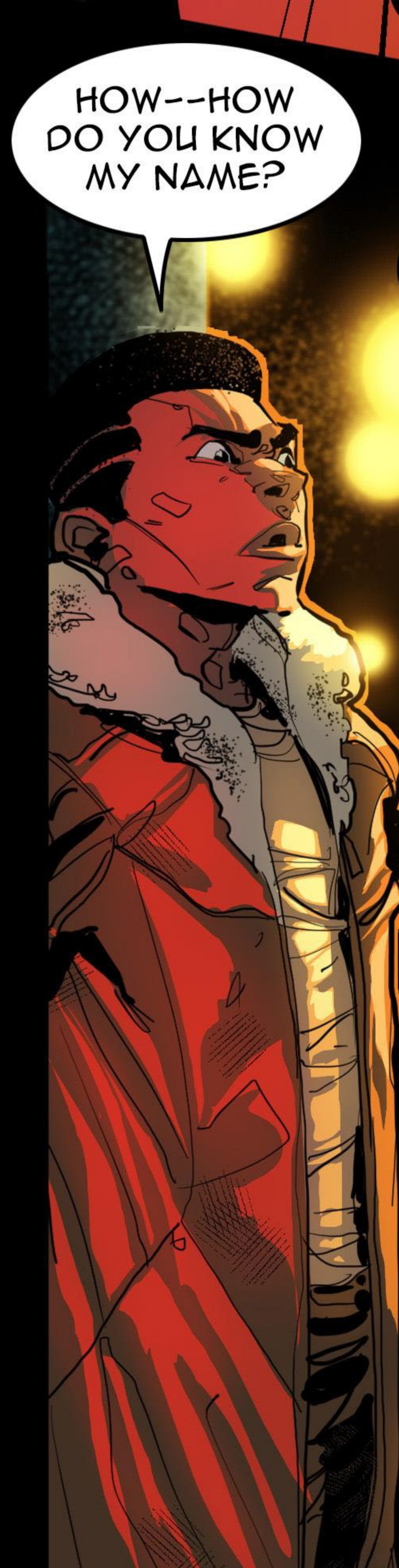
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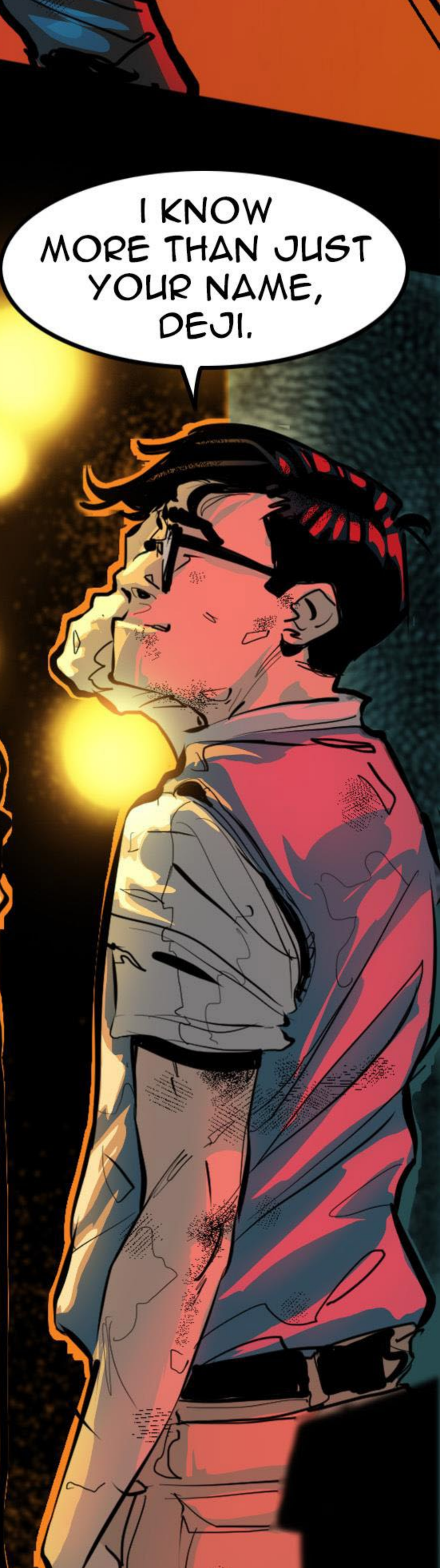


HEY, MISTER...ARE YOU OK?

THANK YOU VERY MUCH, DEJI, I'M OK.



HOW--HOW DO YOU KNOW MY NAME?

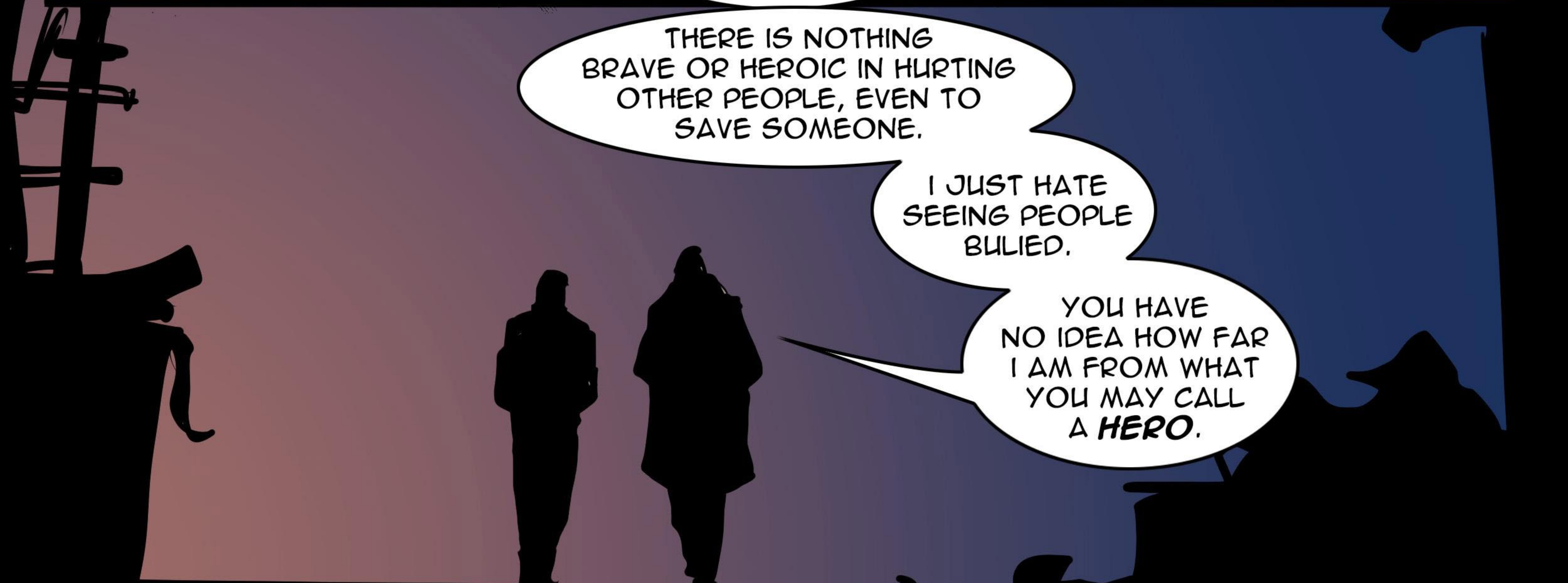


I KNOW MORE THAN JUST YOUR NAME, DEJI.



I ALSO KNOW YOU'RE A BRAVE, SELFLESS HERO.

UM... THANKS BUT I THINK YOU'RE MISTAKEN.



THERE IS NOTHING BRAVE OR HEROIC IN HURTING OTHER PEOPLE, EVEN TO SAVE SOMEONE.

I JUST HATE SEEING PEOPLE BULLIED.


YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW FAR I AM FROM WHAT YOU MAY CALL A **HERO**.

I DON'T MATTER.

WHAT I JUST DID, DOESN'T MATTER.




I AM NO HERO. I AM NO ONE.



DEJI, WHATEVER YOU MAY THINK OF YOURSELF NOW, I KNOW THAT WASN'T ALWAYS THE CASE.

AND I ALSO KNOW THAT TONIGHT, EVEN IF YOU THOUGHT YOU DIDN'T MATTER, YOU FELT SOMETHING ABOUT ME DID.



AND I CAN CONFIRM THAT YOU WERE CORRECT.

WHO IS THIS GUY?!

WRRMM

WHO...?
WHAT...?

ARE YOU
ALRIGHT,
SIR!

I'M
FINE.




WHO ARE THESE? WHAT'S GOING ON?



WE NEED TO HURRY, SIR WE DON'T HAVE MUCH TIME.

THANKS. JUST GIVE ME A SECOND.



ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE MYSELF... I AM SATOSHI NAKAMOTO. I KNOW PRECISELY WHO YOU ARE, DEJI AND YOU ARE MORE THAN YOU LET ON TO BE. I ALSO KNOW THAT TODAY, YOU FEEL YOU DO NOT MATTER, AND I WOULD LIKE TO PROVE TO YOU THAT YOU ARE MISTAKEN. HOWEVER, TIME IS SHORT AND YOU MUST MAKE A DECISION NOW.

WILL YOU TAKE THIS RIDE OR WILL YOU REMAIN HERE?



THE WORLD TAUGHT ME A LESSON. THAT THOSE WHO THINK THEY CAN CHANGE THINGS, ARE FOOLS.

THAT NOTHING ANY INDIVIDUAL DOES MATTERS.

BUT EVEN IF THAT IS TRUE...

EVEN IF I HAVE NOTHING TO LOSE...

FOR SOME REASON...



...I FEEL THIS IS
THE RIGHT THING
TO DO.

...AT LEAST I HOPE IT IS.

SO, MR. SATOSHI, HOW DO YOU KNOW MY NAME AND WHO I AM?

DEJI, YOU ARE THE WHISTLE-BLOWER WHO DISAPPEARED.

AH, MUST DEFINITELY BE SOME FORM OF LAW ENFORCEMENT.

HERE TO ARREST ME, THEN DON'T WORRY, I DON'T CARE. I LOST EVERYTHING ALREADY.

NOT EVERYTHING. WHATEVER MOTIVATED YOU TO SAVE ME, IS SOMETHING NO-ONE CAN TAKE FROM YOU.

NO-ONE...

SO IF YOU AREN'T ARRESTING ME, AND YOU KNOW WHO I AM...WHO ARE YOU?

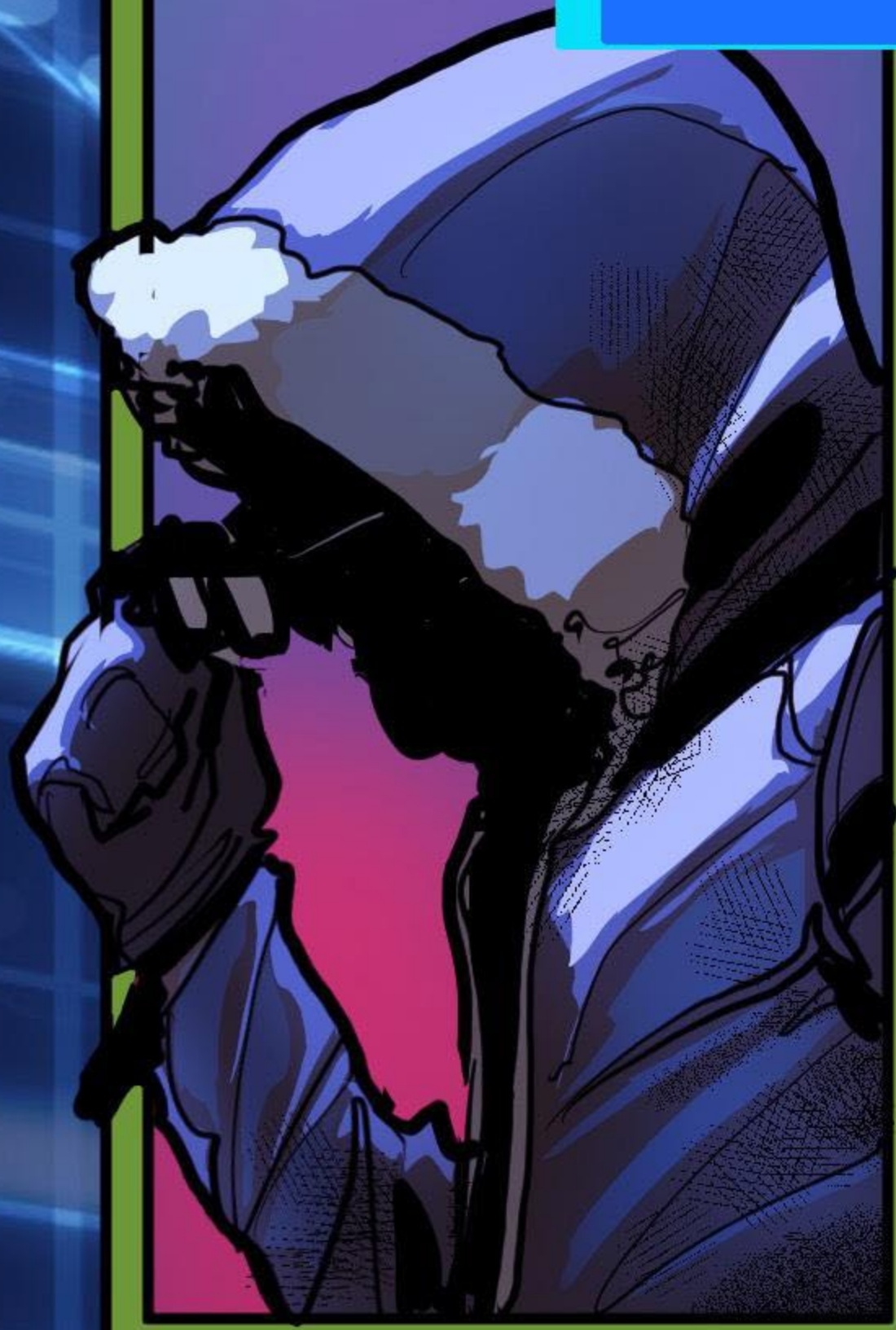
LET ME SHOW YOU.

YOU THINK YOU'VE TAKEN
ON THE WORLD AND
BEEN FOUND
WANTING...

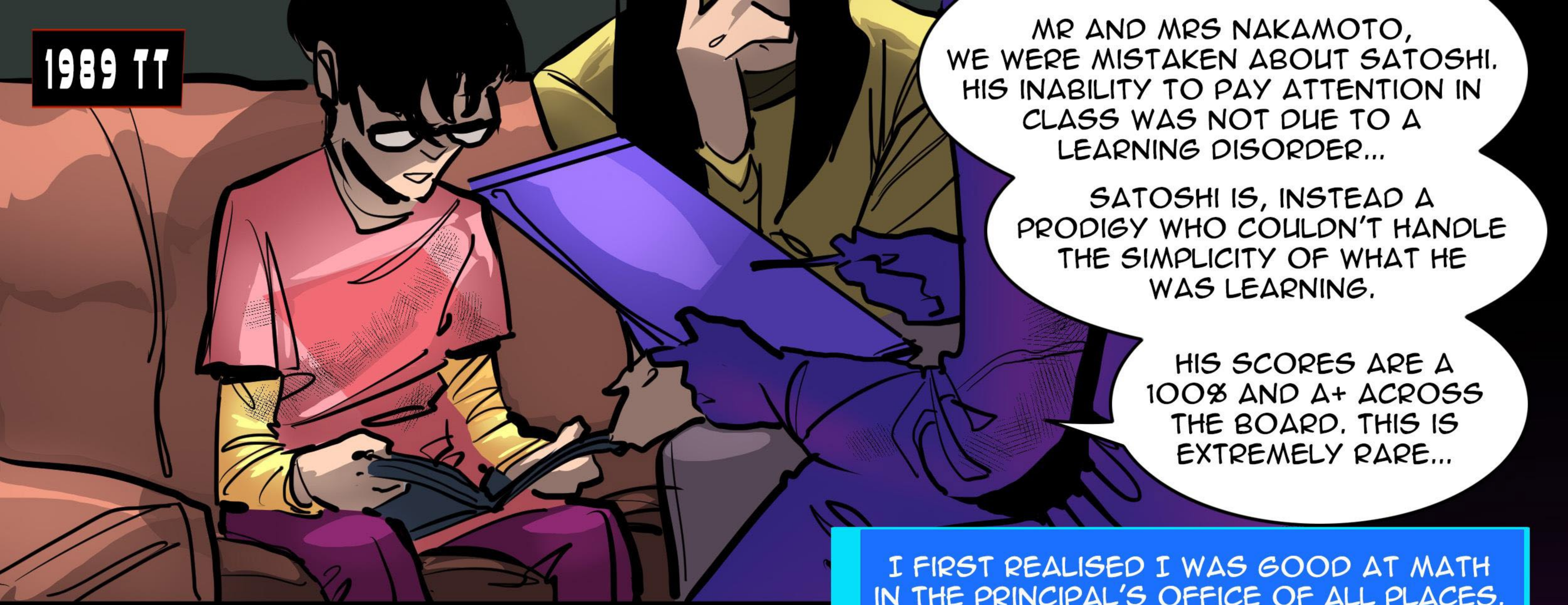
BUT THIS IS YOUR FIRST
STEP INTO AN EVEN
LARGER WORLD.

GRANT THIRD PARTY VIEW
ACCESS, RESIDUAL MEMORY
RECONSTRUCTION
BEGIN.

DEJI, THIS IS
WHO I AM.



1989 TT



MR AND MRS NAKAMOTO, WE WERE MISTAKEN ABOUT SATOSHI. HIS INABILITY TO PAY ATTENTION IN CLASS WAS NOT DUE TO A LEARNING DISORDER...

SATOSHI IS, INSTEAD A PRODIGY WHO COULDN'T HANDLE THE SIMPLICITY OF WHAT HE WAS LEARNING.

HIS SCORES ARE A 100% AND A+ ACROSS THE BOARD. THIS IS EXTREMELY RARE...

I FIRST REALISED I WAS GOOD AT MATH IN THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE OF ALL PLACES.

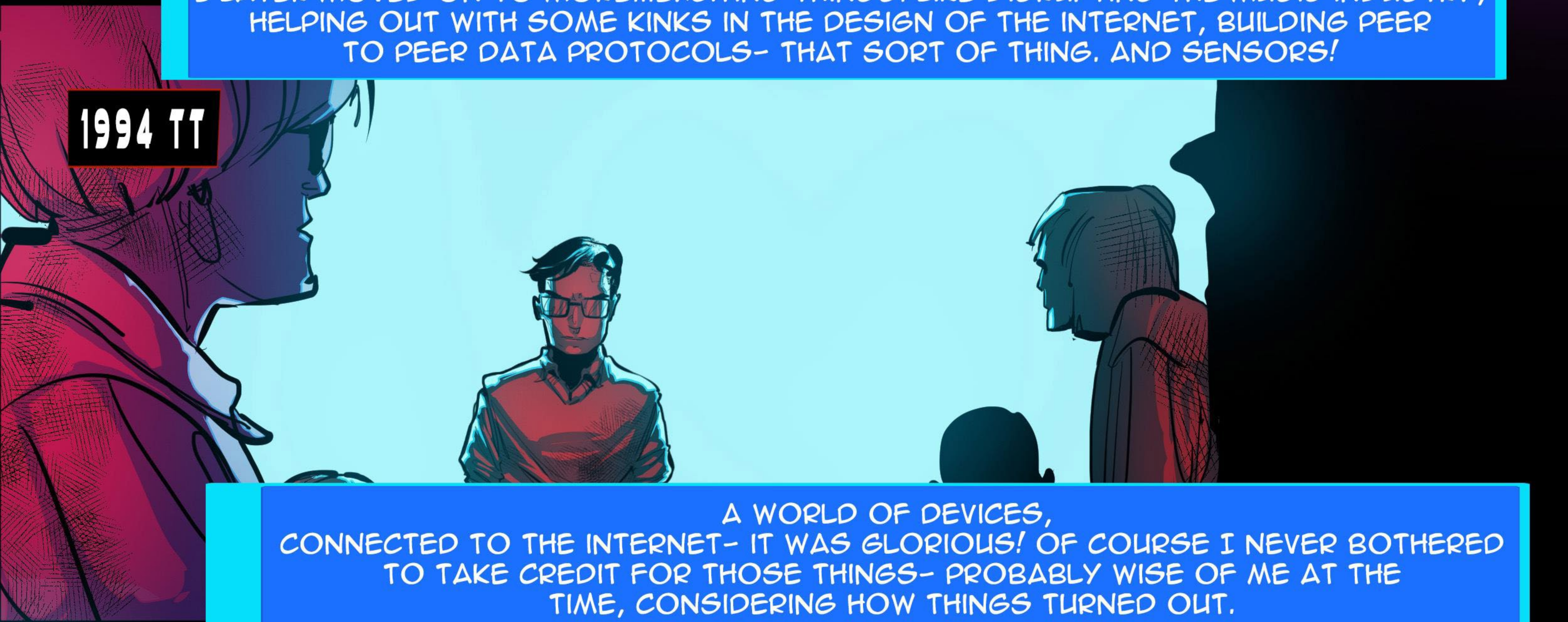
1990 TT

I TURNED MY ATTENTION TO CODING AND TECH DEVELOPMENT- THAT WAS WHEN I MET AKI. WE IMAGINED NEXT GENERATION TECHNOLOGIES TOGETHER- BACK THEN, THE INTERNET WAS NOT WIDELY KNOWN.



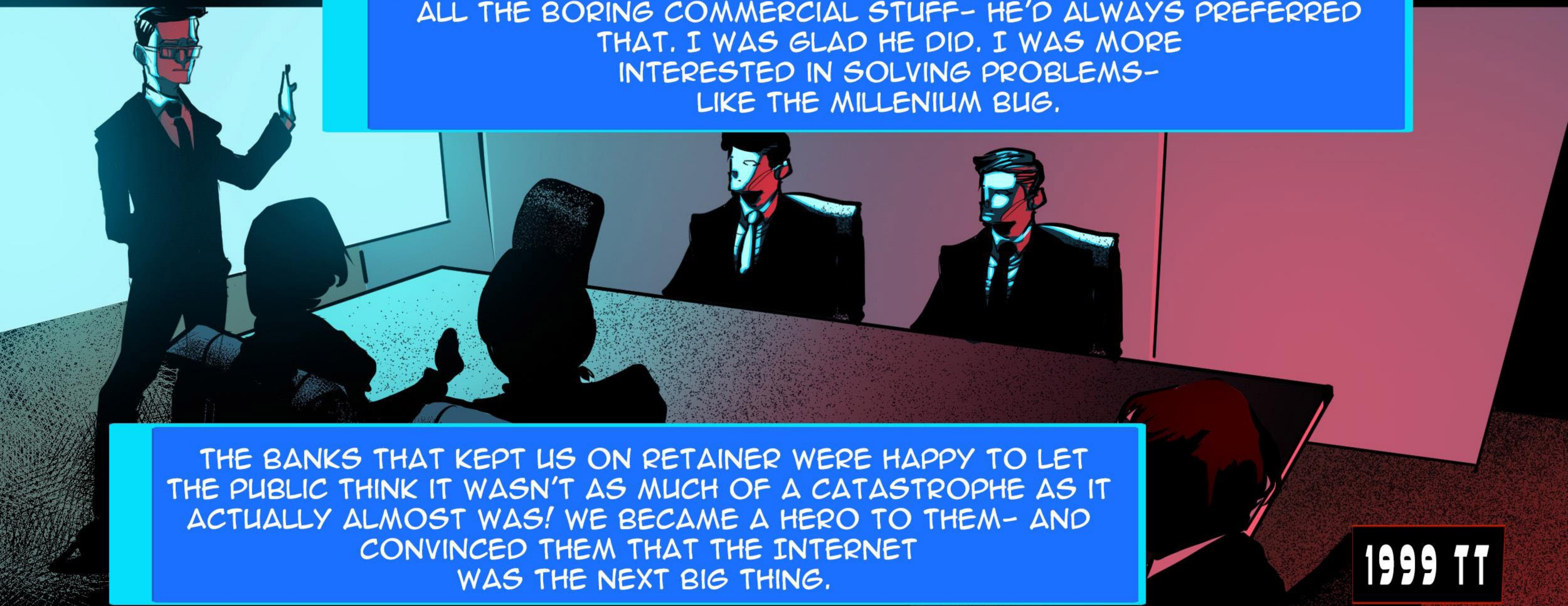
I LATER MOVED ON TO MORE...EXCITING THINGS. LIKE DISRUPTING THE MUSIC INDUSTRY, HELPING OUT WITH SOME KINKS IN THE DESIGN OF THE INTERNET, BUILDING PEER TO PEER DATA PROTOCOLS- THAT SORT OF THING. AND SENSORS!

1994 TT



A WORLD OF DEVICES, CONNECTED TO THE INTERNET- IT WAS GLORIOUS! OF COURSE I NEVER BOTHERED TO TAKE CREDIT FOR THOSE THINGS- PROBABLY WISE OF ME AT THE TIME, CONSIDERING HOW THINGS TURNED OUT.

AKI AND I EVENTUALLY DECIDED TO FLOAT A STARTUP. HE HANDLED ALL THE BORING COMMERCIAL STUFF- HE'D ALWAYS PREFERRED THAT. I WAS GLAD HE DID. I WAS MORE INTERESTED IN SOLVING PROBLEMS- LIKE THE MILLENIUM BUG.



THE BANKS THAT KEPT US ON RETAINER WERE HAPPY TO LET THE PUBLIC THINK IT WASN'T AS MUCH OF A CATASTROPHE AS IT ACTUALLY ALMOST WAS! WE BECAME A HERO TO THEM- AND CONVINCED THEM THAT THE INTERNET WAS THE NEXT BIG THING.

1999 TT

2001 TT

SHORTING THEIR INVESTMENTS AND RUINING US OVERNIGHT. AKI WAS A CHEERFUL GUY. DEPRESSION WAS NEW TO HIM.

SADLY, THIS WOULD BE OUR UNDOING— AT THE FIRST SIGN OF TROUBLE, OUR INVESTORS ABANDONED US...

HE DIDN'T HANDLE IT WELL. I LOST HIM, AND I LOST A PART OF MYSELF.

2004 TT

I BECAME DRIVEN, OBSESSED. MY QUEST FOR ANSWERS LED ME TO A JOB AT THE WORLD BANK, WORKING AS AN ANALYST TO DETECT MONEY LAUNDERING AND FRAUD AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL.

MY SEARCH LED ME TO THE HEART OF THE GLOBAL MONETARY SYSTEM. THERE I DISCOVERED WHAT YOU MIGHT CALL A SECRET INNER CIRCLE...

...CONTROLLING GLOBAL ECONOMIC PERFORMANCE VIA CLANDESTINE, OBSCURE SUBSIDIARIES...

...COLD, SOULLESS BUREAUCRATS WHO PURPOSELY TRIGGERED THE 2001 CRASH TO REMOVE MAJOR TECH COMPANIES FROM THE MARKET SO THEY COULD SUCK THEM UP ON THE CHEAP...

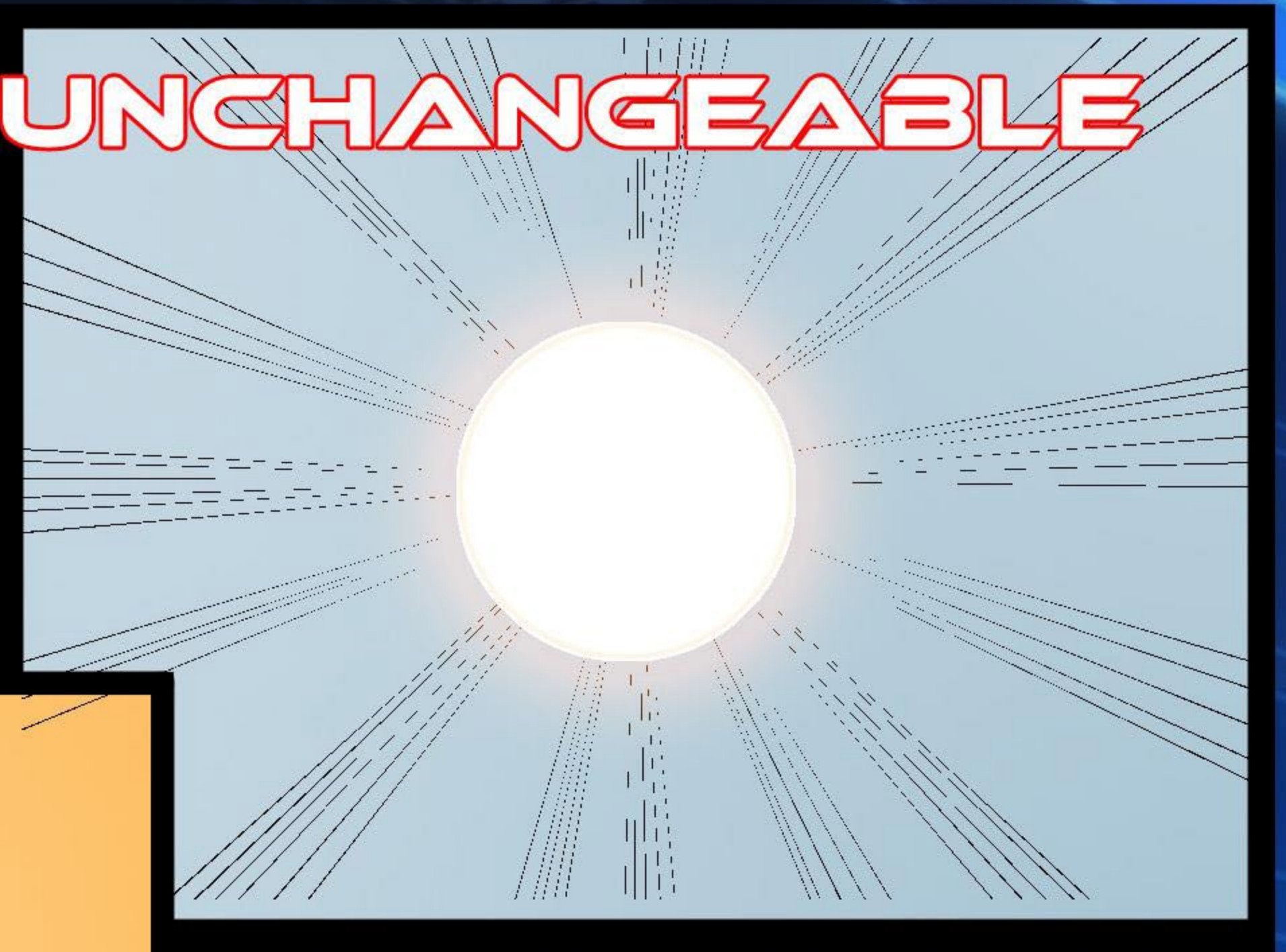
MURDERERS, WHO DROVE MY BEST FRIEND TO SUICIDE.

I QUIT THE WORLD BANK SOON AFTER, BECAUSE SOMETHING HAD TO BE DONE.

**NO CENTRAL
CONTROL**



UNCHANGABLE



**MADE RARE
THOUGH MATH**

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**INCORRUPTIBLE,
SECURE,
UNBREAKABLE**



AND SOMETHING
WAS DONE.

TO SAVE OUR MONEY FROM
THE FANGS OF THOSE
PARASITES, THOSE
VAMPIRES.

2 YEARS OF RESEARCH.
TO CREATE A NEW GLOBAL
MONEY SYSTEM.

MONEY OWNED BY
EVERYONE AND CONTROLLED
BY NO-ONE.

YOU
DESIGNED
BITCOIN!!!

CORRECT. AND
THERE'S MORE-BUT
WE ARE RUNNING
SHORT ON
TIME.



WHAT DO YOU MEAN SHORT ON TIME? I REMEMBER- YOU RELEASED DETAILS OF BITCOIN TO THE PUBLIC AND DISAPPEARED!

WHY? I'VE WANTED TO MEET YOU FOR YEARS.

I MEANT TO TELL YOU MORE BUT CHANGES NEED TO BE MADE URGENTLY TO OUR PLANS, SO LISTEN CAREFULLY.

I--I CAN'T TAKE OFF THE GLASSES. WHEN I MOVE MY ARMS HERE...DO THEY MOVE IN THE REAL WORLD?

THERE ISN'T ENOUGH TIME TO FULLY EXPLAIN. JUST REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING.

THE PEOPLE DRIVING YOU ARE CYPHER PUNKS- AND THEY SPEAK FOR ME.

THERE IS ANOTHER WORLD- A UNIVERSE WITH INFINITE POSSIBILITY, LAYERED UPON WHAT WE CALL THE INTERNET. IT IS CALLED DIGITERRA.

DIGITERRA? WHAT?

LISTEN, PLEASE. THE CYPHER PUNKS WILL SHOW YOU THE WAY TO THE SILK ROAD, AND YOU MUST FOLLOW IT UNTIL YOU GET TO DIGITERRA.

YOU'RE... YOU'RE FADING AWAY...

GUARD THIS WITH YOUR LIFE, AND ENSURE THE ONLY PERSON YOU GIVE IT TO IS THE COURIER. HE WILL UNDERSTAND WHAT TO DO WITH IT.

I WANT TO KEEP INTERRUPTING, BUT I FEEL BOTH URGENCY AND FEAR. I DON'T REMEMBER...CARING... SO MUCH IN A LONG TIME...

DID YOU GET THAT?

Y--YES.


YOU MUST PASS THAT MESSAGE ON TO THE COUNCIL THROUGH THE COURIER.

COUNCIL. MUST REMEMBER THAT. MUST REMEMBER EVERYTHING. THIS MATTERS. THIS ALL MATTERS.


THE CYPHER PUNKS WILL BE YOUR GUIDE, BUT BE CAREFUL, THEY MAY HAVE BEEN COMPROMISED. AND ALSO....



TIME'S UP, DEJI.
I WISH I COULD GIVE
YOU MORE HELP,
MORE DETAIL...



WHY DO I CARE SO
MUCH? WHAT'S WRONG
WITH ME? HAVE I NOT
LEARNED MY
LESSON?



I UNDERSTAND,
SATOSHI. I WON'T
LET YOU
DOWN.

I KNOW YOU WON'T,
DEJI. FIND THE SILK ROAD,
AND FIND THE COURIER,
AND MORE IMPORTANTLY
FIND YOURSELF. ALWAYS
REMEMBER AND RELY
ON THE LAW
OF ONE.


TELL ME WHAT
THAT IS BEFORE
YOU GO....

ALL IS
ONE, NO ONE
IS ALL.

ALL IS
ONE...



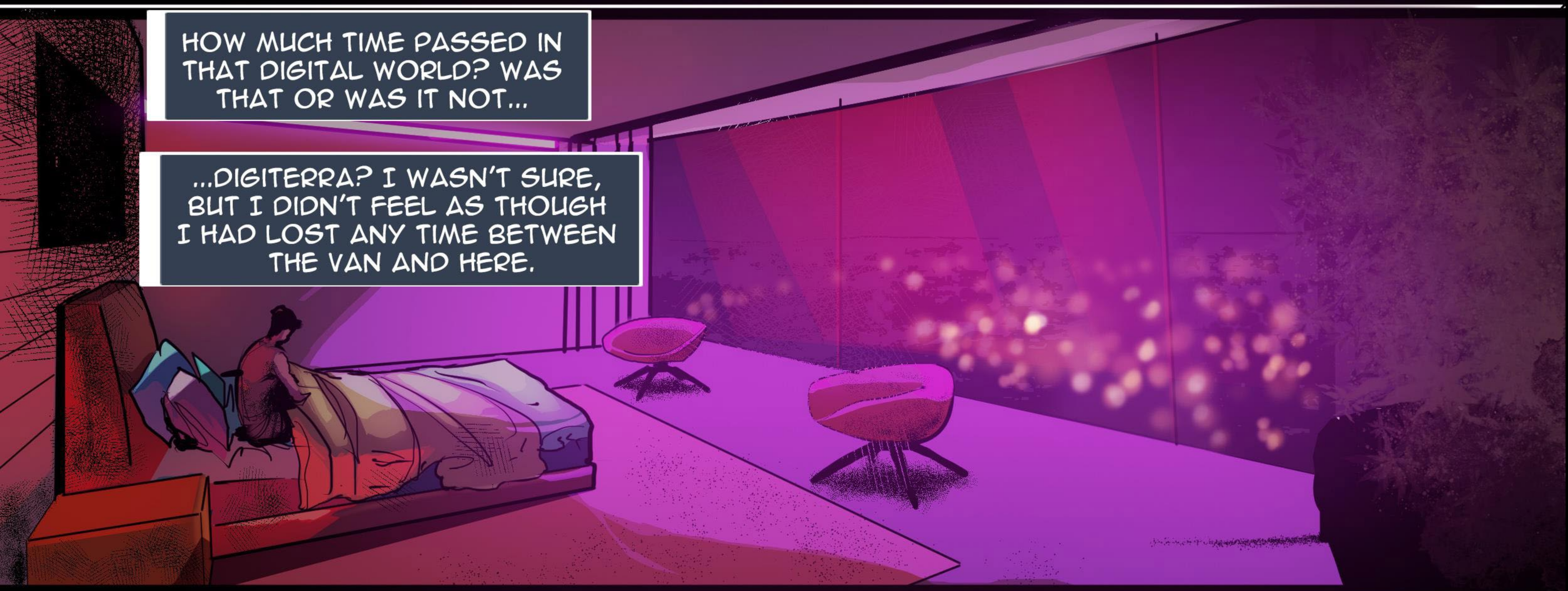
...NO ONE IS ALL.



SOMEHOW, WHEN I WOKE UP, I WASN'T SURPRISED TO FIND MYSELF WHERE I WAS.



HOW MUCH TIME PASSED IN THAT DIGITAL WORLD? WAS THAT OR WAS IT NOT...



...DIGITERRA? I WASN'T SURE, BUT I DIDN'T FEEL AS THOUGH I HAD LOST ANY TIME BETWEEN THE VAN AND HERE.



ONE THING I WAS SURE OF, HOWEVER, IS THAT WHEREVER "HERE" WAS...



...FELT LIKE HOME.



FIRST STEP INTO A LARGER WORLD, EHP?



ALL IS ONE, NO ONE IS ALL.



LET'S TAKE IT.

KRYPTOMAIL

WE HOPE YOU HAVE ENJOYED THE PILOT EPISODES OF METAIYE KNIGHTS. DEJI HAS TAKEN THE FIRST STEP INTO A WORLD THE LIKES OF WHICH HE HAD NEVER IMAGINED POSSIBLE. HE HAS A NEW SENSE OF PURPOSE AND IS KEEN TO LEARN MORE ABOUT WHAT COMES NEXT. THE STAGE IS NOW SET AND THE SAGA IS POISED TO BEGIN AN EPIC BATTLE BETWEEN THE FANG FORCES SEEKING TO ENSLAVE SOCIETY AND THE METAIYE KNIGHTS SEEKING TO THWART THEIR DASTARDLY PLANS.

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AS SUCH WE ARE INVITING YOU TO JOIN US ON THIS JOURNEY NOT JUST AS FANS AND SPECTATORS BUT ALSO AS OWNERS OF THE METAIYE KNIGHTS FRANCHISE. FOR A LIMITED PERIOD ONLY WE ARE RUNNING A CROWDFUNDING CAMPAIGN ON STARTENGINE WHERE YOU CAN OWN SHARES OF THE METAIYE KNIGHTS FRANCHISE AS SHAREHOLDER. INVESTMENTS BEGIN FROM AS LITTLE AS \$100 AND COME WITH MANY GREAT PERKS LIKE CREATING YOUR OWN AVATAR, AND EVEN THE CHANCE TO HAVE YOUR AVATAR APPEAR IN A CAMEO ROLE WITHIN THE SERIES! YOUR AVATAR WILL ALSO BE AN NFT DIGITAL COLLECTIBLE THAT YOU CAN OWN AND CUSTOMISE TO REPRESENT YOU AS YOU SEE FIT ONLINE. METAIYE KNIGHTS IS NOT JUST A STORY ABOUT THE FUTURE IT'S THE FUTURE OF STORY TELLING AND DIGITAL COLLECTIBLES. JOIN US, OWN AND BECOME A PART OF THIS FUTURE AS IT UNFOLDS.

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