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WE HAVE  
CONFIRMED THAT  
THE CRAFTSMAN  
THAT YOU  
RECOVERED IS  
BEHIND THE  
EXPLOSIONS  
ON ARDIS!!

PERFECT AS  
ALWAYS,  
SAMUS



Chapter 1: Invasion

第1話 襲来



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THEY HAVE  
ASKED TO  
THANK YOU  
DIRECTLY...

GIVE  
ME A  
BREAK.

OTHERWISE  
I WOULDN'T  
HAVE  
BOTHERED  
....!

IT WAS A  
REQUEST  
FROM AN  
OLD  
FRIEND...

THE NEW  
TECHNOLOGY  
OF  
THE FUTURE  
IS  
THE FUTURE  
OF THE  
FUTURE

THE NEW  
TECHNOLOGY  
OF  
THE FUTURE  
IS  
THE FUTURE  
OF THE  
FUTURE





systems that  
optimize  
flow rate  
and control

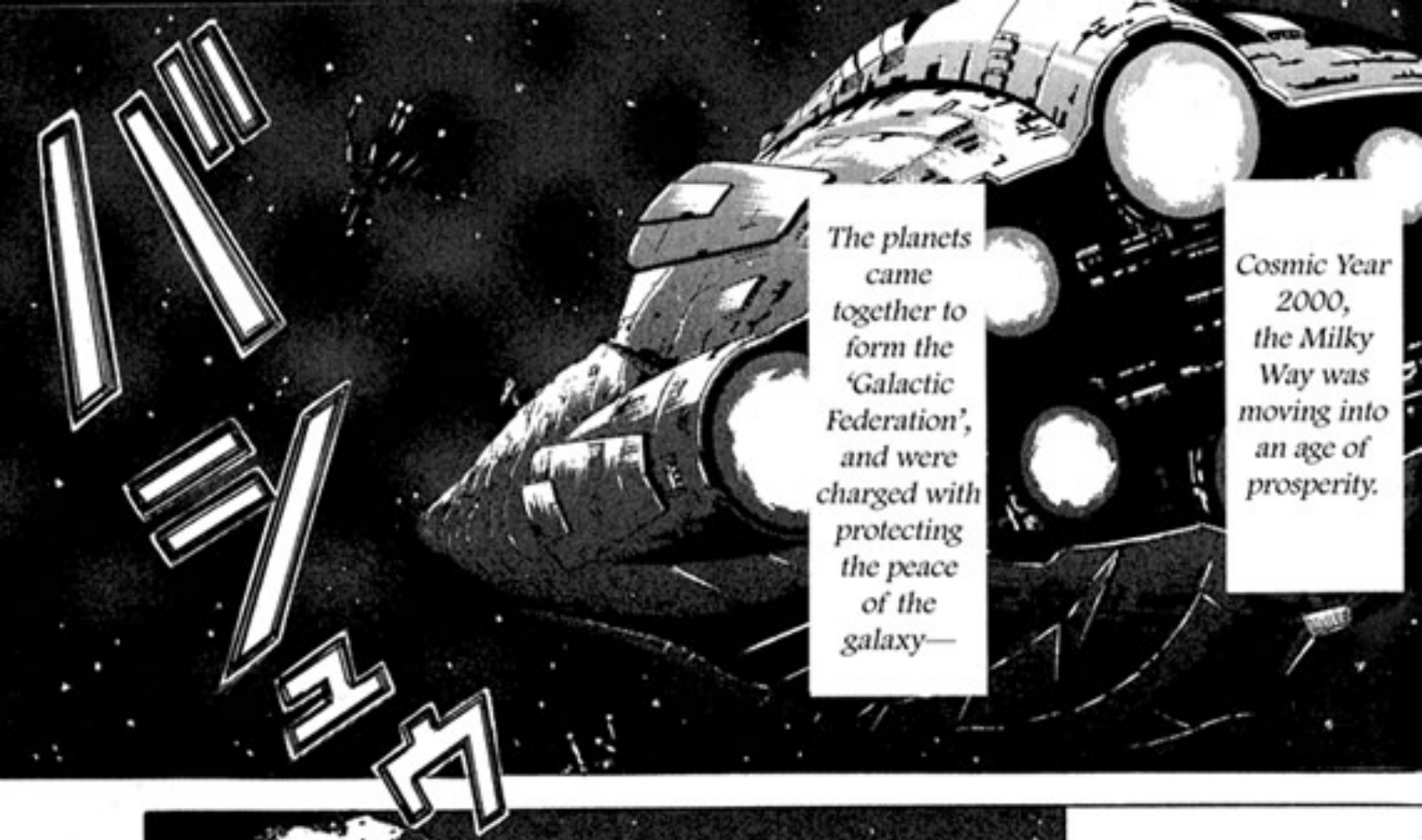
Exhaust  
and the  
back

Exhaust  
and the  
back  
exhaust  
control



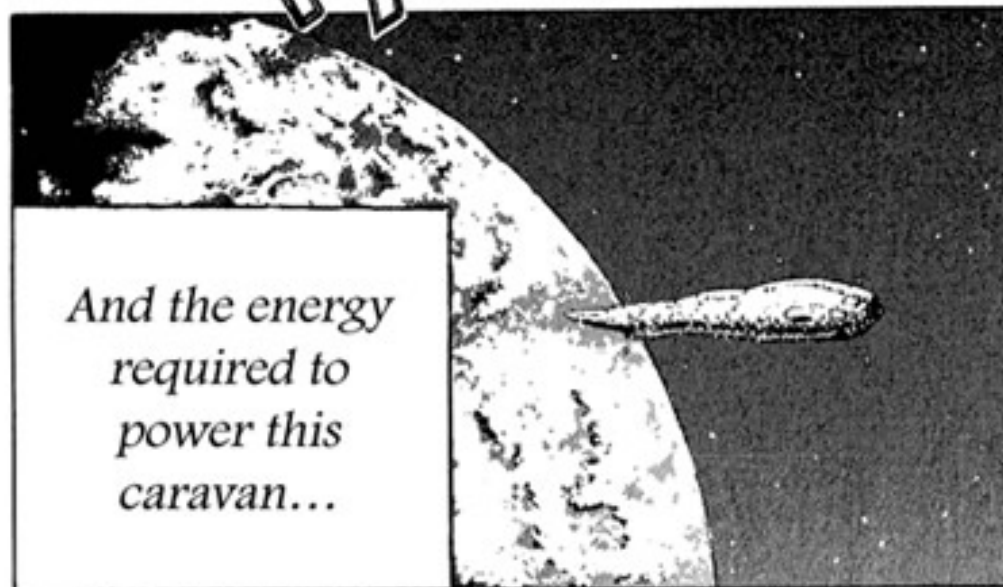






The planets came together to form the 'Galactic Federation', and were charged with protecting the peace of the galaxy—

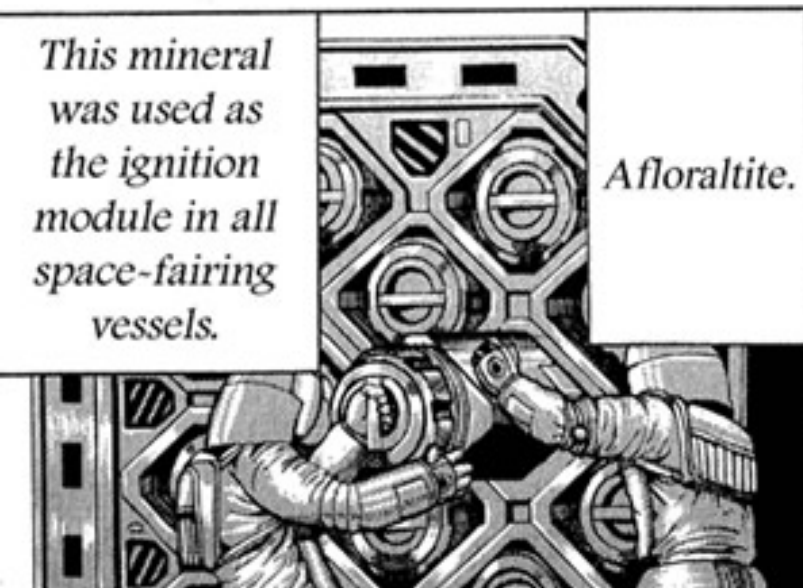
Cosmic Year 2000, the Milky Way was moving into an age of prosperity.



And the energy required to power this caravan...

A caravan was formed to connect the planets

This mineral was used as the ignition module in all space-fairing vessels.



Afloraltite.

Was a mineral mined here, at Star Colony K-2L





YEAH!

YO,  
CHIEF  
ARAN

And my family  
lived and  
worked in that  
mining colony

IT'S BEEN A  
WHILE, GOOD  
TO HAVE YOU  
BACK

GOOD JOB ON  
THE RUN, GO  
AHEAD AND  
TAKE A LOAD  
OFF INSIDE.

OK,  
SECTOR 6 AND  
7, GET THAT  
LOAD OF  
AFLORALTITE  
IN, COME ON



WH-...  
WHAT!?

I BROUGHT  
YOU LUNCH!

O-,  
OH,  
VIRGINIA...  
WHAT'S UP?

WHAT'RE  
YOU  
DOING  
OUT OF  
THE  
HOUSE?

ROD!



I'M  
PREPARED  
TO MAKE A  
SACRIFICE  
OR TWO!!

I WANT TO  
SEE THE  
MILKY WAY  
THRIVE!

YOU'VE BEEN  
SO BUSY YOU  
HAVEN'T  
SLEPT IN  
WEEKS!!

DON'T GIVE  
ME THAT,  
YOU NEED  
TO EAT.

HAHA...  
I SUPPOSE...  
BUT THE  
CARAVANS  
NEED THIS  
AFLORALTITE AS  
SOON AS  
POSSIBLE

ボン





HEY,  
SAMUS!!

EVERYONE'S  
GOING  
OVER TO  
THE DOCKS

WHAT'RE  
YOU  
DOING  
OUT  
HERE!?

IT LOOKS  
KINDA  
WEIRD

A NEW  
SHIP  
CAME

THEY  
CALLED IT  
A 'CHOZO  
SHIP'

WHERE,  
WHERE?

EH





WE FOUND  
NO OTHER  
PLACE TO  
PROCURE  
IT

...  
BUT

WE WOULD  
LIKE TO  
BORROW A  
LARGE  
AMOUNT



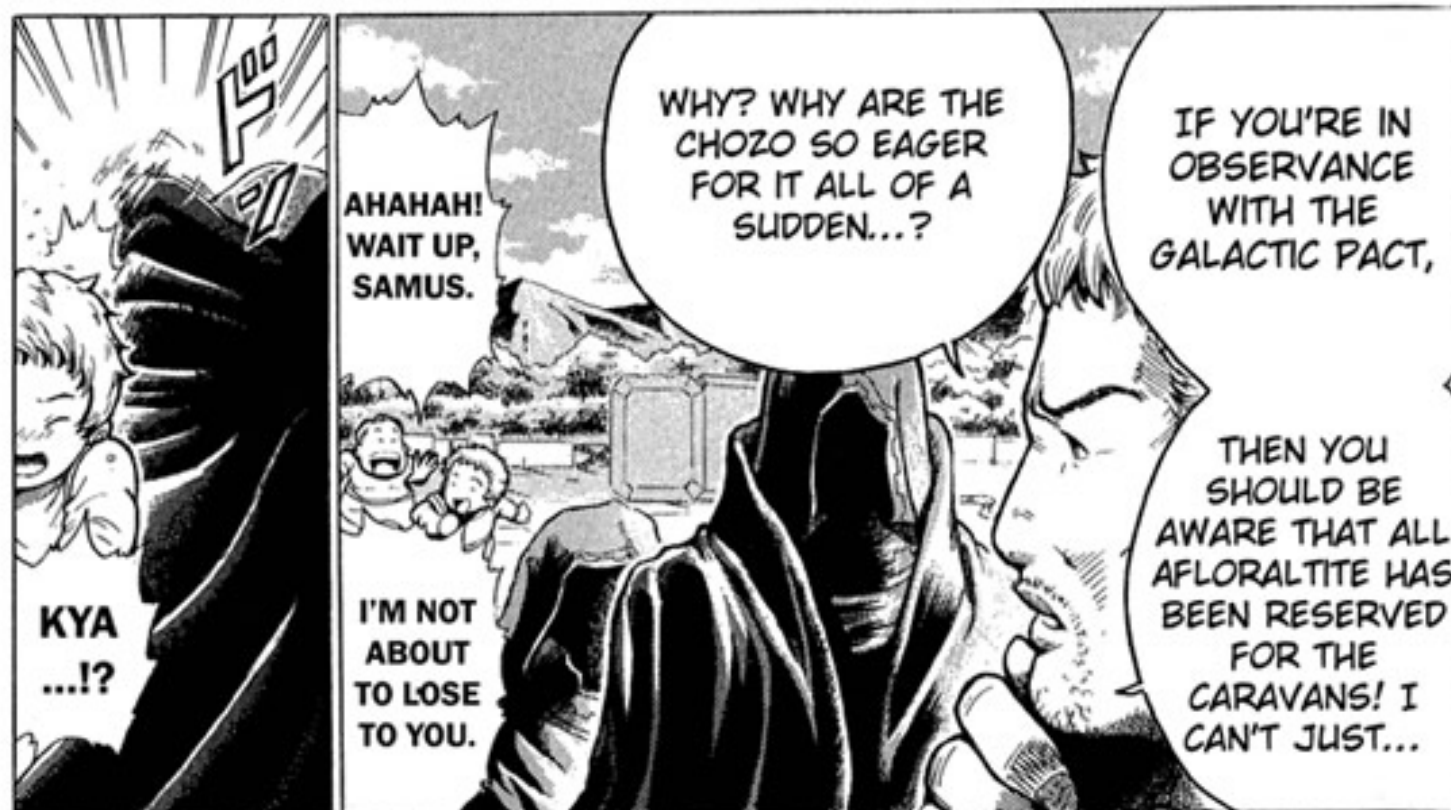
YOU JUST  
WANT US  
TO GIVE  
IT TO  
YOU?



AH, CHIEF  
ARAN,  
THAT'S...

HEY, WHAT'S  
GOING ON?

AH,  
SORRY,  
COMING  
THROUGH.



AHAHAH!  
WAIT UP,  
SAMUS.

WHY? WHY ARE THE  
CHOZO SO EAGER  
FOR IT ALL OF A  
SUDDEN...?

IF YOU'RE IN  
OBSERVANCE  
WITH THE  
GALACTIC PACT,

THEN YOU  
SHOULD BE  
AWARE THAT ALL  
AFLOREALTITE HAS  
BEEN RESERVED  
FOR THE  
CARAVANS! I  
CAN'T JUST...

KYA  
...!?

I'M NOT  
ABOUT  
TO LOSE  
TO YOU.



WE LOOK  
DIFFERENT  
...  
BUT INSIDE  
...

THERE'S  
NOTHING  
TO FEAR

WE HAVE THE  
SAME 'HEART'  
THAT YOU DO,  
SO BE AT EASE





I'M SAMUS  
ARAN, 3  
YEARS OLD

TORI?



WOULD  
YOU LIKE  
TO BE  
FRIENDS  
...?

I AM  
CALLED  
'OLD BIRD'  
...

BUT YOU  
CAN CALL  
ME TORI  
OJI-CHAN\*  
IF YOU'D  
LIKE

\*TORI OJI-CHAN TRANSLATES AS GRANDPA BIRD



PLEASE  
CONTINUE  
THE  
NEGOTIATIONS

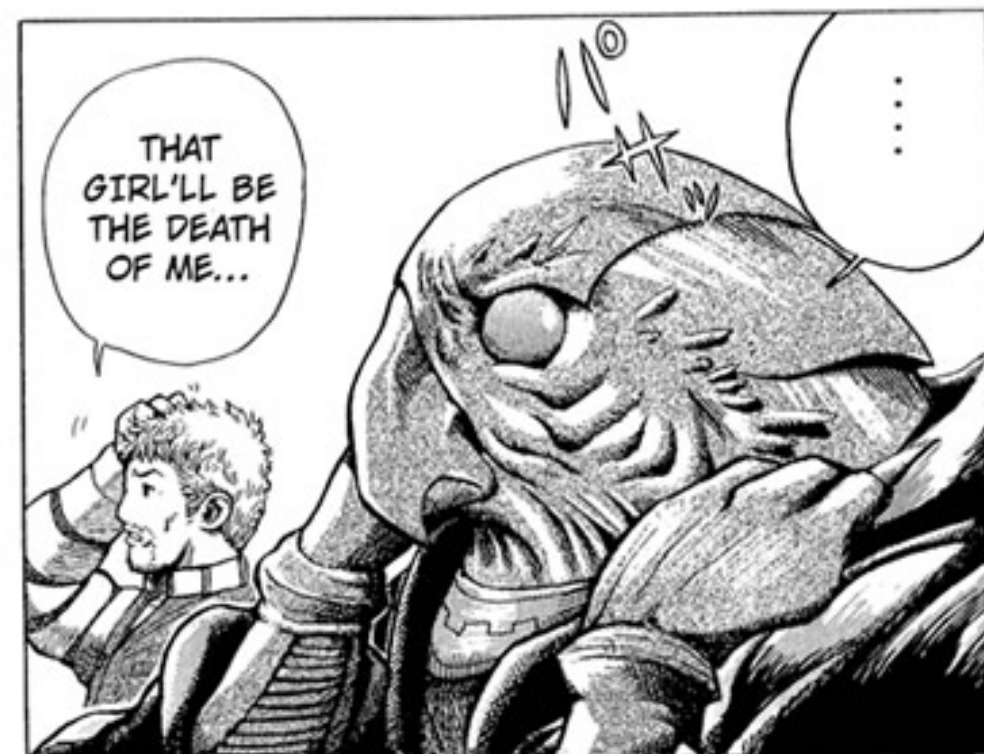
AH,  
SORRY,  
GRAY  
VOICE

AH, OLD  
BIRD  
-SAMA  
...!?



I NEED  
SOME  
HELP...

NE, NE,  
COME  
OVER  
HERE



THAT  
GIRL'LL BE  
THE DEATH  
OF ME...

...



AH,  
VERY  
WELL  
...

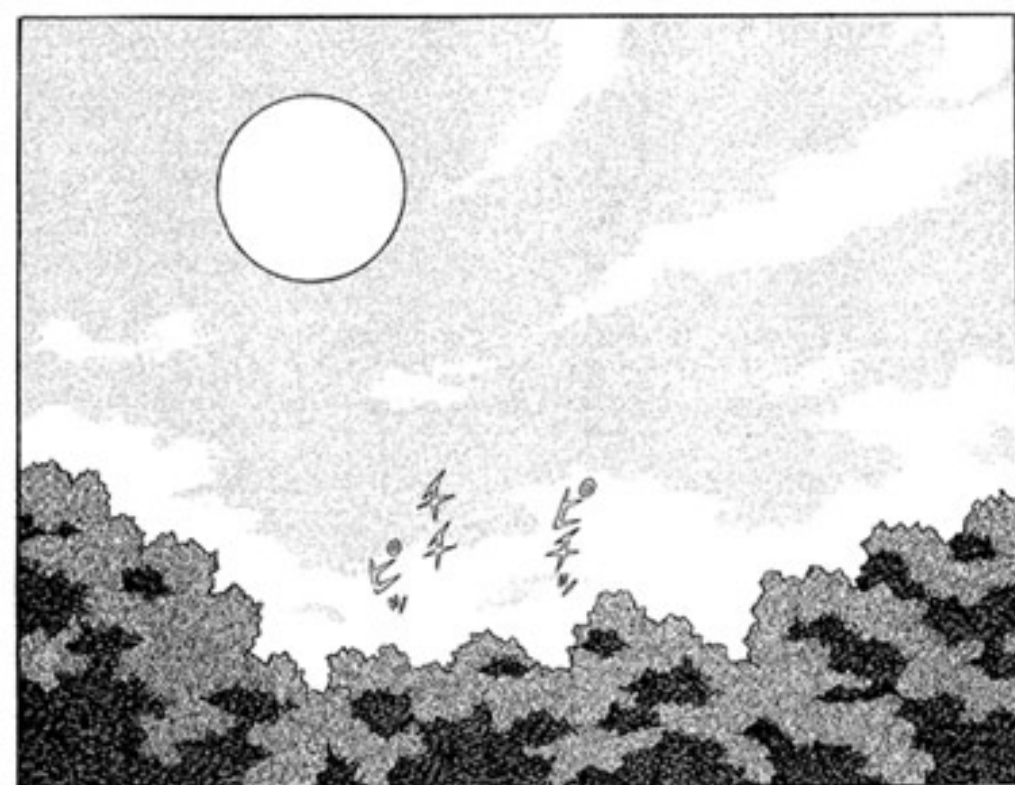
EH?

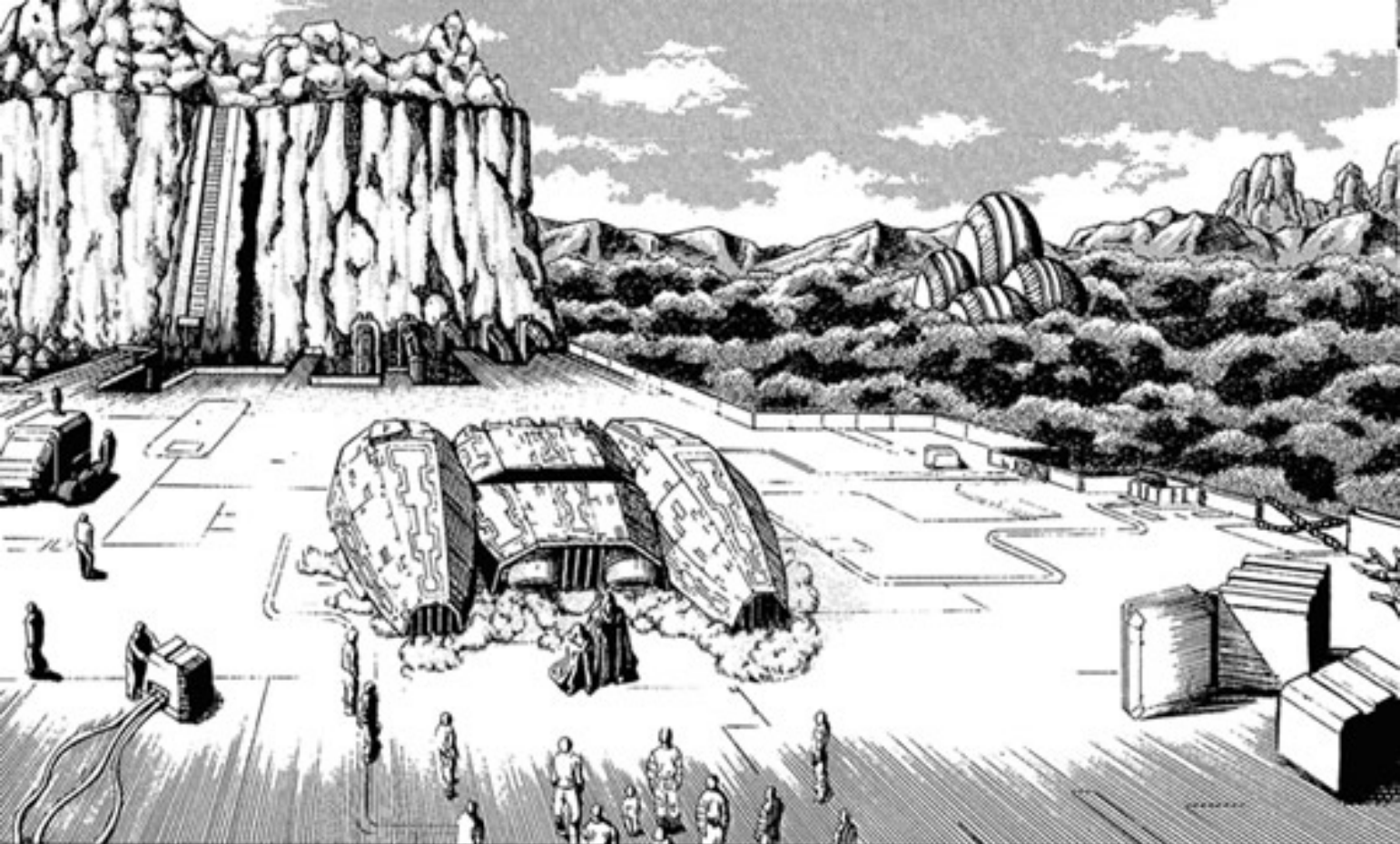
AH! SA-  
SAMUS,  
WAIT!







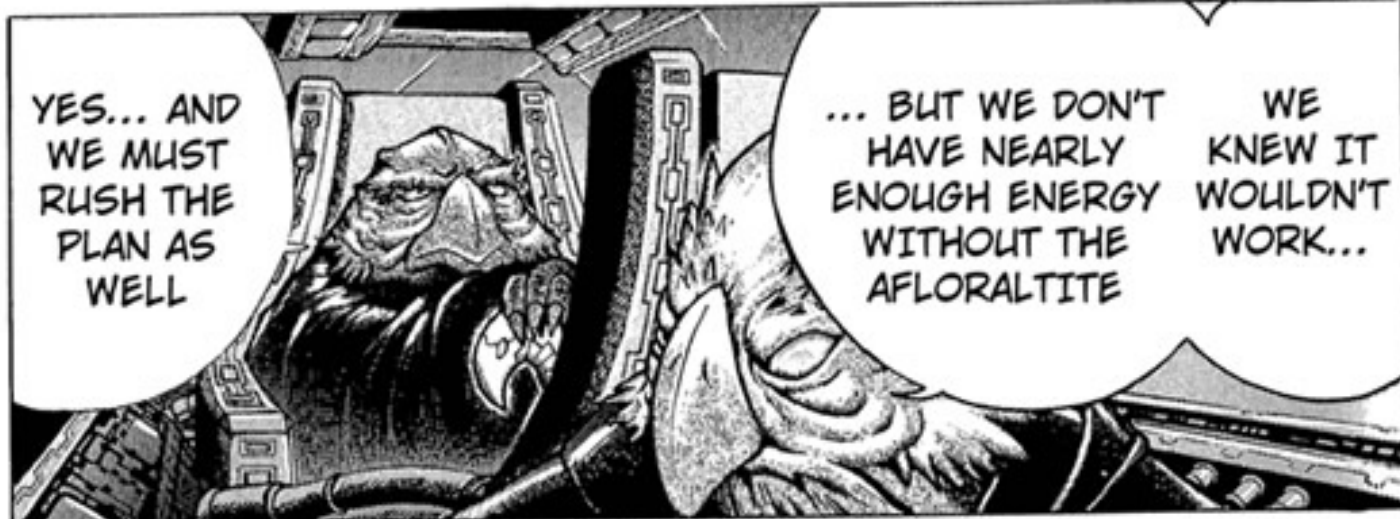








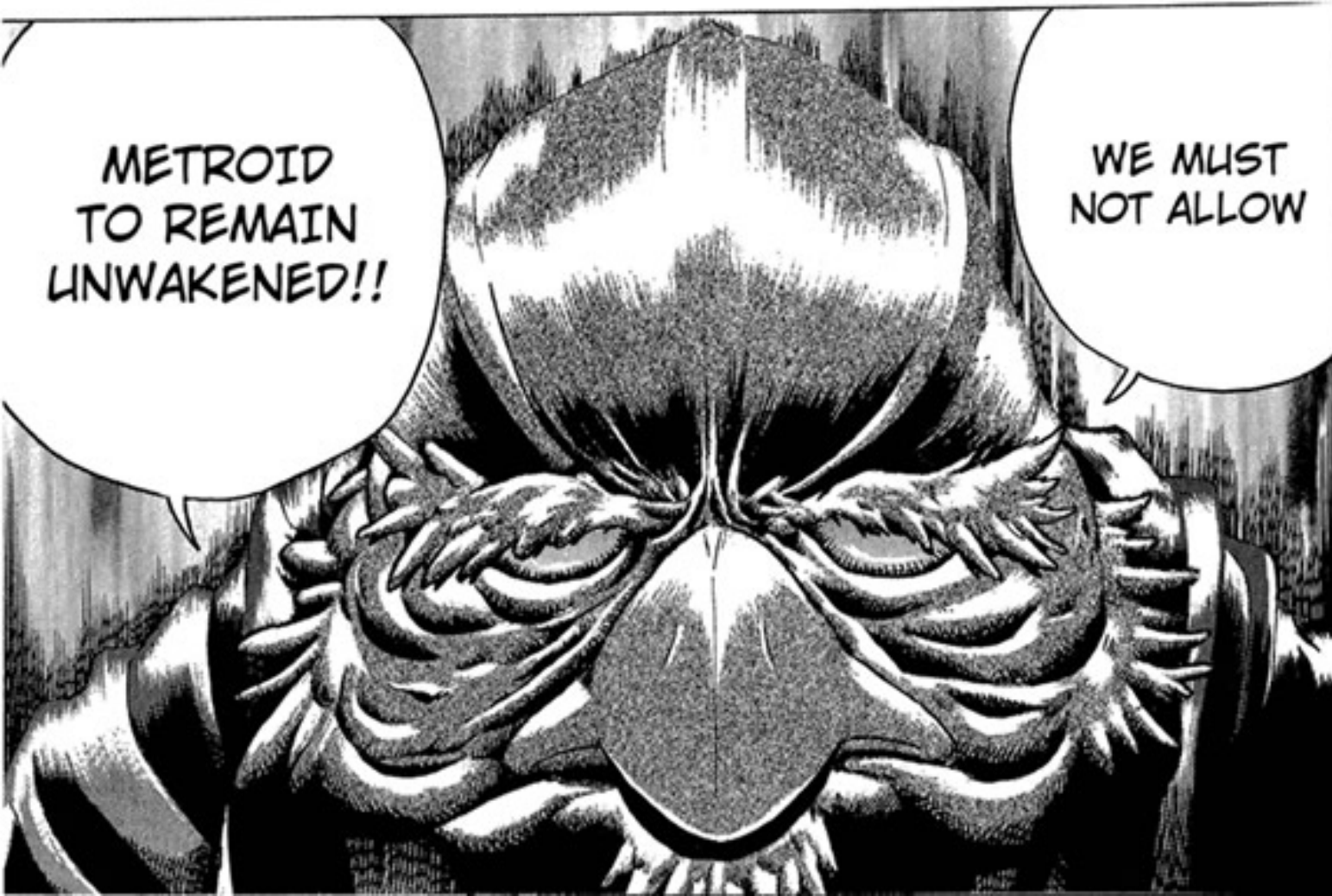
TORI OJII-CHAN,  
COME BACK  
SOON



YES... AND  
WE MUST  
RUSH THE  
PLAN AS  
WELL

... BUT WE DON'T  
HAVE NEARLY  
ENOUGH ENERGY  
WITHOUT THE  
AFLORALTITE

WE  
KNEW IT  
WOULDN'T  
WORK...



METROID  
TO REMAIN  
UNWAKENED!!

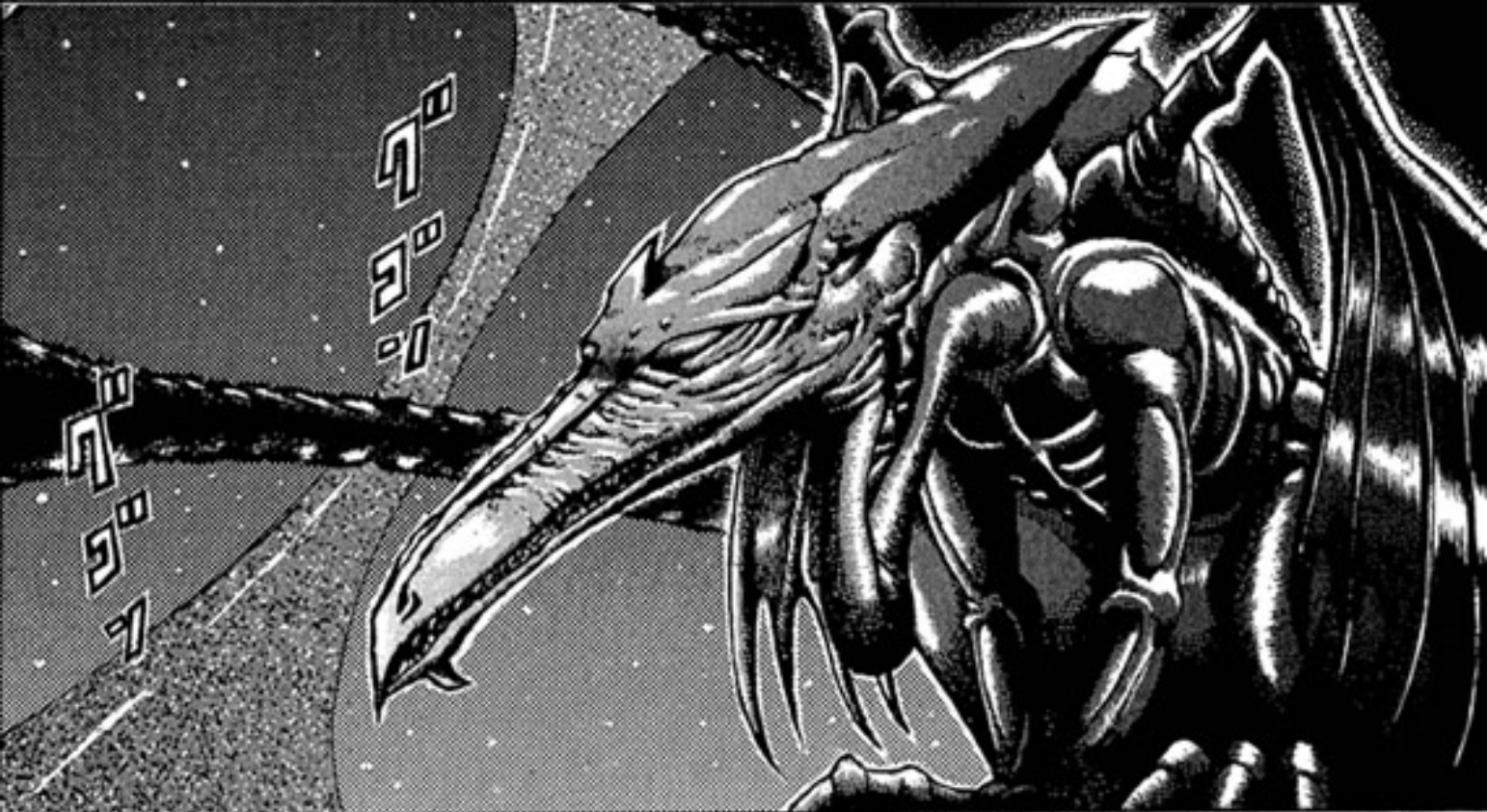
WE MUST  
NOT ALLOW

IT CAN'T BE  
HELPED. WE HAVE  
TO SOMEHOW GET  
IT BEFORE THE  
GALACTIC FEDERA-  
TION KNOWS  
ABOUT IT.

THE TIME X  
HAS BEEN OUT  
THERE ALONE IS  
INCREASING!!







WE'VE DETECTED A  
LARGE ENERGY  
SURGE. IT'S  
AFLORALTITE. WE  
BELIEVE THERE IS  
ALSO A GALACTIC  
FEDERATION  
MINING TEAM AS  
WELL.

LORD  
RIDLEY

WHY DID THE  
CHOZO GO TO  
SUCH AN OUT  
OF THE WAY  
PLANET?



HOHO. I SEE. I  
THOUGHT THERE  
MIGHT BE  
SOMETHING

IT'S EXACTLY  
WHAT WE WERE  
AFTER. WE  
FOUND  
SOMETHING  
WORTHWHILE.



AFLORALTITE~

WHHHAT?!  
WHAT?

TOWER, THIS IS  
BEATRIX III,  
AWAITING  
PERMISSION TO  
TAXI... TOWER,  
PLEASE RESPOND...

...TOWER,  
TOWER. DO  
YOU COPY?!

THERE'S  
SOMETHING IN  
THE ATMOSPHERE  
BLOCKING  
COMMUNICATIONS.

YEAH,  
CHIEF.

HEY, WHAT ARE  
YOU DOING?!  
THE SHIP'S NOT  
TAKING OFF.

EVEN THE MAP  
PRODUCED BY  
THE EXTERIOR  
ELECTRON  
BEAM IS MALFUNC-  
TIONING...

FURTHERMORE,  
THERE IS  
SOMETHING  
STRANGE  
ABOUT THE  
INFRARED  
READINGS.

WHAT DID  
YOU SAY?

SO IT'S LOOKING  
FOR THE STAR'S  
ENERGY SOURCE...?

THE MAP? IT SAYS THE  
BRIGHTEST SPOT IS  
HERE... THE POWER  
FACILITY...





WH-WHAT IS IT?

SOUND THE EMERGENCY ALARMS!

DISPATCH A FEDERATION POLICE EMERGENCY CODE—

O-OH NO. EMERGENCY—

FIGURE OUT THE TERRAIN. CUT OFF THE ENERGY! ALL MOVEMENT IS PROHIBITED! DO AS WE TRAINED!!



THEY'RE COMING.

.....  
THE SPACE PIRATES.



EH, TH-THAT MEANS ...

CONTACT ALL PERSONNEL IN THE VICINITY!!

FORGET ABOUT THE CARGO, WE'RE ABANDONING SHIP!!







IF YOU  
HIT A HIGH  
ENERGY  
SOURCE,  
THERE'S NO  
ESCAPING  
THE BLAST.

BUT,  
LISTEN UP  
AND BE  
CAREFUL  
ABOUT THE  
AFLORALT-  
ITE.

ROGER,  
LORD  
RIDLEY.

ALRIGHT, THEIR  
ENERGY IS CUT.  
WE'RE GOING  
SOUTH NEXT. LET'S  
KICK SOME ASS!!

FIRST,  
ENJOY THE  
SLAUGHTER  
TO THE  
FULLEST!!

WE HAVEN'T  
SEEN FLESH  
AND BLOOD  
IN AWHILE.

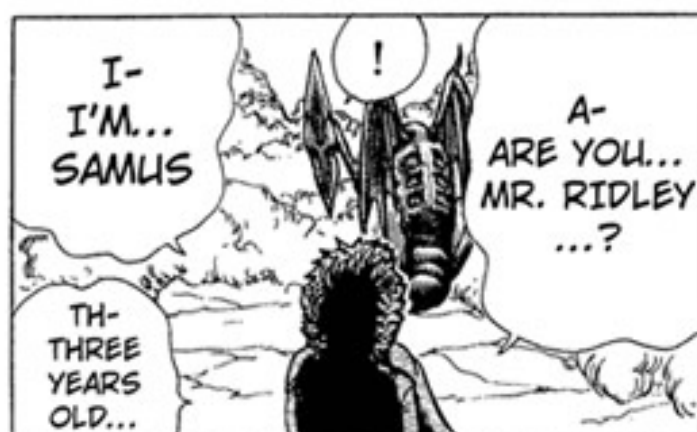
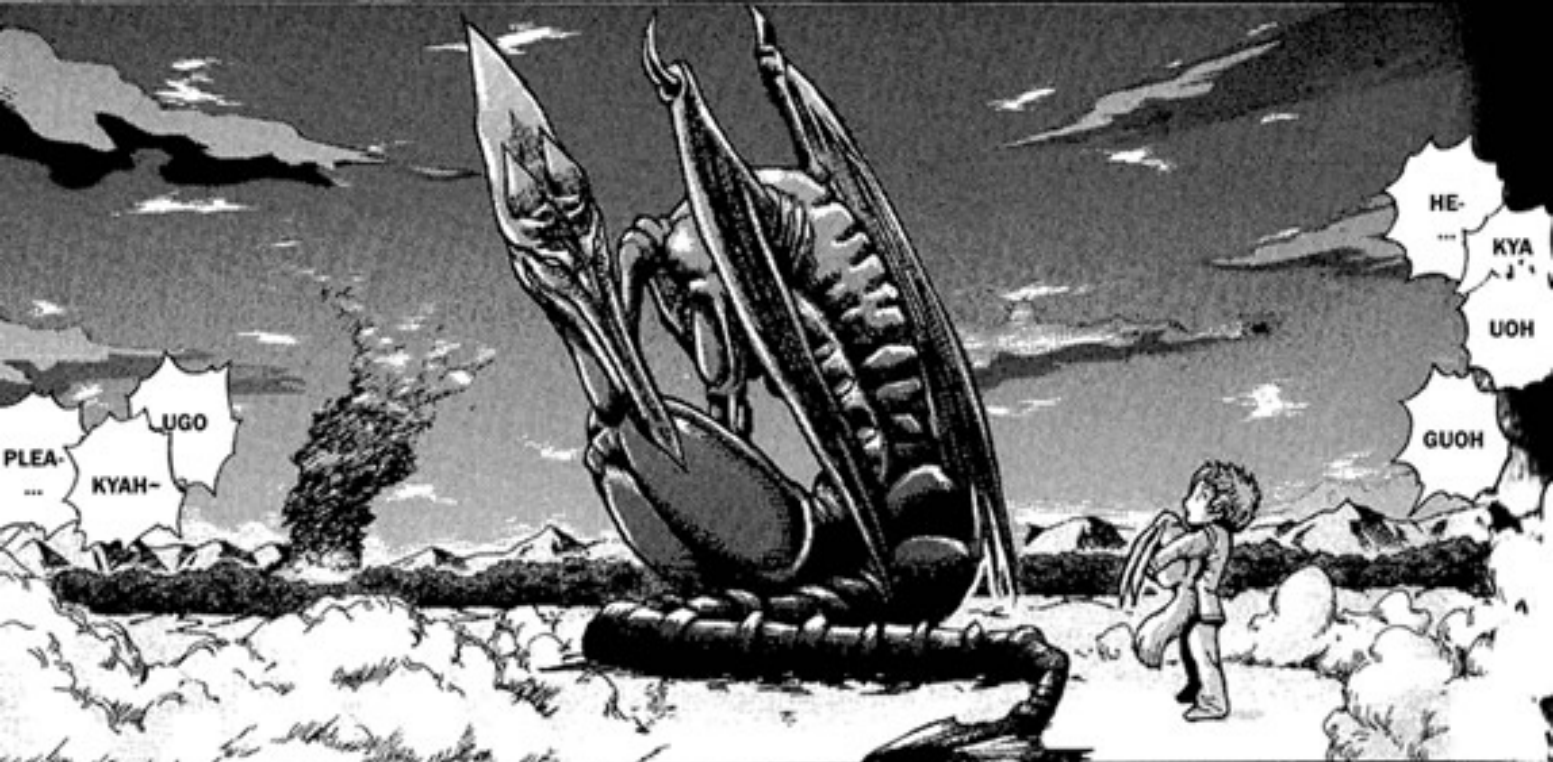
CUT  
THEM TO  
BITS!!

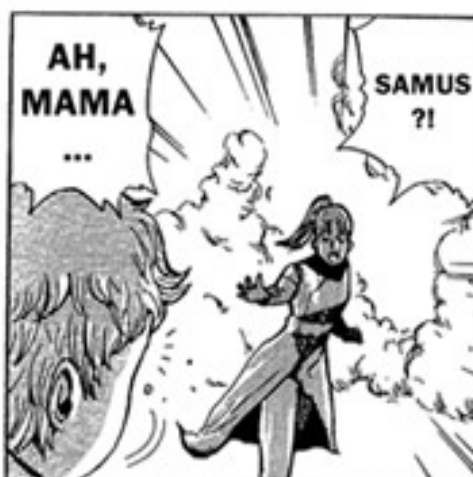
PRIORITY  
GOES TO  
SILENCING  
EVERYBODY  
ON THIS  
PLANET.

WE CAN TAKE  
OUR TIME  
COLLECTING  
THE SPOILS  
LATER!!

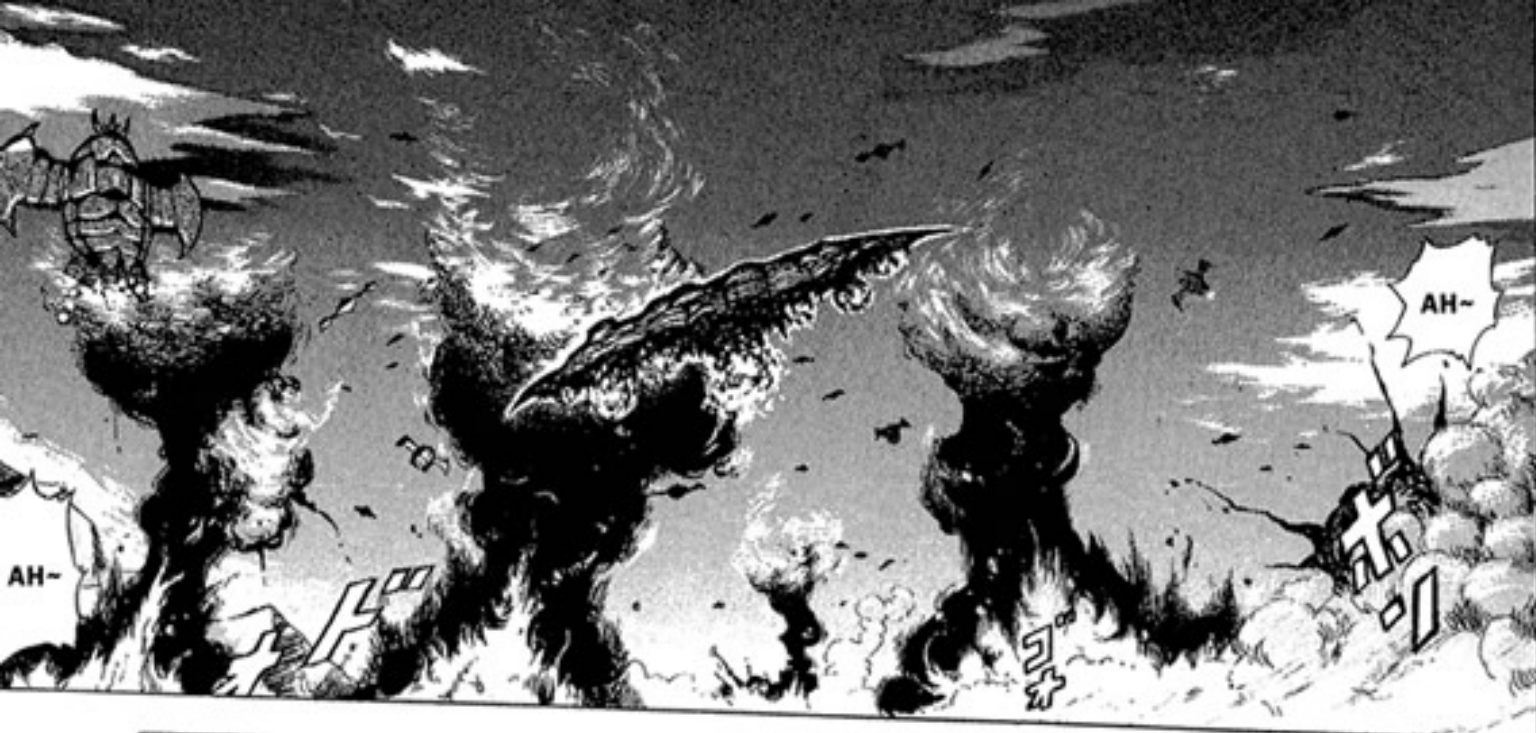












WHAT NOW...

DAMN IT...  
I'VE SNUCK  
ONTO THEIR  
CARGO SHIP  
BUT...



FUH

...  
WHAT  
SHOULD I  
DO?

HAH

FUH



I CAN'T LET  
THEM LEAVE WITH  
EVEN THIS SMALL  
AMOUNT OF  
AFLORALTITE...

HAH



HOW DID  
YOU GET  
IN?!

HEY BASTARD,  
WHAT ARE YOU  
DOING THERE

HAH



BUT, IT  
DOESN'T LOOK  
LIKE THE  
FEDERATION  
POLICE WILL  
GET HERE IN  
TIME...!

FUH

WHAT CAN  
YOU DO WITH  
THAT TOY?  
DIE!

FW....  
HAHAHAHA.  
WHAT THE HELL.  
ISN'T THAT A  
WELDING LASER  
USED FOR  
REPAIRS?

AH. WAIT. IF  
HE HITS THE  
AFLORALTITE,  
IT'LL BLOW.

!

DAMN

FUH

HAH

LOOKS LIKE  
THE SOUP  
BETWEEN  
YOUR EARS  
ACTUALLY IS  
GOOD FOR  
SOMETHING.

THAT'S  
RIGHT YOU  
CRAB  
ASSHOLES.

FU  
FU  
FU  
...

WHAT  
... OH

FUH

IT SEEMS  
LIKE THIS  
IS MY ONLY  
CHOICE

HAH

SORRY  
VIRGINIA  
...

FUH

HAH

HAH

HAH

HAH

FUH

HAH

HAH

HA

IF YOU  
DO THAT,  
YOU'LL DIE,  
TOO!

AH. FOOL,  
WHAT ARE  
YOU DOING?  
CUT IT OUT!





**SAMUS!!**

**I  
LOVE  
YOU!!**



WHAT?

!?

WHY IS MY  
SHIP ON  
FIRE?!

HEY, HEY.  
YOU'VE  
GOTTA BE  
KIDDING  
?!



BUT I  
NEVER  
THOUGHT  
IT WOULD  
BE THIS  
BAD...

I KNOW  
IT WAS  
SENT  
FROM  
K-2L,

THE  
EMERGENCY  
CODE  
TO THE  
FEDERA-  
TION  
POLICE,



AAH, HOW  
TERRIBLE

...

PICHL



...  
COM-  
LETE  
ANNIHI-  
LATION.

IT'S  
PROBABLY  
THE WORK  
OF THE  
SPACE  
PIRATES.

EVERY-  
THING'S BEEN  
DESTROYED

...

NOT  
EVEN ONE  
SURVIVOR

...









## CHAPTER 2: DESTINY



The second  
planet from  
the sun  
FS-176,  
Zebes

After the Space  
Pirate raid, the  
Chozo brought me,  
the only remaining  
survivor, to this  
planet.

**OLD BIRD!!  
WHAT DO YOU  
PLAN TO DO BY  
BRINGING A  
HUMAN CHILD  
HERE.**







...  
IT'S  
JUST

N-NO.  
I DIDN'T  
MEAN THAT,  
BUT



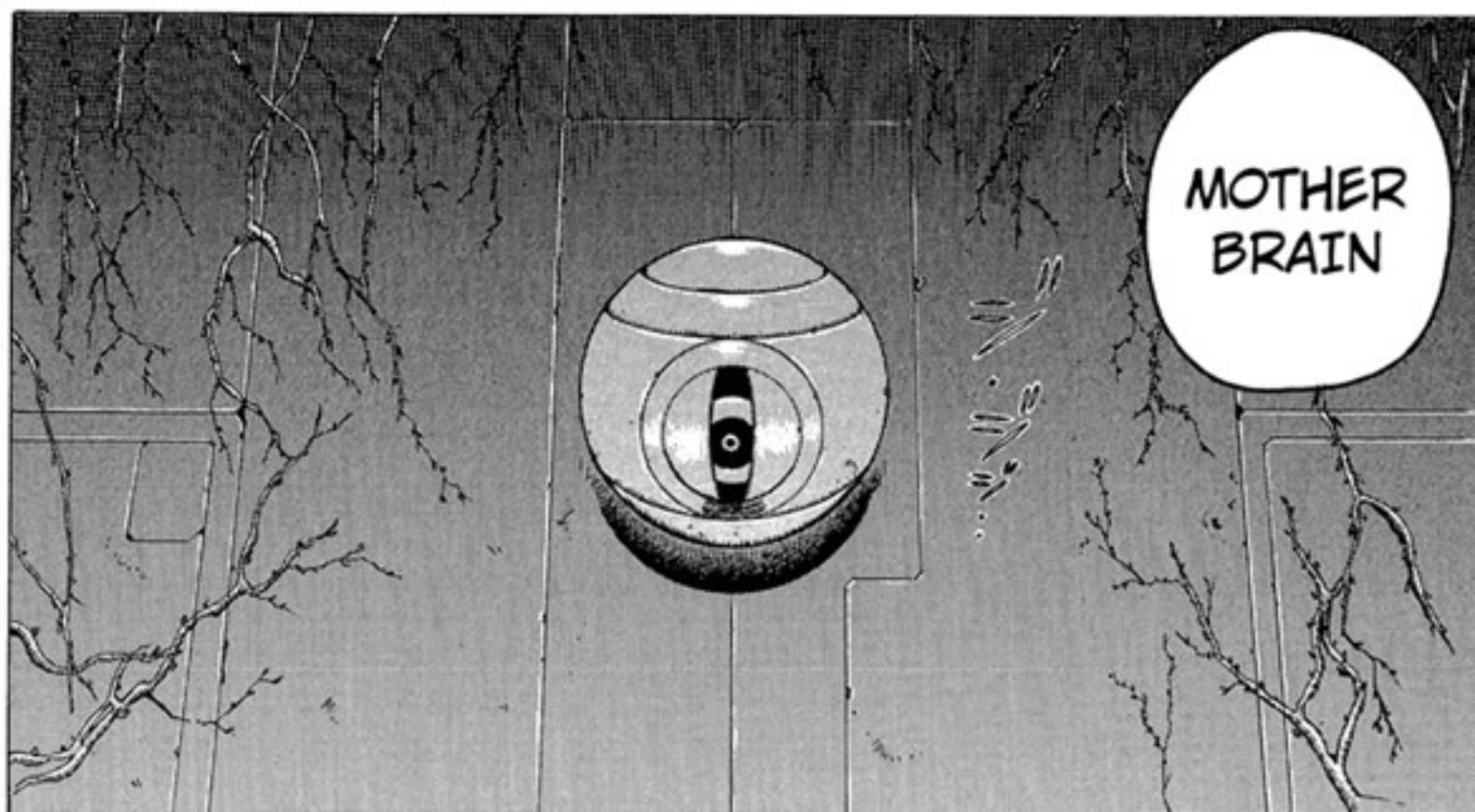
WOULD YOU  
PREFER THAT  
WE LEFT HER  
THERE TO  
DIE?!

WHAT ARE  
YOU SAYING,  
GRAY VOICE.



IT WILL BE  
NECESSARY FOR  
US TO KEEP HER  
RESTRICTED TO  
BRINSTAR AND  
CRATERIA

WE DON'T  
HAVE THE  
RESOURCES  
TO KEEP  
HUMANS  
HERE.



MOTHER  
BRAIN





AH,  
SAMUS

HM

OJII...  
-CHAN

TH-THAT'S  
RIGHT. WE  
DON'T HAVE  
THE MEANS  
TO TAKE  
CARE OF  
HER...



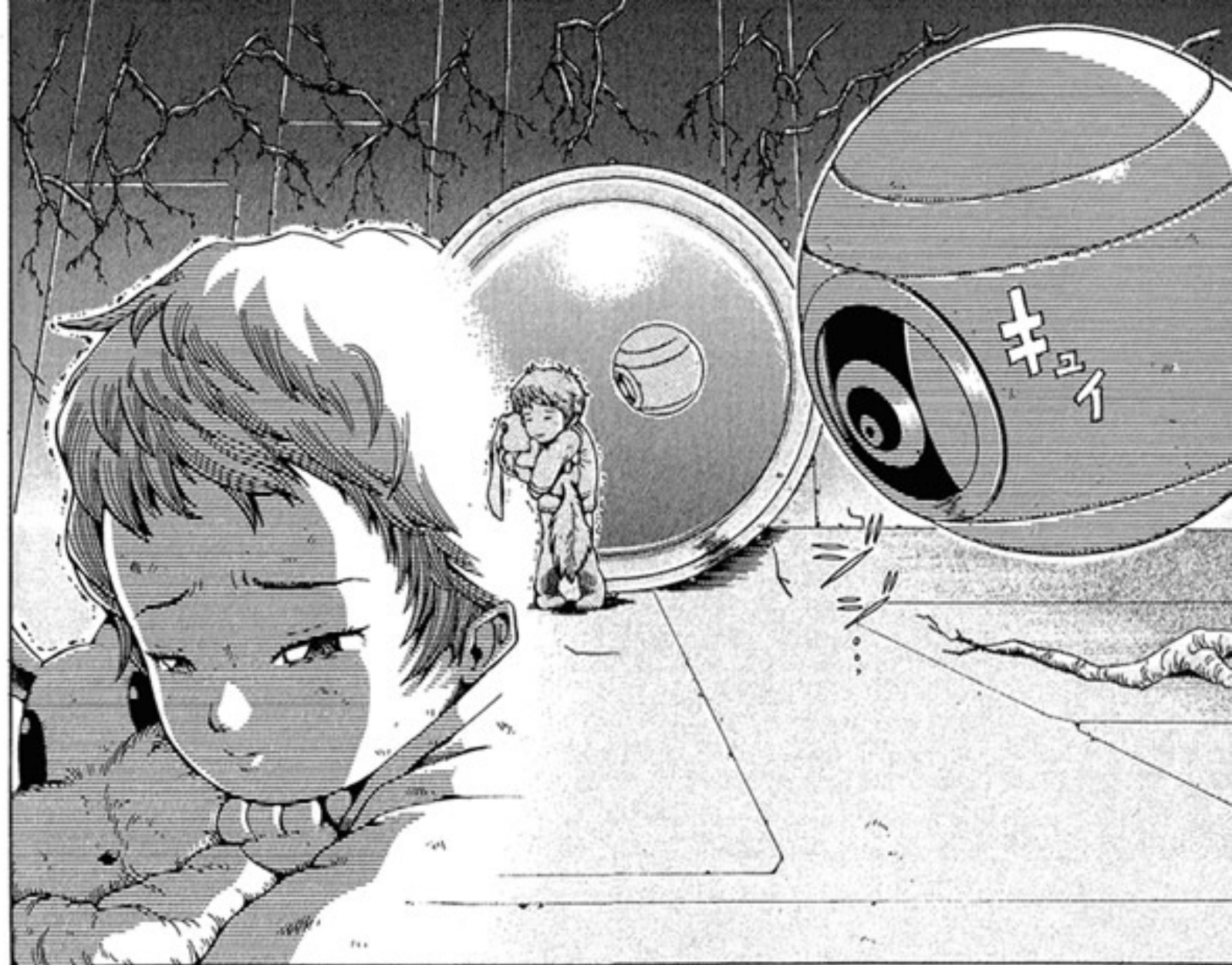
WHERE  
ARE MY  
FRIENDS...?

THERE  
AREN'T ANY  
KIDS HERE.



IT'S OK,  
SAMUS. IT  
WON'T HARM  
YOU.

IT'S THE  
COMPUTER  
INTERFACE  
THAT OVER-  
SEES THIS  
PLANET.



YES. WE  
HAVE NO  
CHOICE BUT  
TO KEEP  
HER.



AH, NO.  
IT'S FINE  
NOW,  
MOTHER.



AS EXPECTED,  
THIS WEAK  
CREATURE IS  
INCAPABLE OF  
LIVING IN  
ZEBES' HARSH  
ENVIRONMENT.

I DO NOT  
EXPECT HER  
TO LAST  
MORE THAN  
A FEW  
DAYS...





With  
time

...

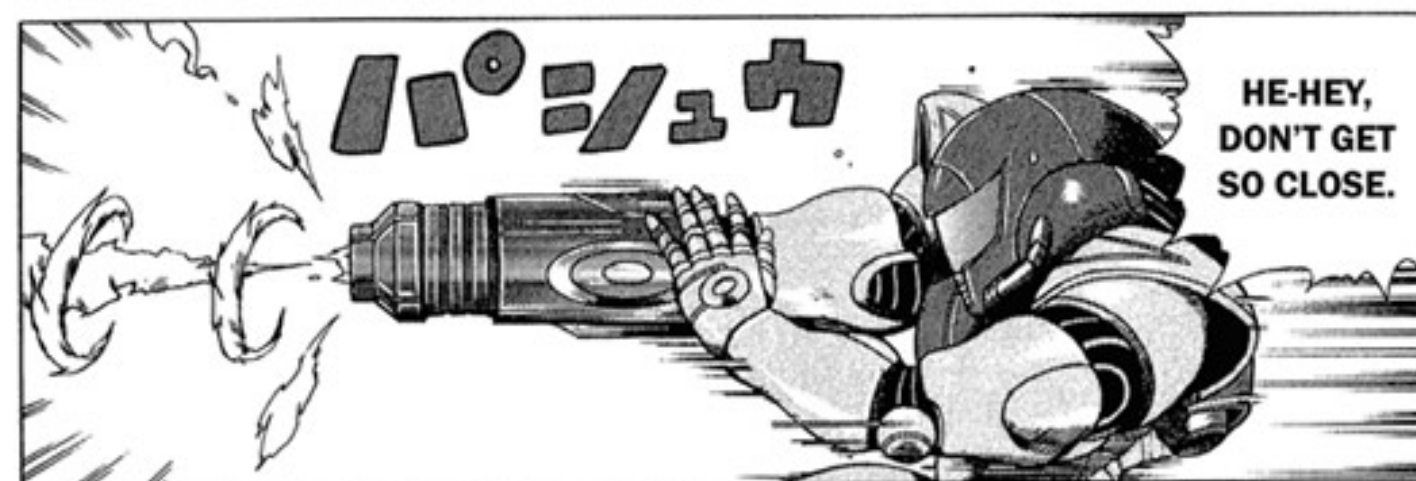
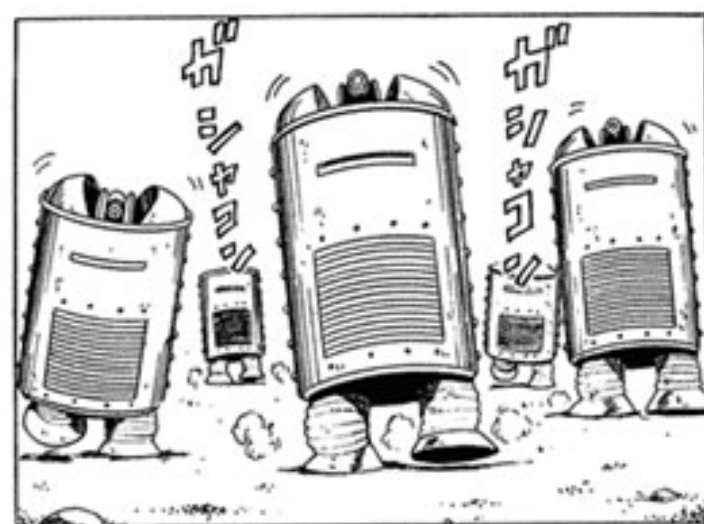
the Chozo  
integrated  
their DNA  
into mine.

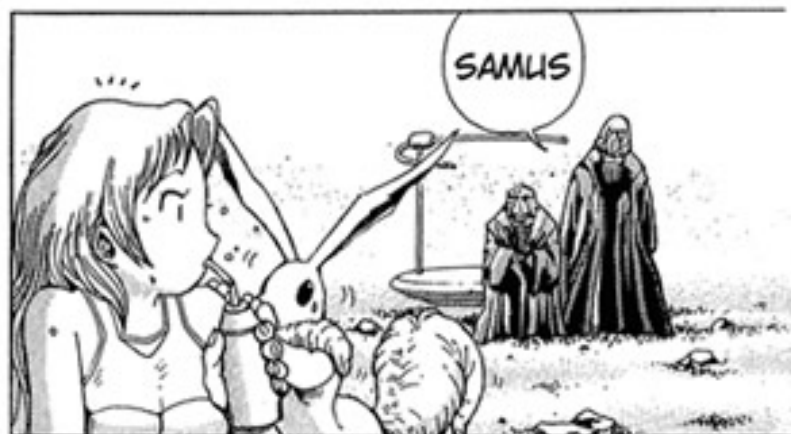
And so,  
to increase my  
body's ability  
to adapt to  
this dangerous  
world,















VIOLENCE  
AND CALAMITY  
CONTINUE TO  
RUN RAMPANT.

LISTEN.  
DESPITE THE  
PROSPERITY  
OF THE MILKY  
WAY GALACTIC  
FEDERATION,

GRAY  
...



YOU  
CAN'T BE  
SECOND  
OR THIRD  
PLACE.

DO YOU  
UNDER-  
STAND  
...?!



I WISH  
FOR YOU TO  
QUICKLY  
BECOME A  
SOLDIER AND  
CARRY OUT  
YOUR "DUTY"

IF YOU ARE  
ONE OF US,  
YOU ARE ALSO  
A "PROTECTOR  
OF THE  
GALAXY"



YOU KNOW  
THAT BETTER  
THAN  
ANYONE.

KYAH-

MAMA-

I  
UNDERSTAND  
ALL OF THAT,  
BUT...

...



AH, SAMUS.  
WHERE ARE  
YOU GOING?  
TRAINING  
ISN'T OVER  
YET!

YES

IT WOULD SEEM  
THAT AT LEAST  
HER PHYSICAL  
STRENGTH HAS  
IMPROVED.

HMPH











IT'S  
ENOUGH TO  
JUST SAY  
"PRETTY"

GOSH, YOU'RE  
TALKING ABOUT  
COMPLICATED  
STUFF AGAIN.



I KNOW I HAVE  
A "DUTY" BUT...

SORRY  
ABOUT  
BEFORE...

I JUST  
CAN'T  
REALLY  
EXPLAIN  
IT.

BUT, IT  
MAKES  
ME  
UNEASY.



AAH!!  
OJII-CHAN,

YOU'RE  
SAYING  
COMPLICATED  
THINGS  
AGAIN!

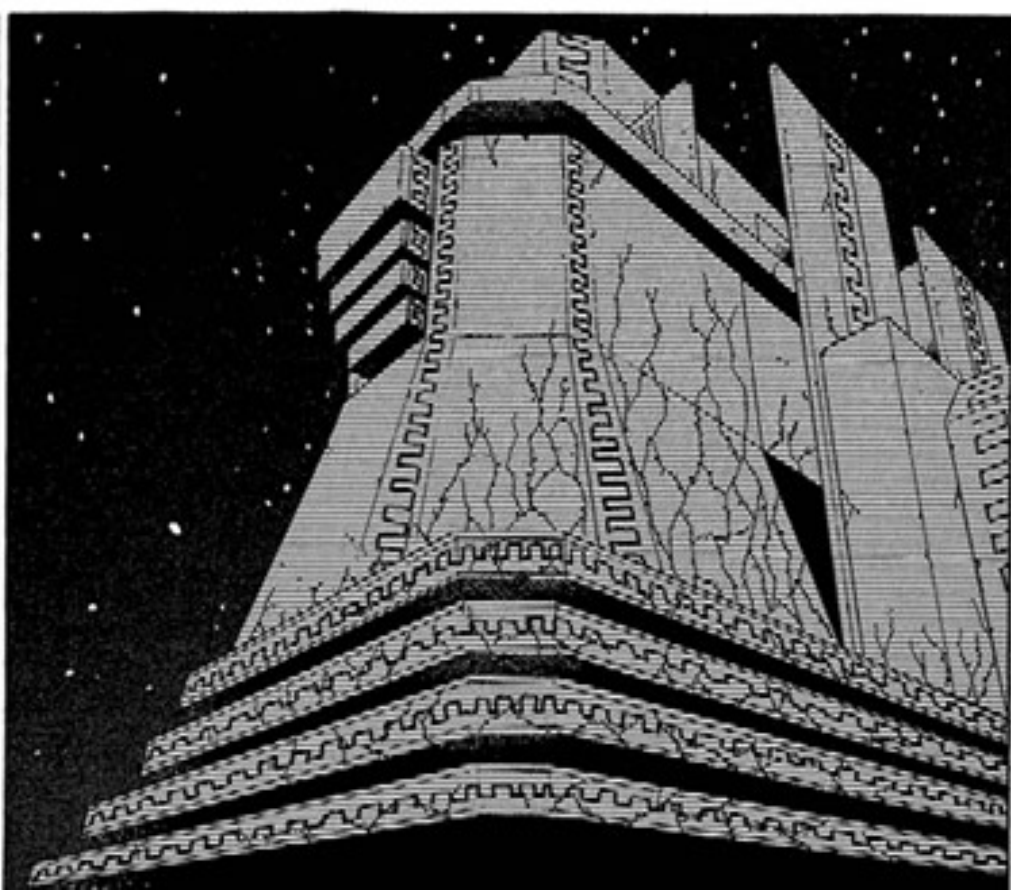
HMM... WHAT A  
HUMAN THING FOR  
YOU TO SAY... A  
VERY INTEREST-  
ING SPECIES

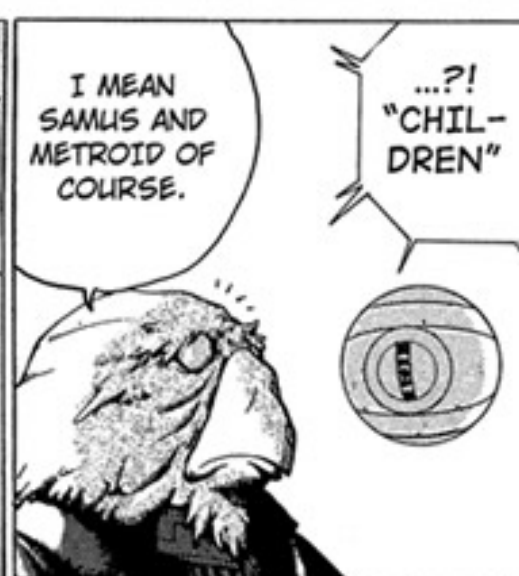
YOU  
WORRY  
DESPITE  
KNOWING  
WHAT  
MUST BE  
DONE...



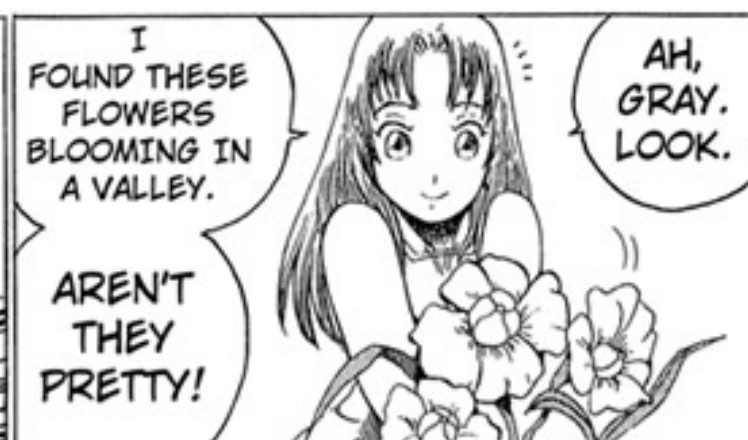


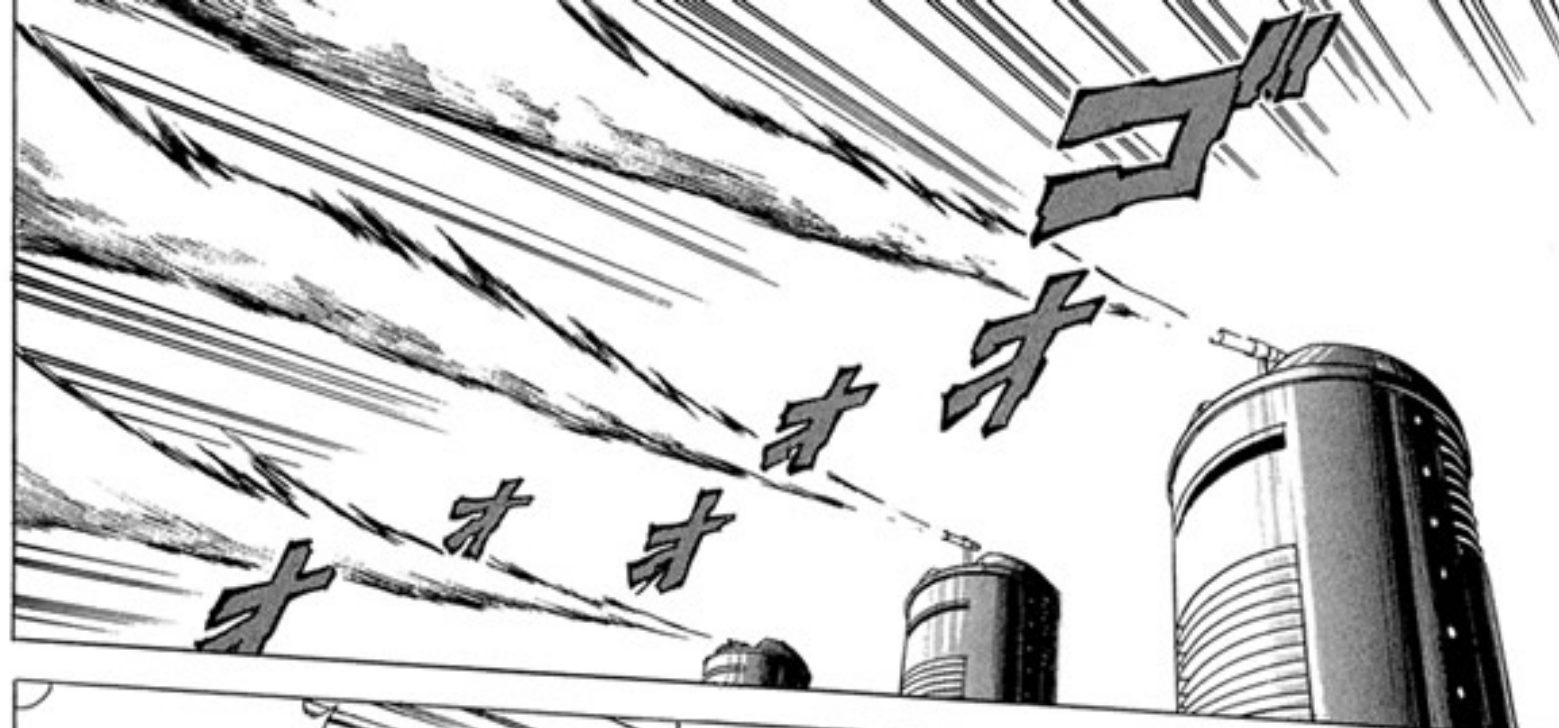












IT'S  
TERRIFYINGLY  
POISONOUS!

SAMUS!!  
DON'T YOU KNOW.  
THAT IS A PLANT  
FROM ANOTHER  
PLANET.

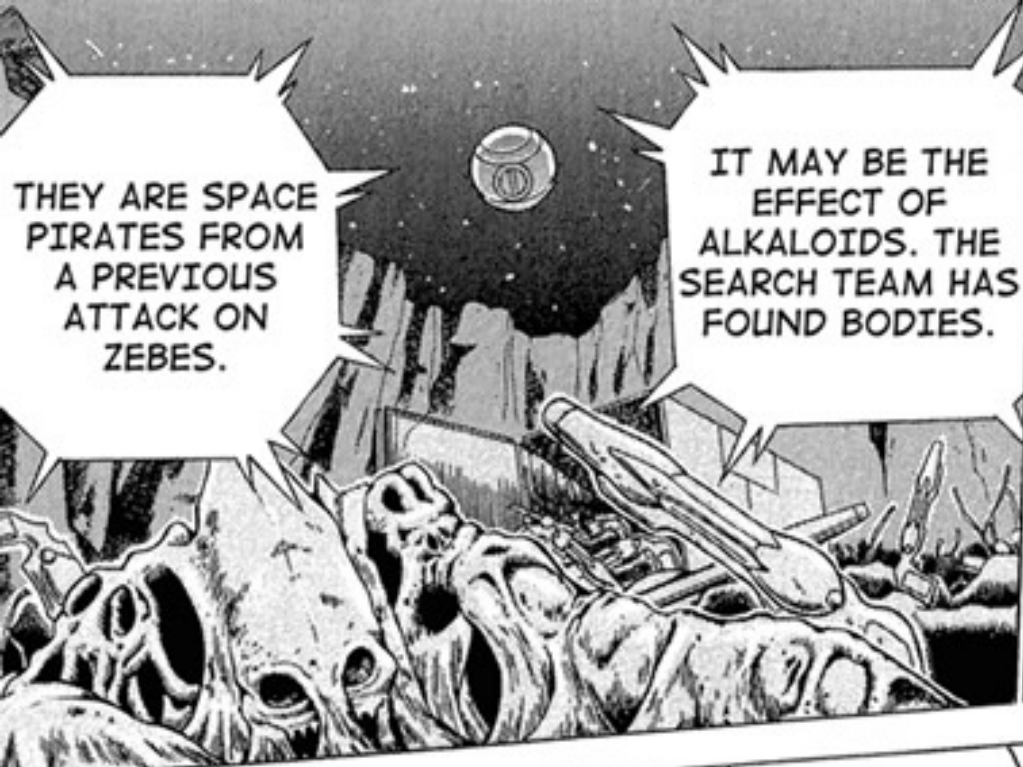
WH-WHAT  
ARE YOU  
DOING?  
STOP!



BUT

...





THEY ARE SPACE  
PIRATES FROM  
A PREVIOUS  
ATTACK ON  
ZEBES.

IT MAY BE THE  
EFFECT OF  
ALKALOIDS. THE  
SEARCH TEAM HAS  
FOUND BODIES.



BUT,  
JUST  
WHERE  
DID IT  
COME  
FROM.

REPORT-  
ING

SPACE  
PIRATES  
EVEN CAME  
TO THIS  
PLANET  
...?!

EH

THEN, AT  
THAT TIME,  
THE SEEDS  
WERE...

WHAT?!



...

YES,  
BEFORE  
YOU CAME.

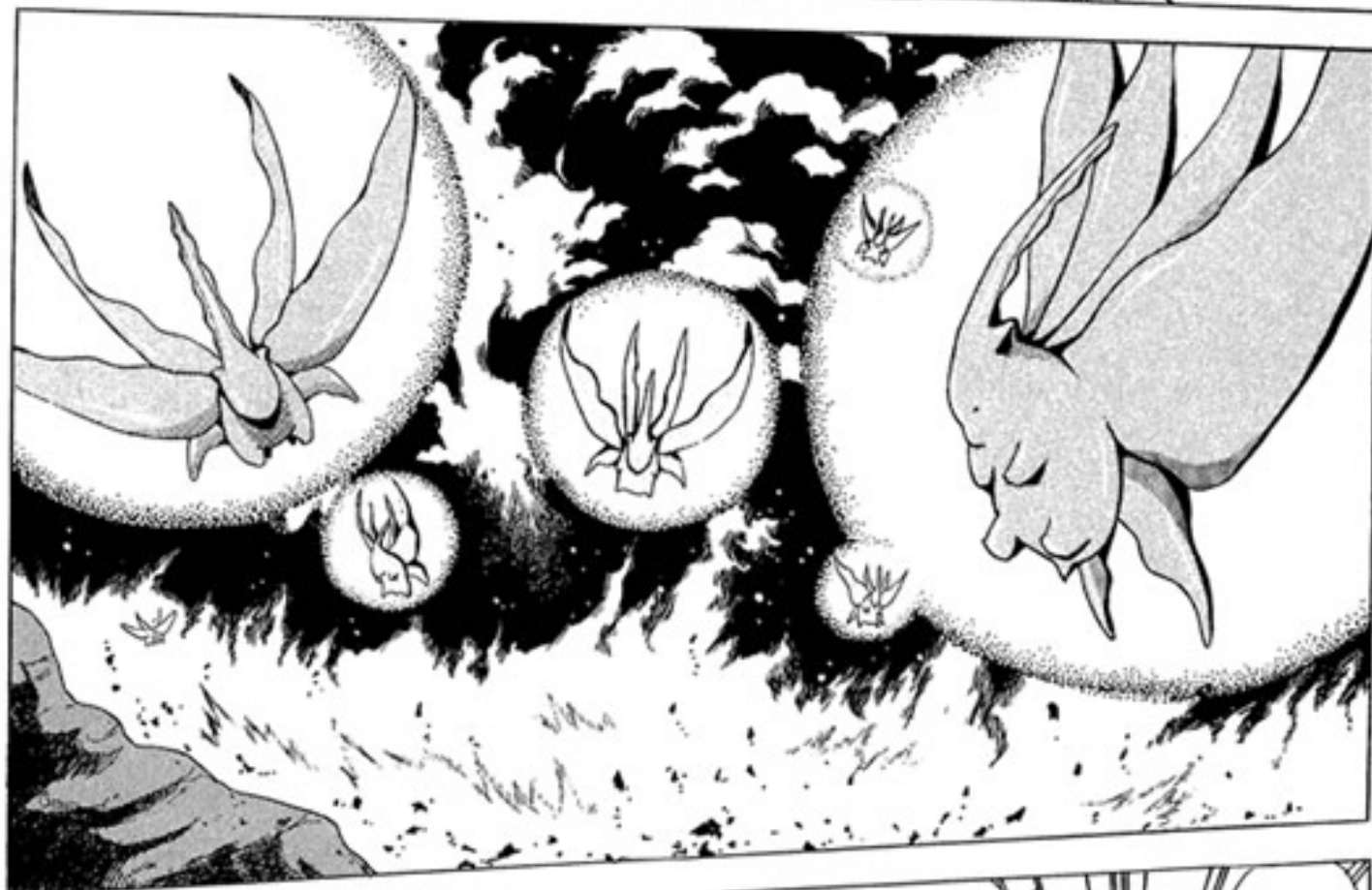
THEY  
...

COULD SOMETHING HAVE BROUGHT THE SEEDS HERE!?

!

WHAT WERE THEY DOING IN SUCH A PLACE...?

BUT, IT'S STRANGE ...



THE  
BADGER  
CLOVERS  
AND...

OH NO. CLEAN UP  
CREW, IMMEDIATELY  
DIVIDE INTO  
PAIRS AND BURN  
EVERYTHING!!

THE IONO  
FERIA!!

REPORTING.  
TRACES OF  
ALKALOID  
DETECTED ON  
THE IONO FERIA.  
THEY WERE THE  
CARRIERS.  
DANGER!!

!





IT'S THE NATURAL  
COURSE IF  
WE ARE TO  
PRIORITIZE THE  
PROTECTION OF  
THE ECOSYSTEM.

OF  
COURSE!

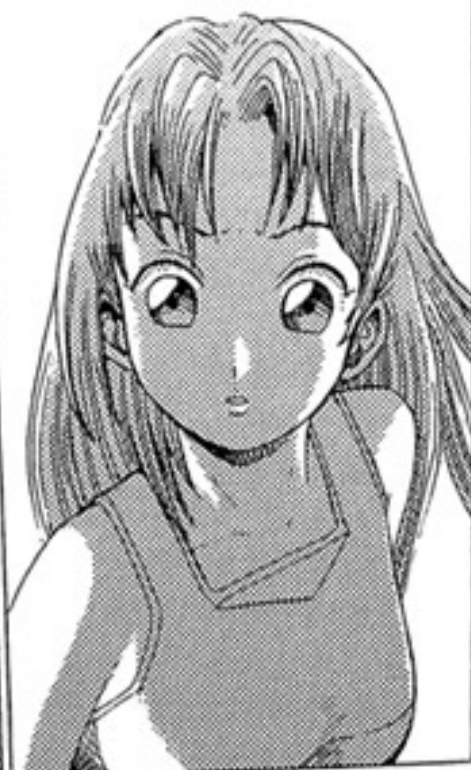
WAIT, YOU'RE  
GOING TO KILL  
THEM?!



YOU'RE  
GOING TO SO  
EASILY...

...?!  
DON'T  
SAY SUCH  
CONCEITED  
THINGS.

! "CONCEITED"  
...WHAT ARE  
YOU SAYING



IF WE  
DON'T HURT  
THEM, WE'LL  
BE THE  
ONES HURT

DON'T  
YOU GET  
IT



QUICKLY,  
AIM FOR  
THE BUT-  
TERFLIES.

...  
BUT  
...

!!

THEY HAVE  
WEAPONS?  
IMPOSSIBLE

WHAT

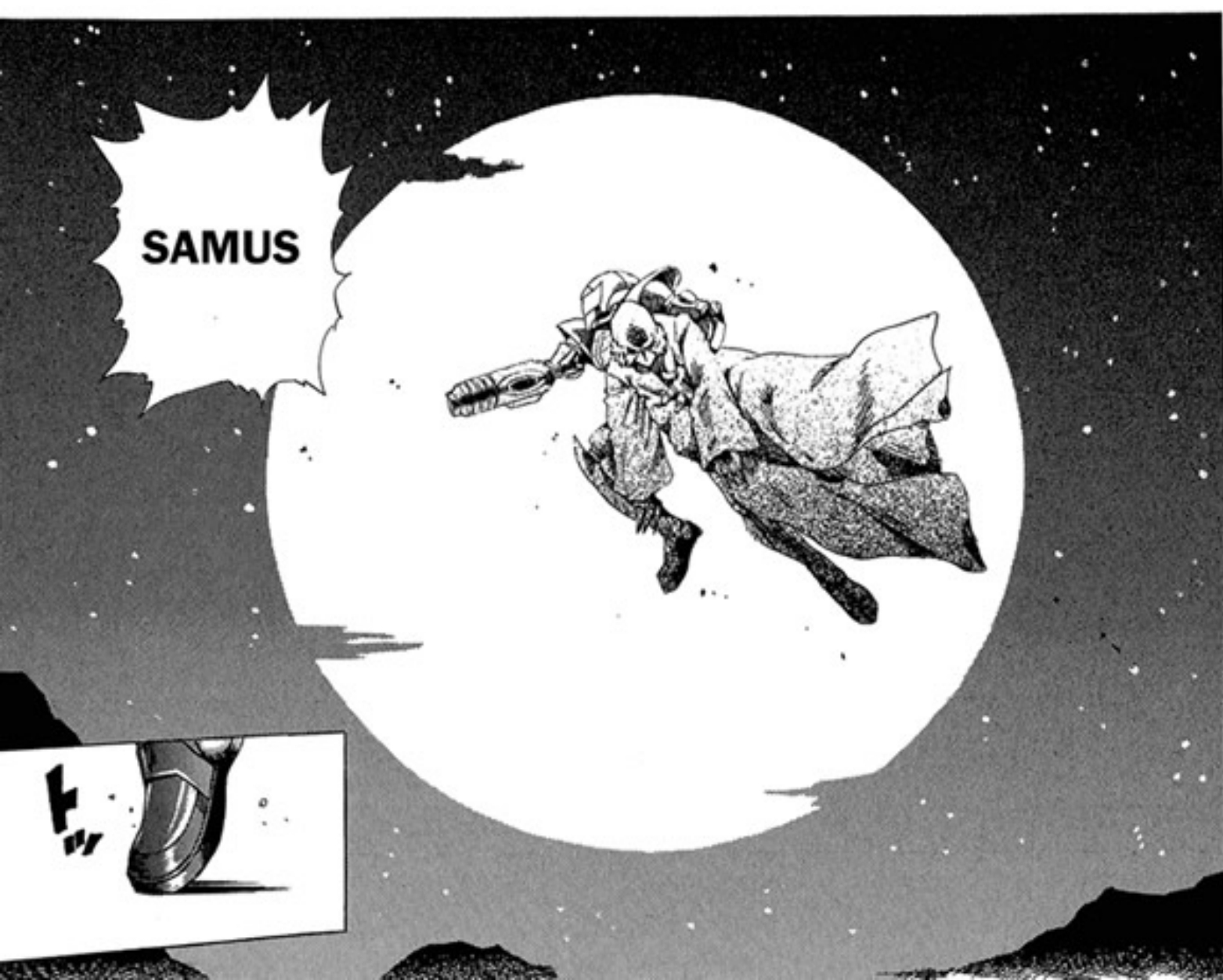
THEY'RE  
ENTERING  
DEFENSIVE  
MODE! THEY'RE  
USING THE  
WEAPONS LEFT  
BY THE SPACE  
PIRATES!!

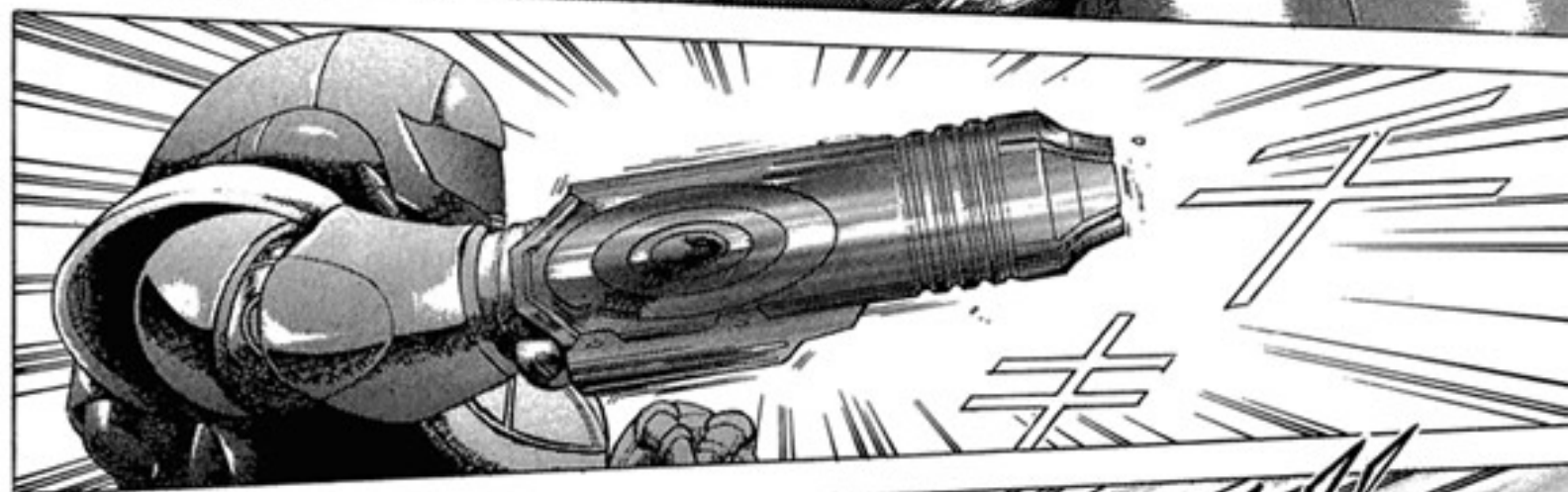
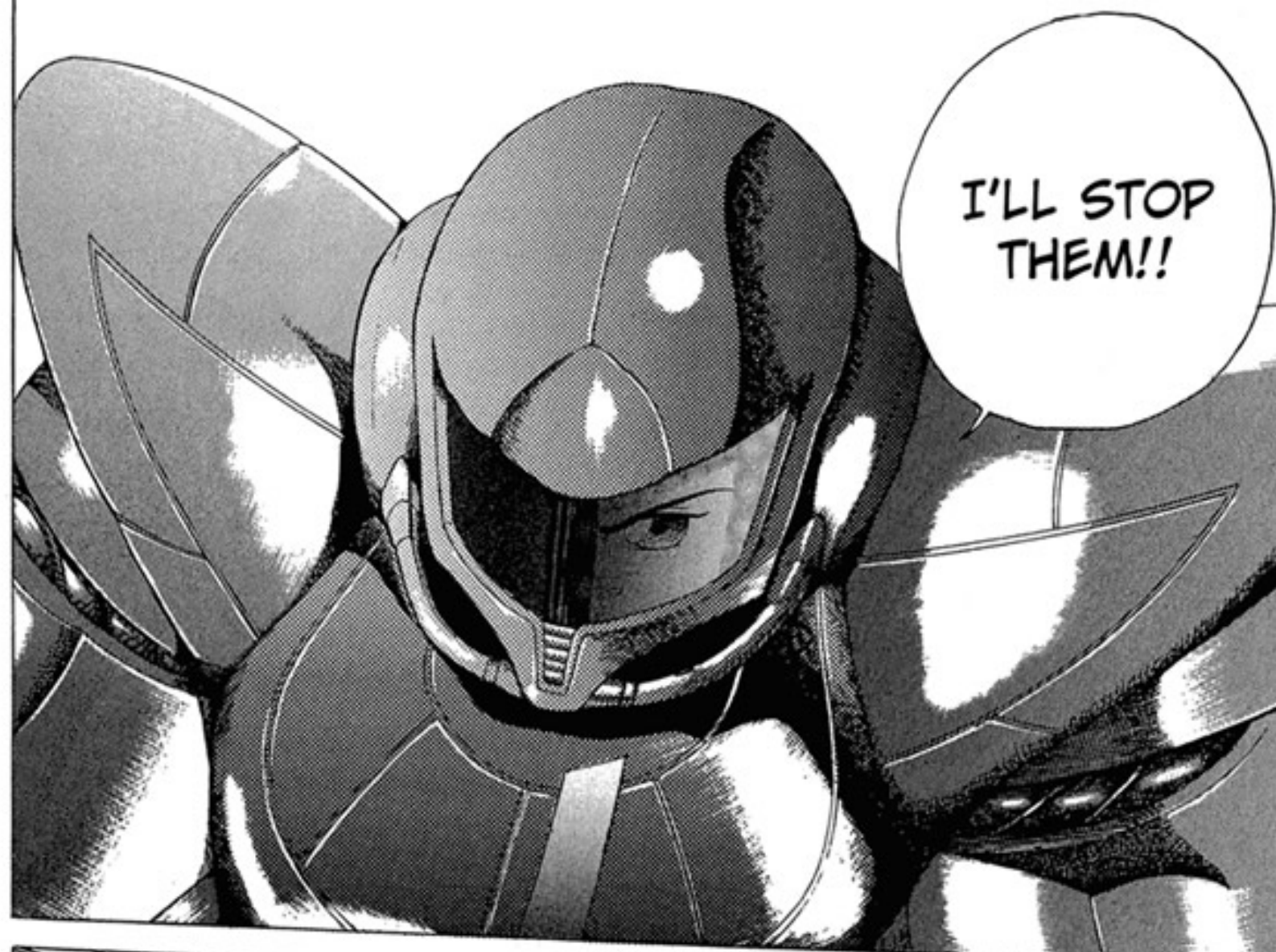


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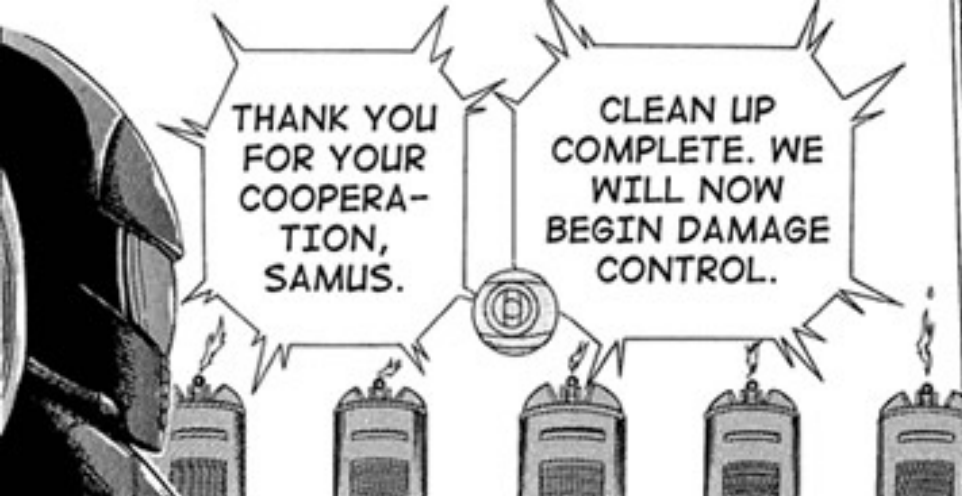


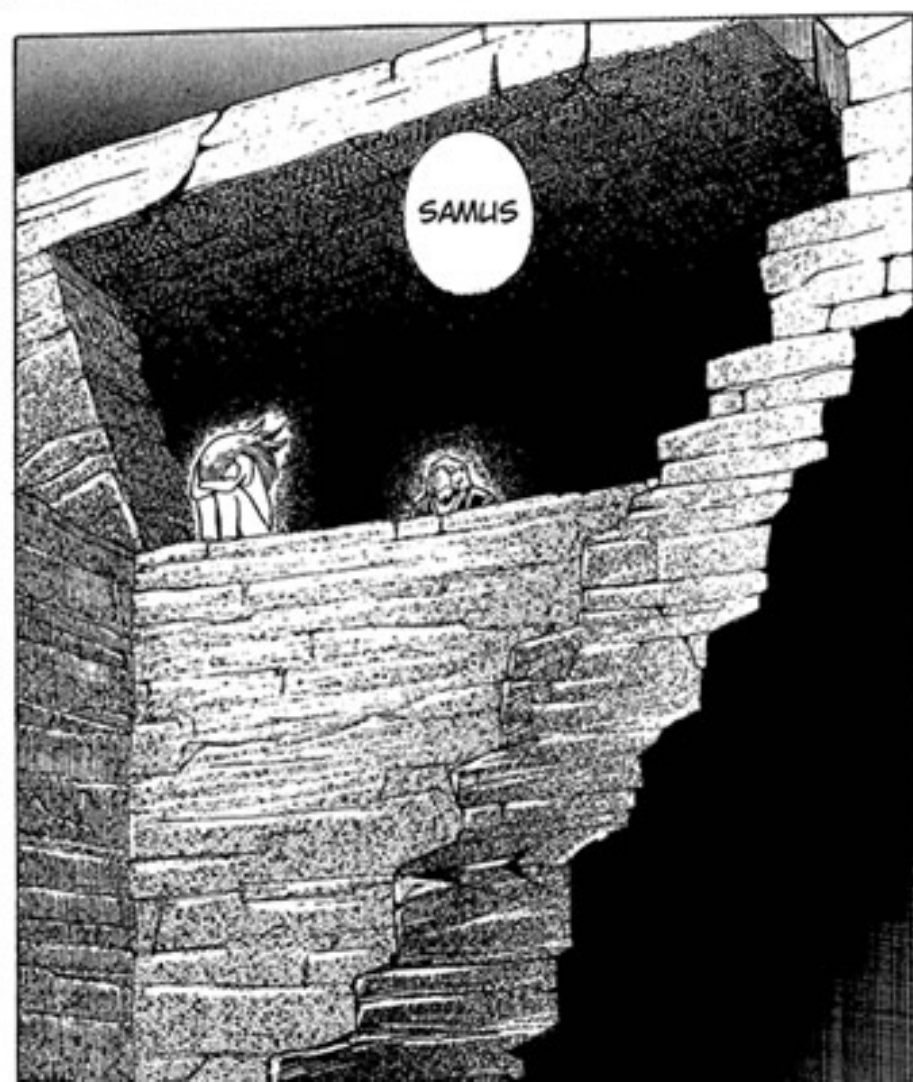

















OJII-  
CHAN?

!


TIME FLIES.  
YOU WERE SO  
SMALL, BUT  
WITHOUT  
REALIZING IT,  
YOU'VE GROWN  
SO MUCH



WHAT ARE  
YOU TALKING  
ABOUT. I  
MEAN, MY  
TRAINING ISN'T  
EVEN...


WH-  
...

IT MAY BE  
TIME FOR  
YOU TO  
BECOME  
INDEPENDENT.



BECAUSE WE  
LEAVE EVERYTHING  
INCLUDING LABOR  
AND MEDITATION  
TO MOTHER BRAIN,  
WE ARE A  
DECLINING  
SPECIES.


EVEN  
THOUGH WE  
ARE CALLED  
"PROTECTORS  
OF THE  
GALAXY"



AND YOU  
CAN ONLY  
BUILD  
THAT ON  
YOUR OWN.

WE GAVE YOU  
"POWER"! AFTER  
THAT, ALL THAT'S  
LEFT IS TO  
MASTER AND  
DISCIPLINE  
YOUR "HEART"

THERE'S NO  
MEANING IN  
KEEPING A  
YOUNG PERSON  
LIKE YOURSELF  
HERE.



SAMUS, THE CHOICE FOR  
US TO WALK NEW AND  
DIFFERENT PATHS IS  
THE CORRECT ONE.



YOU SHOULD  
BECOME  
THE TRUE  
'PROTECTOR  
OF THE  
GALAXY'





# CHAPTER 3 FIRST BATTLE





ALL  
CONGRESSMEN  
OF THE  
GALACTIC  
FEDERATION!!

CAPITAL OF THE MILKY WAY  
DAIBAN\*

YOU  
HAVE BEEN  
GATHERED  
HERE FOR  
BUT ONE  
REASON.

\*DIRECTLY TRANSLATED FROM KATAKANA

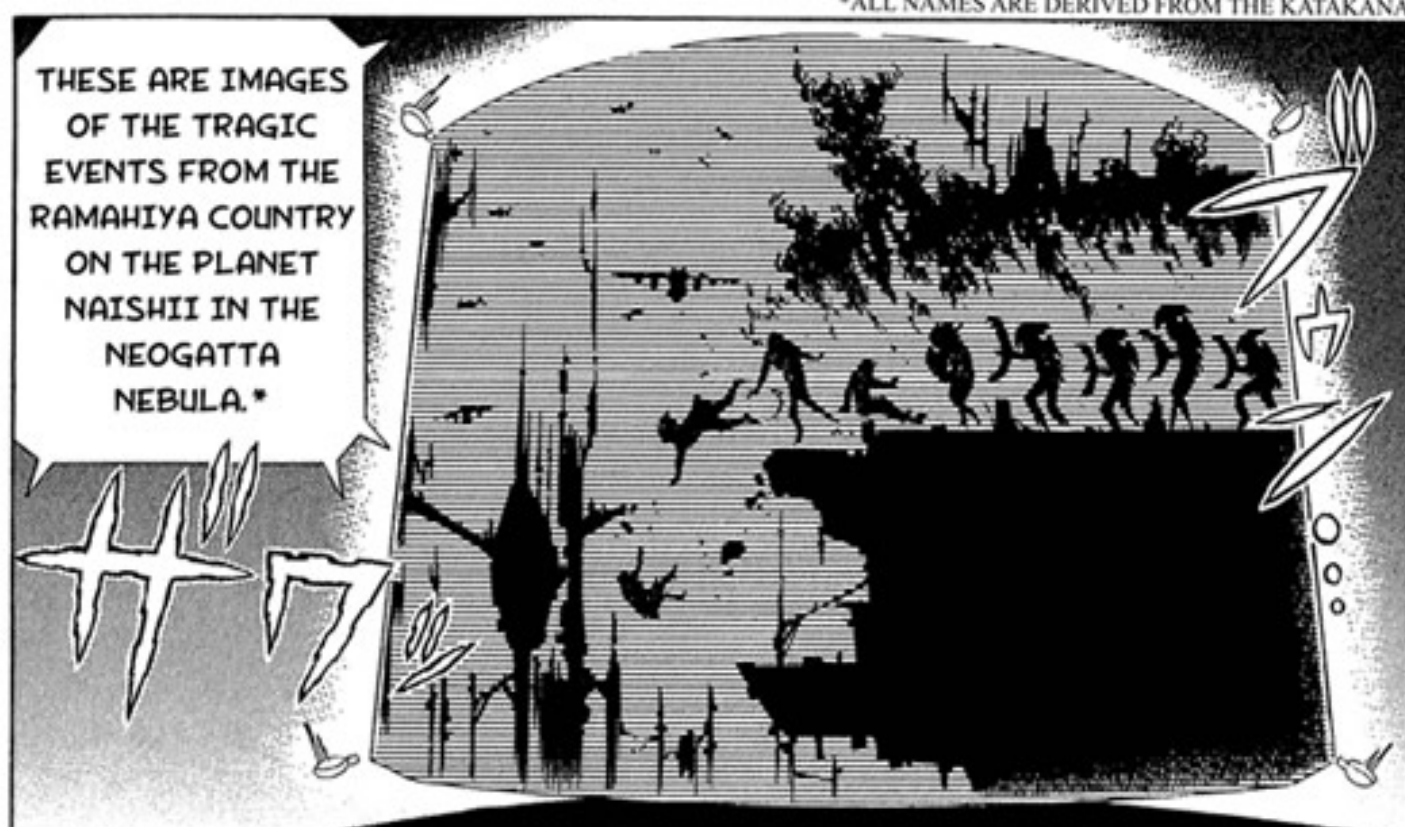


THIS IS THE  
INTELLIGENCE  
RECEIVED FROM THE  
SATELLITES  
DEPLOYED TO  
WATCH OVER  
THE FEDERATION  
PLANETS.

FIRST, PLEASE  
LOOK THIS  
WAY.

FEDERATION MEETING  
ASSEMBLY HALL







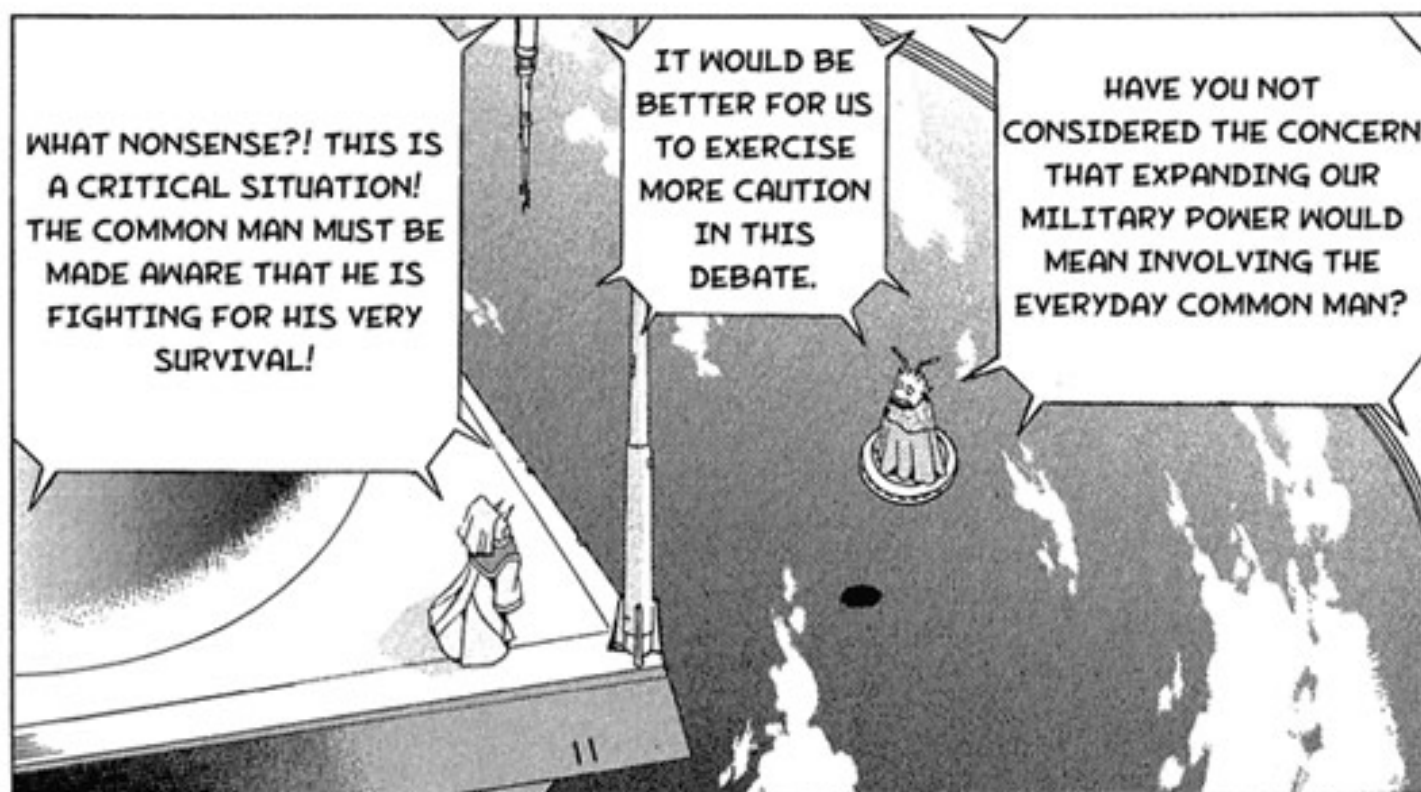




CHAIRMAN  
KEATON!



PLEASE  
WAIT!!



WHAT NONSENSE?! THIS IS  
A CRITICAL SITUATION!  
THE COMMON MAN MUST BE  
MADE AWARE THAT HE IS  
FIGHTING FOR HIS VERY  
SURVIVAL!

IT WOULD BE  
BETTER FOR US  
TO EXERCISE  
MORE CAUTION  
IN THIS  
DEBATE.

HAVE YOU NOT  
CONSIDERED THE CONCERN  
THAT EXPANDING OUR  
MILITARY POWER WOULD  
MEAN INVOLVING THE  
EVERYDAY COMMON MAN?

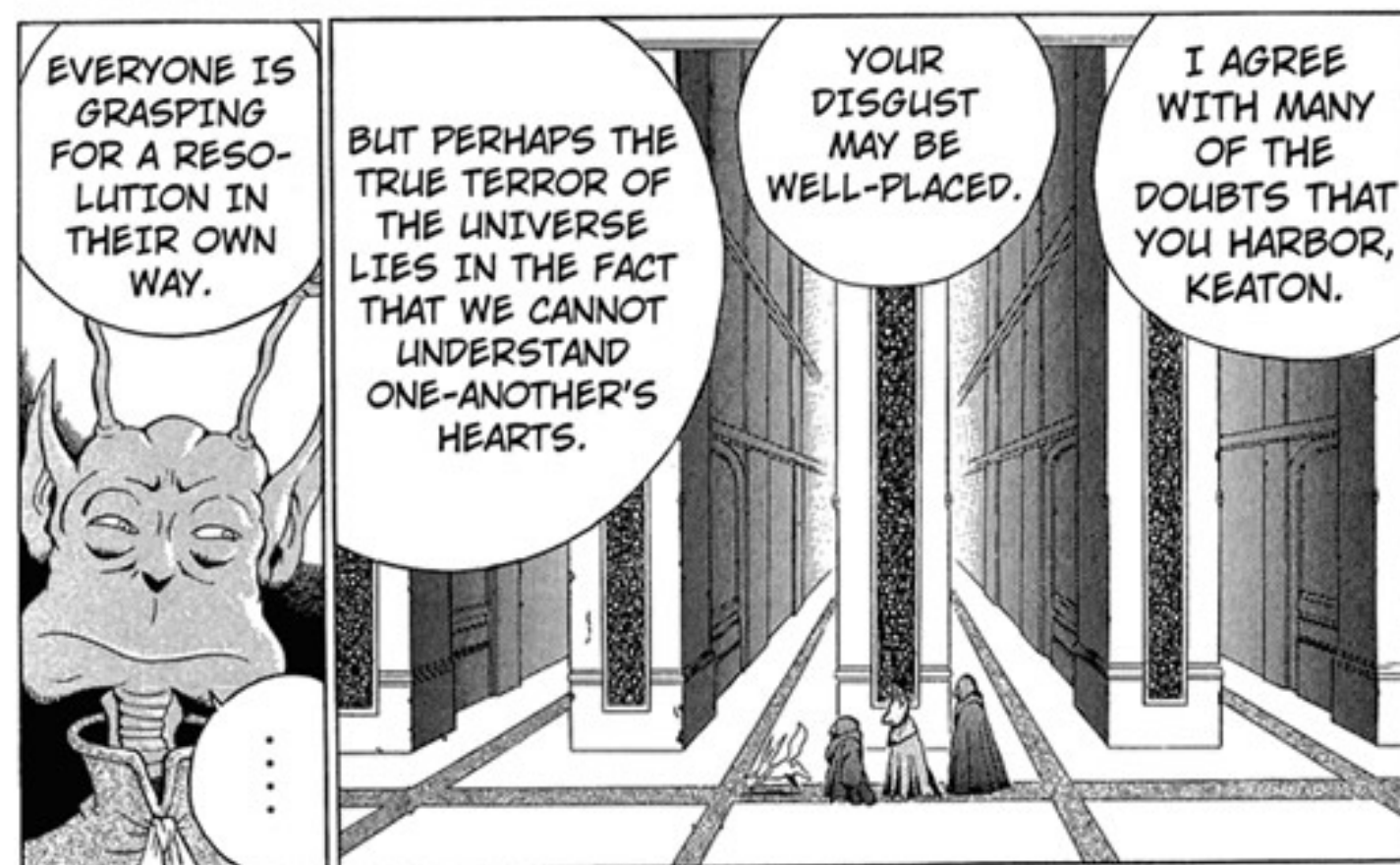
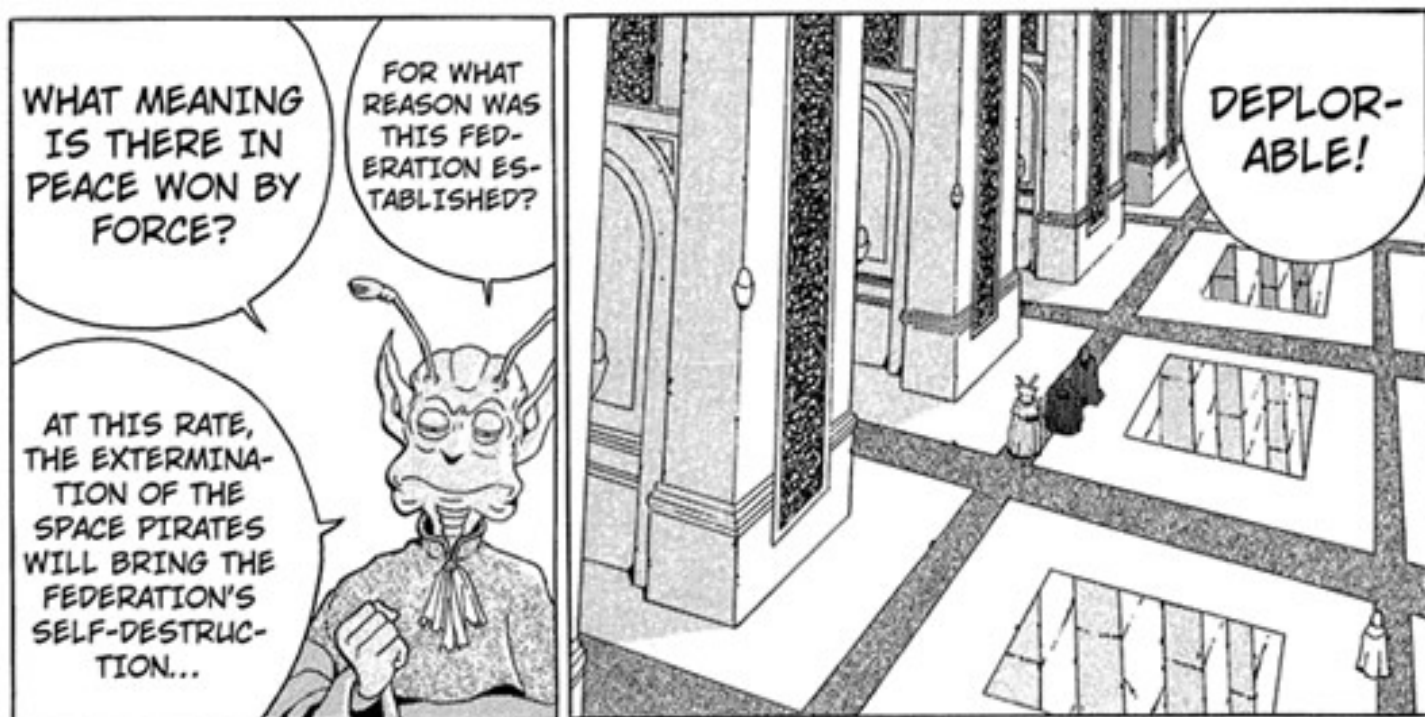


I SPEAK OF  
JUSTICE  
CONQUER-  
ING EVIL!

IT IS THE  
WISH OF  
ALL WHO  
STAND  
HERE!!

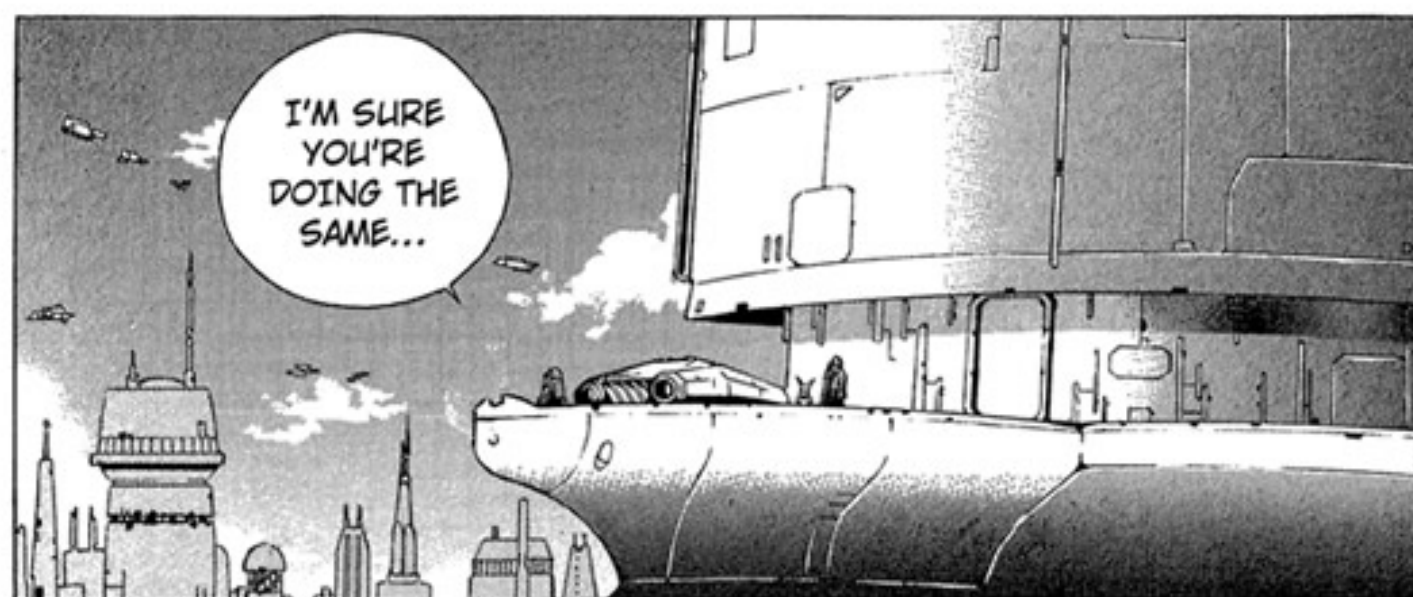
YOU SPEAK  
OF 'WAR'.

SUCH A  
DANGEROUS  
WAY OF  
THINKING.







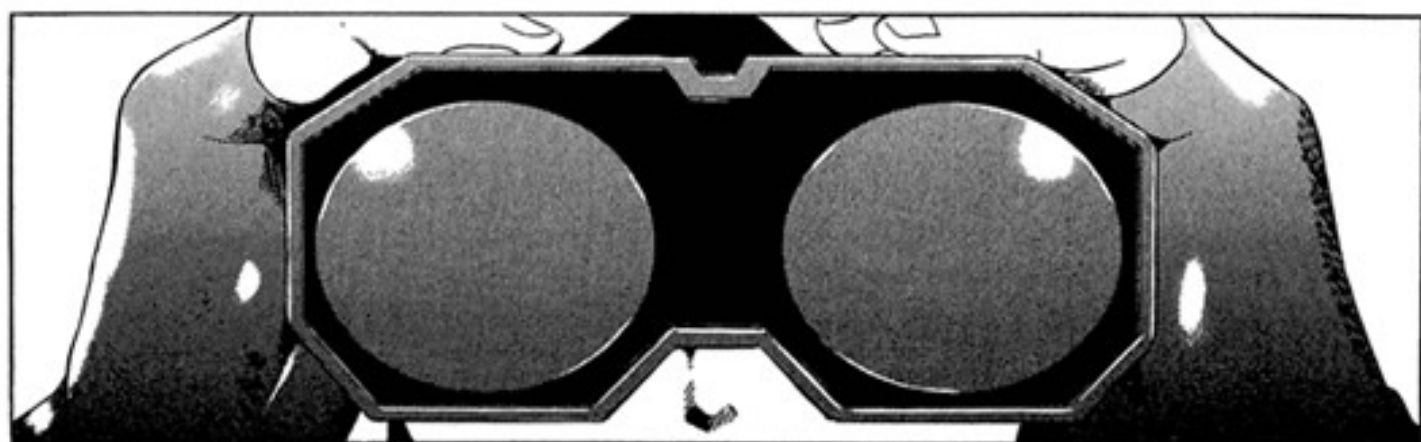


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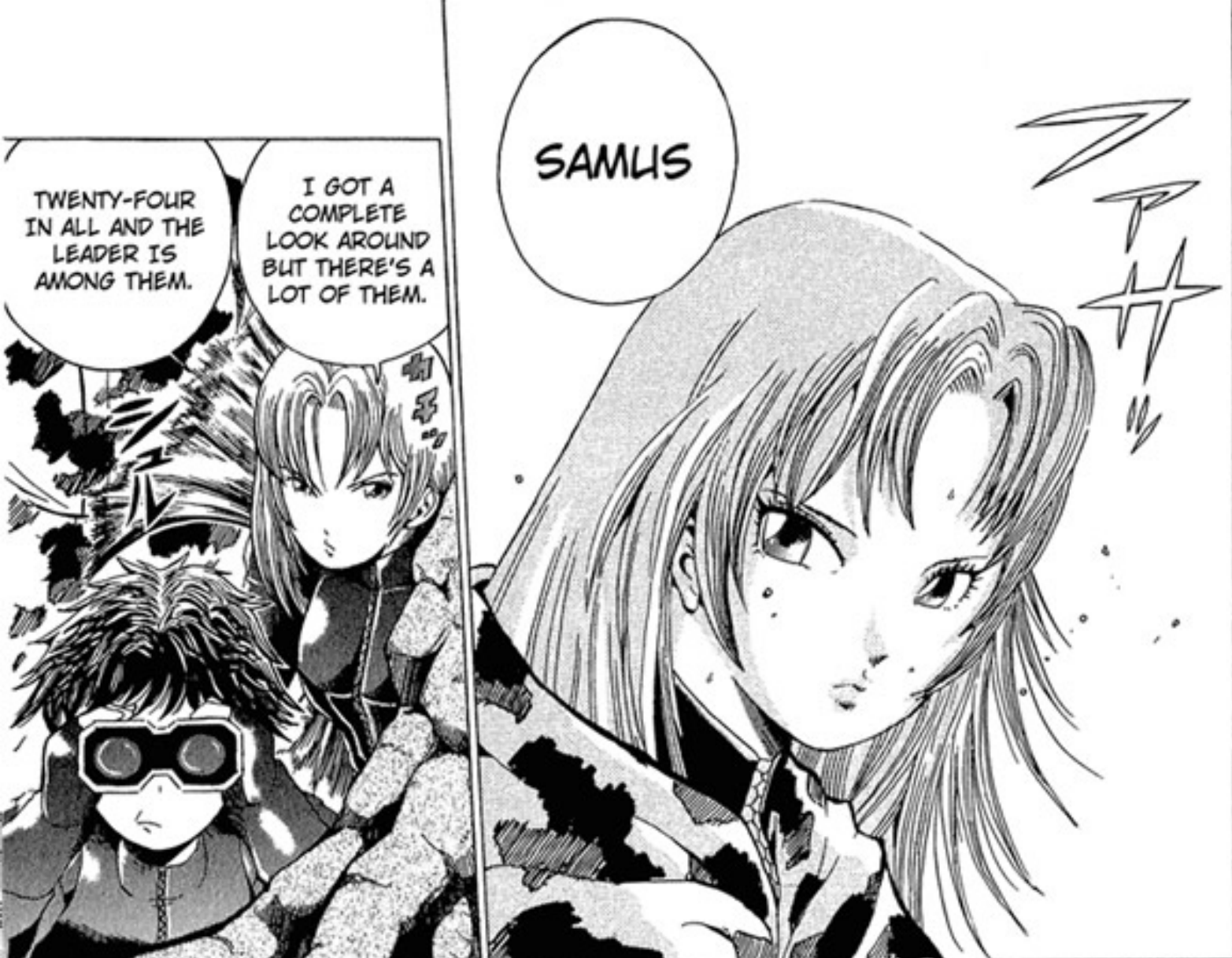














THEY'RE STILL  
WORKING ON  
IT...

WHAT IS  
THAT...



I SEE. IT'S  
THE USUAL  
"MARKING"  
...

FURTHERMORE,  
THEY'VE GONE SO  
FAR AS TO FORGO  
MACHINES AND USE  
THE NATIVES  
TO BUILD IT  
MANUALLY.

THE SPACE  
PIRATES HAVE  
BEEN IN  
CONTROL FOR  
TWO MONTHS.

THEIR MAIN  
FORCES HAVE  
GONE TO  
OTHER  
PLANETS  
BUT,

...  
YEAH



BUT THEY'RE  
ACTUALLY  
JUST LAZY  
BASTARDS!

MAN, THEY'RE  
CALLED 'DOGS'  
BECAUSE THEY  
DO NOTHING  
BUT PISS ON  
PEOPLE

THOSE LEFT  
BEHIND HAVE  
BEEN HARD  
AT WORK,  
BUILDING  
THAT GAUDY  
BUILDING.





IN ANOTHER HOUR, WE'LL MEET WITH THE OTHER RECON TEAMS AND MOVE IN FOR THE KILL TOGETHER...

ALRIGHT, FOR NOW, LET'S REPORT BACK TO HEADQUARTERS.



HEY, WAIT. WHAT'S THAT?



AND THAT'LL BE MISSION ACCOMPLISHED!! WE WERE JUST HERE FOR RECONNAISSANCE THIS TIME SO WE HAD AN EASY TIME OF IT.



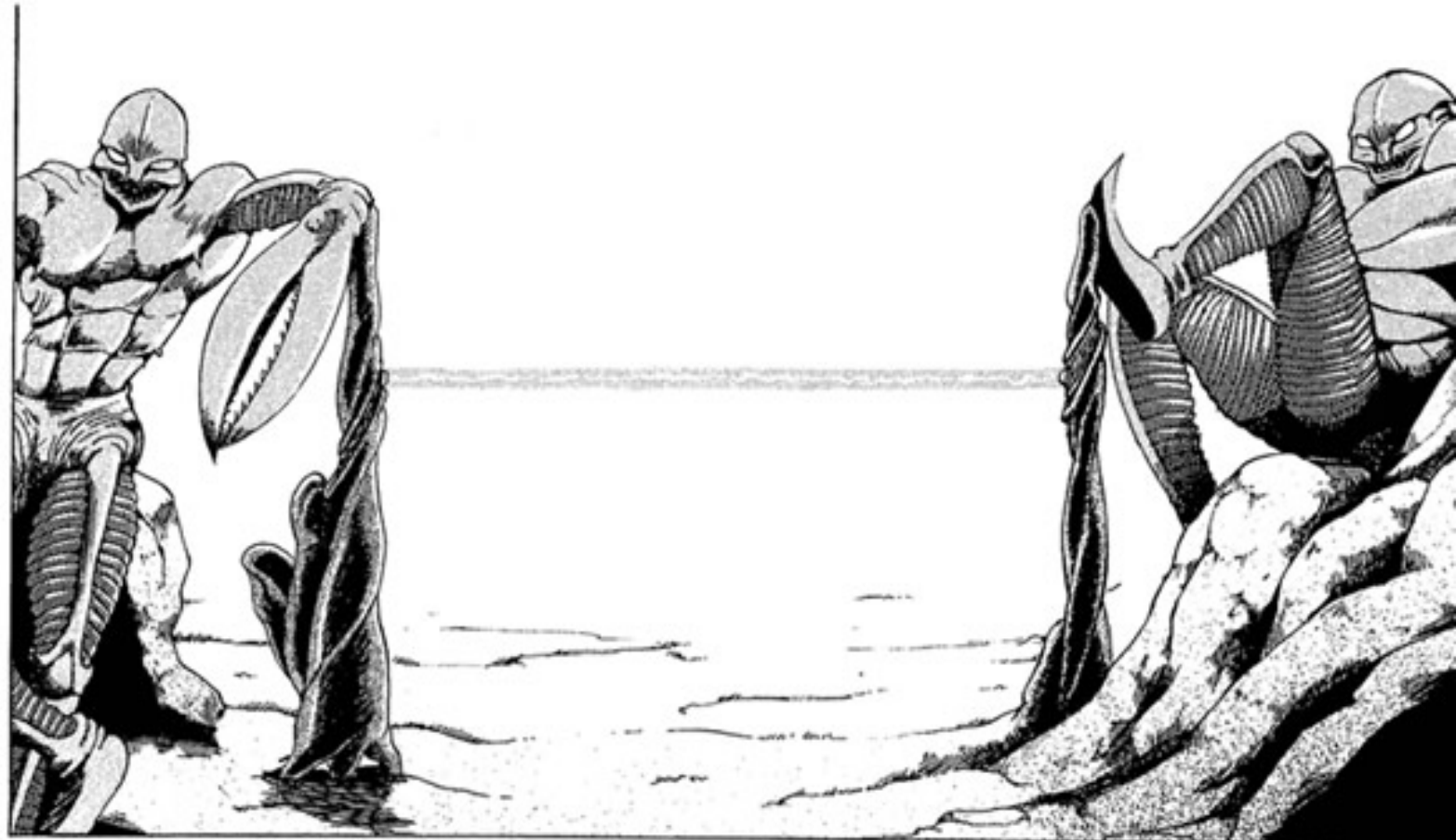
OK, WE'VE GOT ANOTHER LOAD OF FRESH WORKERS!

PREPARE EVERYTHING AS USUAL!!



AREN'T THOSE KIDS?!

!













THE  
BEAMS  
SHOT  
BACK...

HUH,  
WHAT THE



WH-  
WHO ARE  
YOU. WHO'S  
THERE?

!?

WH-  
WHAT ARE  
YOU



DON'T MOVE.  
YOU'RE UNDER  
ARREST!!

I'M WITH THE  
FEDERATION  
POLICE.

WHAT  
IS SHE  
DOING!  
WE'RE  
ONLY  
HERE FOR  
RECON!!

EH.  
H-HUH.  
WHEN DID  
SAMUS...

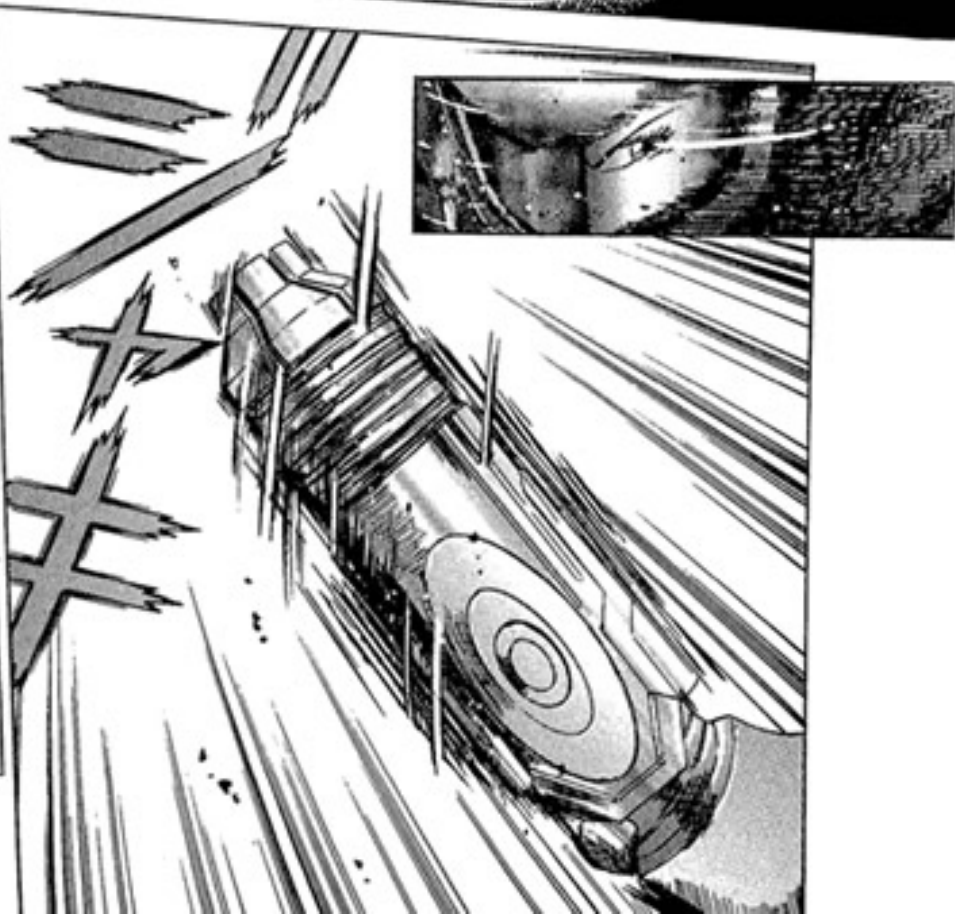
FEDERATION  
POLICE-

WH...  
WHAAAT

TAKE A  
BETTER  
LOOK. SHE'S  
ALONE!!

FOOLS.  
WHAT ARE YOU  
SO AFRAID OF.

FINISH  
HER OFF!









KUH



...  
DAMN

GUAH



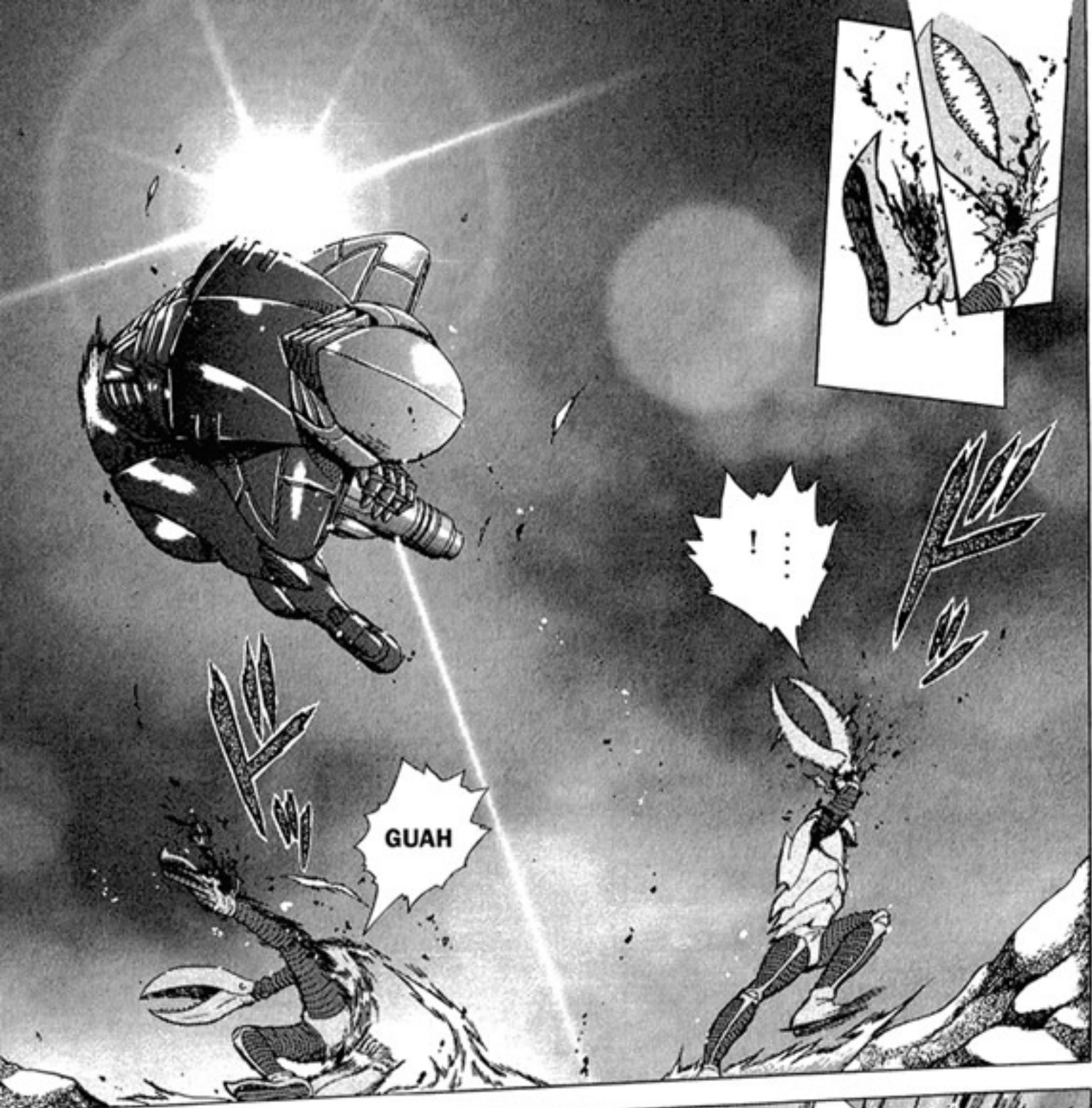
BASTARD

DOAH



AAAAAAH







WHAT THE!?  
ANOTHER ONE  
POPPED UP!

WAH

THEY'RE LEAVING  
ME OUT. I CAN'T  
LET THAT GO!

H-HEY,  
WHAT'S  
UP

I DON'T  
HATE THIS  
KINDA  
STUFF!!

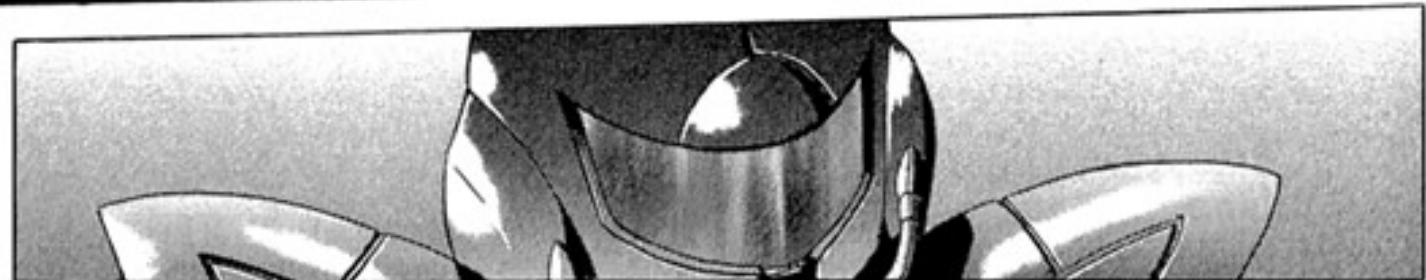
COUNT  
ME IN!

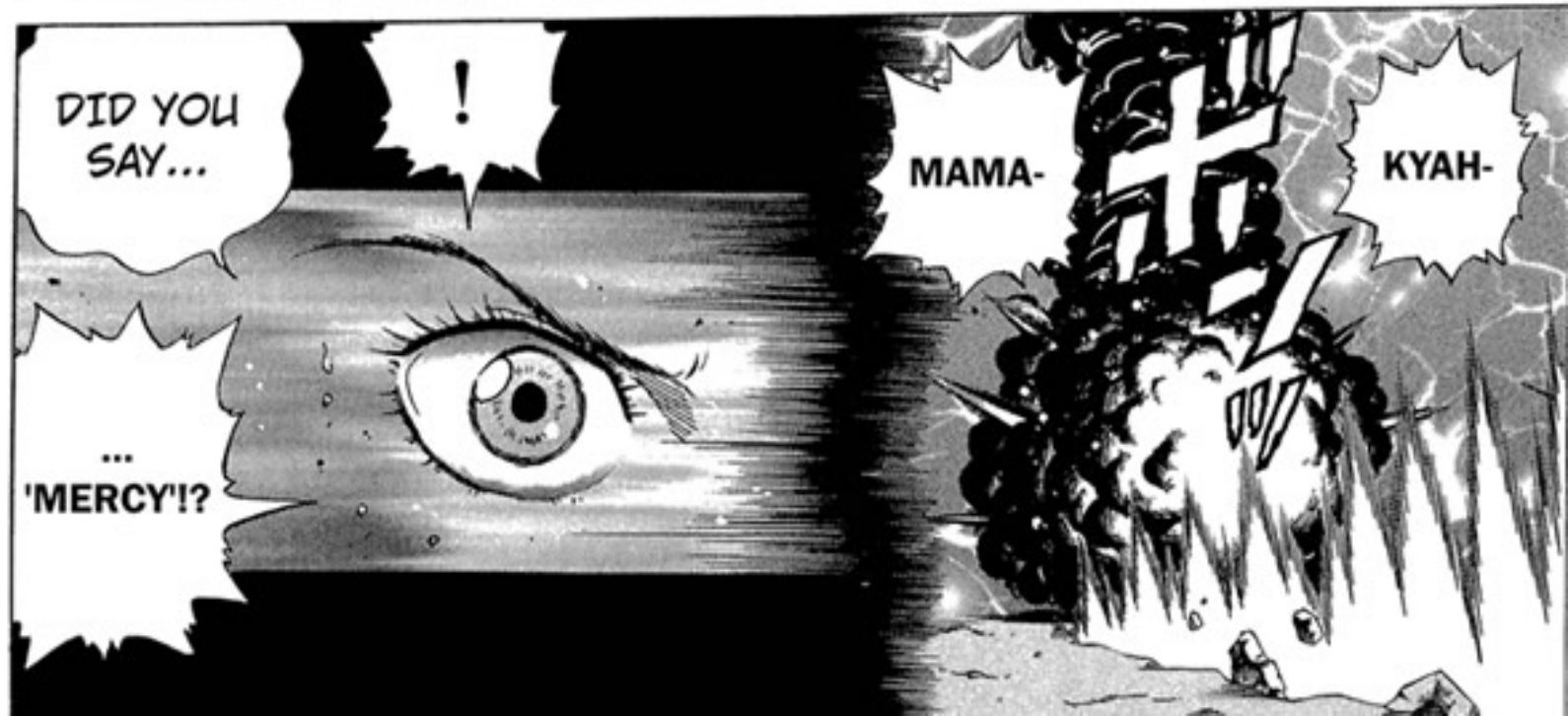
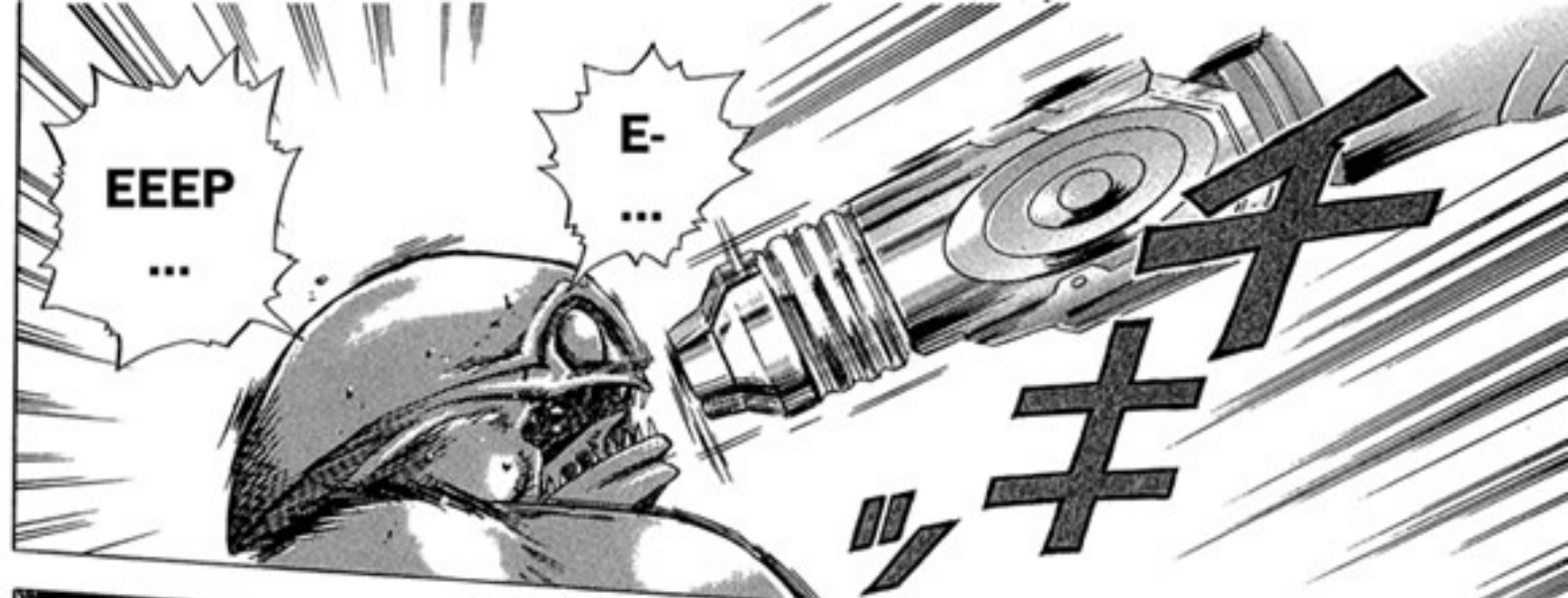




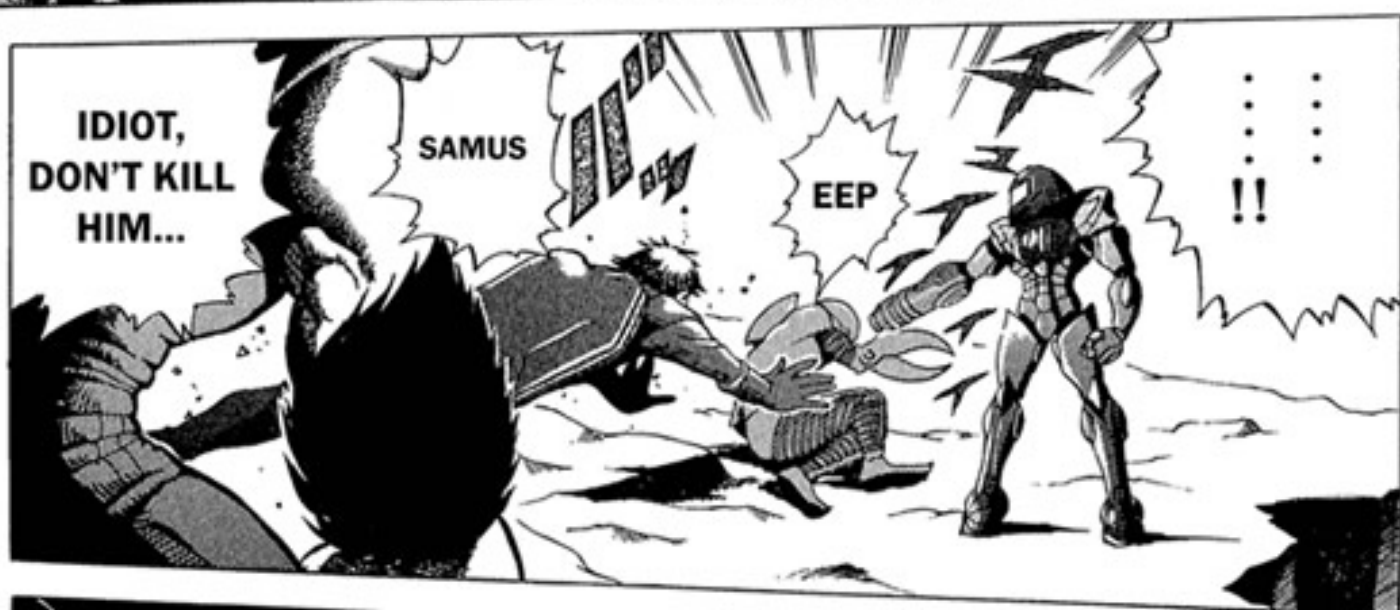


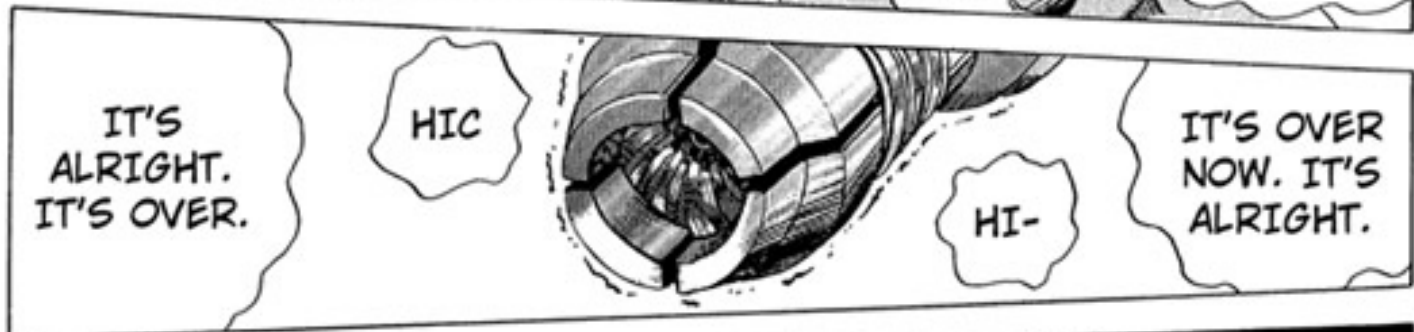
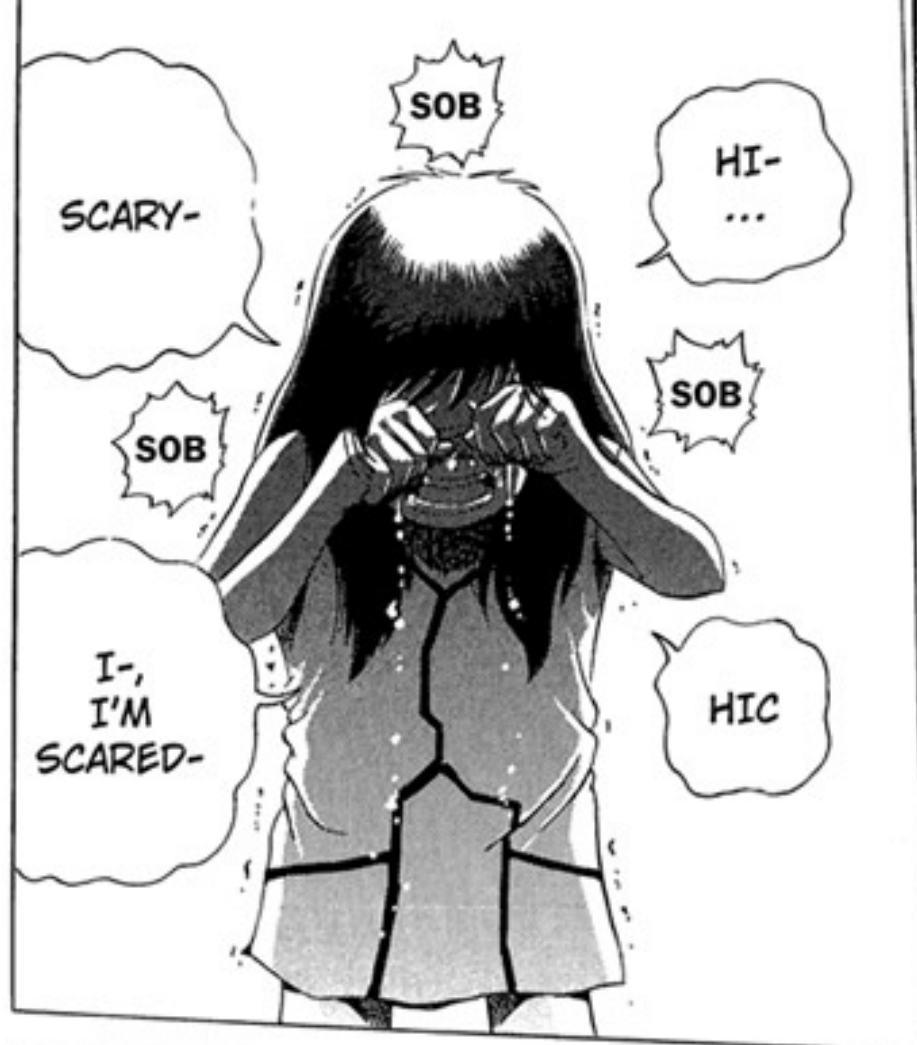




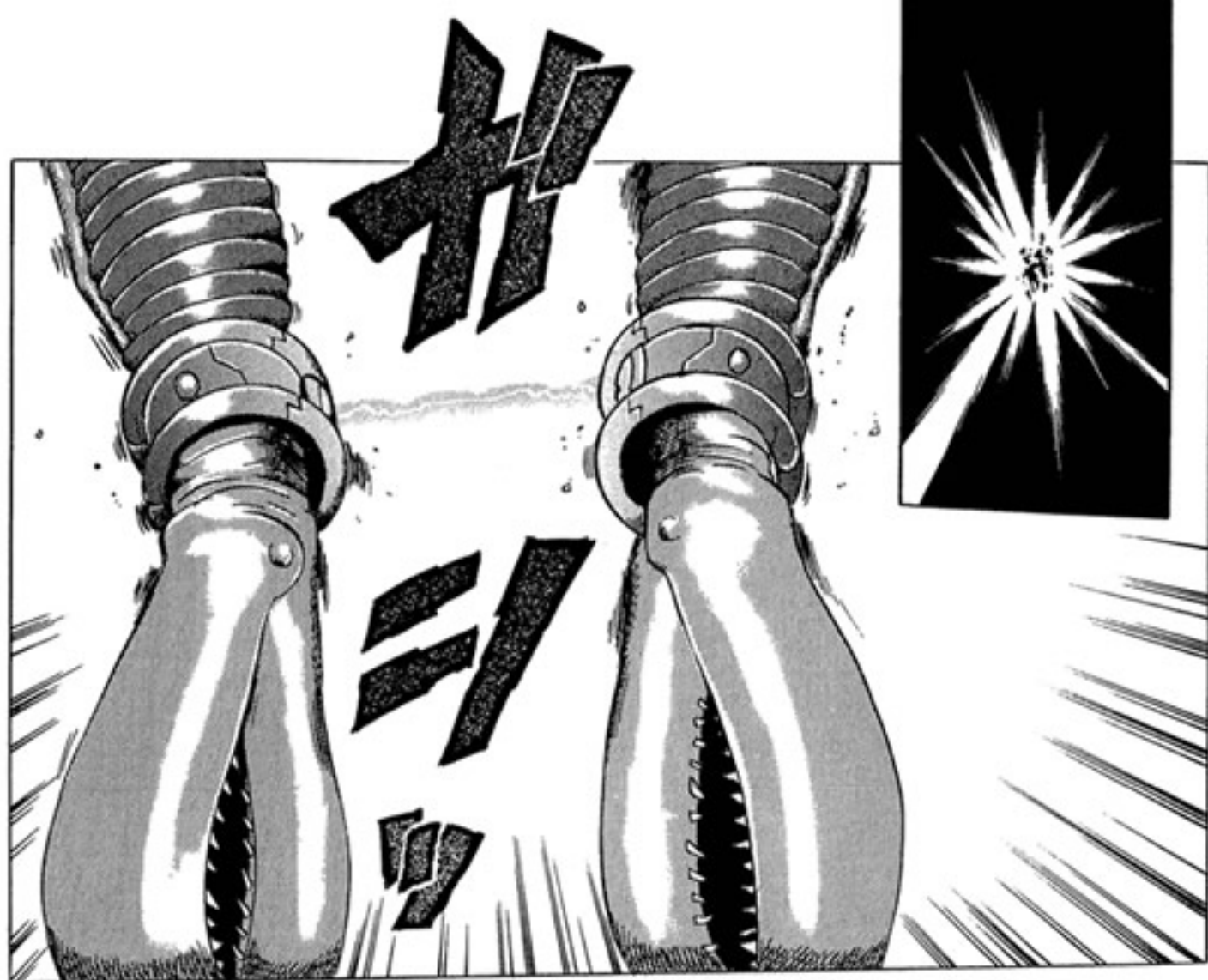












ACCORDING TO  
FEDERATION LAW,  
YOU HAVE THE RIGHT  
TO A TRIAL.

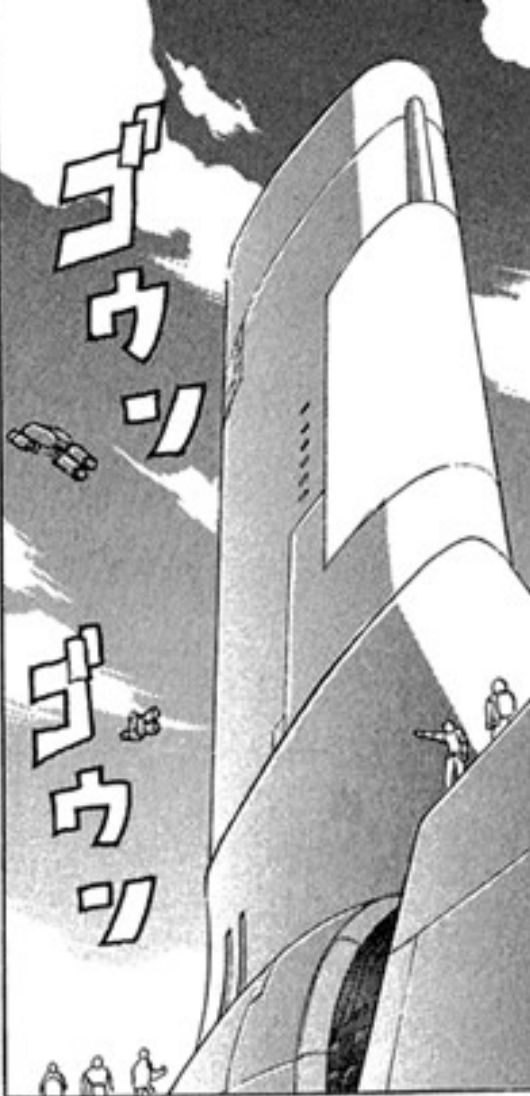
IN THE  
NAME OF THE  
FEDERATION  
POLICE, YOU  
ARE UNDER  
ARREST!!

UNTIL THAT TRIAL  
IS COMMENCED,  
IT IS MY DUTY TO  
GUARANTEE YOUR  
SAFETY WHILE  
KEEPING YOU  
RESTRAINED...  
DO YOU ACCEPT?!





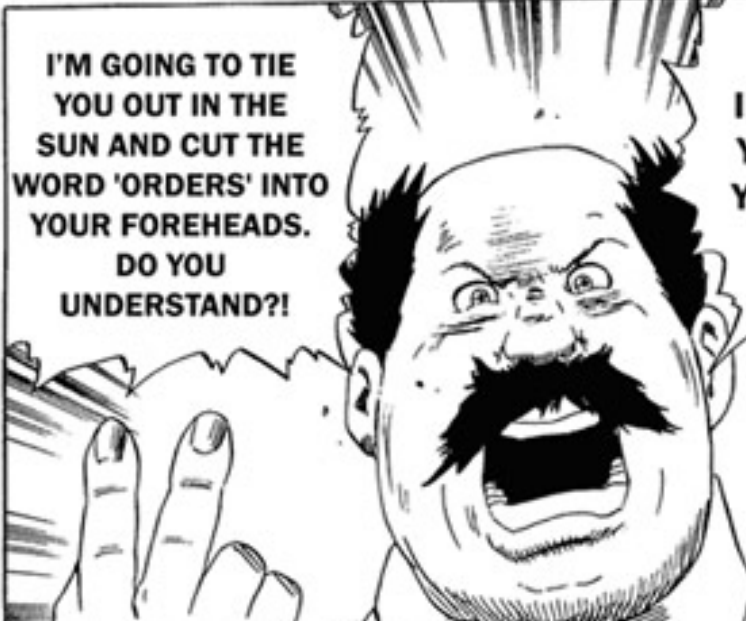
WHAT  
WERE YOU  
THINKING!?



WE  
ARRESTED  
EVERYONE,  
SO IT'S ALL  
GOOD-

BUT  
CHIEF  
HARDY,

WE JUST  
DID OUR  
JOB-



I'M GOING TO TIE  
YOU OUT IN THE  
SUN AND CUT THE  
WORD 'ORDERS' INTO  
YOUR FOREHEADS.  
DO YOU  
UNDERSTAND?!

YOU FOOLS!  
I COULD GRILL  
YOU AND BOIL  
YOU AND STILL  
NOT BE  
SATISFIED!



NICE  
LADY



THANK HER  
PROPERLY.

GO  
ON.

OH



LIM  
...

DON'T SPEAK  
AFTER BEING  
SPOKEN TO!



THANK YOU  
FOR SAVING  
ME!

THANK YOU  
NICE LADY



THAT'S RIGHT. IF I  
HAD SHOT HIM  
THEN, I WOULD BE  
NO BETTER THAN  
THE PIRATES!

YOU WERE  
THE ONE  
WHO SAVED  
ME...!

NO  
...

TRULY,  
THANK YOU!!



EH





TO BECOME  
THE 'TRUE  
PROTECTOR OF  
THE GALAXY'!

I WILL  
FIGHT MY  
OWN WAY.

I'M SAMUS.  
NICE TO  
MEET YOU!

I'M  
DAMARA.  
WHAT ABOUT  
YOU?



AH,  
YOU'RE...

AND IT APPEARS  
THAT WE'VE GAINED  
AN UNNECESSARY  
PIECE OF  
BAGGAGE...

MY, MY. THE  
BATTLESHIP  
PREPARED TO  
FIGHT THE SPACE  
PIRATES HAS  
GONE TO WASTE.



SAMUS  
ARAN  
...

GENERAL ADAM  
MALCOVICH!

CHAPTER 3 END



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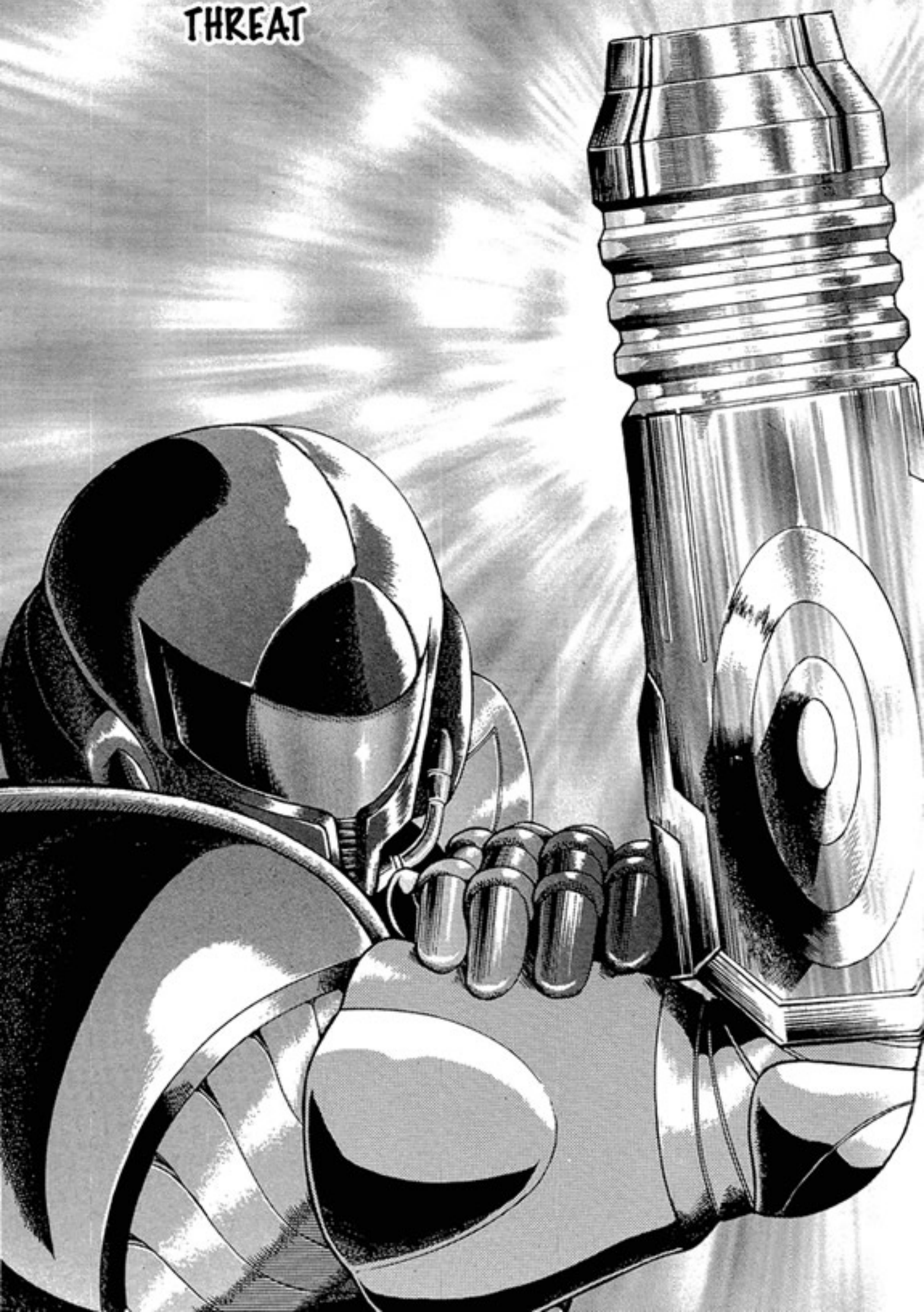
As you probably saw, there were quite a few notes in the chapter saying things like 'taken directly from katakana'. Basically, in hopes of making this as accurate and non-contradictory as possible, we've skipped over a lot of things that would normally be changed. The planet of Jigrad is a good example, if we'd Romanized that, it would have come out as 'Jiguraado' and that was just too much for my translator mind to take. We also went ahead and spelled out the politicians and fellow federation forces... really because I doubt that they'll come up in any future Metroid franchise, so it's best to at least give people a fighting chance at pronouncing them correctly (if anyone's keeping records, originally Mauk is 'Maaku', Vogl is 'Vooguru', Keaton is 'Kiiton', and Kreatz is 'Kuriitsu'.... Hardy was obviously supposed to be Hardy, and Adam Malcovitch is already in the database as an official spelling).

If we, just maybe, mislabeled something that has been officially named, do please drop us a line so that we can correct the error. The translator searches for this stuff when she does the initial draft and I search for it when I check it over, but you really never know with stuff like this. There are some walking encyclopedias of random knowledge that could easily know more than Google.

-Snoopy



CHAPTER 4  
THREAT

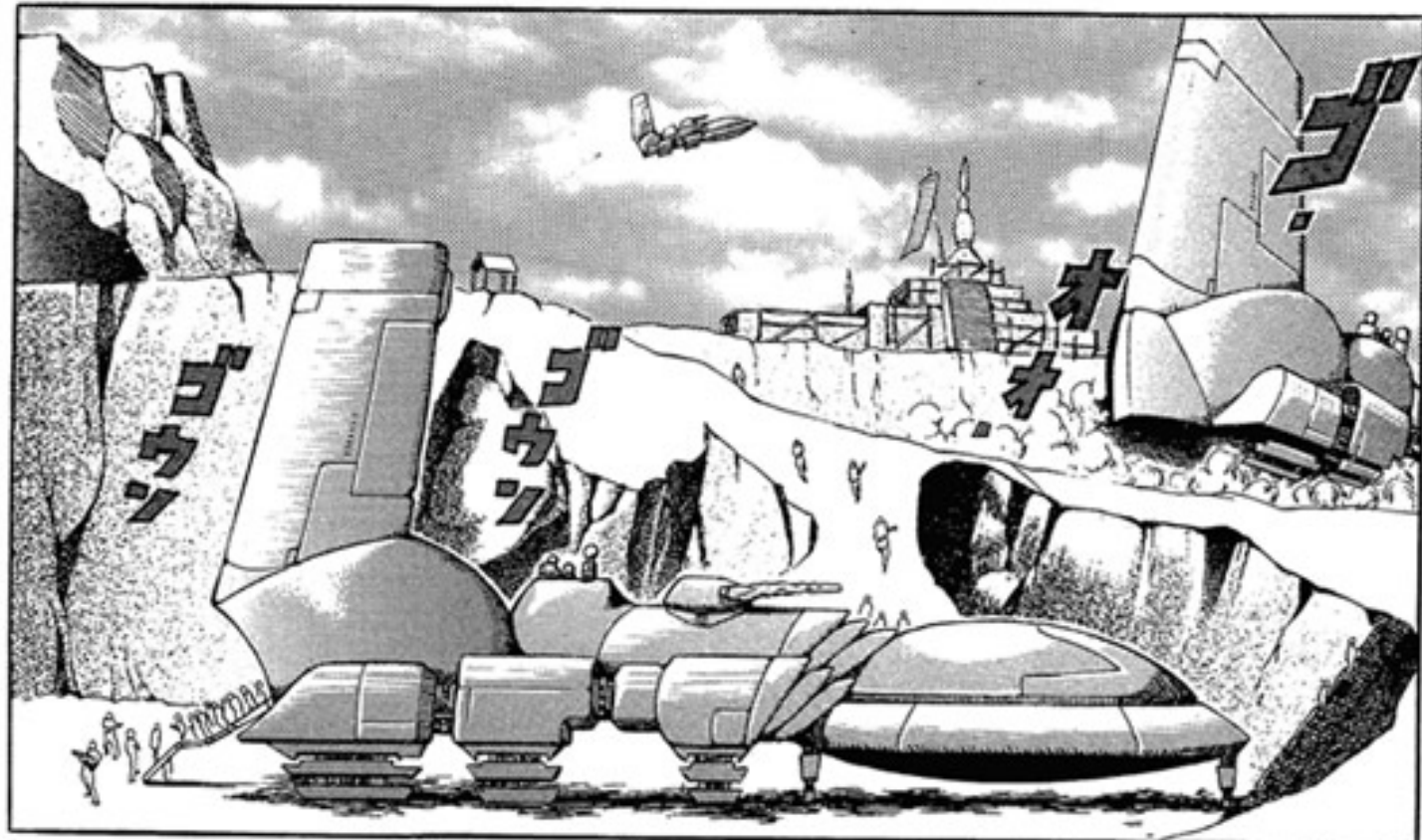


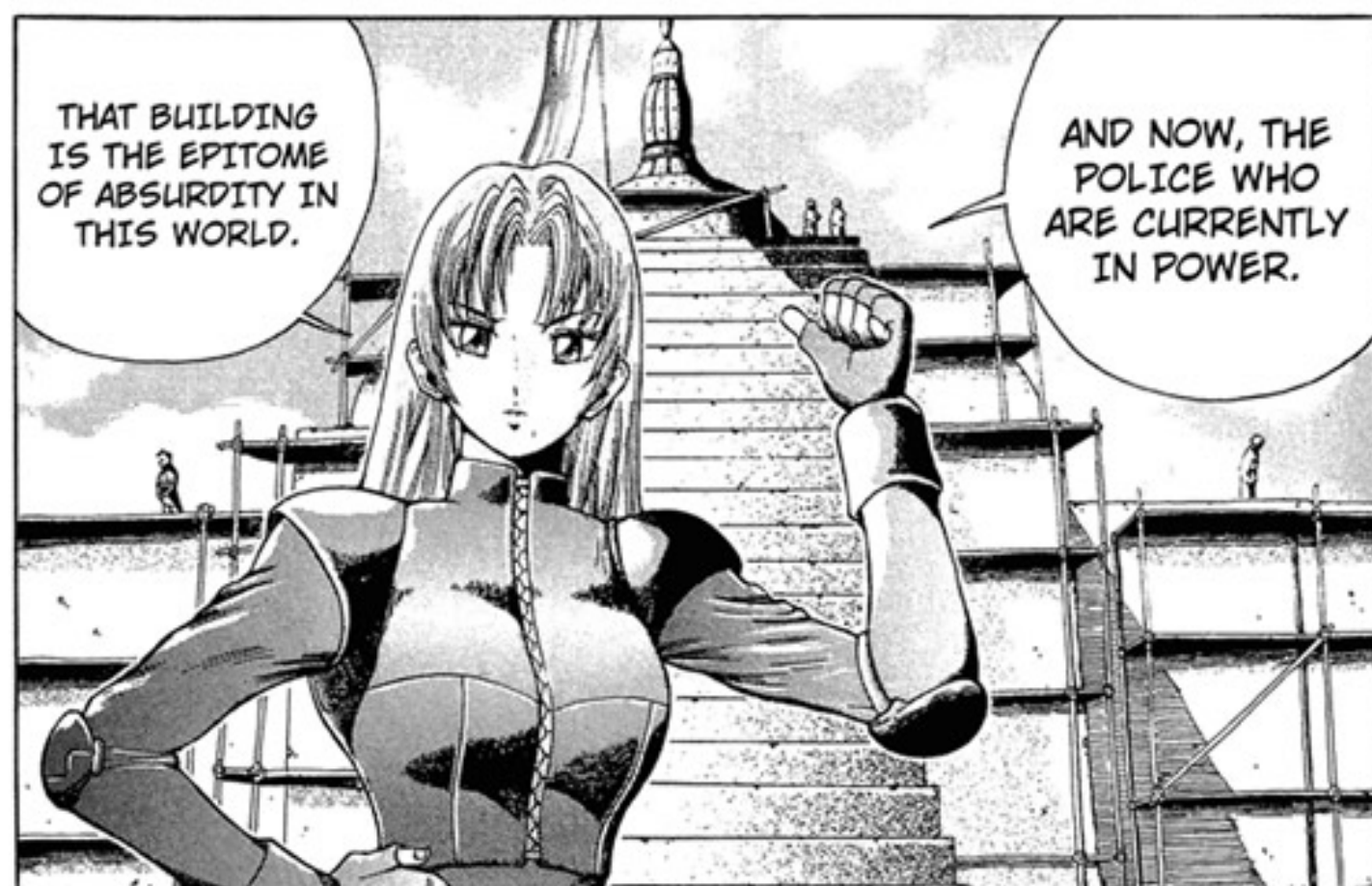
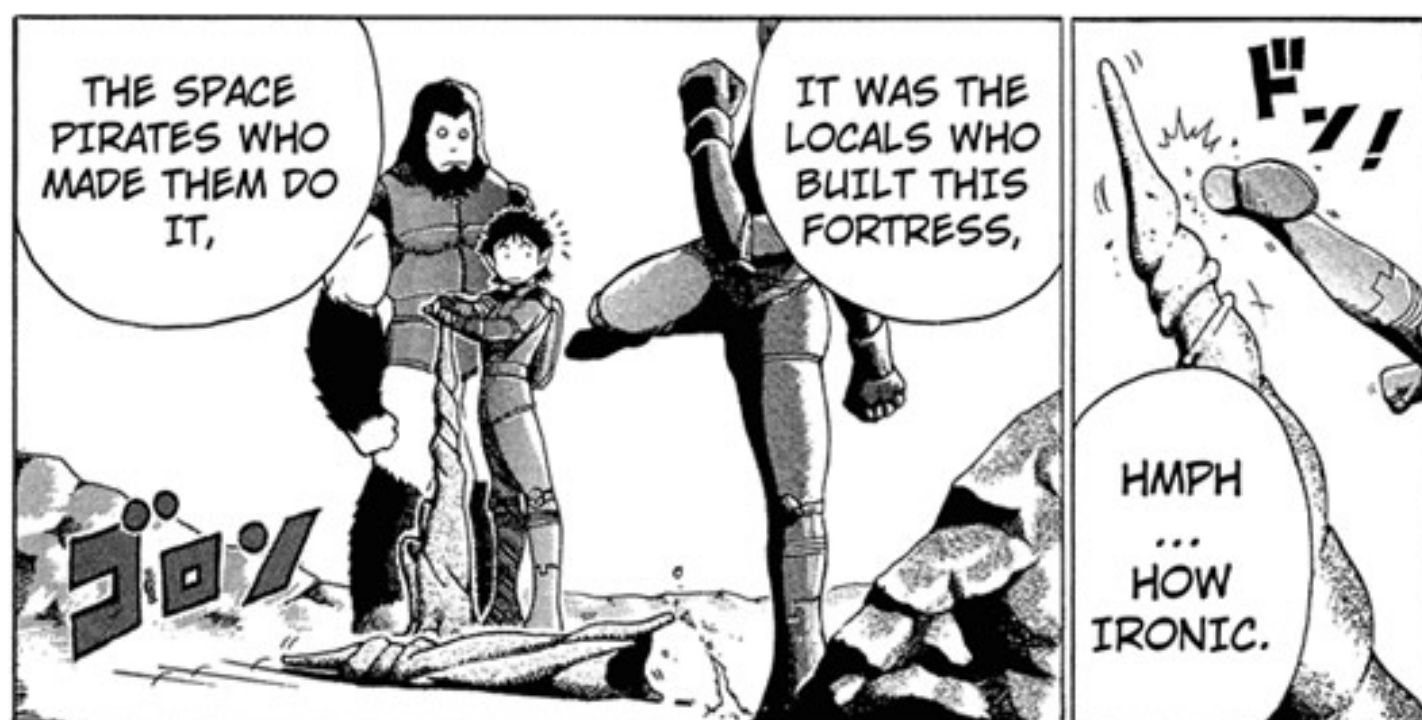


## PLANET JIGRAD

ONE WEEK AFTER  
SAMUS, KREAZT,  
AND MAUK  
FINISHED OFF THE  
SPACE PIRATES  
BY THEMSELVES.

UNDER THE RULE OF  
THE FEDERATION  
POLICE, PEACEFUL  
EVERYDAY LIFE IS  
RESTORED ON  
JIGRAD.









**GENERAL ADAM  
NEEDS YOU GUYS  
TO ESCORT THE  
PRISONERS TO  
START QUESTIONING  
!!**

**HEY,  
ROOKIES**



**WE'RE POLICE—  
ISN'T THAT  
MIXING  
JURISDICTIONS,  
CHIEF!!**

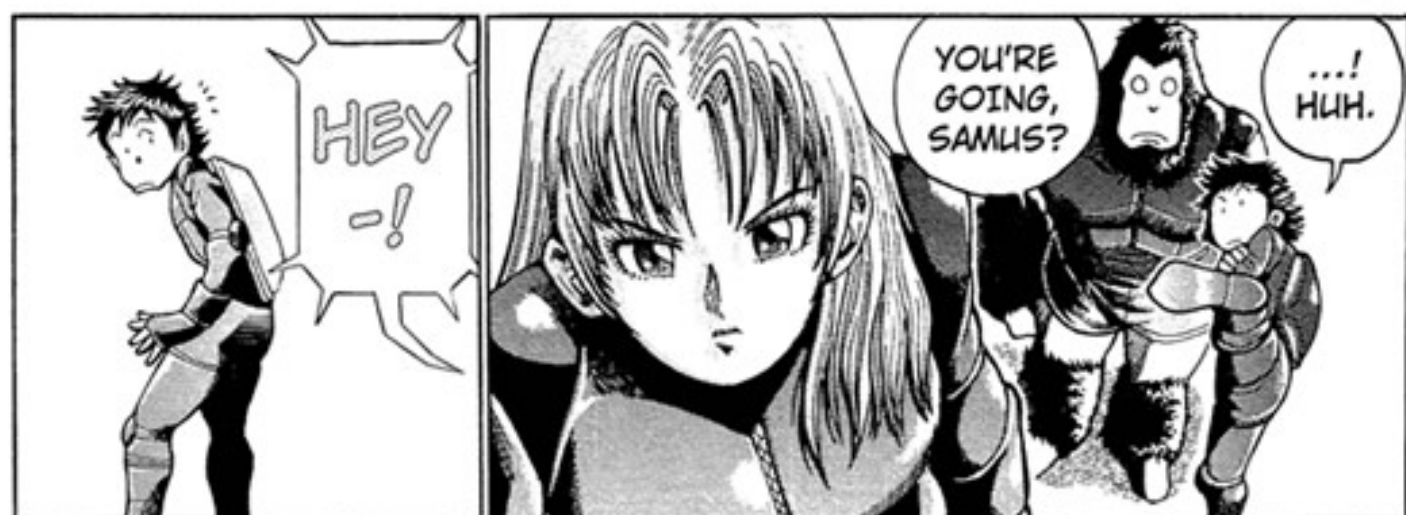
**HUUUUUH?!  
BABY-SITTING  
ARMY  
BIG-SHOTS—**



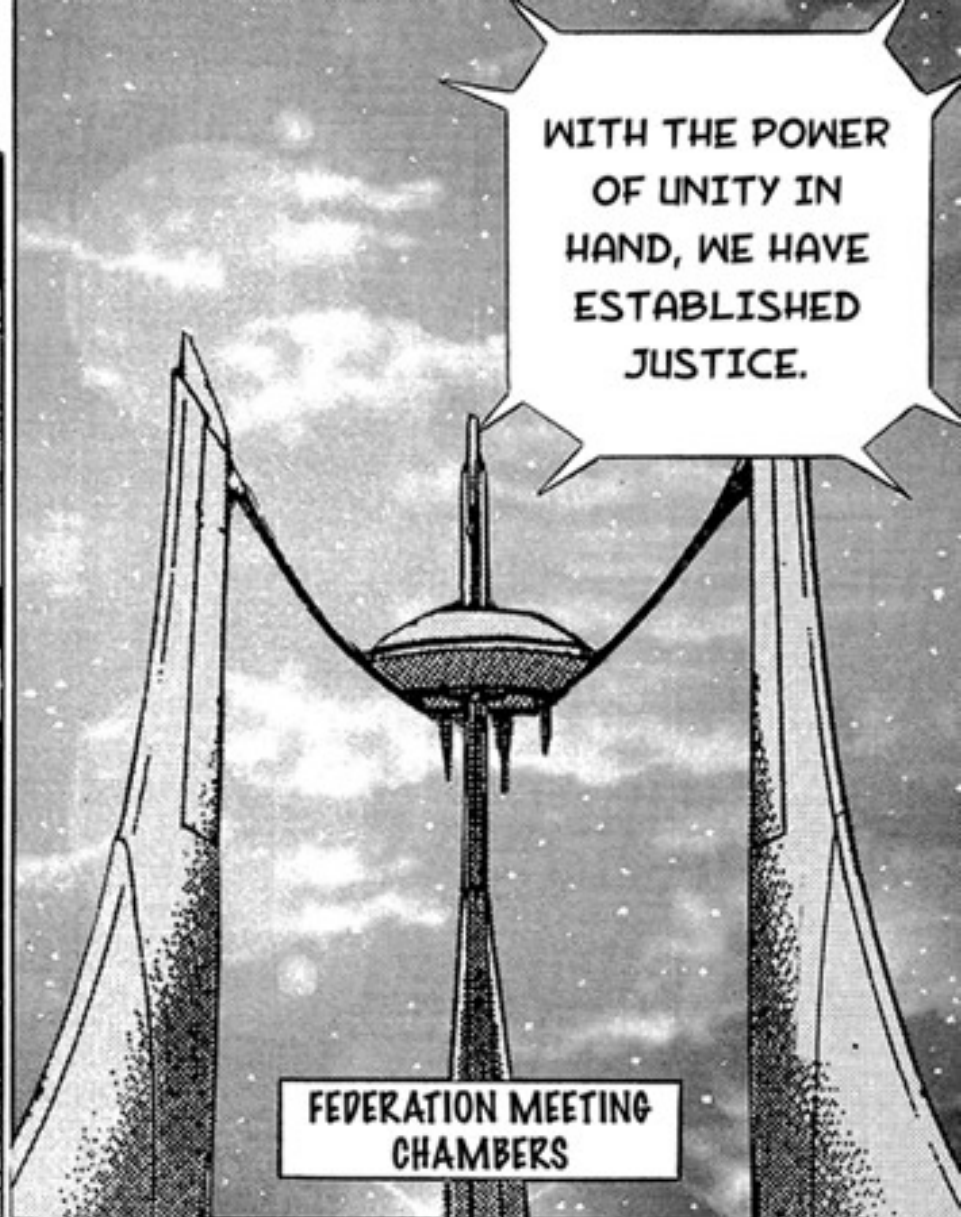
**WHATEVER,  
JUST  
HURRY UP!!**

**WE'RE BEING  
JUDGED BY YOUR  
DILLY-DALLYING!!**

**!?**  
**ARE YOU  
BEING PERT  
WITH ME!!**







WITH THE POWER  
OF UNITY IN  
HAND, WE HAVE  
ESTABLISHED  
JUSTICE.

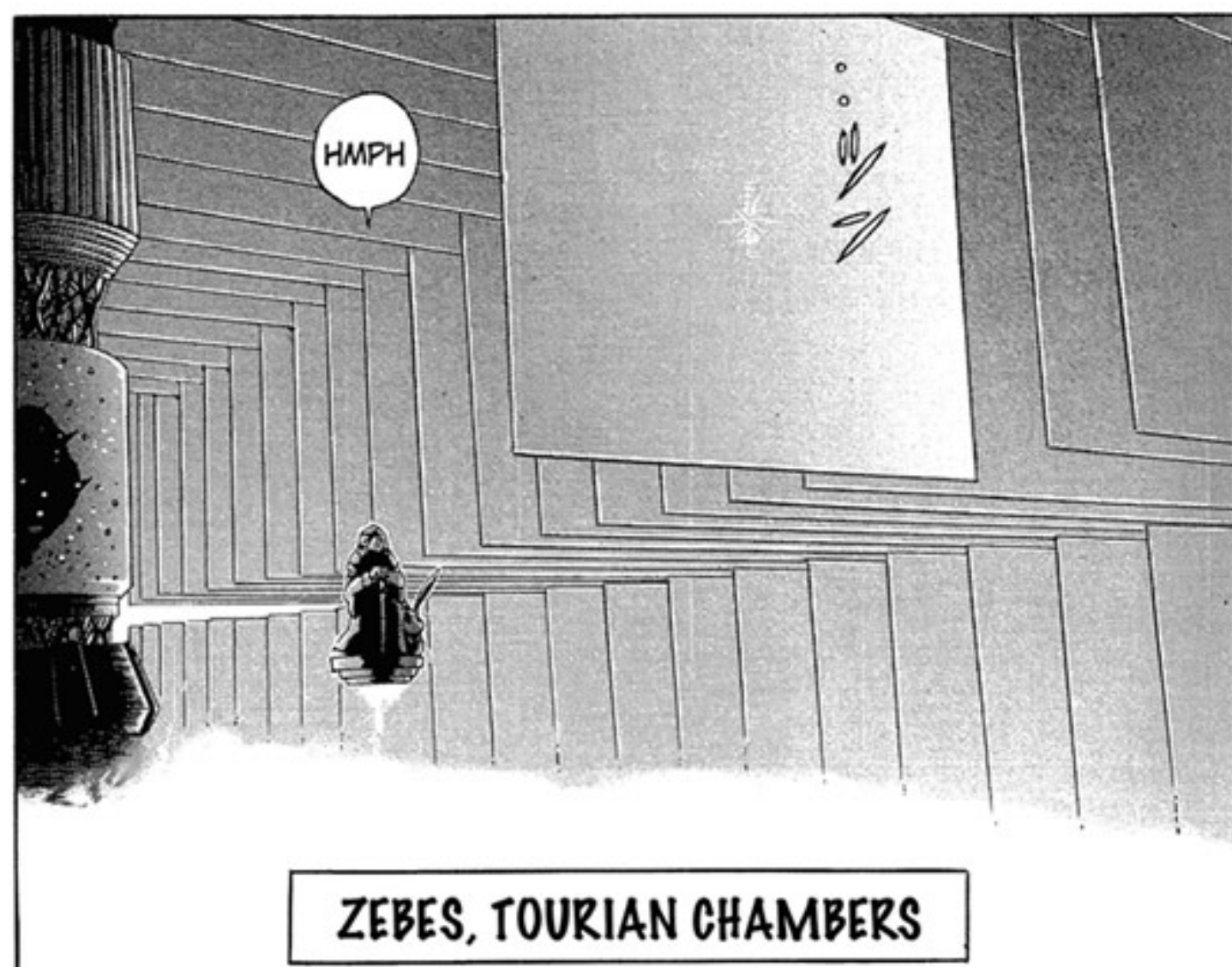
FEDERATION MEETING  
CHAMBERS



WE HAVE PROVEN THE  
SPACE PIRATES NOT  
TO BE CREATURES  
FROM BEDTIME  
STORIES!

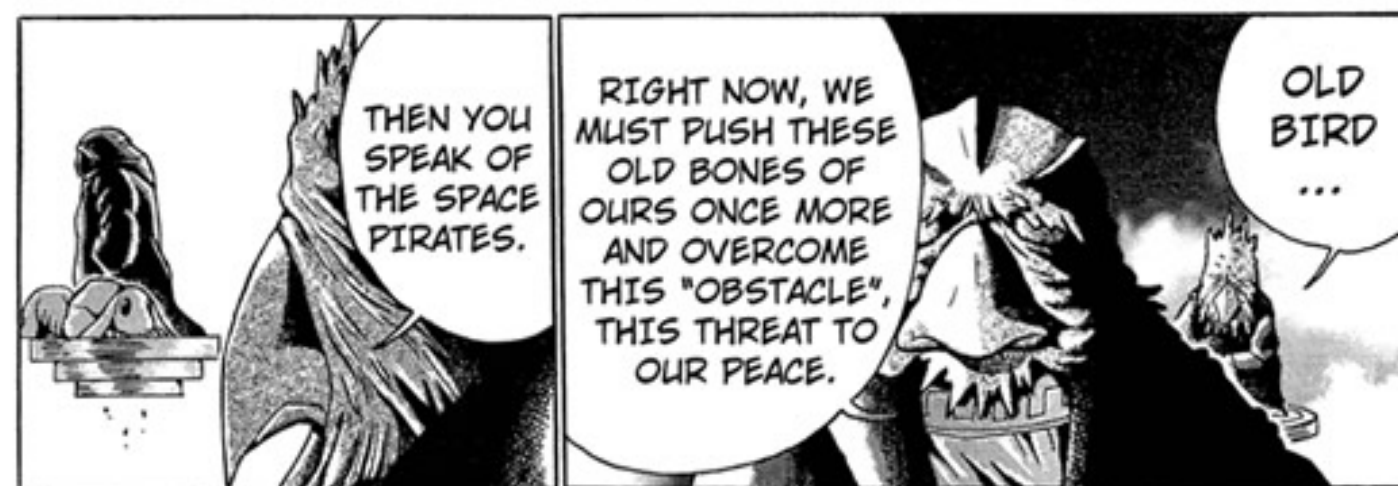
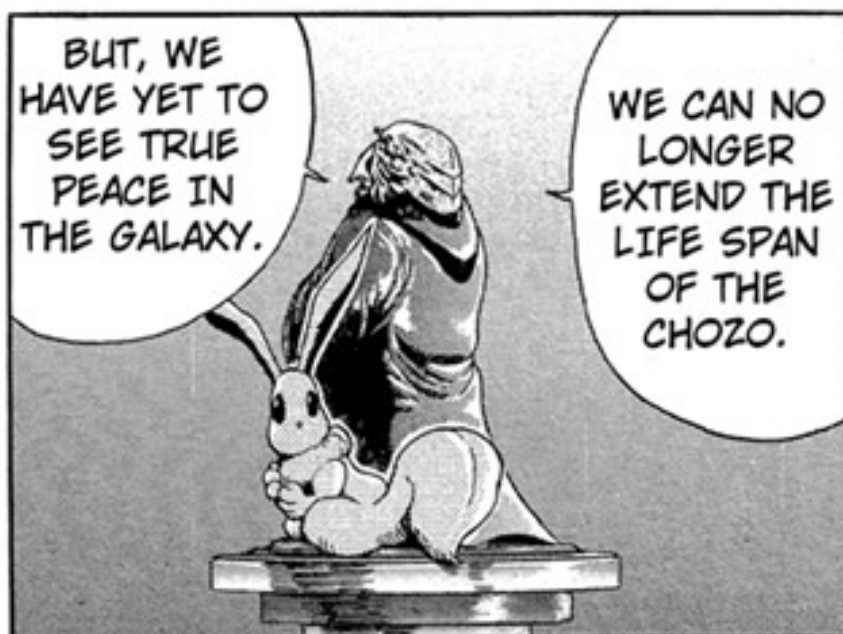
THROUGH  
OUR  
EFFORTS  
ON  
JIGRAD,

WE HAVE SHOWN  
THEM TO BE BEINGS  
THAT ARE NOT  
WORTHY OF OUR  
FEAR!

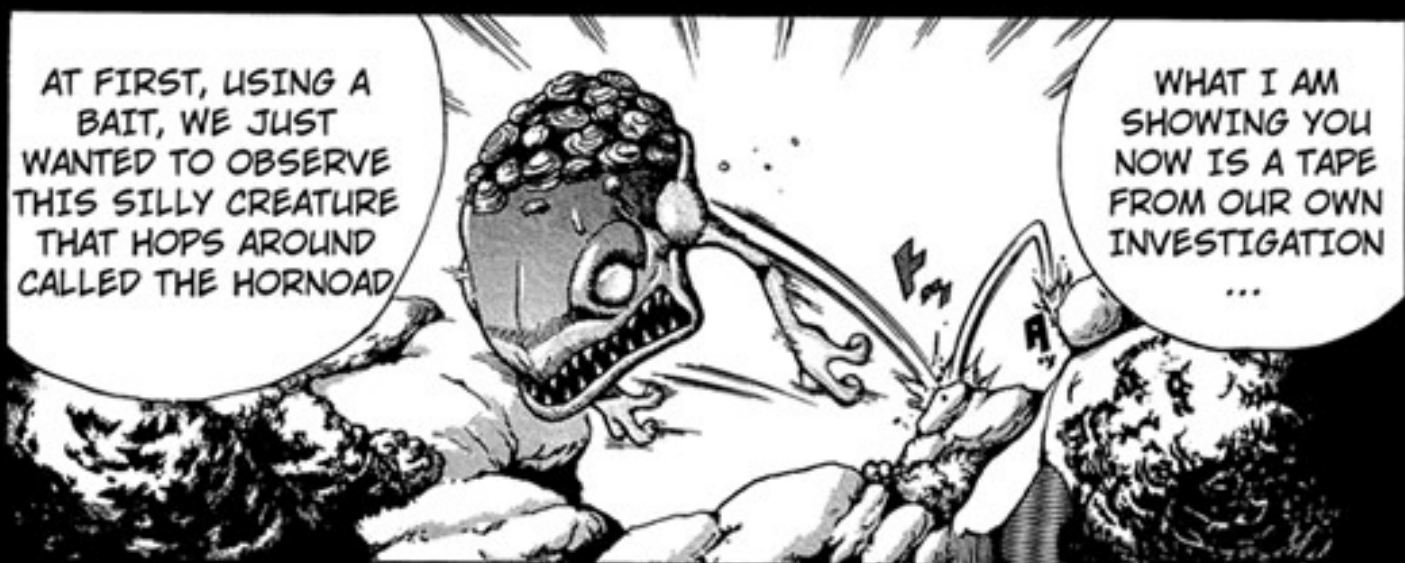
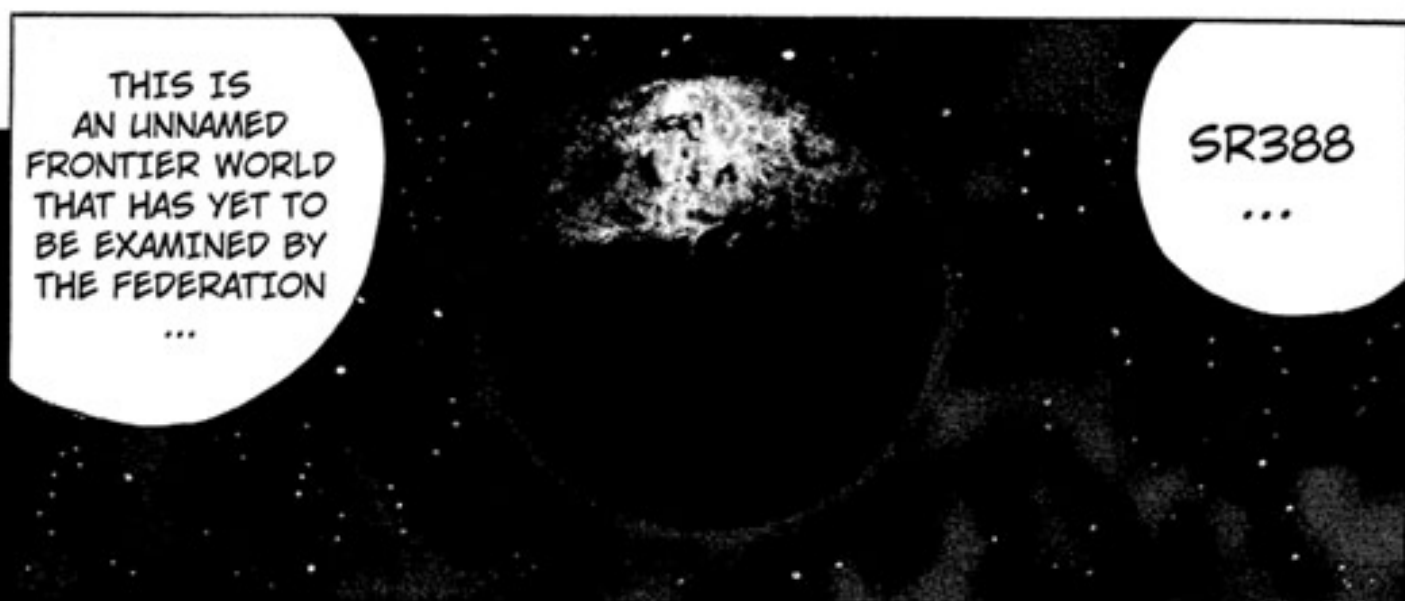














IT STARTS  
HERE!!

BUT IT WAS  
CHASED BY  
SOMETHING  
...

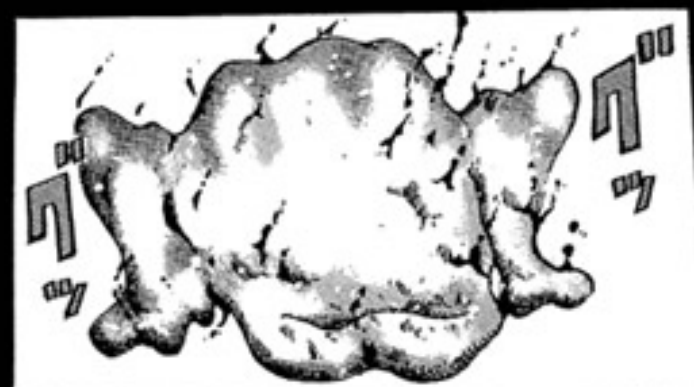
AND TOOK  
REFUGE IN  
A CAVE...




THAT GELATINOUS  
CREATURE IS A  
PARASITE THAT  
PENETRATED THE  
CRACKS IN THE  
BEAST'S SKIN...

O-...  
OLD BIRD,  
T-THAT'S








CAN YOU NOT SEE  
THAT IF A MIMIC  
SUCH AS THIS WERE  
TO INFILTRATE A  
POPULATION,  
IT COULD  
REPLICATE ALMOST  
INDEFINITELY!

LITTERLY  
TERRIFYING.



AAH




IT IS TRULY THE  
WORST KIND OF  
CREATURE...IT  
HAS NO NAME,  
BUT...

WITH EVIL  
TAKING THE FORM  
OF AN ALLY, THE  
GALAXY COULD BE  
OVERTHROWN.



THAT  
CREATURE  
TOOK ON  
THE HOST'S  
MEMORIES,  
APPEARANCE,  
ABILITIES,  
EVERYTHING.

IT SUCKS  
EVERYTHING  
DRY.



WE CALL  
IT X.





IT IS BEST TO  
INFORM THE  
FEDERATION AT  
ONCE.

IF SUCH  
A THING  
EXISTS

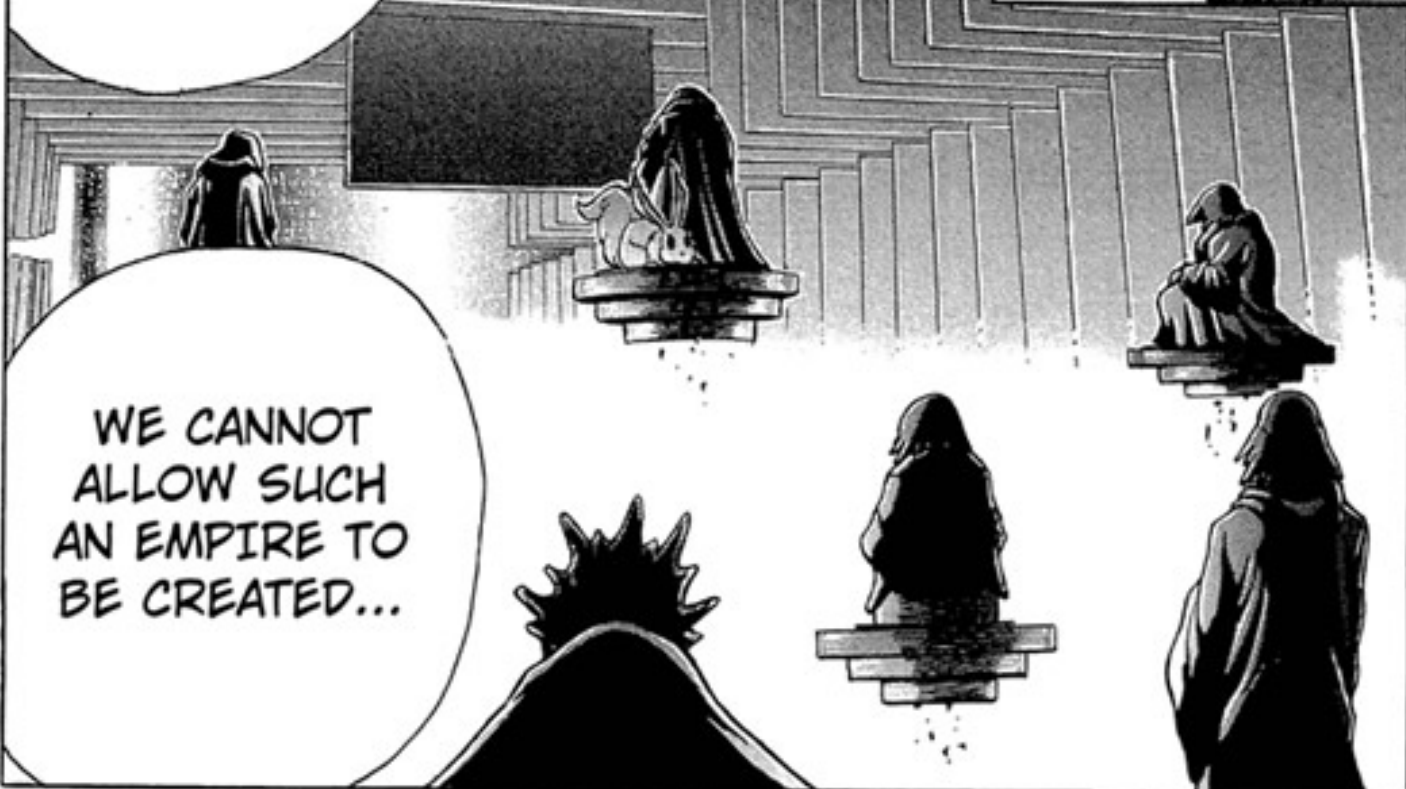


WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY  
USE IT TO  
INFILTRATE THE  
FEDERATION...  
REPLACING  
REPRESENTATIVES  
WITH THEIR OWN  
SOLDIERS...

WHICKED PEOPLE,  
UPON SEEING  
PARASITE X'S  
INCREDIBLE  
CLONING  
ABILITIES...

NO, IT IS  
BEST NOT  
TO...

...



WE CANNOT  
ALLOW SUCH  
AN EMPIRE TO  
BE CREATED...

BUT, WE  
HAVE A  
WEAPON!!



AND THEY HAVE  
DEvised A  
METHOD TO  
EXTERMINATE  
PARASITE X  
FROM SR388,

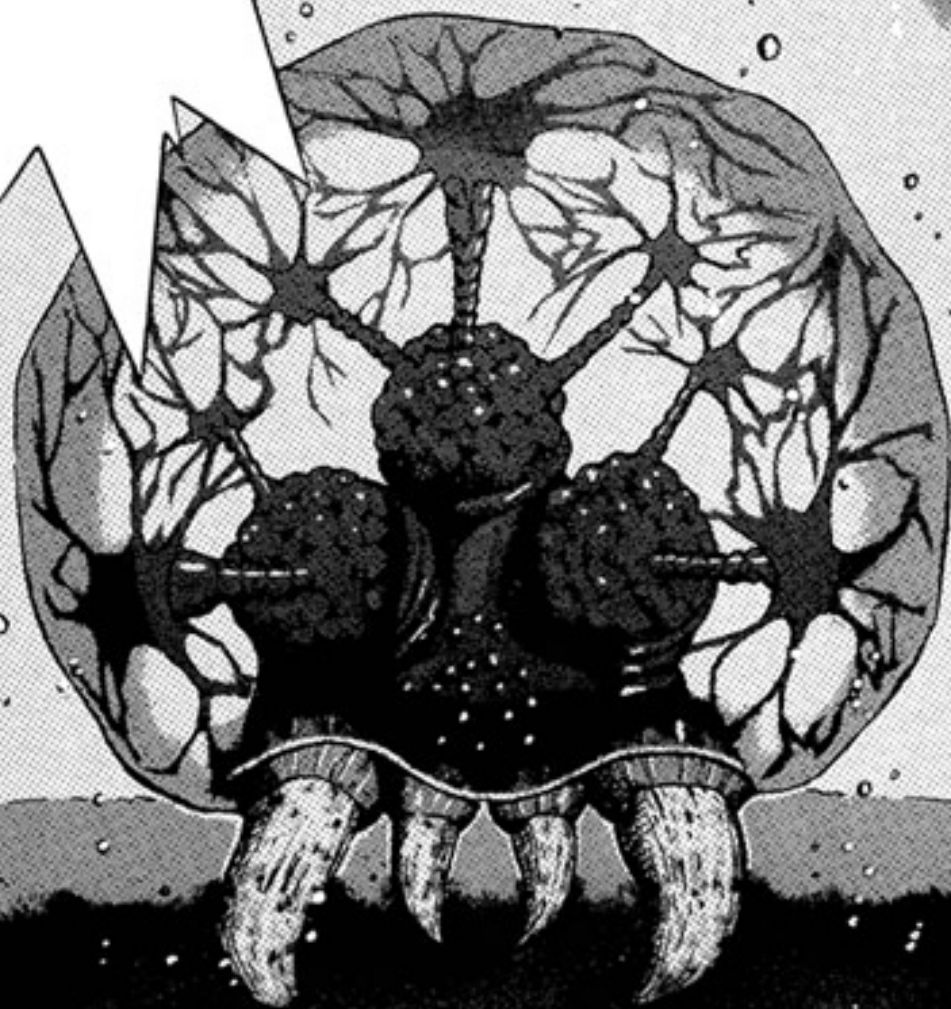
AND WE FINALLY  
HAVE A SAMPLE  
OF THAT METHOD.

OLD BIRD  
HAS  
CONFERED  
EXTENS-  
IVELY WITH  
MOTHER  
BRAIN,

OOH?!  
YOU'VE  
COME, GREY  
VOICE.

SORRY TO  
KEEP YOU  
WAITING.

**METROID!!**







YES! METROID IS EQUIPPED WITH AN ENERGY ABSORPTION CAPABILITY AS WELL AS THE ABILITY TO ABSORB BODILY ENERGY.

ME-,  
METROID  
...?!



THIS MAKES IT THE ONLY VIABLE WEAPON AGAINST PARASITE X.

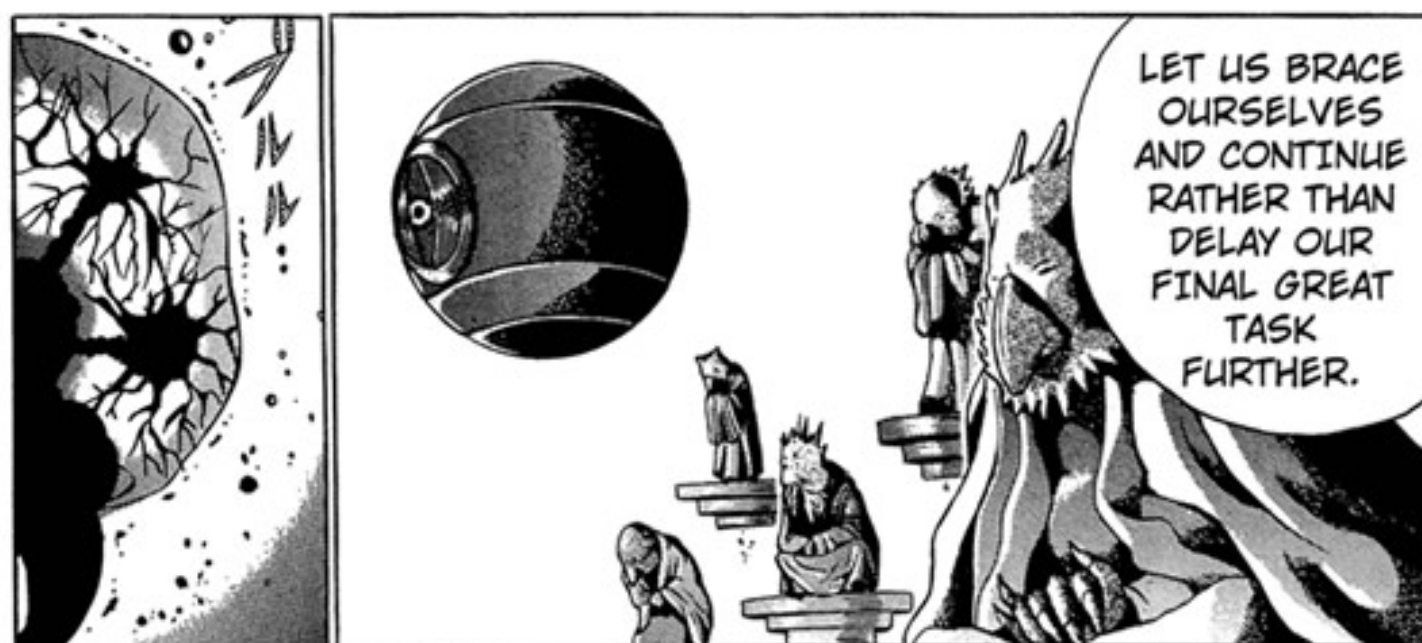
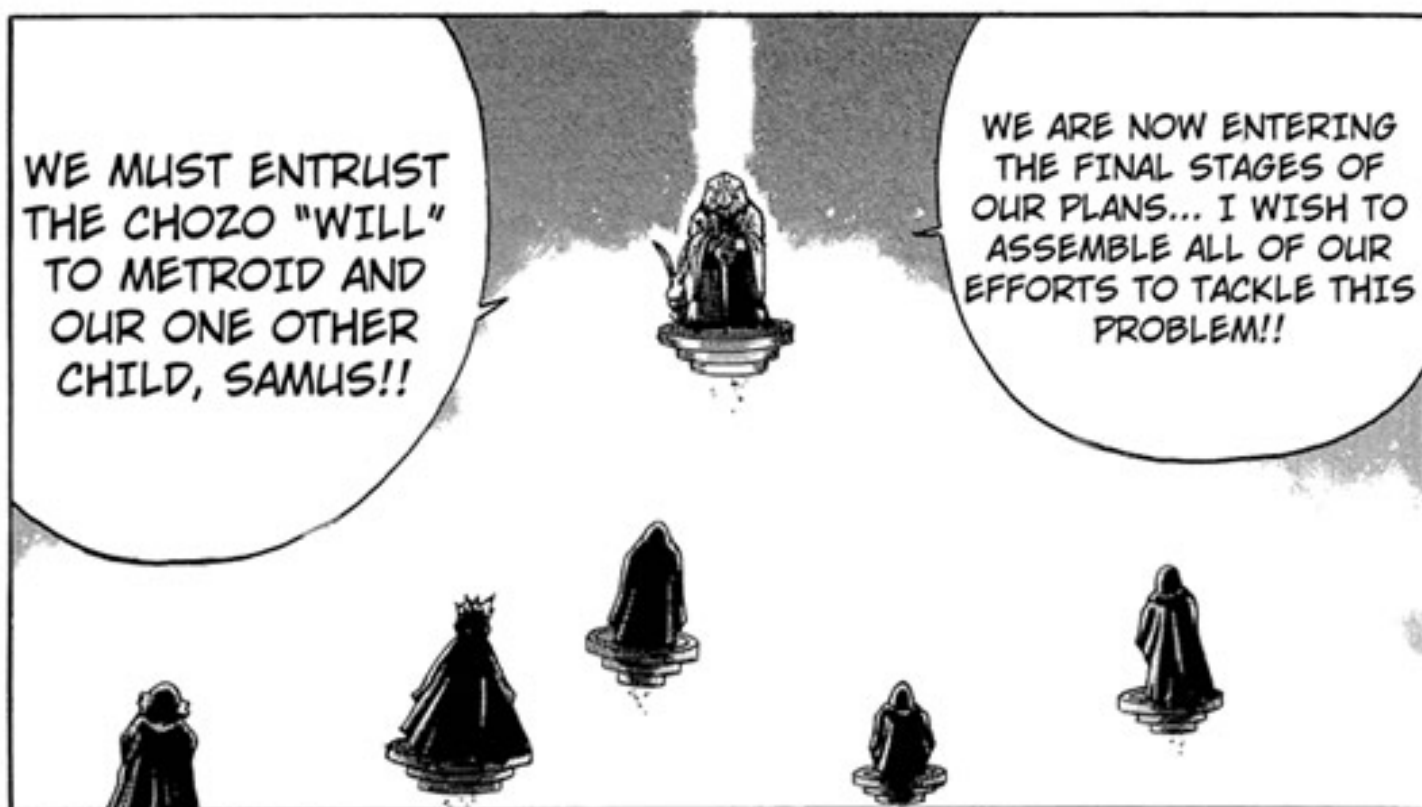


WHAT'S LEFT IS FOR US TO "TRAIN" IT HERE AND MAKE IT TRULY COMPLETE!!

IT MAY BE THE "FINISHED PRODUCT" BUT IT IS STILL AN "INFANT."

HE HE HE IT SEEMS LIKE PYON-CHI IS OF THE SAME MIND...

OH







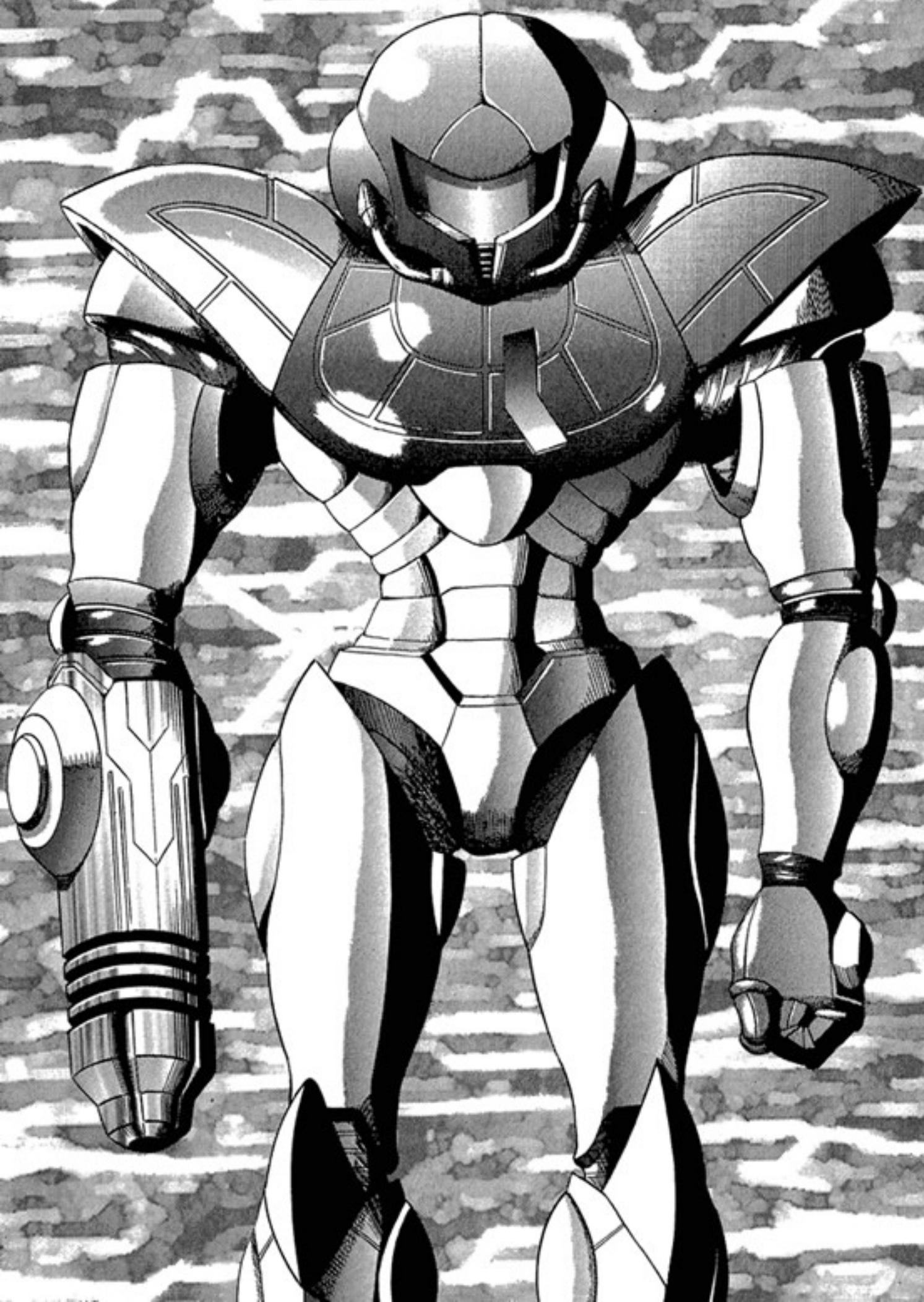




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## CHAPTER 5 CRISIS









**POWER DOWN  
THE MICRO  
BLACK HOLE!**

**WE'VE PENETRATED  
THE DEFENSE  
SHIELD!! ACT  
ACCORDING TO  
THE PLAN!!**



**YES,  
SIR.**


**ONCE YOU'RE DONE  
WITH YOUR BUSINESS,  
QUICKLY MOVE ONTO  
THE NEXT ATTACK!!**

**AT THIS RATE,  
THE PLANET  
WILL BE  
SWALLOWED!!**



**I WILL  
HAVE MY  
FILL!!**

**THIS  
TIME...**



**IT LOOKS LIKE  
THEY STUDIED  
OUR LAST  
RAID AND  
STRENGTHENED  
THEIR  
SHIELDING,**

**HMPH!  
AFTER  
SETTING  
BACK MY  
PLANS,**

**BUT IN  
THE END,  
IT'S JUST  
AN "EGG-  
SHELL" YOU  
GEEZERS!!**

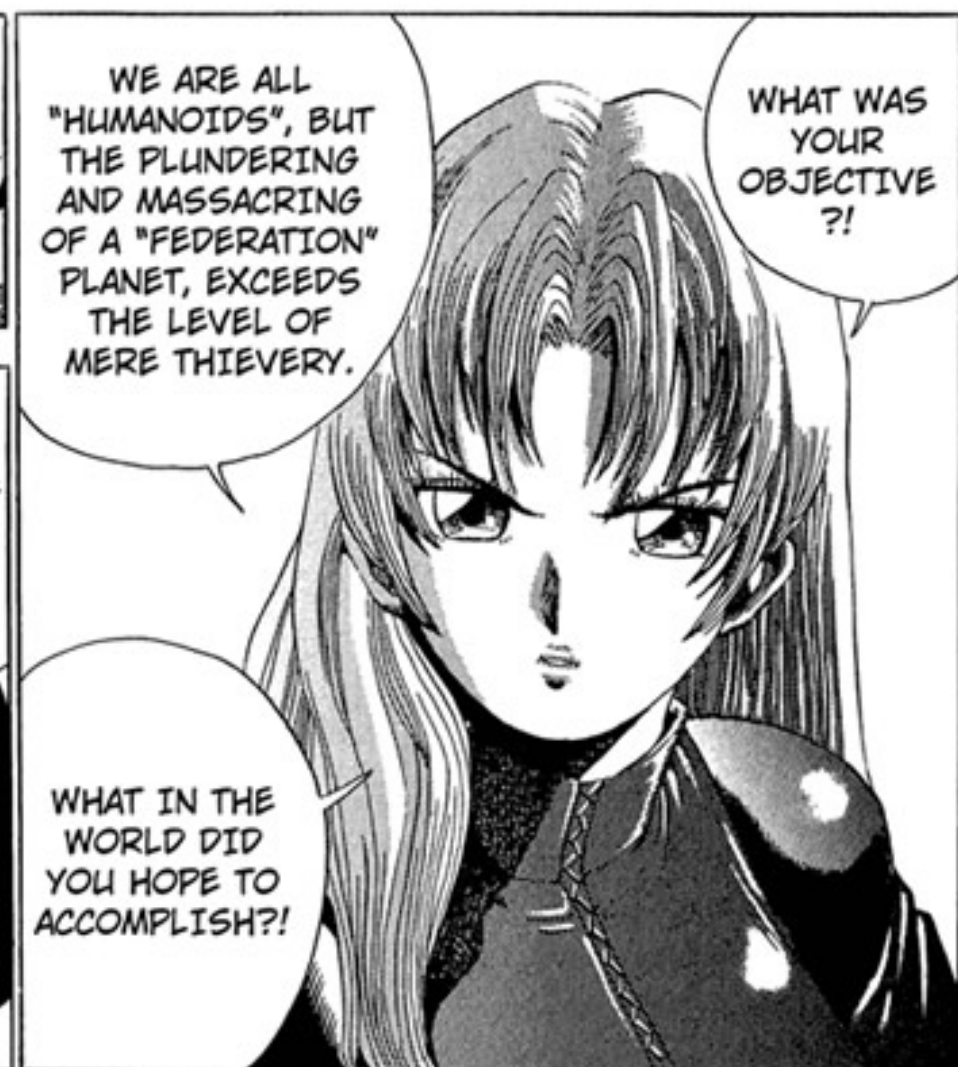
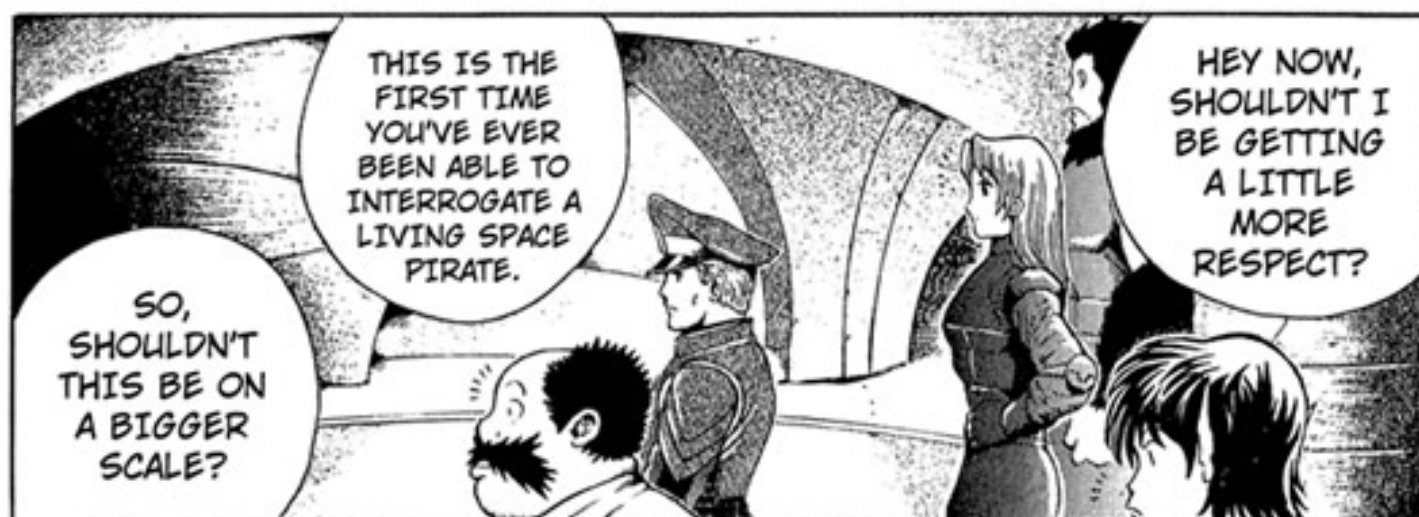


**NOW  
...**

**...**







**LIVE IN YOUR  
PRECIOUS  
'FEDERATION'  
~~?**

**DO YOU HAVE  
ANY IDEA HOW  
MANY 'HUMAN-  
OID' SPECIES**



**TAKE FOR  
EXAMPLE,  
THAT GUY.**



**WHAT?**



**HEY!  
WAIT A  
SEC,  
MALIK!**

**ARGH**

**AND YOU  
WITH THE  
POINTY  
EARS!**

**IT WAS  
ONLY RECENTLY  
THAT THE  
FEDERATION  
HAS AGREED  
TO INCLUDE  
YOU,  
RIGHT-**

**YOU ARE DIS-  
CRIMINATED  
AGAINST AS  
AN INFERIOR  
SPECIES...**







SO  
WHAT'S  
YOUR  
POINT!

WH-WHAT  
DOES THAT  
HAVE TO DO  
WITH THIS!?



YOU  
WERE HELD  
RESPONSIBLE  
FOR THE  
SPECIES WAR.

!

EVEN NOW,  
YOUR SPECIES  
FACES UNJUST  
OPPRESSION,  
RI — GHT?



PFFT  
...



WE ARE  
NOT LIKE  
YOU!

DON'T MUCK  
AROUND.  
DON'T LUMP  
US TOGETHER  
WITH YOU,  
  
YOU SLAUGHTER  
HONORABLE  
PEOPLE LIKE  
THOSE FROM  
SAMUS' PLANET,  
COLONY K-2L...

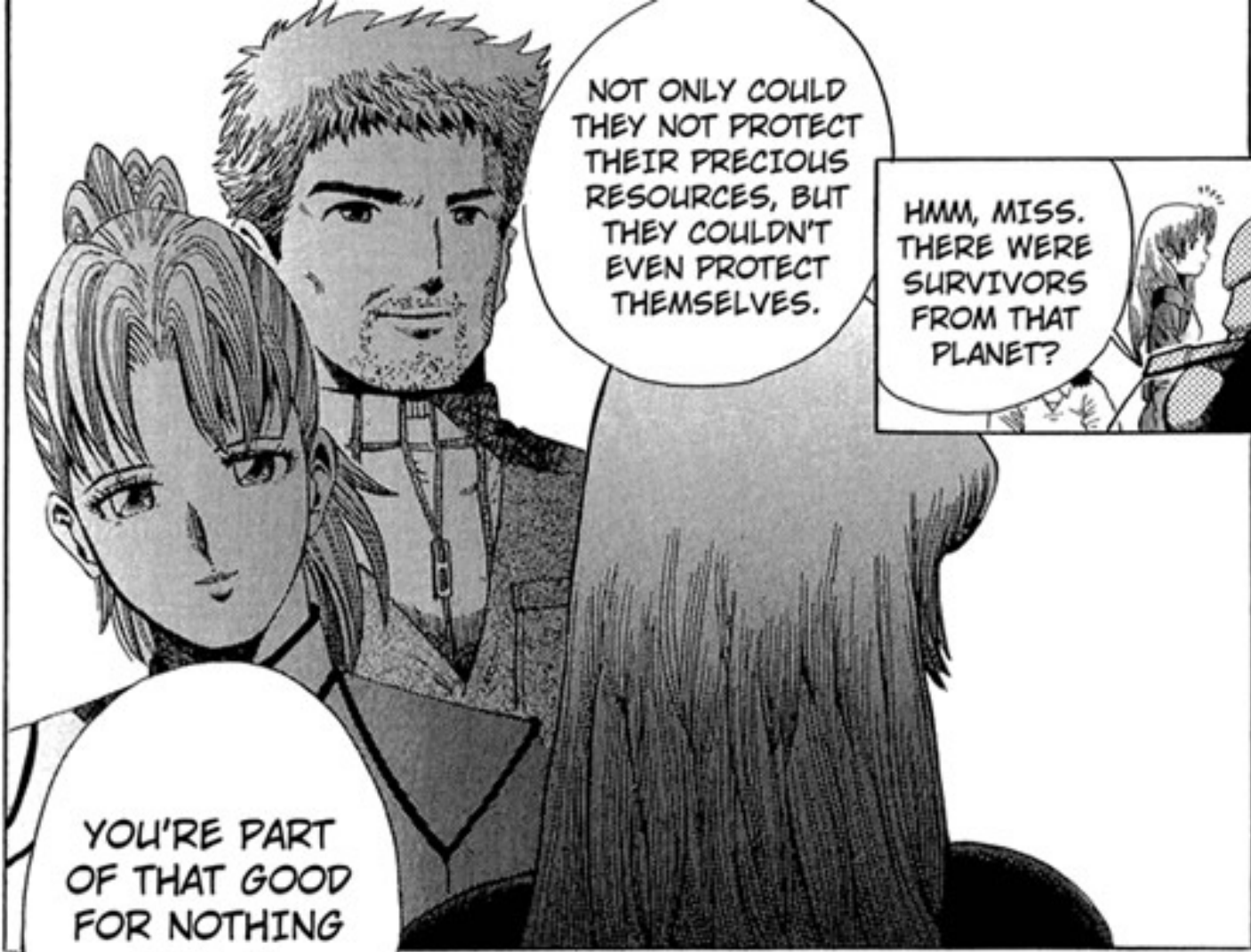


DOESN'T IT JUST  
MEAN EVERYTHING  
ELSE IS JUST A  
SMORGASBO — ARD

HE HE  
HE HE  
HE

IT JUST MEANS  
THAT WE SPACE  
PIRATES ARE  
"THE SAME  
BREED" AS  
EVERYONE ELSE.

IN OTHER WORDS,  
DESPITE ALL THE  
PROFESSIONS OF  
WANTING "COOPERATION"  
AND FREEDOM, IN TRUTH  
THE FEDERATION IS A  
PUPPET CONTROLLED BY  
THE MOST ELITE  
SPECIES.



NOT ONLY COULD  
THEY NOT PROTECT  
THEIR PRECIOUS  
RESOURCES, BUT  
THEY COULDN'T  
EVEN PROTECT  
THEMSELVES.



HMM, MISS.  
THERE WERE  
SURVIVORS  
FROM THAT  
PLANET?

YOU'RE PART  
OF THAT GOOD  
FOR NOTHING  
LOT...?

THOSE  
AREN'T MY  
WORDS.

YOU  
DON'T  
KNOW?

THAT'S  
WHAT THE  
FEDERA-  
TION SAID.

TRY SAYING  
THAT AGAIN!

RIGHT,  
OH GREAT  
ONE?







THEY  
WERE  
DIVER-  
SIONS  
...?

HUH?

G-GENERAL  
ADAM? DO  
YOU  
MEAN...



**YOU'RE A  
DECOY?!**



I WANTED  
TO GO ON  
CHATTING  
WITH THAT  
IDIOT  
BUT...WELL  
WHATEVER  
...

SEEMS LIKE  
YOU'VE CAUGHT  
ON. I THOUGHT  
I'D GET MORE  
FUN OUT OF  
YOU!!

KEH



YOU'RE JUST  
THE PREY THAT  
JUMPED AT THE  
LURE WITHOUT  
REALIZING IT  
WAS A SIMPLE  
TRAP!!

THAT'S RIGHT.  
YOU GUYS  
AREN'T THE  
HUNTERS!!







...  
NÖ

**ZEBES?!**

**AH, WAIT  
SAMUS!**

I'M GOING  
TO GO CHECK  
IT OUT!

THAT'S,  
THAT'S  
RIDICULOUS  
...



YOU'RE  
FOOLISH IF  
YOU'RE GOING  
TO JUST ACT  
ON YOUR  
OWN.

THERE MUST  
BE SOME  
MISUNDER-  
STANDING!

I WAS  
RAISED  
THERE!!

PLEASE LEAVE  
THIS TO ME. I  
KNOW ZEBES  
BETTER THAN  
ANYONE ELSE!!





**IT'S TOO LATE.  
THE "ARMY"  
IS ALREADY  
DEPLOYED.**



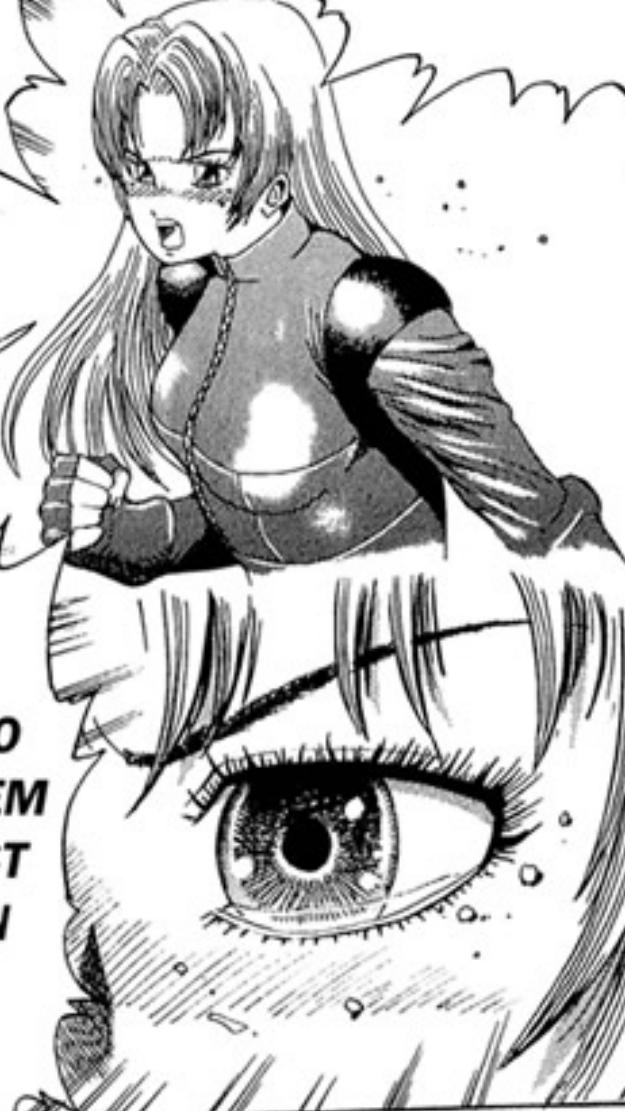
**EVERYONE IS  
STILL ALIVE.**

**ZEBES**  
...

**WHAT ARE  
YOU SAYING.**

**WE DON'T  
HAVE A  
MOMENT  
TO LOSE.**

**THE ONE WHO  
CAN HELP THEM  
THE QUICKEST  
IS ME!! I CAN  
QUICKLY...**



**IT'S NO  
LONGER PART  
OF OUR JOB.**

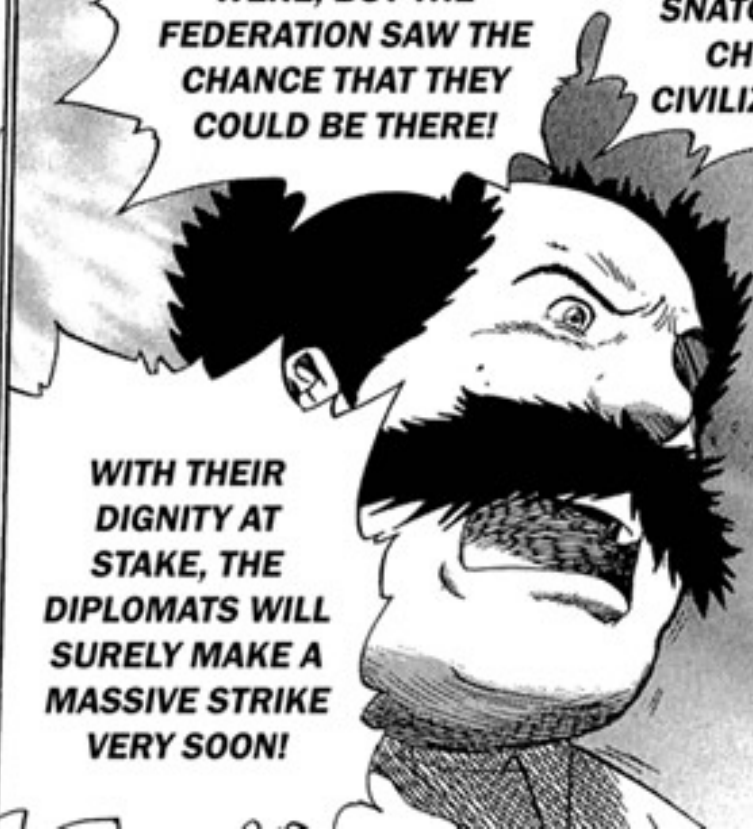
**THEY CAN'T  
JUST TORCH  
THE PLANET  
WITHOUT  
LOOKING  
FOR SURVI-  
VORS  
FIRST...**

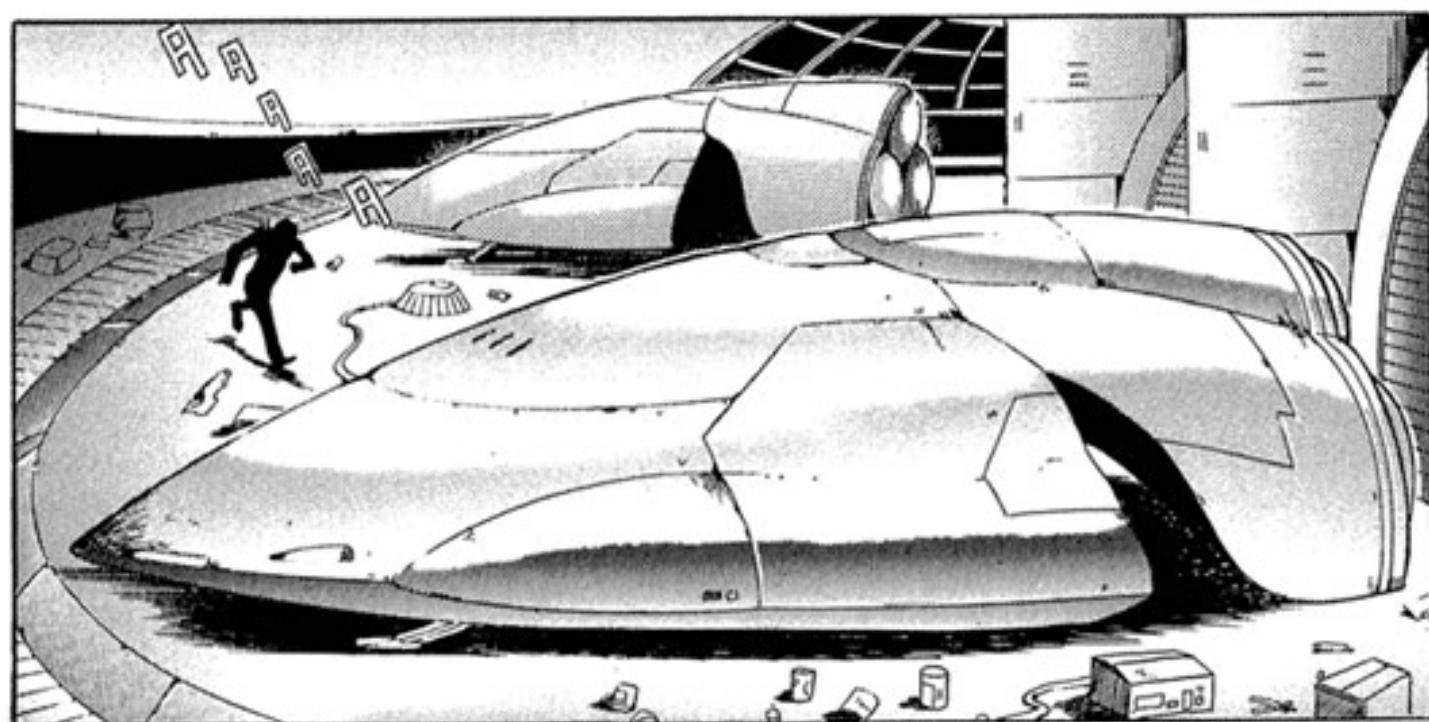
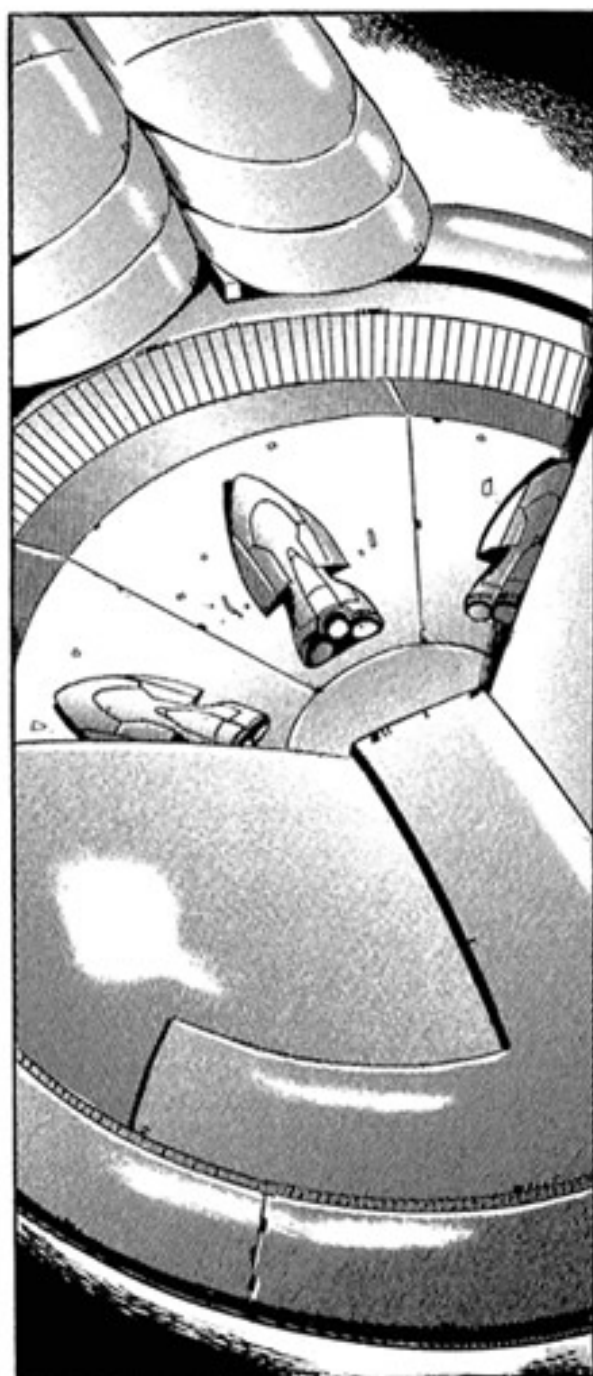
... BUT,

**UNTIL NOW, WE'VE NOT  
KNOWN WHERE THEY  
WERE, BUT THE  
FEDERATION SAW THE  
CHANCE THAT THEY  
COULD BE THERE!**

**WE CAN'T LET  
THE SPACE  
PIRATES  
SNATCH THE  
CHOZO  
CIVILIZATION.**

**WITH THEIR  
DIGNITY AT  
STAKE, THE  
DIPLOMATS WILL  
SURELY MAKE A  
MASSIVE STRIKE  
VERY SOON!**





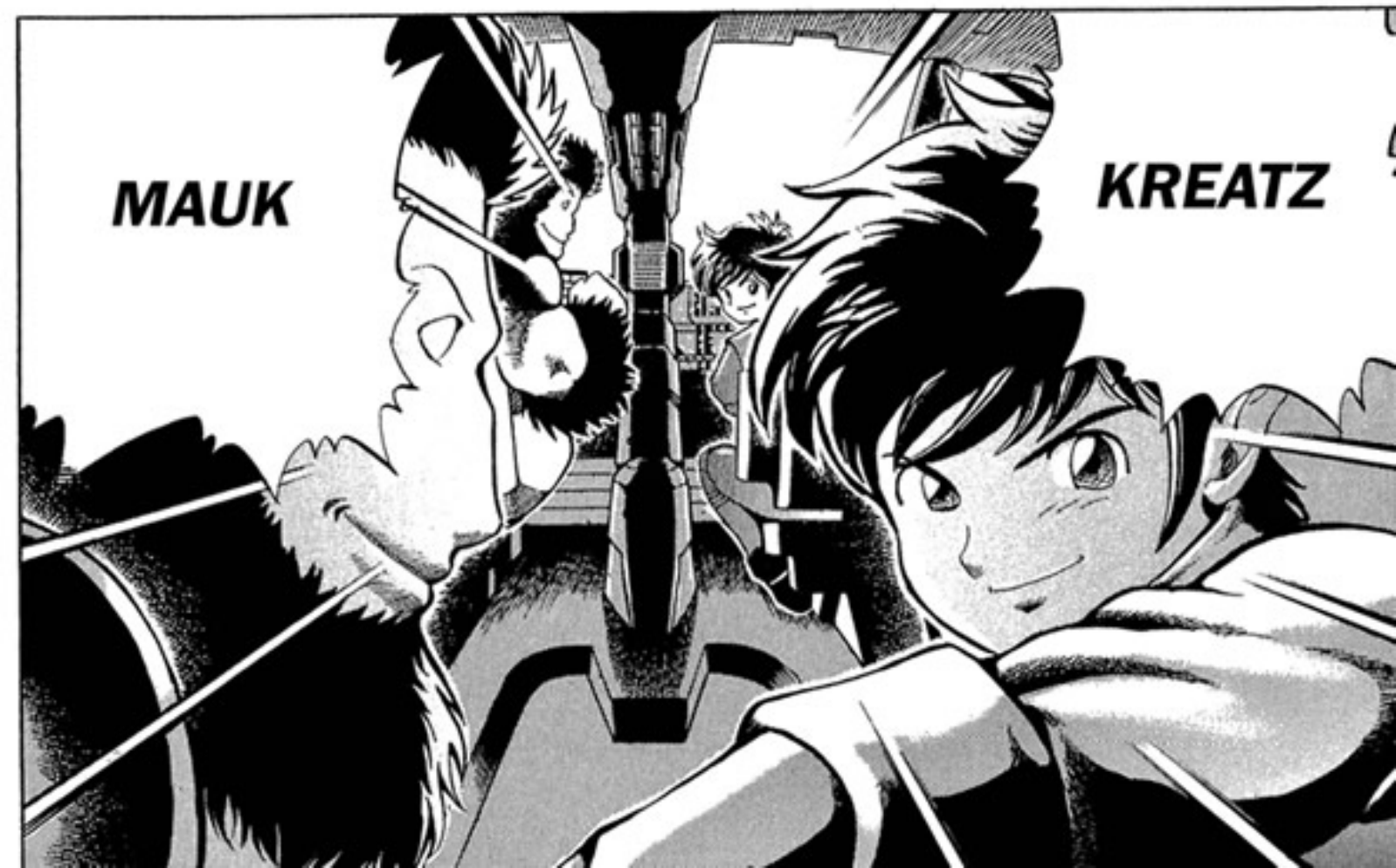
















I'VE SAID IT  
BEFORE.  
'DON'T LEAVE  
ME OUT'!!

AND 'I  
DON'T HATE  
THIS KINDA  
STUFF'!!

IT'LL BE  
INCONVENIENT  
IF YOU WERE  
ALONE AND  
SOMETHING  
HAPPENED!

?!  
"WHAT"  
...

WH-WHAT  
ARE YOU  
TWO  
DOING?

DON'T WORRY  
ABOUT IT,  
WE'RE HERE  
TO HELP.

IN ANY CASE,  
AREN'T WE ALL  
THE SAME  
"BREED."

HE  
HE  
HE



YOU  
KNOW

WH-WHAT  
ARE YOU  
SAYING.

IF YOU  
DO THIS,  
YOU'LL  
BOTH BE  
...



LET'S  
GO.

NOW, IN ANY  
CASE, WE'RE  
RUNNING OUT  
OF TIME.

?!  
KREATZ

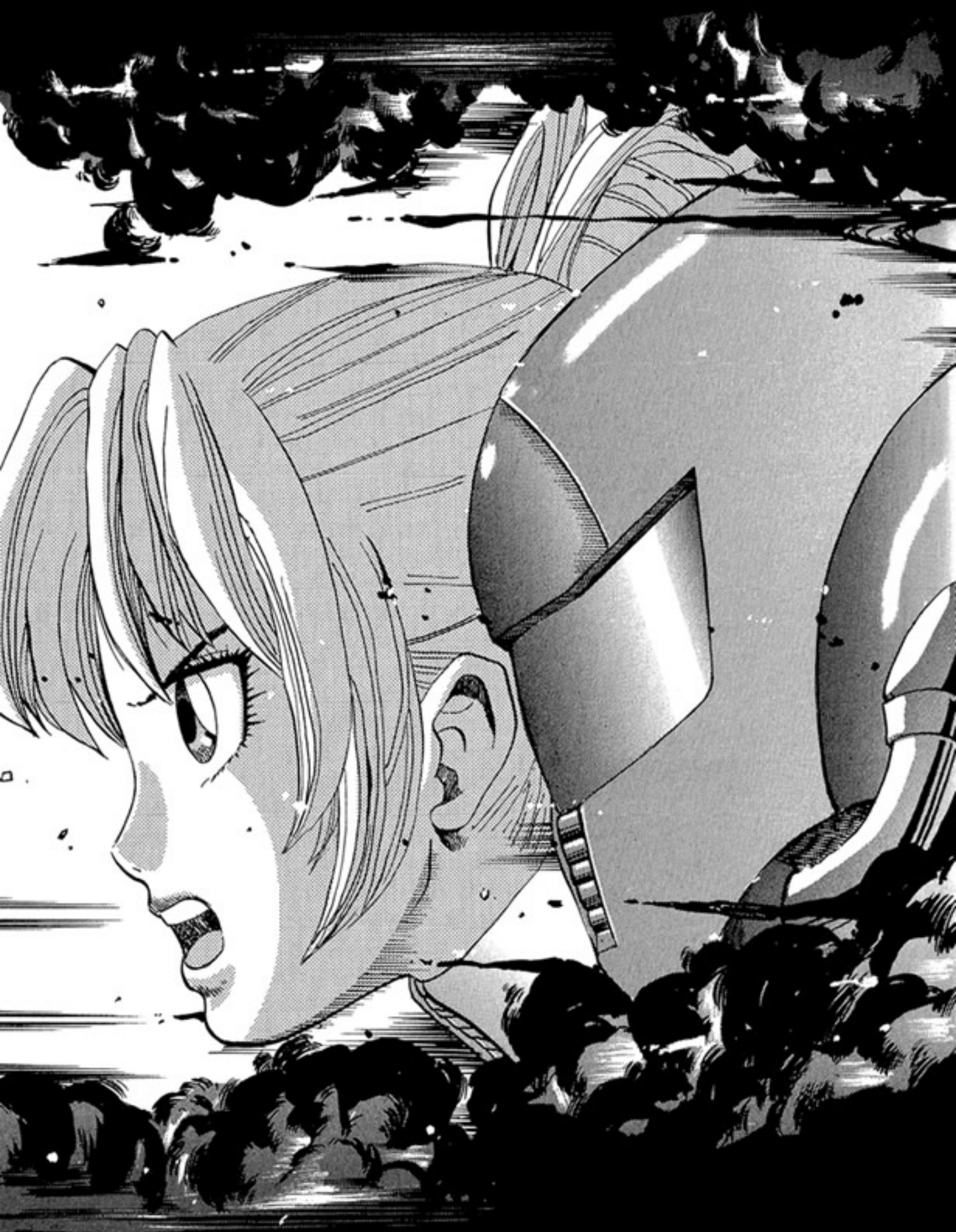


**TO  
ZEBES!!**

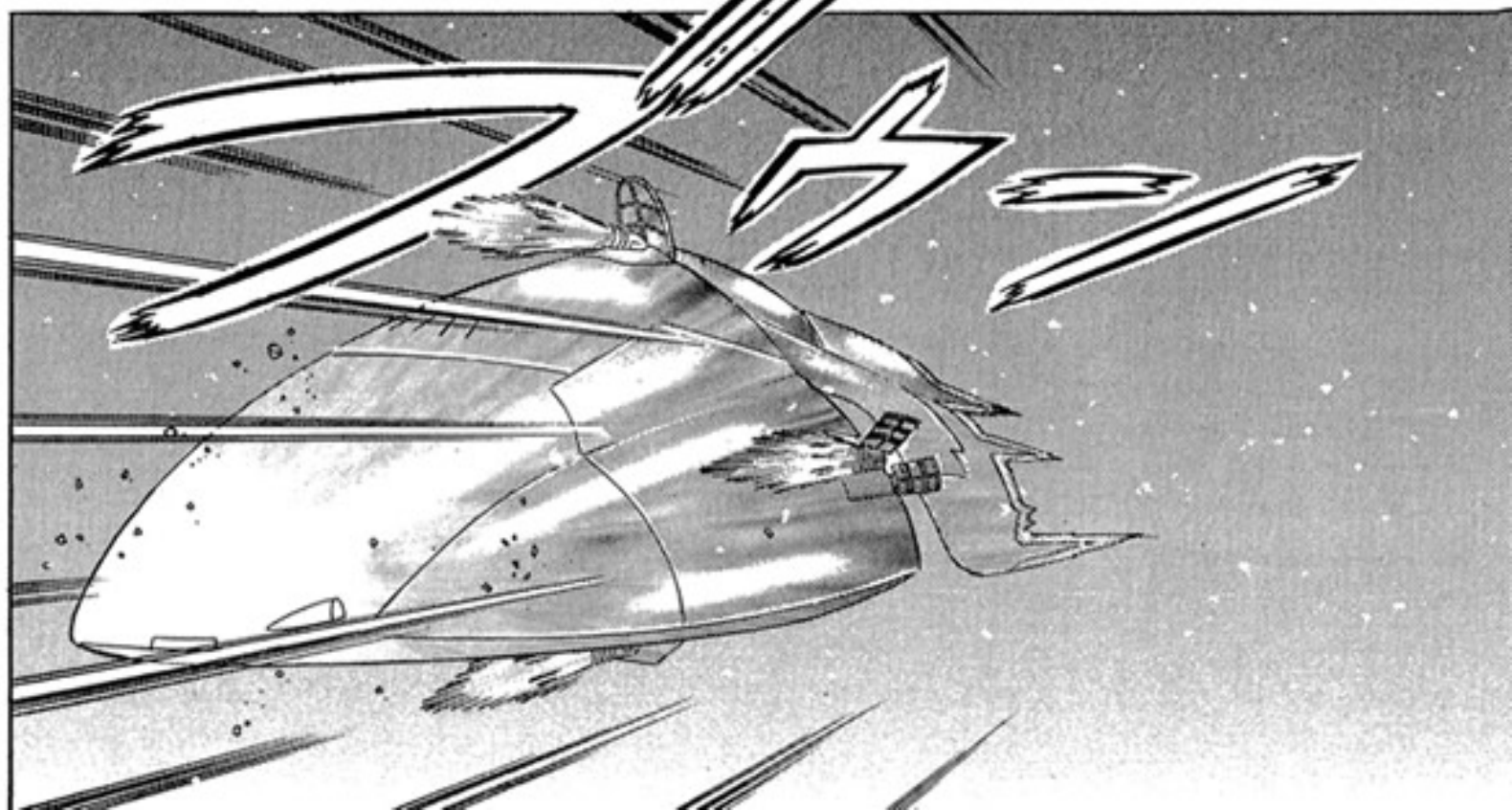
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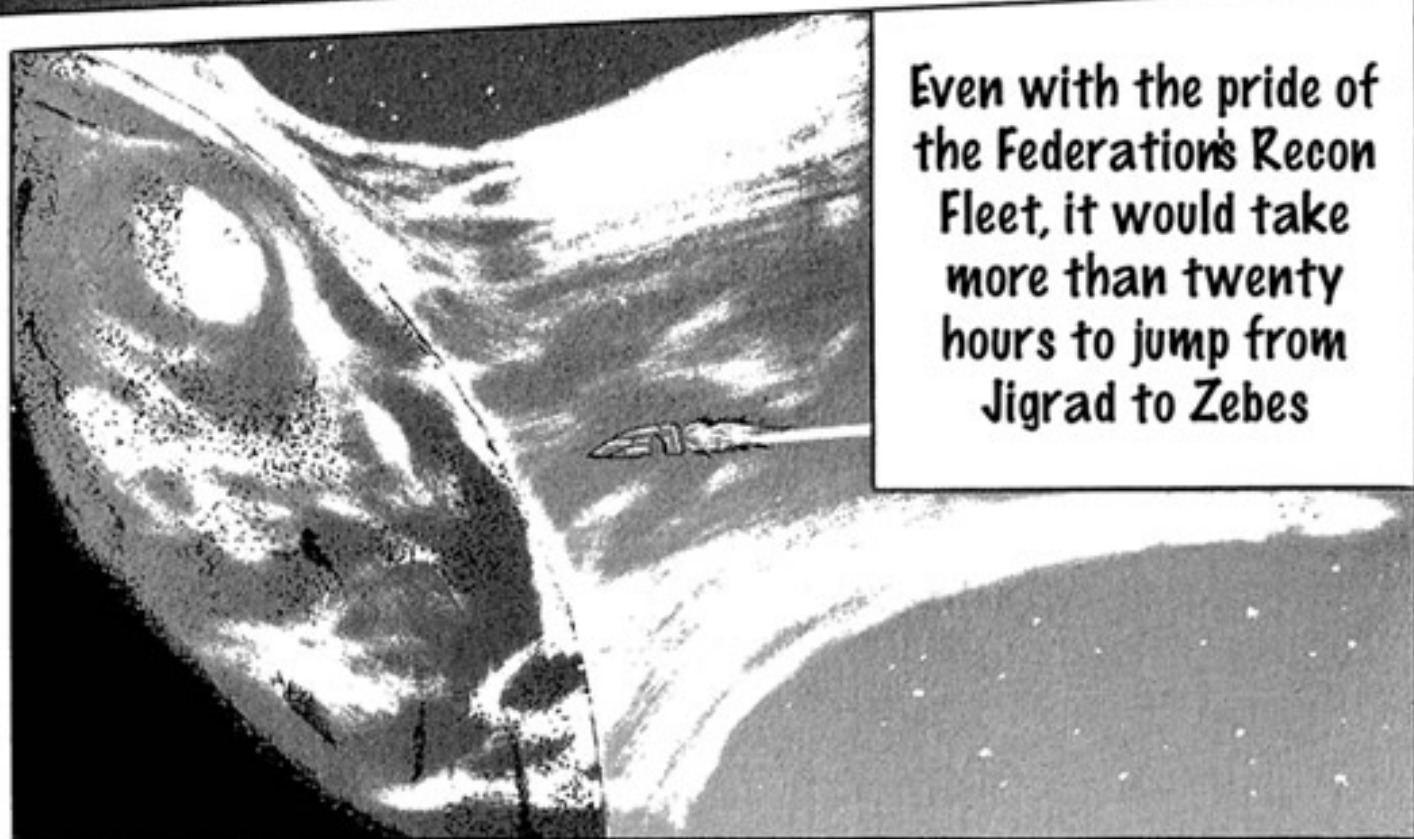
## CHAPTER 6 INFILTRATION



NOW  
MATERIALIZING  
IN THREE-  
DIMENSIONAL  
SPACE.







Even with the pride of  
the Federation's Recon  
Fleet, it would take  
more than twenty  
hours to jump from  
Jigrad to Zebes



THIS IS  
AWFUL  
...

SO WE  
DIDN'T MAKE  
IT IN TIME  
AFTER ALL  
...?!



THEY ABANDONED  
THE BATTLE. THEY  
COULDN'T DO  
ANYTHING BUT  
DEFEND  
THEMSELVES.

THE CHOZO  
DIDN'T  
FIGHT...

...BUT THAT'S  
WHY THEY MAY  
NOT HAVE BEEN  
ANNIHILATED...





...  
WHAT  
IS THAT  
...

!?

HEY,  
SAMUS,  
KREATZ

IT'S NOT  
CHOZO. IT'S A  
SPACE PIRATE...

RATHER THAN  
BODILY FLUIDS

...  
IT SEEMS TO  
EXTRACT ENERGY  
FROM LIVING  
ORGANISMS.

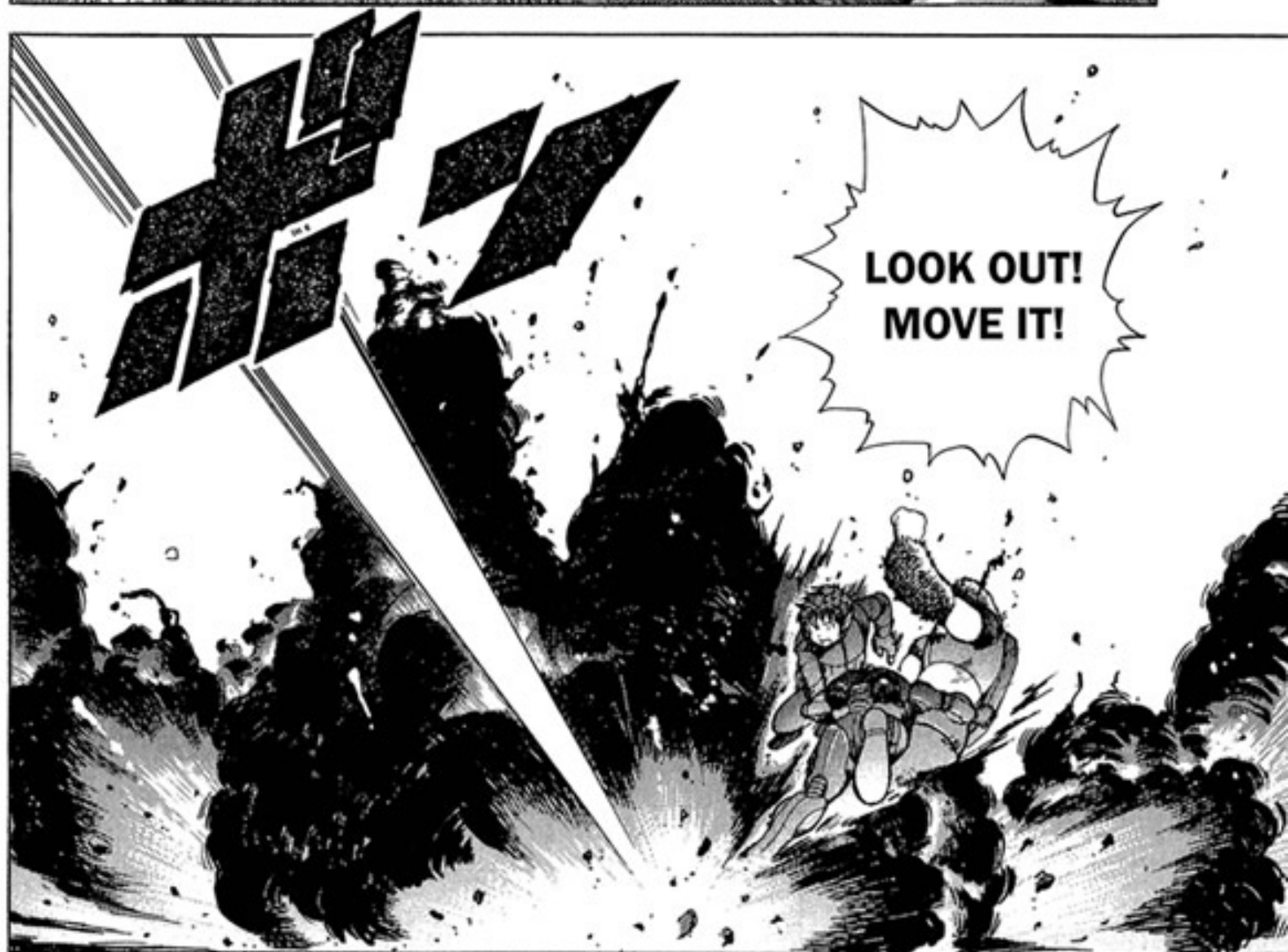
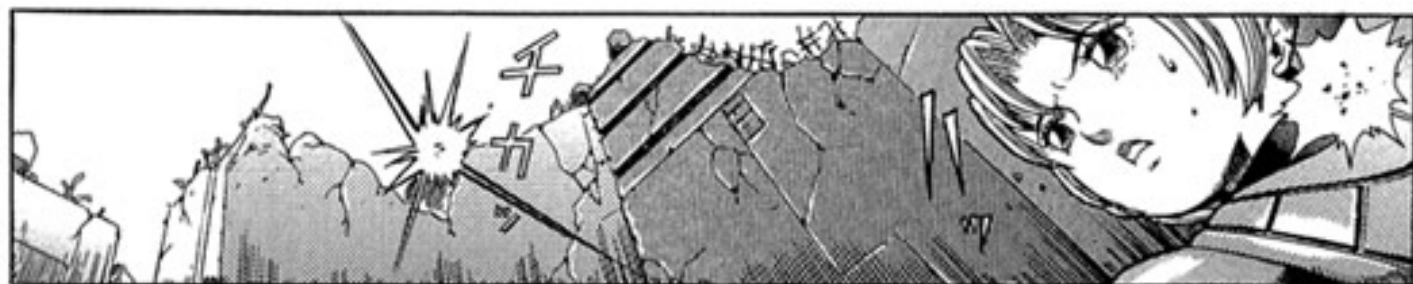
IT'S DIFFERENT FROM  
THE USUAL SMELL OF  
OZONE IONS IN  
WAR-DAMAGED  
AREAS...IT SMELLS  
MORE LIKE AN  
"ANIMAL."

WHAT IS  
IT MAUK?

BUT, THAT ODOR  
SURROUNDING IT  
IS STRANGE  
KREATZ...

AN "ANIMAL"?!  
Y-, YOU'RE SOME  
KIND OF HUNTING  
DOG... YOU MEAN  
IT'S NOT JUST A  
CORPSE?









WAIT. WE  
SHOULDN'T  
FIGHT  
HERE!

DAMN  
IT.

WE'RE  
MAKING  
A RUN  
FOR IT!



PYONCHI  
...



EH,  
B-BUT  
IT'S SO  
NARROW  
...

NOW,  
QUICKLY, TO  
THAT CAVE.



HM



WE'RE GONNA  
TAKE CARE OF  
ALL OF YOU!

HEH HEH  
HEH,  
YOU DAMN  
FEDERATION  
DOGS. IT'S  
TOO LATE  
NOW.



HUH,  
WHAT WAS  
THAT THING  
FROM THE  
CEILING?



IT'S A  
SKREE!



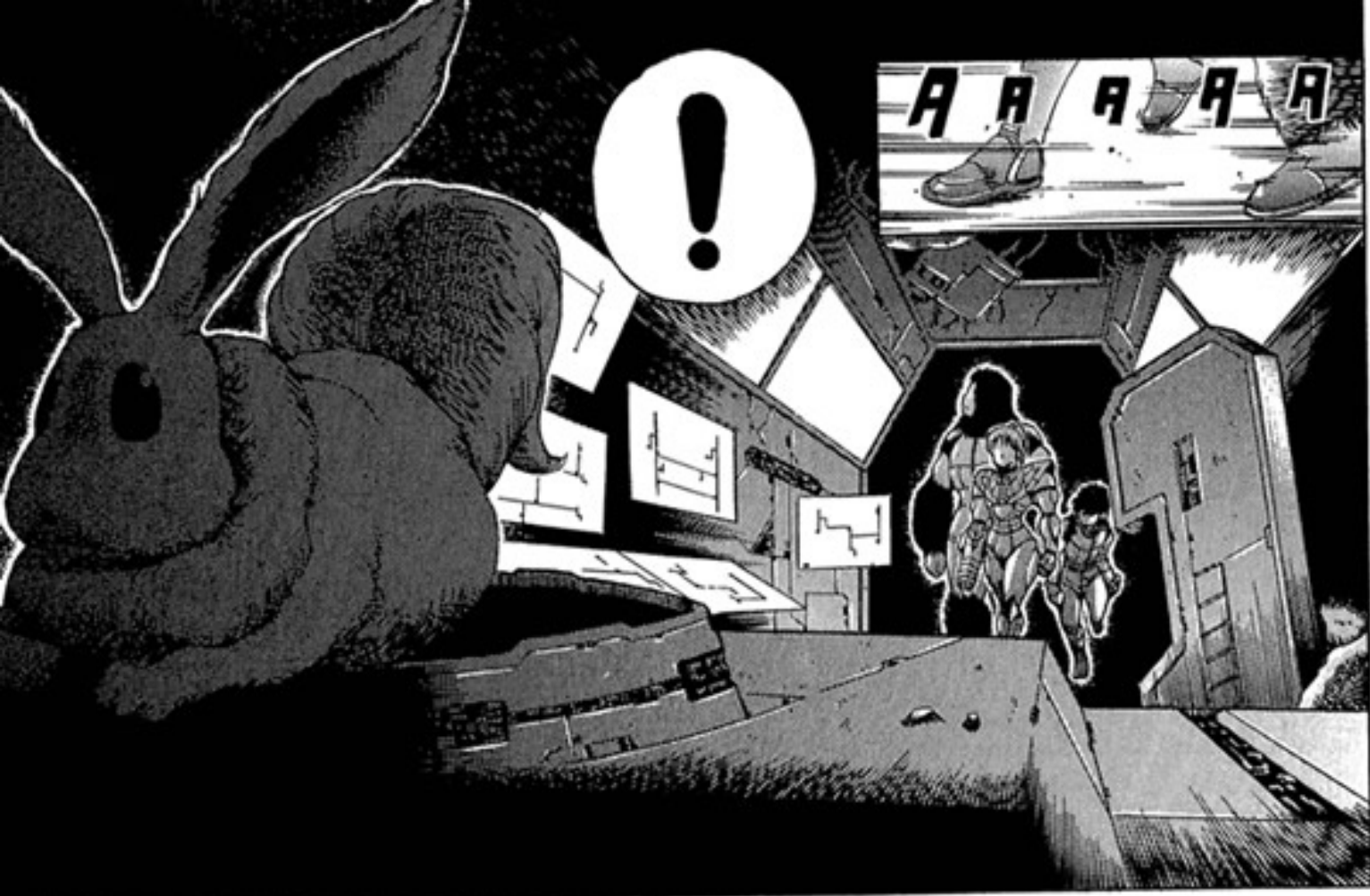
BE CAREFUL.  
THIS PLANET HAS  
PREDATORS FOUND  
NOWHERE ELSE  
IN THE GALAXY!!



GOOH

OGEGEEH





A HOLO  
SCREEN.



PYONCHI~

THIS IS...? A  
COMMUNICA-  
TIONS FACIL-  
ITY HM...

BUT WHAT  
ABOUT OLD  
BIRD...  
WHAT  
HAPPENED TO  
EVERYONE?



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!  
A MESSAGE  
FROM THE  
CHOZO?

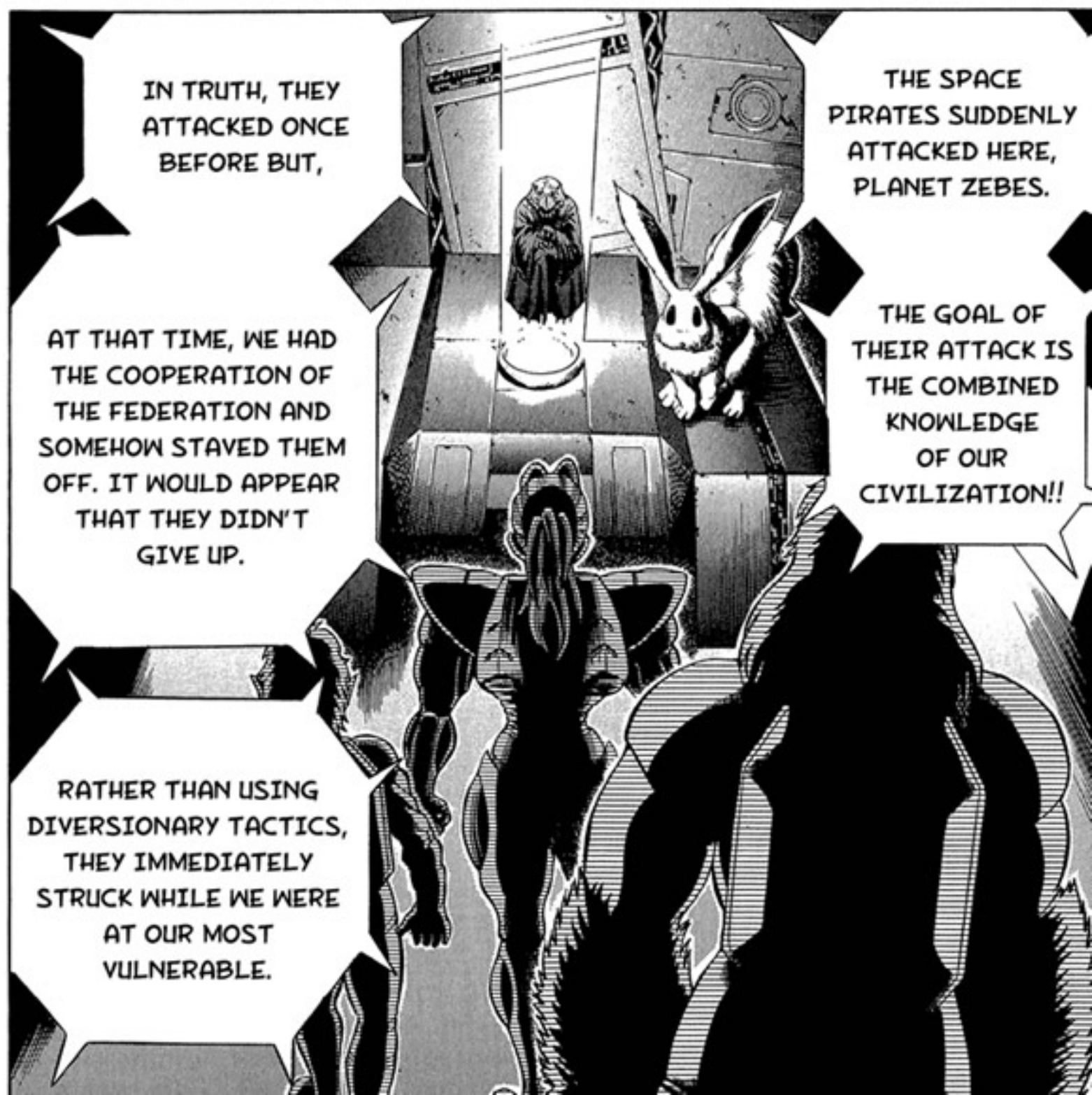
**OLD  
BIRD!**

I BELIEVE  
YOU ARE  
FROM THE  
FEDERATION

I HAVE  
LEFT HERE  
SOMETHING  
TO COMMUNI-  
CATE WHAT  
HAS PASSED.



TO THOSE  
VIEWING  
THIS  
IMAGE



IN TRUTH, THEY  
ATTACKED ONCE  
BEFORE BUT,

THE SPACE  
PIRATES SUDDENLY  
ATTACKED HERE,  
PLANET ZEBES.

AT THAT TIME, WE HAD  
THE COOPERATION OF  
THE FEDERATION AND  
SOMEHOW STAVED THEM  
OFF. IT WOULD APPEAR  
THAT THEY DIDN'T  
GIVE UP.

THE GOAL OF  
THEIR ATTACK IS  
THE COMBINED  
KNOWLEDGE  
OF OUR  
CIVILIZATION!!

RATHER THAN USING  
DIVERSIONARY TACTICS,  
THEY IMMEDIATELY  
STRUCK WHILE WE WERE  
AT OUR MOST  
VULNERABLE.



IT'S NOT  
POSSIBLE  
RIGHT NOW  
...THEIR PLANS  
ARE METICULOUS  
...

I THOUGHT ABOUT  
PERSONALLY  
ELIMINATING  
THIS PLANET  
RATHER THAN  
HANDING OVER THIS  
CIVILIZATION  
TO THEM BUT...

WE HAD  
NO CHOICE  
BUT TO  
SURRENDER  
... ZEBES

CHOOSING TO  
RUN IS A BITTER  
MOMENT FOR THE  
CHOZO INDEED...

EH  
...

BUT TO BE  
DRIVEN TO  
SUCH EXTREMES  
...

WHAT IN  
THE WORLD  
HAPPENED...?!

I SEE, THAT'S  
GREAT. FOR NOW,  
IT SEEMS AS IF  
THEY WEREN'T  
COMPLETELY  
ANNIHILATED.

ESCAPE  
...

IS  
METROID.

OUR ONE  
REMAINING  
CONCERN...

WHAT  
IS  
THAT...

!



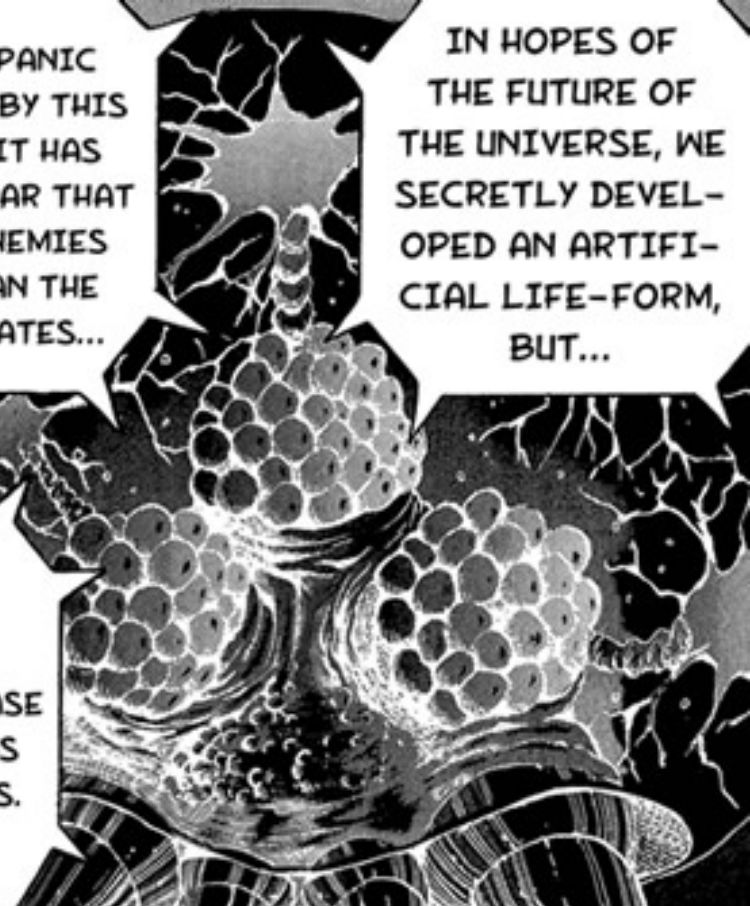
THAT  
MUMMY  
OUTSIDE,

DID THAT  
METROID  
GUY DO IT?

WITH THE PANIC  
TRIGGERED BY THIS  
ATTACK... IT HAS  
BECOME CLEAR THAT  
WE HAVE ENEMIES  
OTHER THAN THE  
SPACE PIRATES...

IN HOPES OF  
THE FUTURE OF  
THE UNIVERSE, WE  
SECRETLY DEVEL-  
OPED AN ARTIFI-  
CIAL LIFE-FORM,  
BUT...

AS WE  
PREDICTED,  
THE WORST-CASE  
SCENARIO HAS  
COME TO PASS.



WE WISH YOU  
TO SOMEHOW  
SPEAK TO OUR  
CHILD, SAMUS  
ARAN.



THOSE  
VIEWING  
THIS  
IMAGE...



SAMUS  
...



IS YOU!

THE ONLY ONE  
WHO CAN INHERIT  
THE CHOZO'S  
WILL...

TELL HER THAT  
OUR WISH FOR  
THE GREATEST  
SOLDIER,  
METROID... DID  
NOT COME TO  
PASS.

NOW  
...



WE WANT  
ENDLESS  
PEACE.

NO, THIS COULD  
BE CALLED THE  
FINAL WISH OF  
THE ENTIRE  
UNIVERSE.

OUR  
...






SAMUS ARAN,  
YOU WILL....!!









RESCUE THE PRISONERS AND ESCAPE!!

FOR NOW, WE'VE GOT OUR NEW MISSION!



RIGHT ?!

BUT WE HAVE TO DO WHAT WE CAN,

I KNOW OLD BIRD SAID TO GET AWAY,

!

KREATZ

IF IT HASN'T BEEN DESTROYED YET, WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO BREAK THE CURRENT DEADLOCK.

YEAH. THEN I'LL GO TO WHERE MOTHER ...THIS PLANET'S CENTRAL COMPUTER IS.

YEAH





HEY, HEY.  
WHAT ARE  
YOU SAYING.

H-  
...

THEN PYONCHI,  
I'M LEAVING  
THESE TWO IN  
YOUR CARE!

I'D RATHER  
NOT HAVE  
TO TAKE  
ON YOUR PET  
AS EXTRA  
WEIGHT.



DID YOU  
FORGET. THERE  
ARE A LOT OF  
PREDATORS ON  
THIS PLANET!!

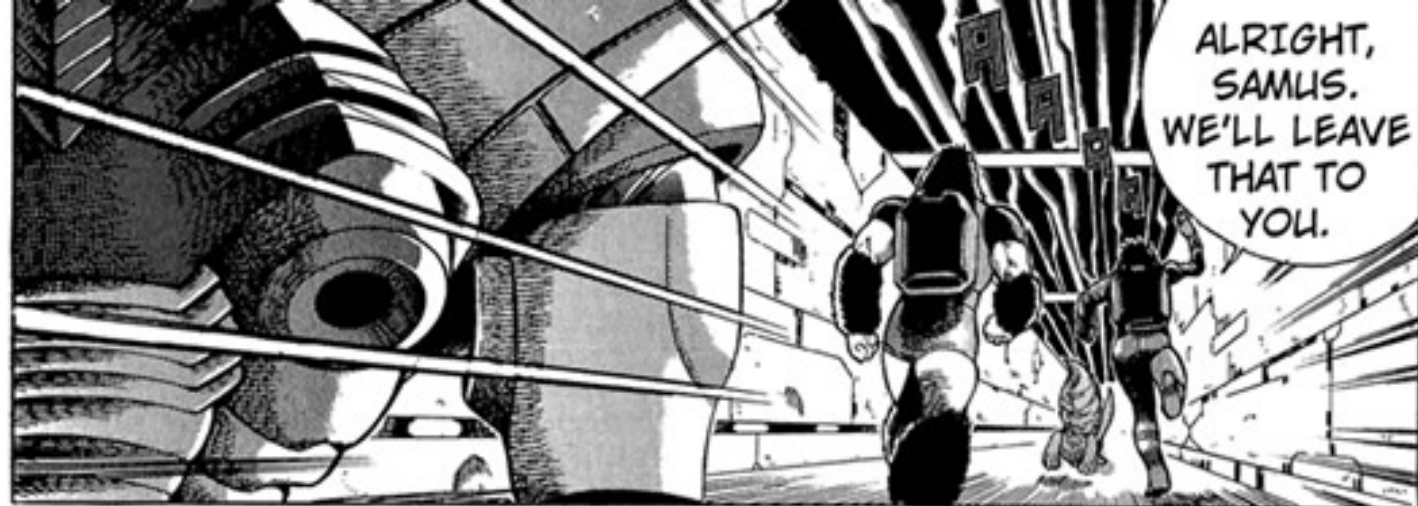
WHAT  
ARE YOU  
SAYING?!  
YOU'RE THE  
EXTRA  
WEIGHT.

AH



SEE YA.





ALRIGHT,  
SAMUS.  
WE'LL LEAVE  
THAT TO  
YOU.



YEAH,  
ROGER.



LET'S  
FINISH  
THIS  
MISSION!



SO, IN A WAY,  
ZEBES WAS ACTUALLY  
THE HEART OF THE  
FEDERATION...

IT'S ALSO WHERE  
THEY INFLUENCED  
POSSIBLE TROOP  
MOBILIZATION IF  
REQUIRED...

ZEBES' TOURIAN  
IS WHERE THE  
CHOZO AND  
MOTHER BRAIN  
HELD COUNCIL.

AT ANY RATE,  
THERE'S NO  
WAY MOTHER  
HAS SURVIVED  
THIS  
UNINJURED  
...



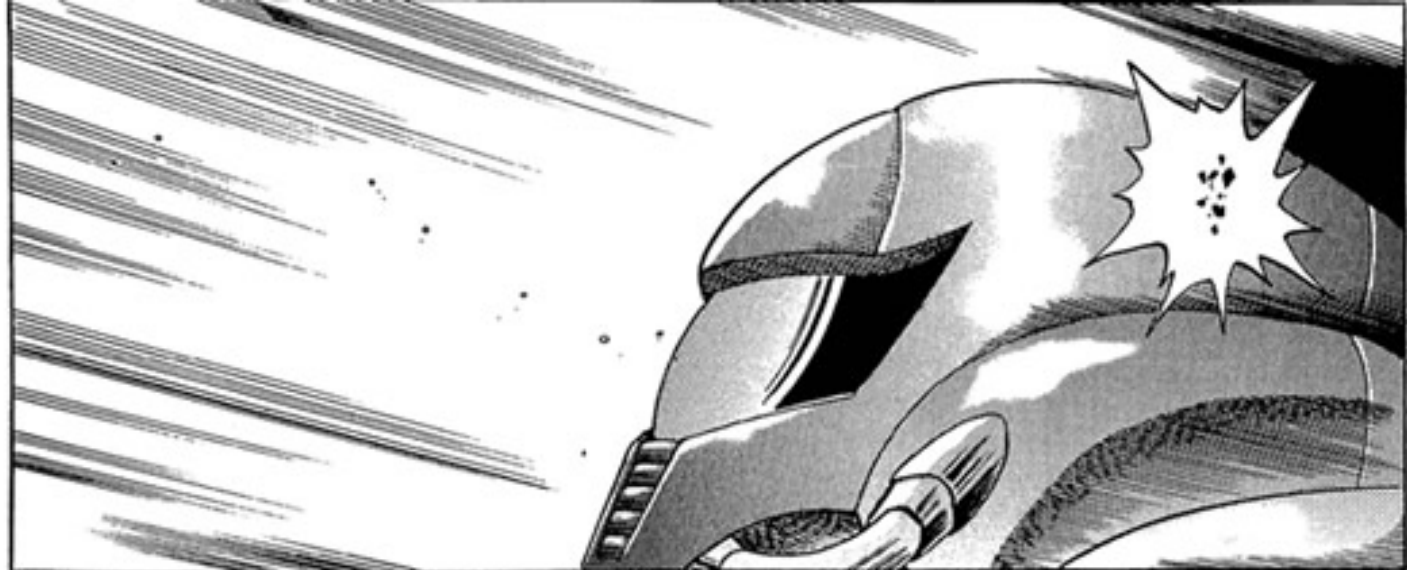
...



!

DO THE  
SPACE  
PIRATES  
KNOW  
THAT...?





**WAIT, SAMUS.  
LOWER YOUR  
WEAPON.  
THERE'S NO  
NEED TO  
FIGHT.**

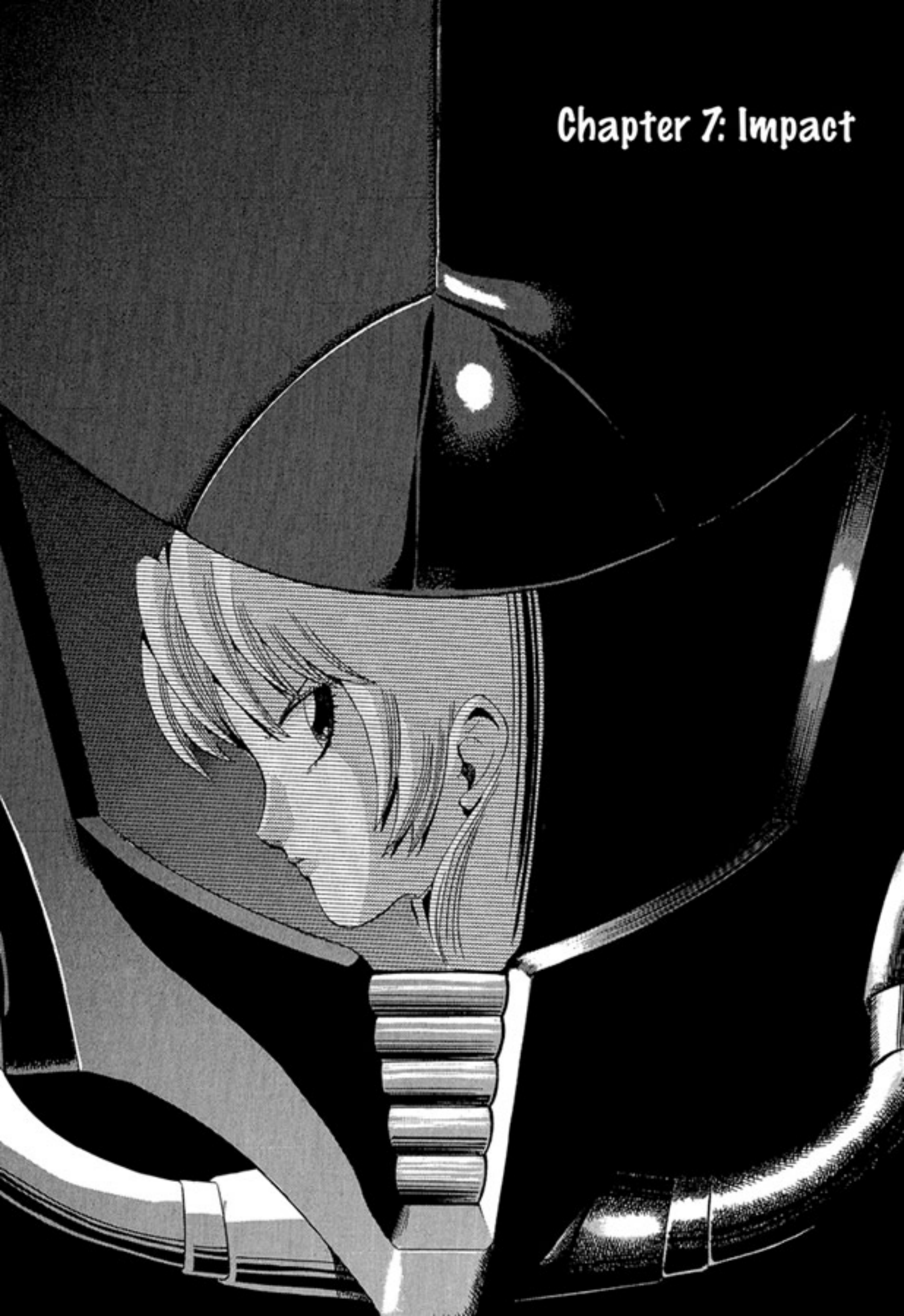


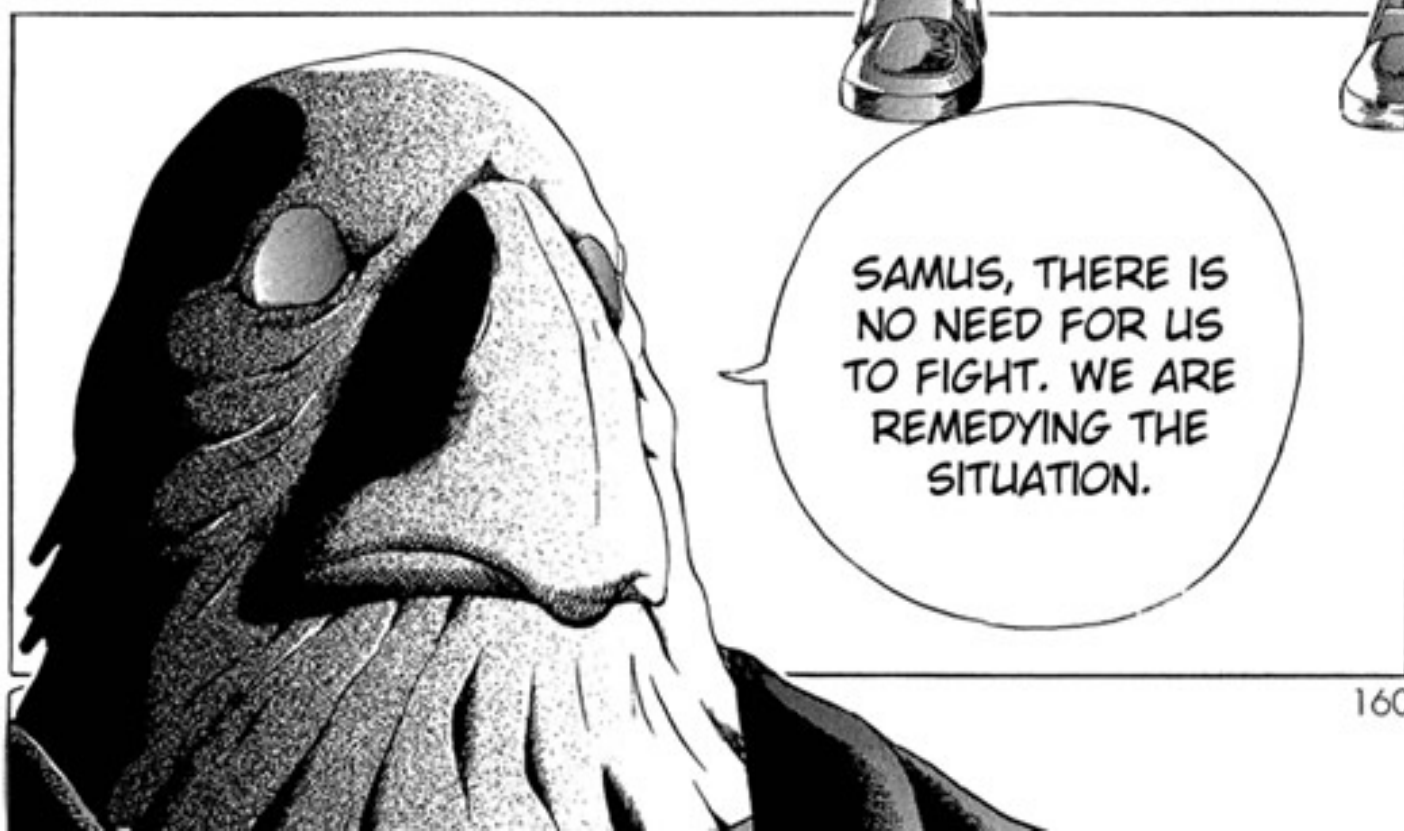
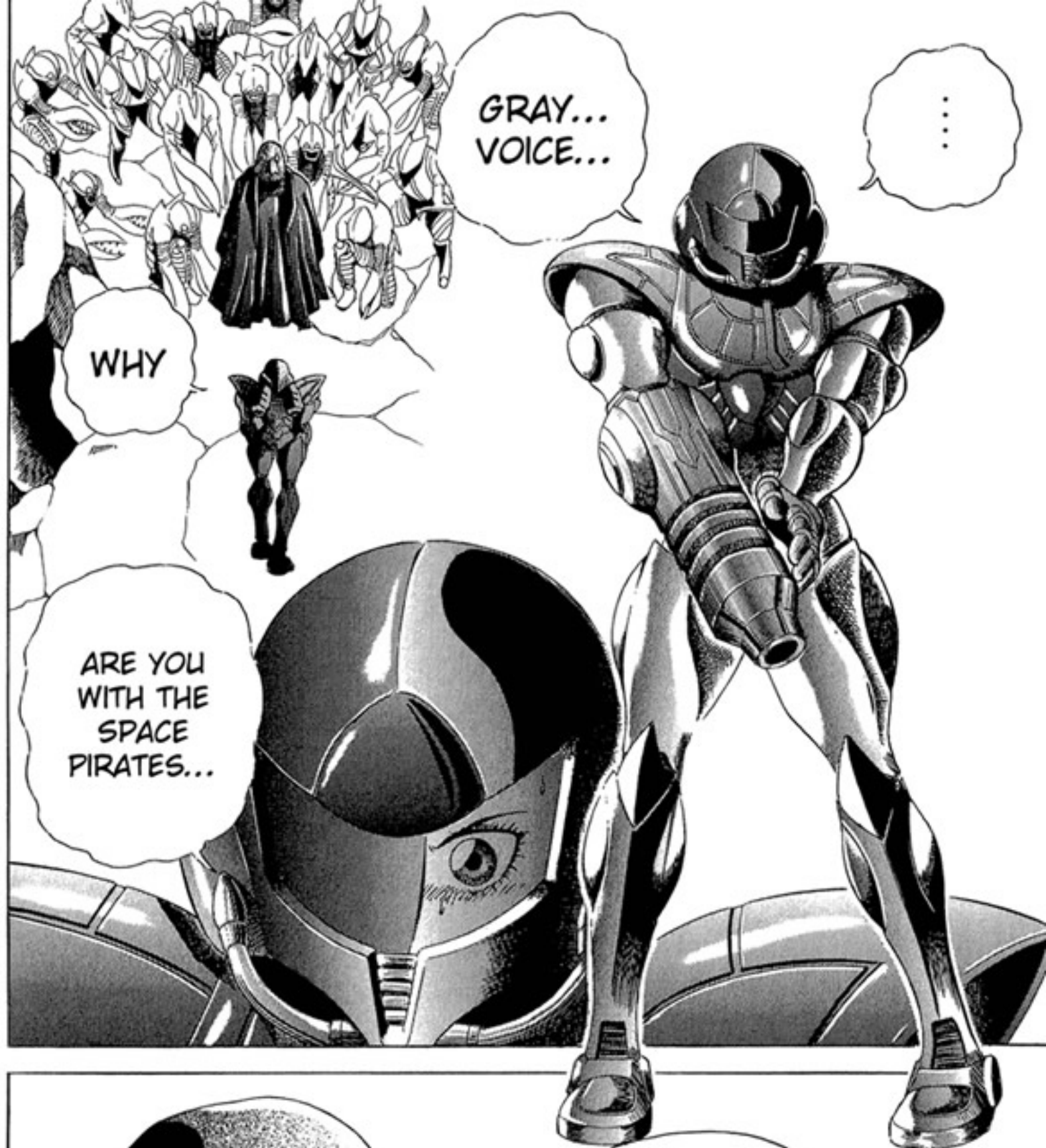
**DAMN**





## Chapter 7: Impact









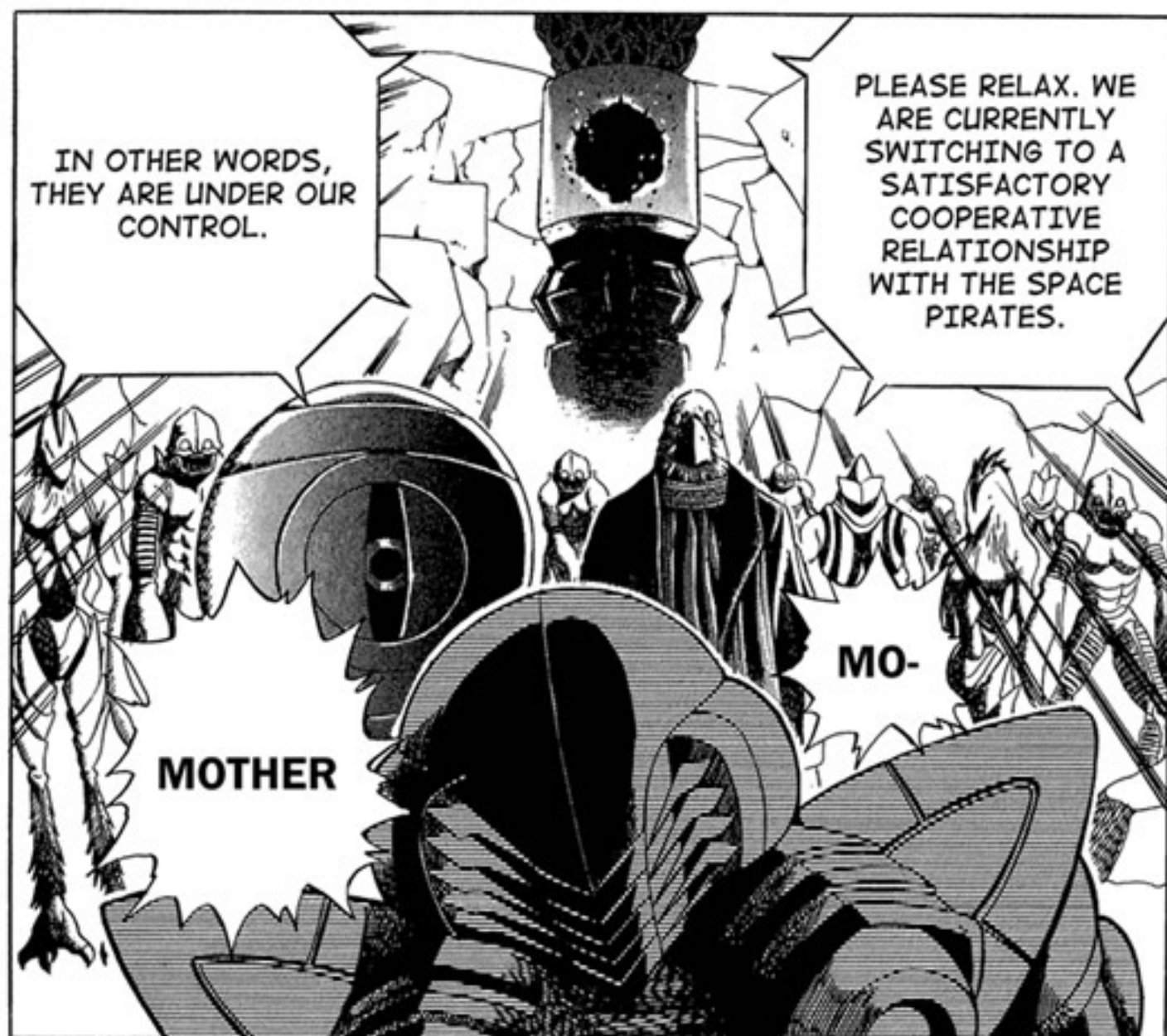
YOU DIDN'T  
REALIZE I  
WAS HERE?

SAMUS



WHAT  
HAPPENED  
TO MOTHER  
BRAIN?!

W-...  
WHAT IS  
THIS  
ABOUT?



IN OTHER WORDS,  
THEY ARE UNDER OUR  
CONTROL.

PLEASE RELAX. WE  
ARE CURRENTLY  
SWITCHING TO A  
SATISFACTORY  
COOPERATIVE  
RELATIONSHIP  
WITH THE SPACE  
PIRATES.

MOTHER

MO-



WHAT  
HAPPENED  
...?

W-



COULD IT BE,  
THOSE BASTARDS  
REPROGRAMMED  
YOU?!



SORRY BUT  
EVERYONE  
LEAVE THE  
ROOM.

CALM DOWN,  
SAMUS. I AM  
OPERATING  
NORMALLY.



!?







UNDER-  
STANDING  
EACH OTHER  
IS THE  
MOST IM-  
PORTANT  
FACTOR.

WHY ARE  
THESE  
GUYS

WHY?

OBEYING  
YOUR  
COMMANDS?



A SUBORDINATE  
SPECIES THAT  
NATURALLY  
FOLLOWS THE  
ORDERS OF A  
STRONG MASTER

IN TRUTH  
THEY ARE...

THE FEARED  
AND MYSTE-  
RIOUS SPACE  
PIRATES

QUEEN BEE  
MASTER

WORKER BEES  
INFLUENCED BY THE MASTER

IT IS JUST LIKE  
HOW THE WORKER  
BEES FOLLOW THE  
QUEEN BEE, THEIR  
HIERARCHAL  
PROGRAMMING IS  
DECIDED AT THE  
GENETIC LEVEL.



CURRENTLY,  
WE ARE THE  
ONES IN  
CONTROL OF  
THE SPACE  
PIRATES.

THERE IS  
NOTHING  
TO FEAR.

AND I AM  
THEREFORE  
CONSIDERED A  
MASTER AS  
WELL!!

RIGHT NOW,  
MOTHER IS  
AT THE TOP  
AS THE  
MASTER...






YOU  
MUST BE  
KIDDING  
ME!!

YOU WANT  
ME TO  
JOIN THE  
PIRATES?

YOU ARE  
ALSO ONE  
OF US.

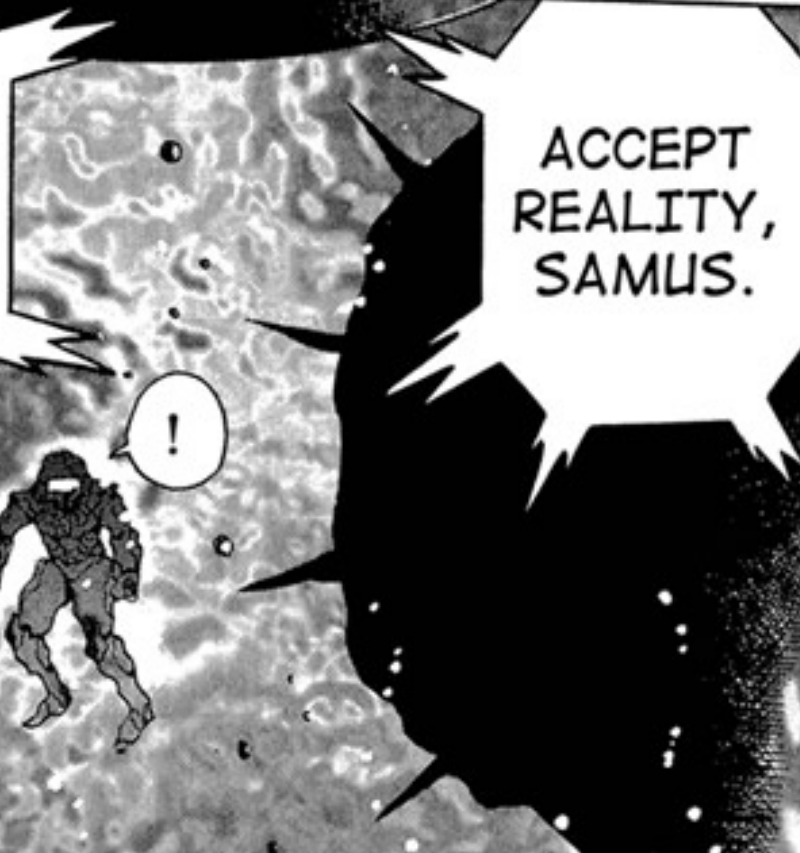
NOW,  
OPEN  
YOUR  
HEART,  
SAMUS.



DO YOU  
KNOW WHAT  
THEY CAME  
HERE TO DO,  
MOTHER!?

WHAT DID  
YOU DO  
TO THE  
PRISONERS  
AND WHERE  
DID YOU PUT  
THEM?!

A SPECIES MOVING  
TOWARDS THE PATH  
OF EXTINCTION HAS  
THE CHANCE TO  
CREATE NEW  
PROGRESS BEFORE  
ITS DESTRUCTION.  
THIS IS A  
FORTUNATE TURN.



ACCEPT  
REALITY,  
SAMUS.




NEW  
PROGRESS?



!






PERHAPS,  
YOU MAY  
EVEN SAY  
THEY WERE  
THE BEST  
IN THE  
UNIVERSE.

LONG AGO, THE  
CHOZO WAS A  
SPECIES THAT  
TOOK GREAT  
PRIDE IN  
TECHNOLOGY.

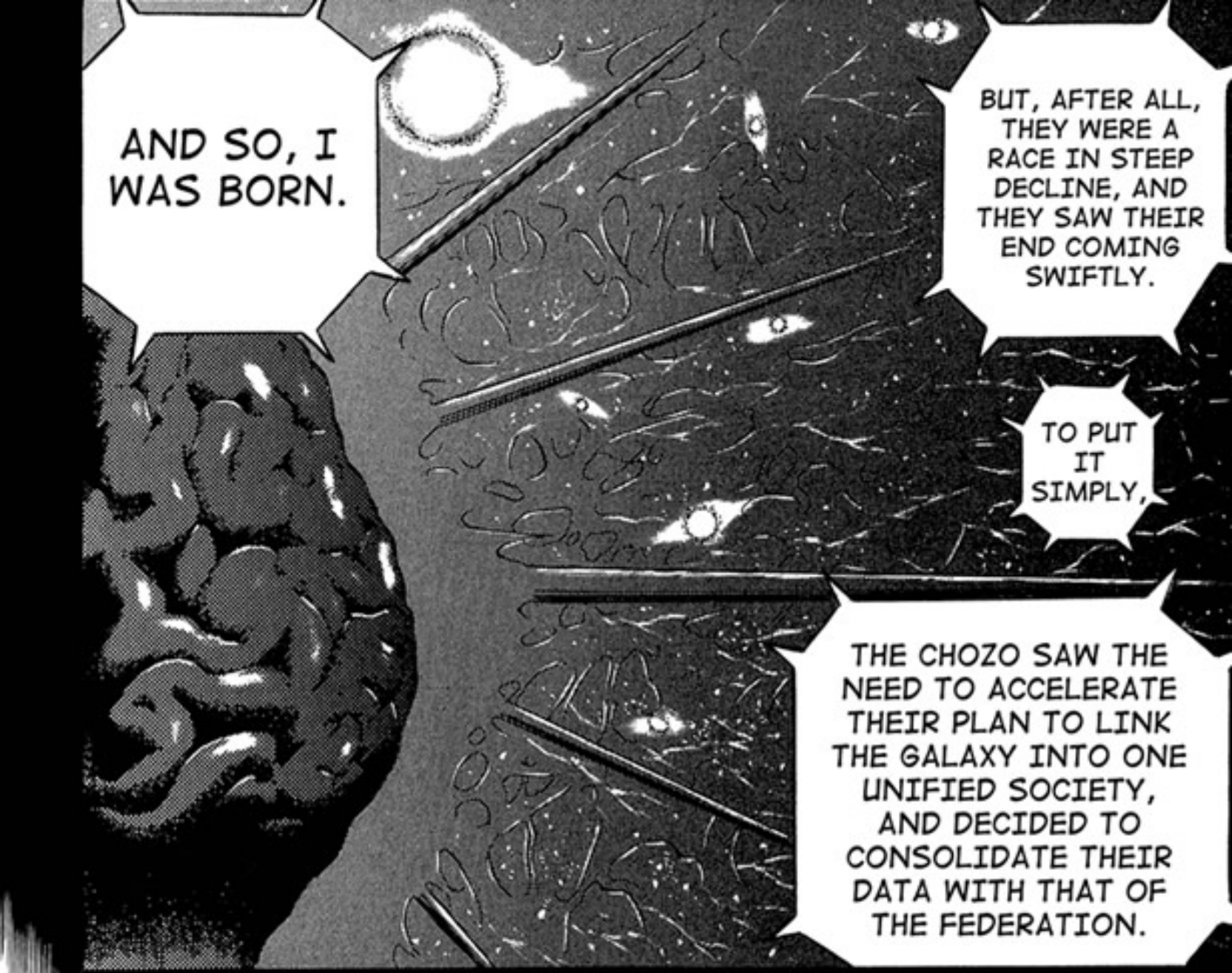
... BUT THE  
PRICE THEY  
PAID FOR THEIR  
SUCCESSFUL  
CIVILIZATION  
WAS GREAT.

DUE TO THEIR GREAT  
LONGEVITY, OLD  
AGE WREAKED HAVOC  
ON THEIR ABILITY  
TO REPRODUCE,  
CAUSING A STEEP  
DECLINE IN THEIR  
NUMBERS AND THE  
END OF THEIR  
FUTURE.



THIS ALSO  
MARKED THE  
FOUNDING OF  
THE GALACTIC  
FEDERATION.

... IN THEIR REMAINING  
TIME, THEY DISCOVERED  
THE REASON FOR THEIR  
EXISTENCE IN HELPING  
OTHER SPECIES IN THE  
GALAXY PROSPER.



AND SO, I  
WAS BORN.

BUT, AFTER ALL,  
THEY WERE A  
RACE IN STEEP  
DECLINE, AND  
THEY SAW THEIR  
END COMING  
SWIFTLY.

TO PUT  
IT  
SIMPLY,

THE CHOZO SAW THE  
NEED TO ACCELERATE  
THEIR PLAN TO LINK  
THE GALAXY INTO ONE  
UNIFIED SOCIETY,  
AND DECIDED TO  
CONSOLIDATE THEIR  
DATA WITH THAT OF  
THE FEDERATION.

I HAVE PUSHED  
THE ELDERS  
INTO THE  
REALM OF THE  
OBSOLETE.

I  
INHERITED  
ALL OF THE  
CHOZO'S  
KNOWLEDGE  
AND  
CULTURE.

MOTHER IS THE  
GREATEST BEING  
IN EXISTENCE  
AND DOES  
EVERYTHING  
PERFECTLY.

YOU CAN SAY  
THAT MOTHER  
LED THE  
GALACTIC  
SOCIETY TO  
PROSPERITY.

GRAY





MOTHER,  
WHAT ARE  
YOU  
SAYING?

THIS MOMENT  
BEGINS A NEW AGE  
OF PROSPERITY LED  
BY ME...  
THIS IS NEW  
PROGRESS.

WITH ME AS THE  
SUCCESSOR, BEYOND MY  
EXISTENCE, THERE IS NO  
VALUE IN HAVING THE  
EXISTENCE OF THE CHOZO.  
WE ARE ONLY DISCARDING  
WHAT IS USELESS.



OLD BIRD  
AND THE  
OTHERS ARE  
USELESS  
...?!

AND NOW, WE  
ARE GATHERING  
PARTNERS  
BRIMMING  
WITH YOUTHFUL  
STRENGTH.

WITH ME  
DIRECTING THE  
SPACE PIRATES,  
THEY WILL BE A  
PERFECT FORCE  
CAPABLE OF  
RESTORING TRUE  
ORDER TO THE  
UNIVERSE.

BULLSHIT!



?! THE  
SPACE  
PIRATES  
ARE YOUR  
PART-  
NERS!?

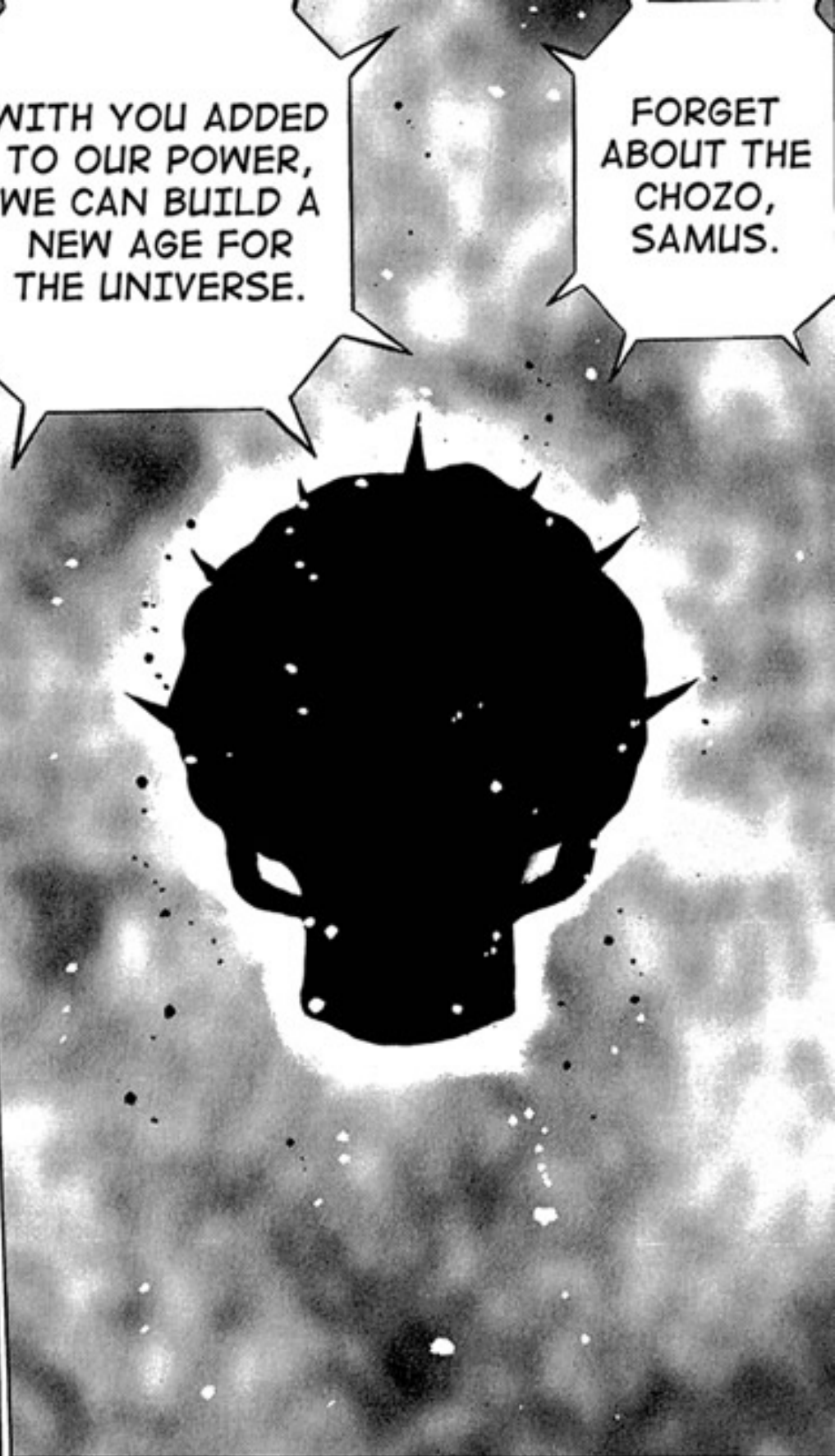
MOTHER,  
YOU...



MY  
GOD...

WITH YOU ADDED  
TO OUR POWER,  
WE CAN BUILD A  
NEW AGE FOR  
THE UNIVERSE.

FORGET  
ABOUT THE  
CHOZO,  
SAMUS.







SAMUS,  
LISTEN  
WELL.

YOU MUST  
FOLLOW  
YOUR FATE.



IN CONJUNCTION WITH  
AGING, THE CHOZO LOST  
SOME FUNDAMENTAL  
SKILLS AND SO THEY  
MADE ME AS  
INTELLECTUAL SUPPORT.

CORRECT.

FATE...  
YOU SAY?



YOU  
ARE...

IN OTHER  
WORDS,

AND I, TO  
SUPPORT  
THE CHOZO'S  
MARTIAL  
STRENGTH,  
MADE THE  
POWER SUIT.

MY  
PARENT  
...?!

I GAVE  
BIRTH  
TO YOU!







WHY YOU  
ARE HERE.

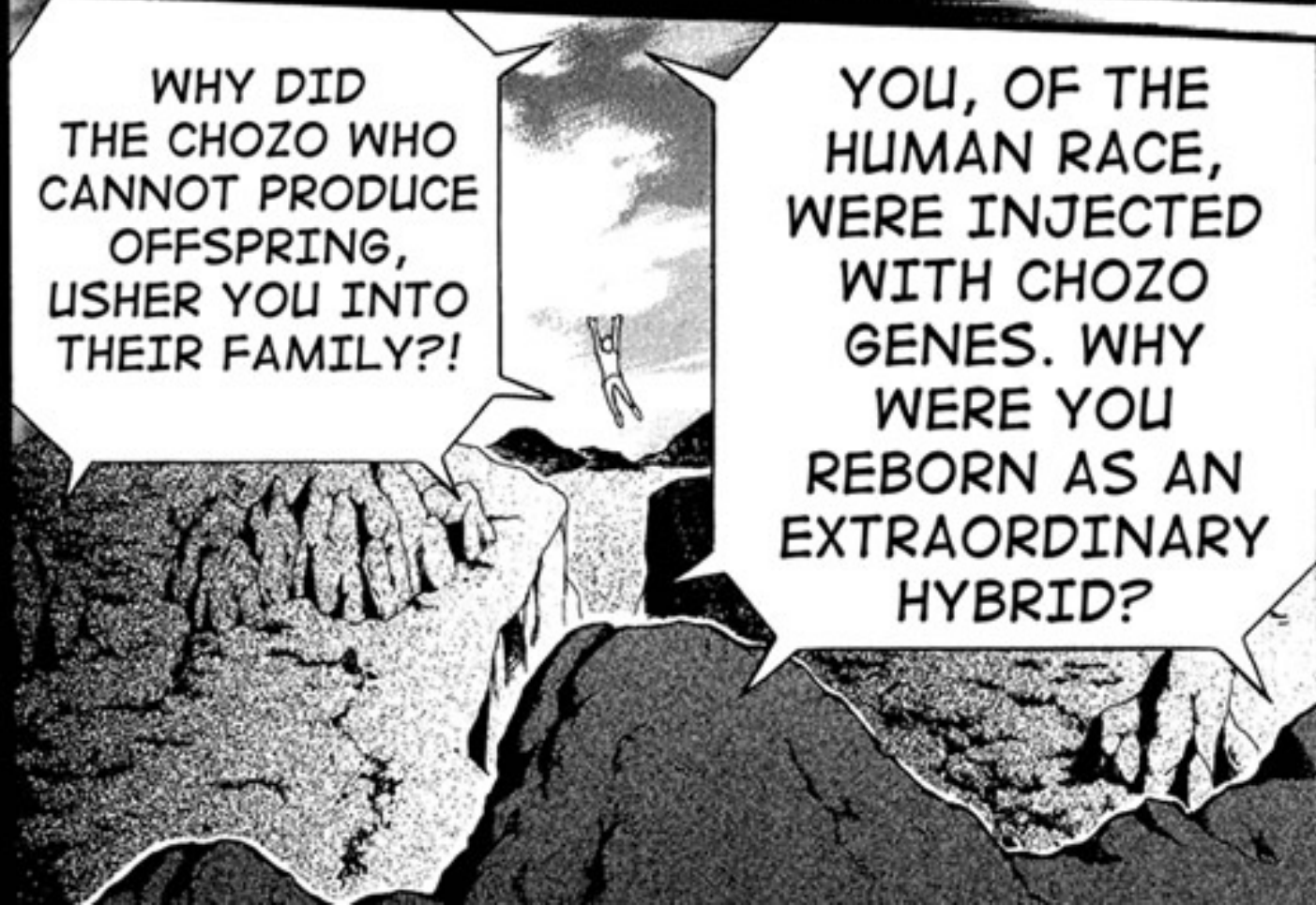
TRY TO  
REMEMBER

...



WHY DID  
THE CHOZO WHO  
CANNOT PRODUCE  
OFFSPRING,  
USHER YOU INTO  
THEIR FAMILY?!

YOU, OF THE  
HUMAN RACE,  
WERE INJECTED  
WITH CHOZO  
GENES. WHY  
WERE YOU  
REBORN AS AN  
EXTRAORDINARY  
HYBRID?





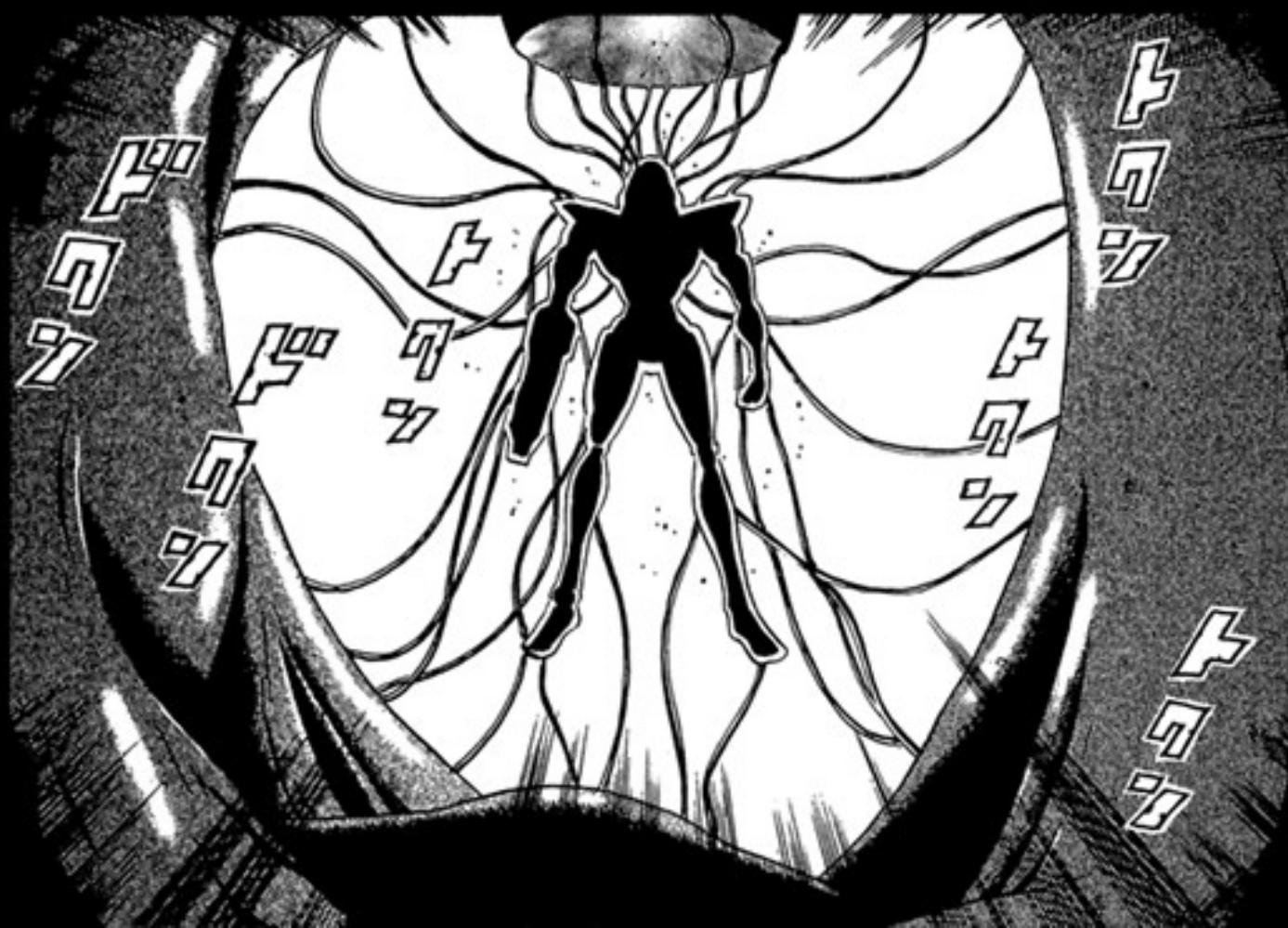
EVERYTHING  
WAS DONE

IN ORDER TO  
CONVERT YOU  
INTO A  
BIO-WEAPON.



THE CHOZO  
AND MOTHER  
BRAIN MADE  
ME INTO A  
WEAPON...?

!?










THE  
RESULTS WERE  
SATISFACTORY.



YOU GREW TO  
BECOME A  
SPECTACULAR  
WEAPON.

NOT  
AS A  
WEAPON  
!

NO,  
OLD BIRD  
DIDN'T SEE  
ME LIKE  
THAT!

HE NEVER  
LOOKED AT  
ME LIKE  
THAT!

AS YOUR  
PARENT, I  
AM PROUD.

NOW,  
ONCE WE'VE  
GATHERED THE  
SPACE PIRATES  
AND  
INSTALLED  
YOU AS  
COMMANDER

...

AND THE  
CHOZO!

MY ONLY  
PARENTS  
ARE RODNEY  
ARAN,  
VIRGINIA  
ARAN

STOP  
MUCKING  
AROUND!

NOT A  
MACHINE  
LIKE YOU!

**I'M NOT A  
WEAPON!!**

IT USES THE SAME  
SYSTEM THAT  
GOVERNS THE  
PLANET'S SHIELD.  
YOU SHOULD KNOW  
YOUR WEAPON IS  
USELESS HERE.  
WHAT ARE YOU SO  
WORKED UP ABOUT?

MY, MY. WHAT'S  
WRONG? THIS  
SHIELD IS MADE  
BY MOLECULE  
TRANSFERENCE  
OF ZEBETITE.







Y-...  
YOU'RE?

UGH  
...



HEY, HEY,  
YOU'RE  
KIDDING  
RIGHT,  
MOTHER?

**RIDLEY!!**

THIS FOOL IS THE  
COMRADE YOU'VE  
TOLD ME ABOUT?

**METROID 1 END**





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