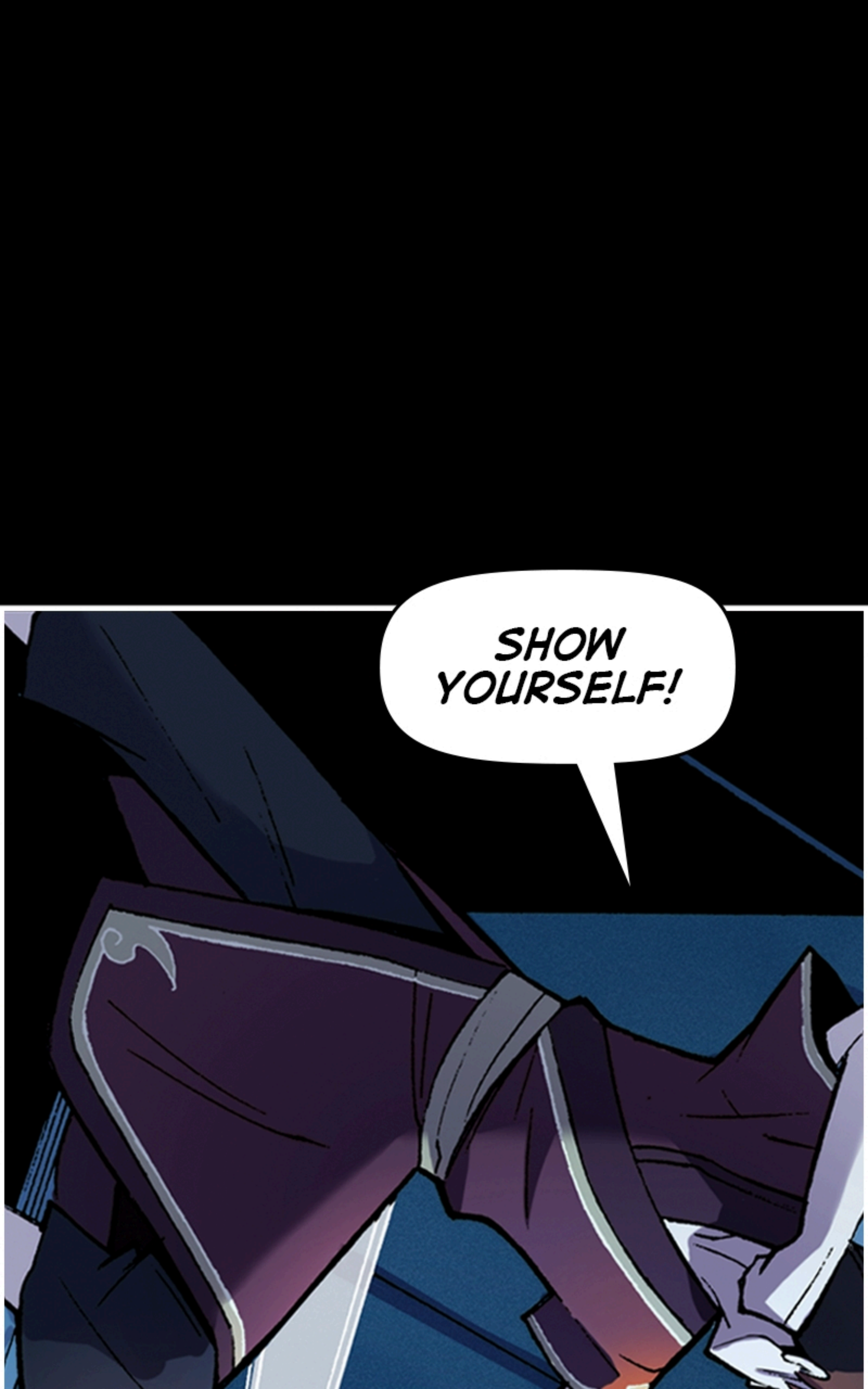




***SHOW
YOURSELF!***



**DOWN WITH
THE TRAITOR!
DOWN WITH THE
FIRE LORD WHO
BETRAYS HIS**

DETRAYS HIS
OWN PEOPLE!

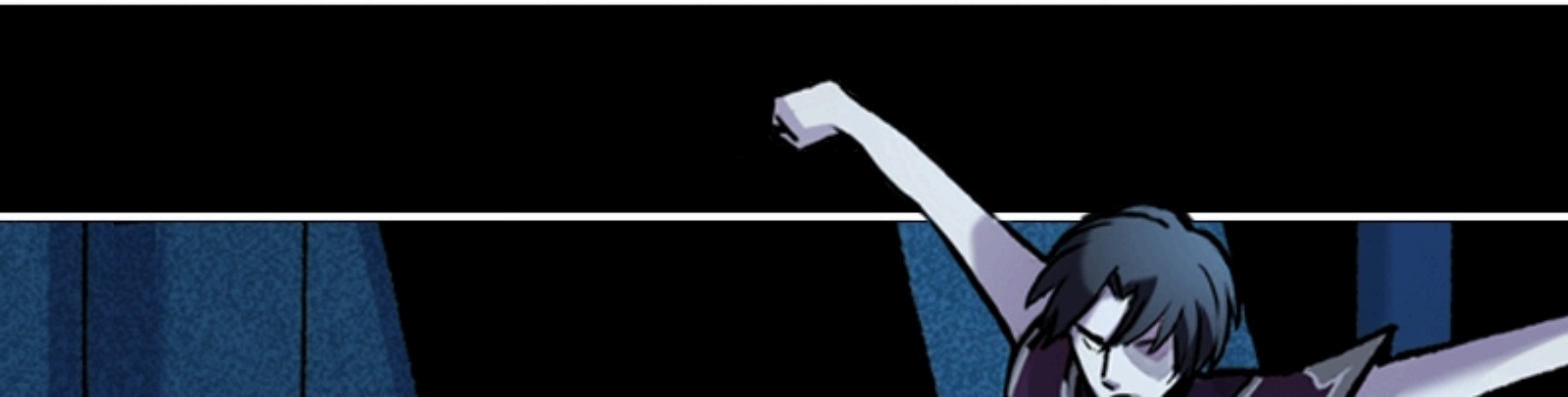


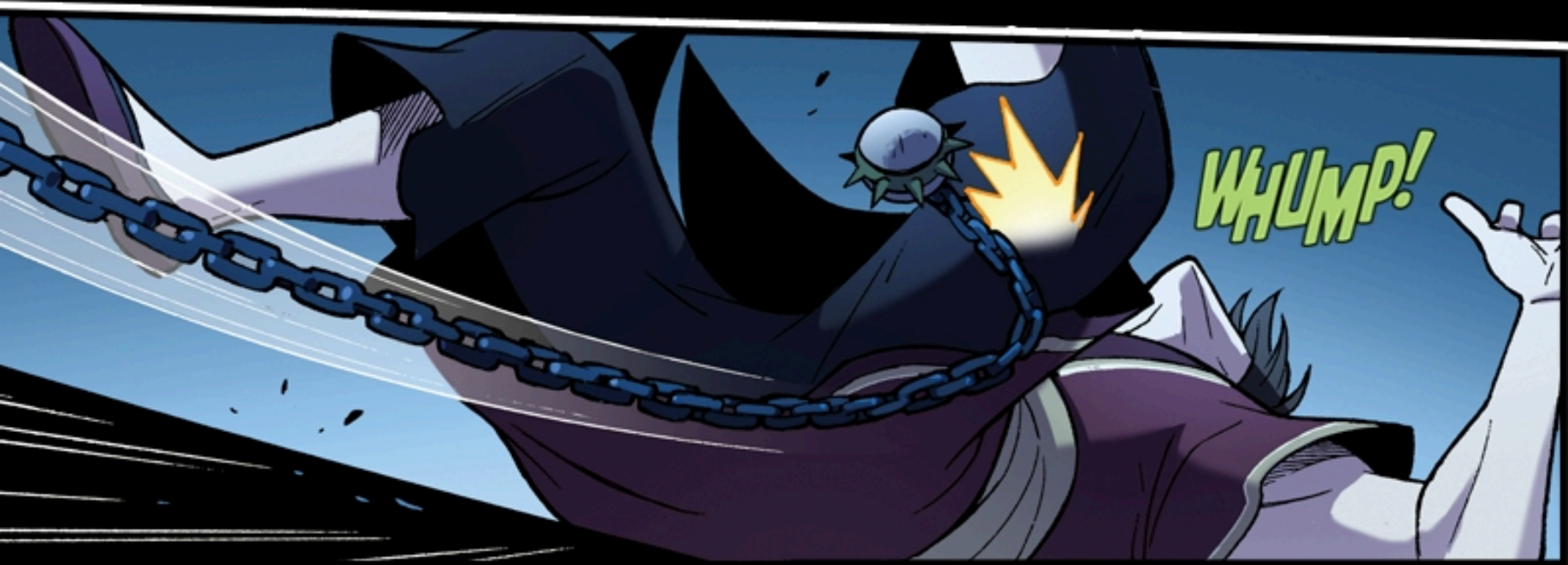
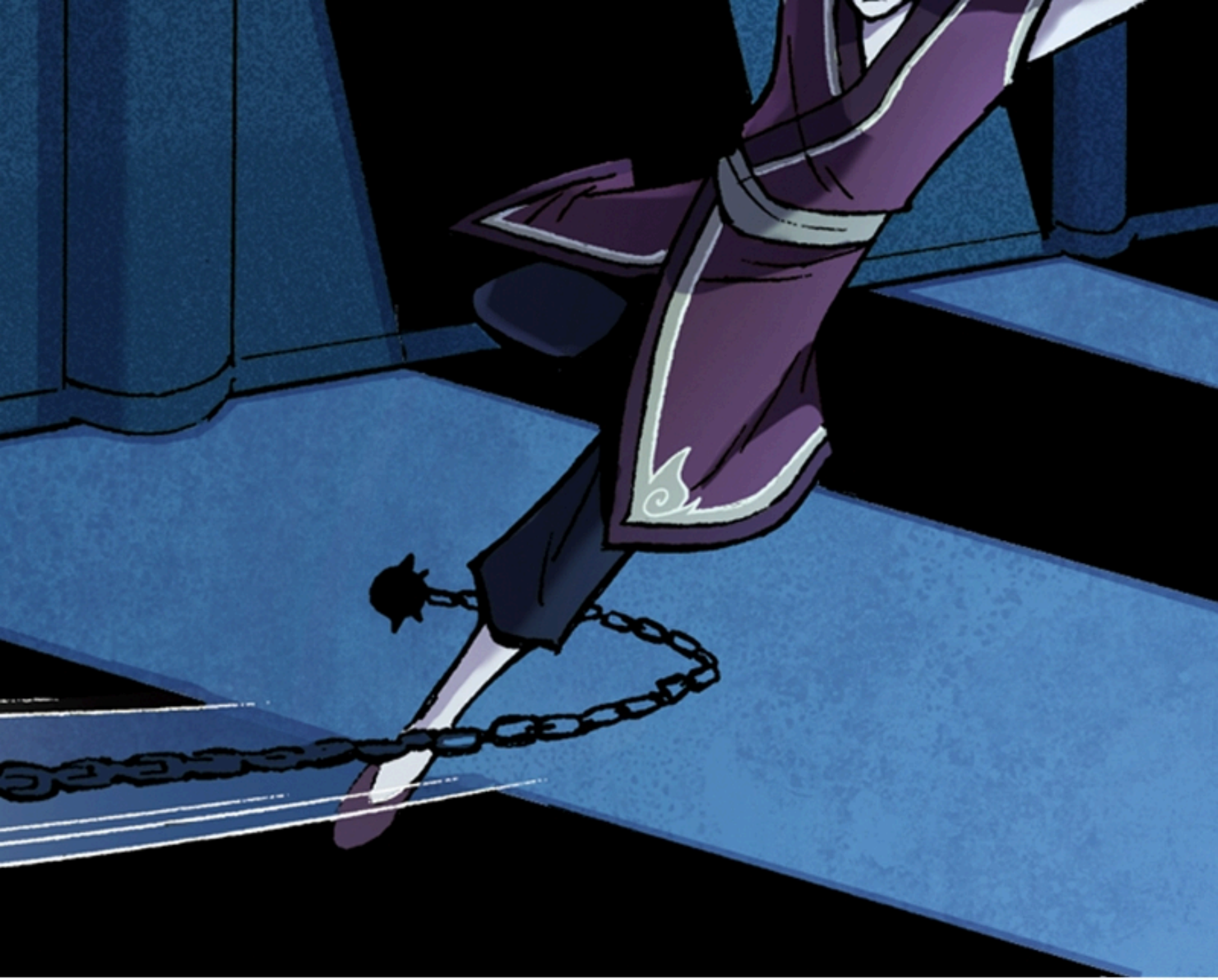




















CONVINCE
ME NOT TO
TAKE YOUR
LIFE!



GO AHEAD!
MY FAMILY
HAS BEEN LOYAL
TO YOURS FOR
GENERATIONS!

BY GETTING
RID OF ME, YOU
WOULD SIMPLY
COMPLETE YOUR
BETRAYAL!

YOUR
FAMILY?



MY
FATHER IS
THE MAYOR



OF YU
DAO!



YU
DAO... THE
FIRST OF THE
FIRE NATION
COLONIES.



YES,
MY HOME! AND
NOW YOU AND THE
AVATAR ARE GOING TO
DESTROY IT WITH YOUR
PRECIOUS HARMONY
RESTORATION
MOVEMENT!



THE CITY OF YU DAO,
EARTH KINGDOM

**STOP!
STOP!**



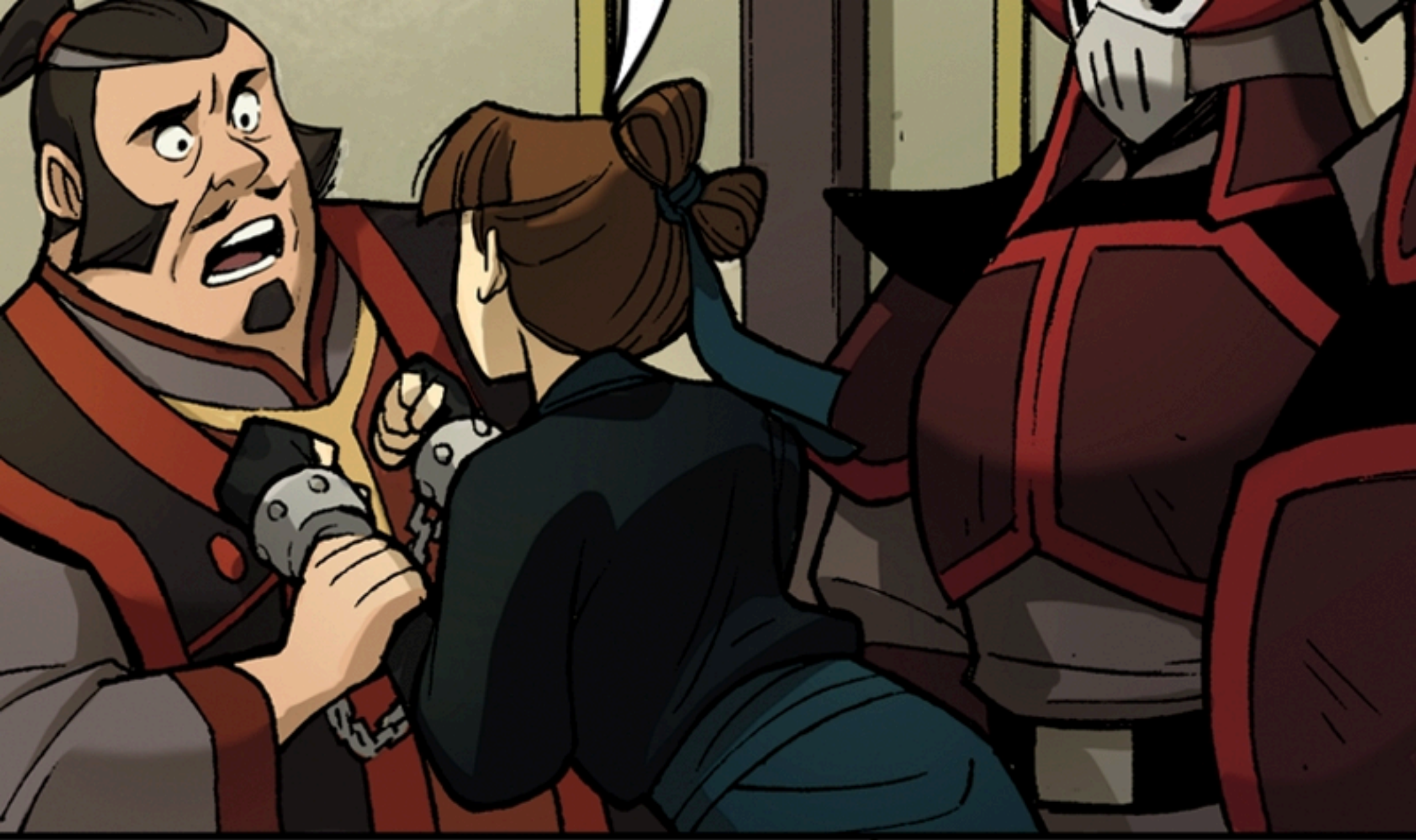
KORI! WHERE
HAVE YOU BEEN?!
YOUR MOTHER AND
I WERE WORRIED
SICK!



WAIT-- WHO
ARE THESE MEN?!
WHY ARE YOUR
HANDS TIED?!

I WENT
TO GO SEE
SOMEONE ABOUT
OUR *PROBLEM*,
FATHER.







F-FIRE
LORD
ZUKO!

YOU MUST
BE MAYOR
MORISHITA.







YOUR
DAUGHTER
SNUCK INTO MY
HOME AND TRIED
TO KILL ME!

KORI?!

***SOMEONE
HAD TO DO
SOMETHING!***



MY
SINCEREST
APOLOGIES FOR
MY DAUGHTER'S
RASH BEHAVIOR,
FIRE LORD! HAVE
MERCY!



I SHOULD
HAVE THIS WHOLE
PLACE BURNED
DOWN!

WHY BOTHER? THE
HARMONY RESTORATION



MOVEMENT WILL ACCOMPLISH
THE SAME THING WITHOUT
YOU HAVING TO LIFT A
FINGER!

WHY CAN'T
YOU COLONIALS
GET IT THROUGH
YOUR THICK
SKULLS?!

THE HARMONY
RESTORATION
MOVEMENT IS
A MEANS TO
PEACE!





PEACE FOR
WHO?! WITH ALL
DUE RESPECT, YOUR
MAJESTY, MY FAMILY
HAS LIVED ON THIS LAND
FOR GENERATIONS!

THIS CITY WAS
BUILT ON OUR
BLOOD AND SWEAT!
WE HAVE AS MUCH A
RIGHT TO BE HERE
AS ANYONE ELSE!



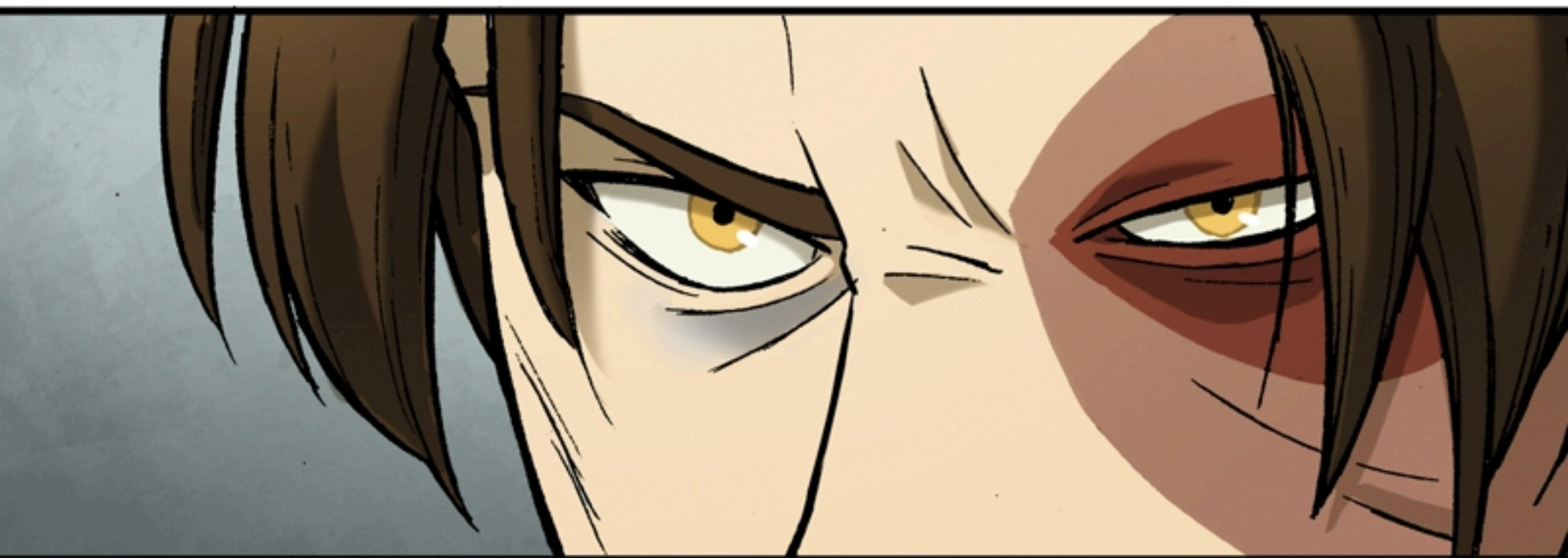


YOU'RE RIGHT,
FIRE LORD! WE
ARE FIRE NATION
CITIZENS!

AND I'LL
TELL YOU



YOUR FATHER
WOULD NEVER HAVE
LET THE AVATAR AND
EARTH KING BULLY HIM
INTO SOMETHING SO
OBVIOUSLY BAD FOR
HIS OWN NATION'S
CITIZENS!



MY
FATHER...?

A character is shown from the chest up, behind a dark, grid-like prison cell window. The character's face is partially visible through the bars. Two white speech bubbles with black outlines are positioned above the character's head. The background is a dark, gradient sky.

I SHOULD
COUNT MYSELF
LUCKY.

THE NEW
FIRE LORD HAS
GRACED ME WITH HIS
PRESENCE IN MY
LOWLY PRISON
CELL.



YOU
SHOULD COUNT
YOURSELF LUCKY
THAT THE AVATAR
CHOSE TO SPARE
YOU.

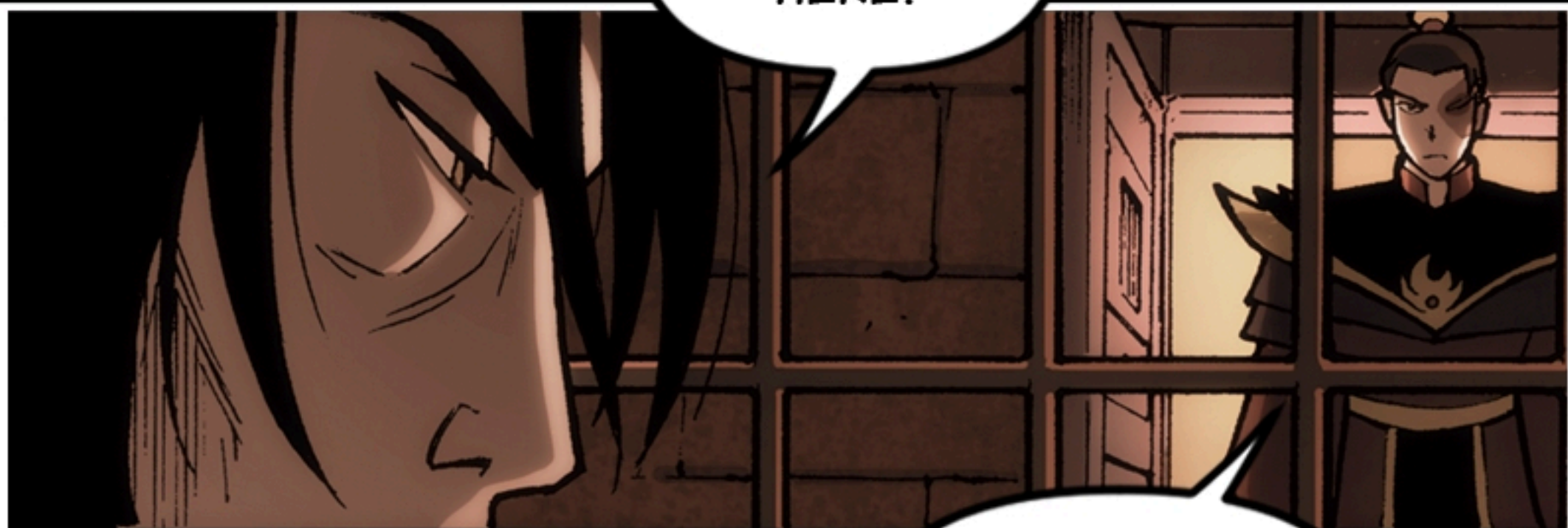


BANISHING
ME WAS THE BEST
THING YOU COULD
HAVE DONE FOR
MY LIFE.

MAYBE
YOUR TIME
IN HERE CAN
DO THE SAME
FOR YOU.



WHY ARE
YOU REALLY
HERE?



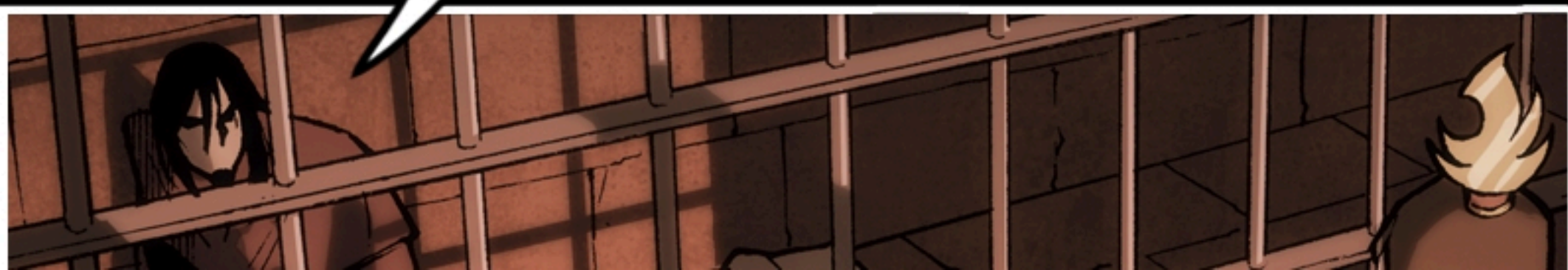
BECAUSE
YOU'RE GOING
TO TELL ME
SOMETHING.

*WHERE IS
MY MOTHER?!*





YOU OUGHT
TO BRING ME
SOME TEA,
ZUKO.





WE'LL TALK
WHILE SIPPING FROM
STEAMING LITTLE CUPS,
MUCH LIKE YOU DID WITH
MY TRAITOROUS
BROTHER.

I'LL GIVE
YOU ADVICE ON
HOW TO BE A GOOD
FIRE LORD. WOULDN'T
THAT BE NICE?



PERHAPS EVEN
THE SUBJECT OF
YOUR MOTHER WILL
COME UP.

I DON'T
NEED THIS.

DO YOU
THINK BEING
FIRE LORD
IS EASY?!

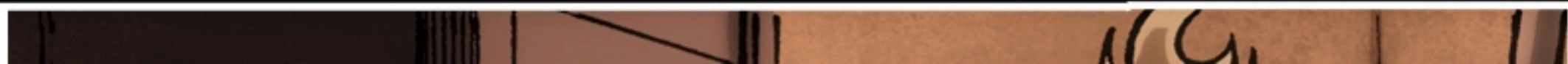


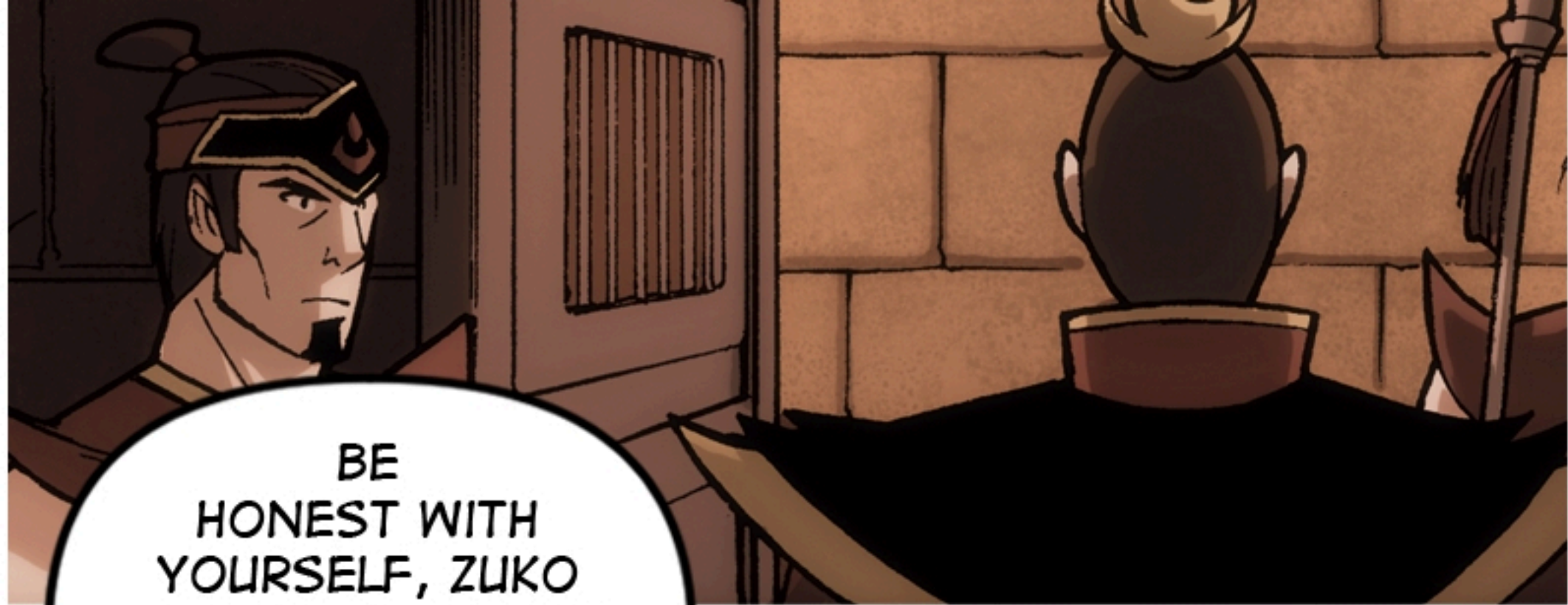
THE THRONE
COMES WITH MANY
PRESSURES, AND THOSE
PRESSURES WILL
CHANGE YOU!

BUT IF YOU
CAN STAND THE
HEAT, YOU'LL BECOME
SOMETHING *MORE*.



OF ALL THE
PEOPLE IN THE
WORLD, I HAVE THE
WISDOM YOU NEED,
THE WISDOM OF
EXPERIENCE!





BE
HONEST WITH
YOURSELF, ZUKO
-- DO YOU REALLY
BELIEVE YOU CAN
HANDLE IT ALL ON
YOUR OWN?

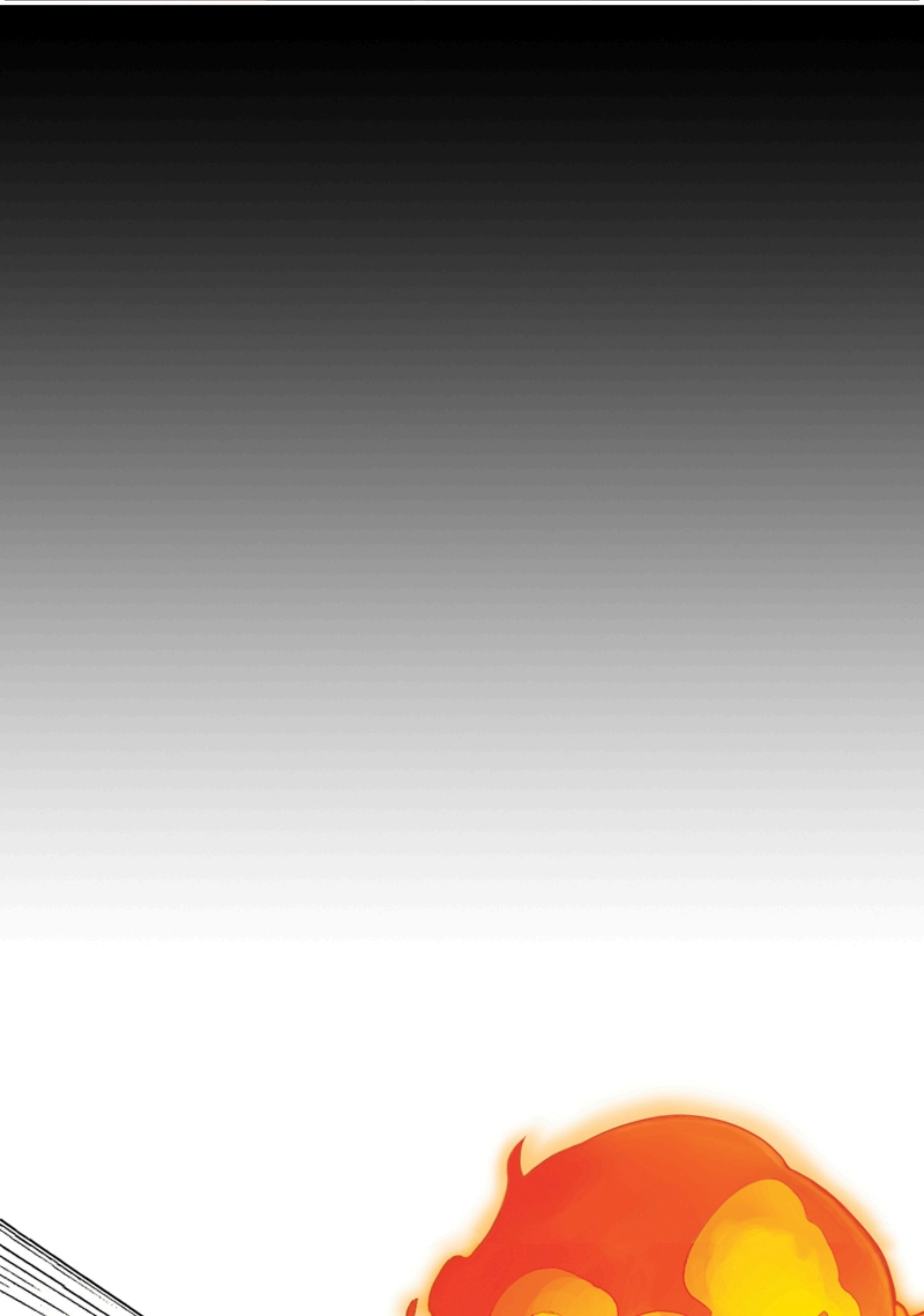


YOU'LL BE
BACK. AND I'LL
BE HERE WAITING
FOR YOU.

SON.



Click





NO,
YOUNG MAN.
YOU'RE NOT.

FIRE LORD
OZAI HAD MANY
FAULTS, BUT HE WAS
NEVER A *COWARD*.



HE WAS
NEVER A
TRAITOR.





OFF THE
COAST OF THE
FIRE NATION







MY TEAM AND
I HAVE HELPED
DOZENS OF FIRE
NATION COLONIES
MOVE BACK TO YOUR
HOMELAND ALREADY.

THEY'VE
ALL LOVED
COMING
BACK!

THOSE
COLONIES WERE
YOUNG. THEIR PEOPLE
HAD NO ROOTS IN
THE EARTH
KINGDOM.

THINGS
ARE DIFFERENT
IN THE FIRE NATION
NOW, YOU'LL SEE!

FIRE LORD ZUKO'S
REINTRODUCING
CLASSIC FIRE NATION
CULTURE TO HIS
PEOPLE.

YOU'LL
LEARN SO
MUCH ABOUT
YOUR PAST BY
LIVING HERE.

AND
YOU'LL HAVE



YOU'LL HAVE
FUN, TOO!

CHECK IT
OUT-- THIS IS A
FIRE DANCE FROM
OVER A HUNDRED
YEARS AGO!





HOW
FUN IS
THIS?











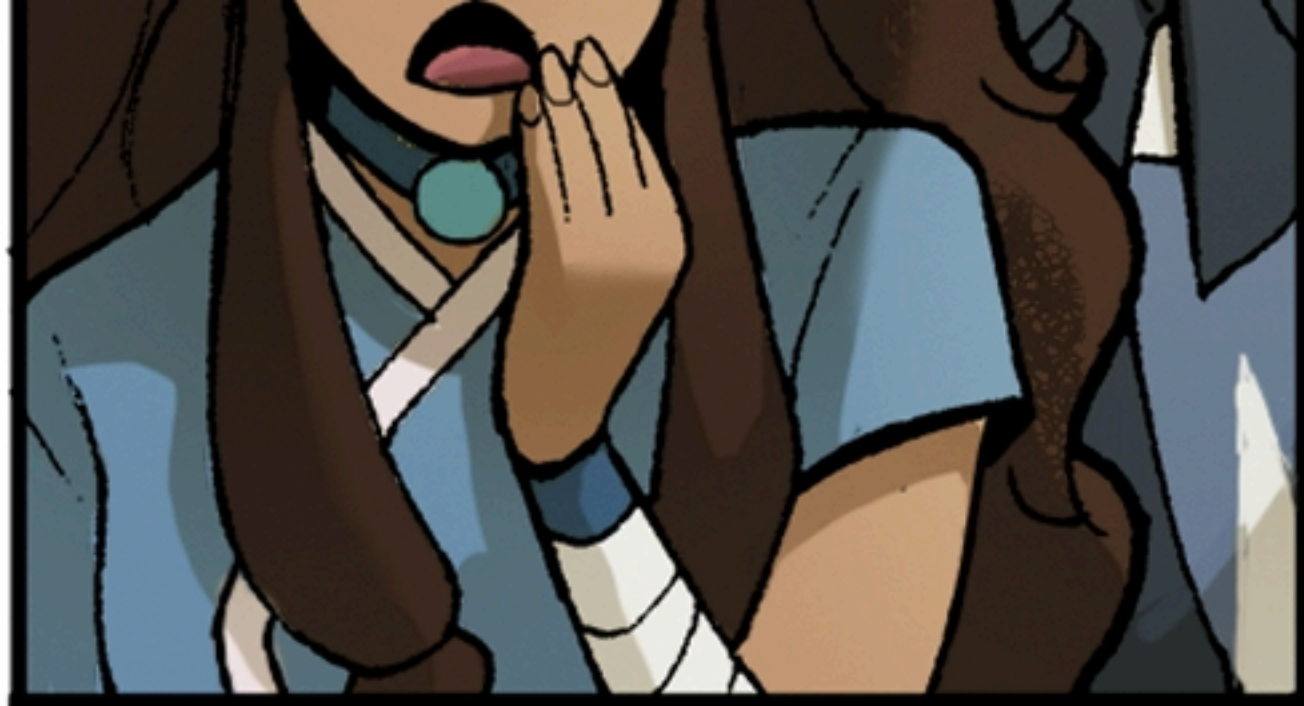
WHAT?!

CRASH!



**FIRE LORD
ZUKO HAS
OFFICIALLY
WITHDRAWN HIS
SUPPORT OF
THE HARMONY
RESTORATION
MOVEMENT!**





*BEIFONG METALBENDING
ACADEMY, EARTH KINGDOM*

COME ON!
THERE'S A
CROWD AT THE
CITY GATES
BELOW!





I WANNA
KNOW WHAT'S
HAPPENING!

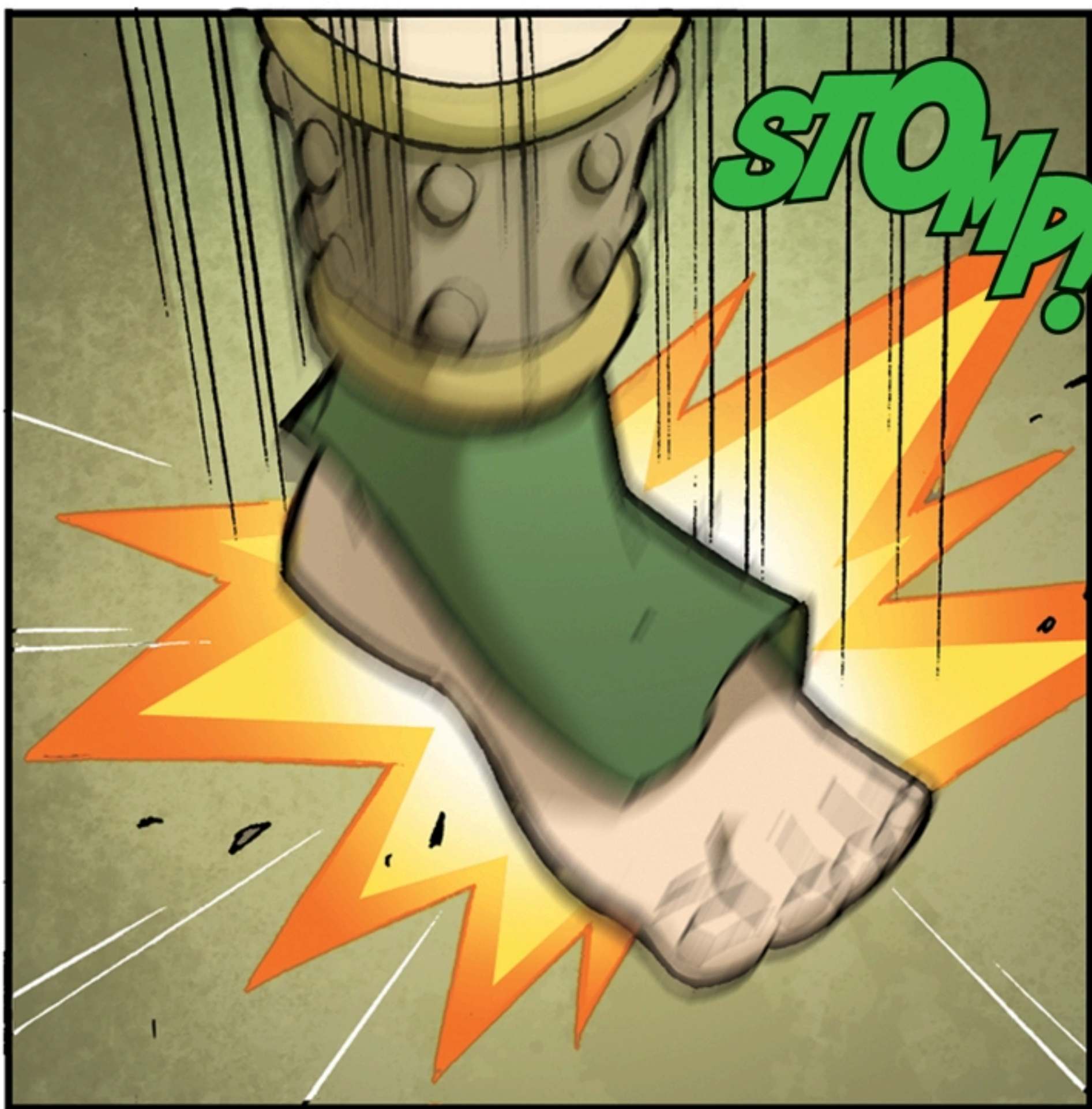
WHATEVER
IT IS, IT'S BAD!
BAD! THE CITY'S
PROBABLY
DOOMED!

WE'RE
PROBABLY
DOOMED!





I HATE
DOOM.





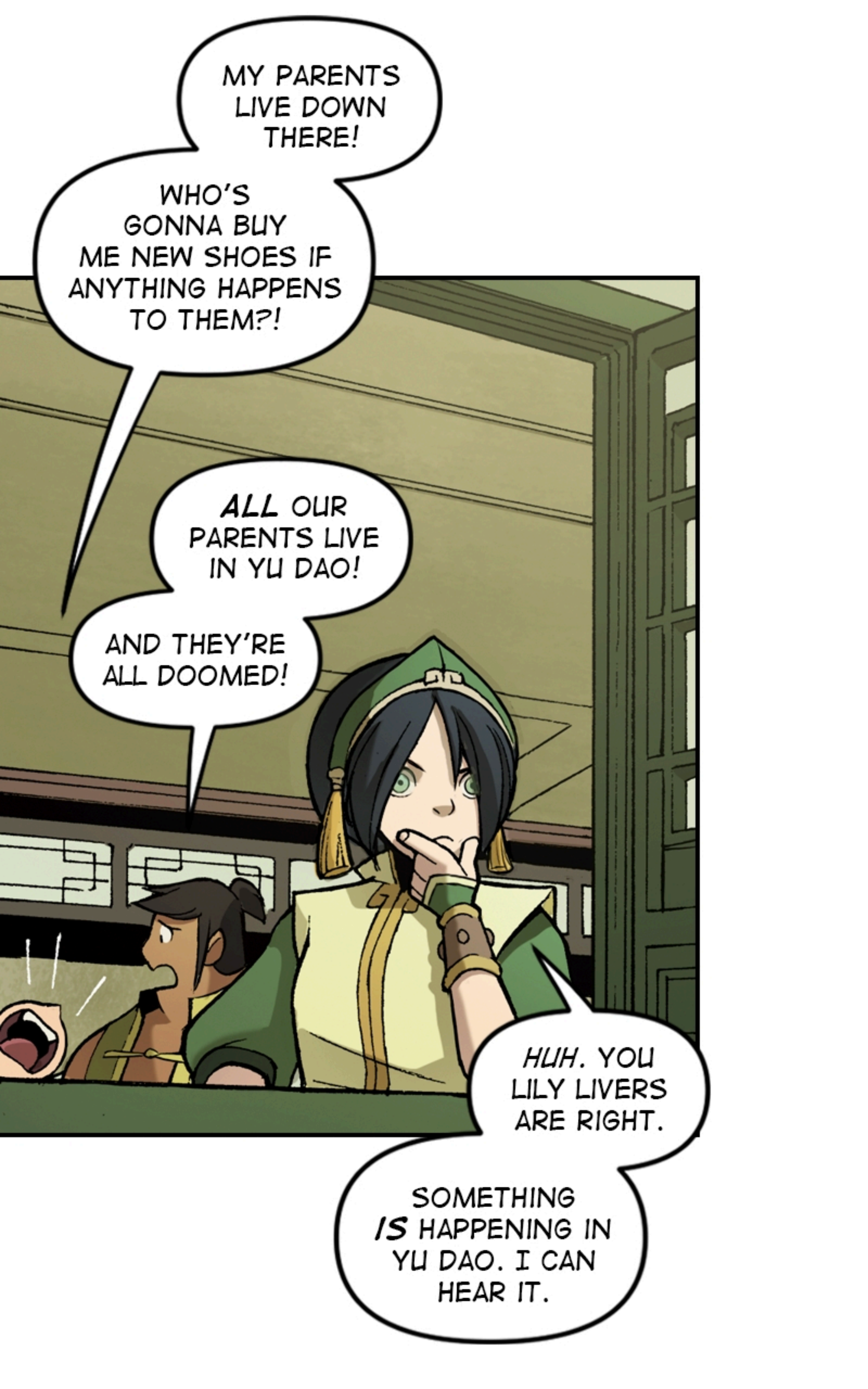
HOW ARE YOU
LILY LIVERS GONNA
LEARN METALBENDING
BY STARING OUT A
WINDOW?

WINDOW?!

GET BACK
TO PRACTICE!

*SIFU
TOPH!*





MY PARENTS
LIVE DOWN
THERE!

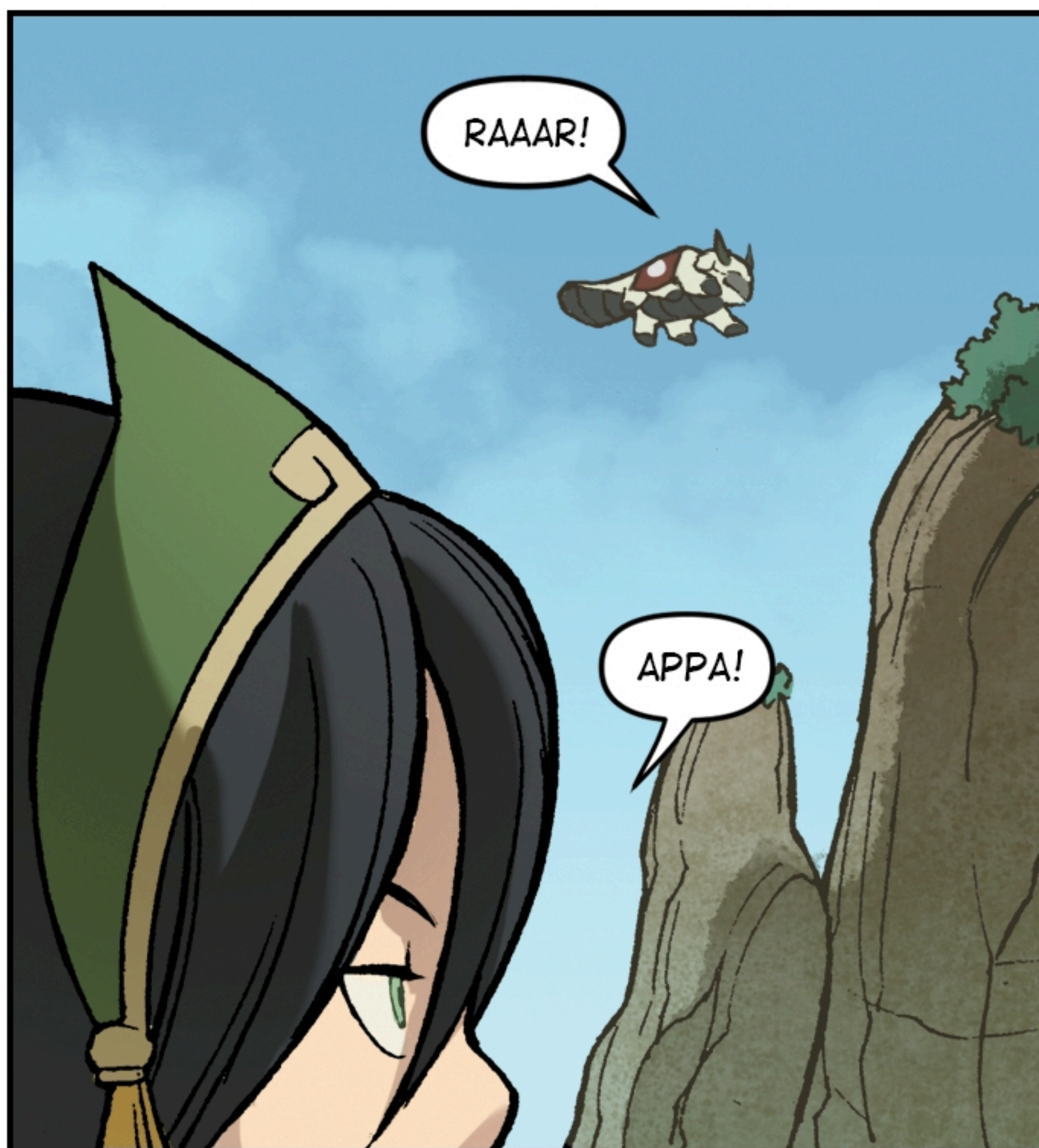
WHO'S
GONNA BUY
ME NEW SHOES IF
ANYTHING HAPPENS
TO THEM?!

ALL OUR
PARENTS LIVE
IN YU DAO!

AND THEY'RE
ALL DOOMED!

HUH. YOU
LILY LIVERS
ARE RIGHT.

SOMETHING
IS HAPPENING IN
YU DAO. I CAN
HEAR IT.



I'LL BE
BACK SOON!
STAY PUT AND DO
YOUR FORMS!

IF YOU DON'T,
YOU'RE REALLY
GONNA GET IT WHEN
I COME BACK!



I JUST
DON'T WANNA
BE DOOMED!













HEY,
GUYS!

TOPH!

I CAN'T
BELIEVE HOW
LONG IT'S
BEEN!



I MISSED
YOU, TOO!



HEY, I HEARD
YOU STARTED A
METALBENDING
SCHOOL!



Aang, the Avatar, is shown from the waist up, wearing his traditional blue and grey Air Nomad robes. He has a long, white, fox-like tail with a brown band around its base. He is pointing his right index finger towards a large, billowing blue cloud. His expression is one of surprise and excitement. In the background, there are brown, rocky cliffs with some green bushes. A small, dark, rectangular object is visible on a ledge in the upper right. A speech bubble is positioned above Aang's head.

WOW!
YOUR OWN
SCHOOL! HOW'S
THAT GOING?

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MEH.

I'M SO
GLAD YOU'RE
HERE, TOPH.

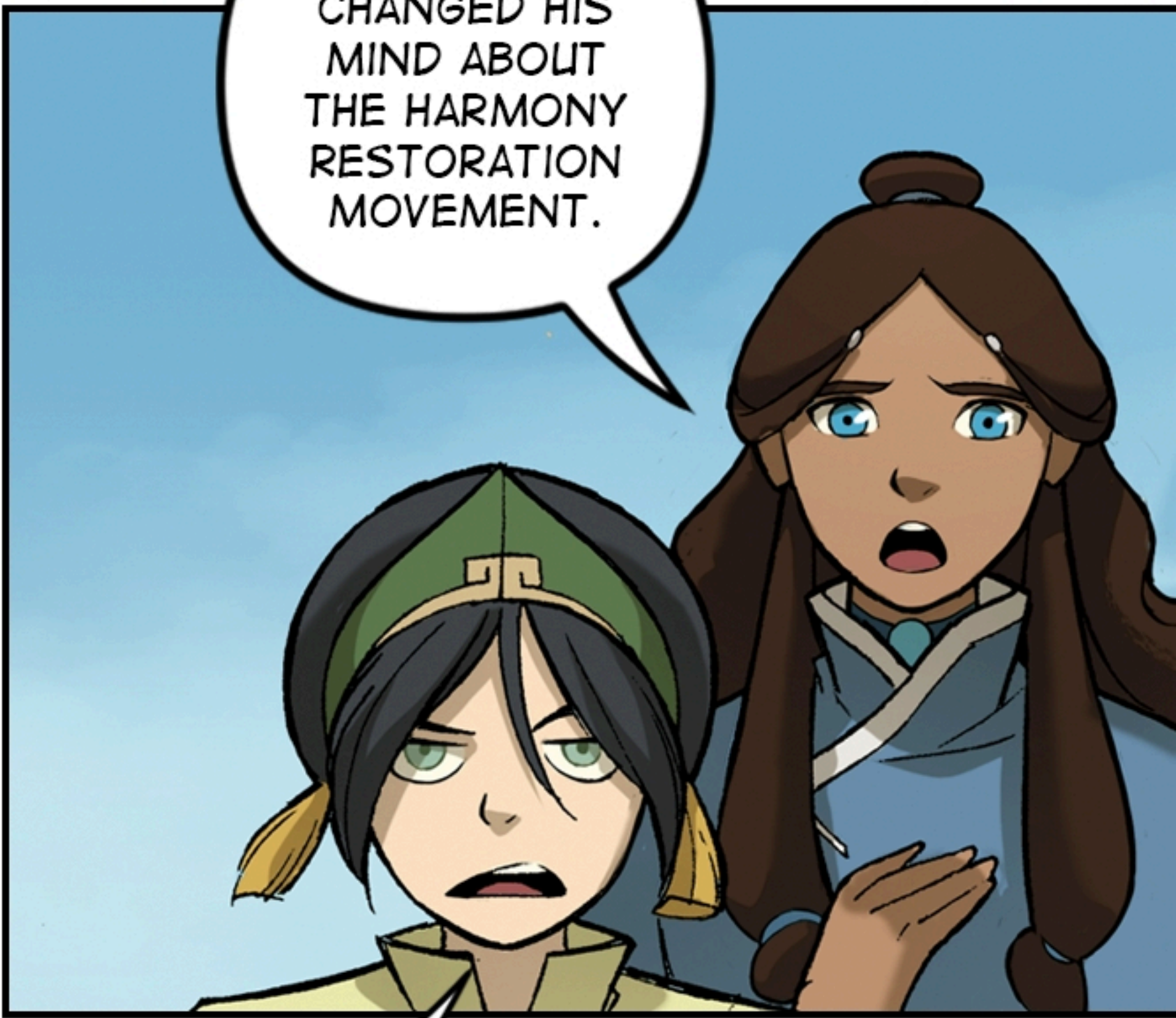
AANG NEEDS
ALL THE SUPPORT
HE CAN GET RIGHT
NOW, BECAUSE OF
WHAT HE MIGHT
HAVE TO--

HEY, WHERE
IS TWINKLE TOES,
ANYWAY?









A comic panel featuring two characters from the animated series 'Avatar: The Last Airbender'. In the foreground, Aang, wearing his green and yellow Air Nomad headband and tunic, has a skeptical expression. Behind him, Katara, with her long brown hair in pigtails and blue water tribe tunic, looks surprised with wide eyes and an open mouth. A large speech bubble originates from Katara, and a smaller one from Aang is positioned below him. The background is a solid light blue.

ZUKO'S
CHANGED HIS
MIND ABOUT
THE HARMONY
RESTORATION
MOVEMENT.

YOU'RE
KIDDING.

HE'S HOLED
HIMSELF UP IN
YU DAO WITH A
BUNCH OF HIS



SOLDIERS.

HE WON'T
LET ANYONE IN
OR OUT. THAT'S
WHERE WE'RE
HEADED.

SO *THAT'S*
WHAT'S GOING ON!
THE LILY LIVERS-- I
MEAN, MY *STUDENTS*
WERE TALKING
ABOUT IT.

ZUKO'S
STARTING TO
ACT LIKE HIS OLD
MAN OZAI THEN.



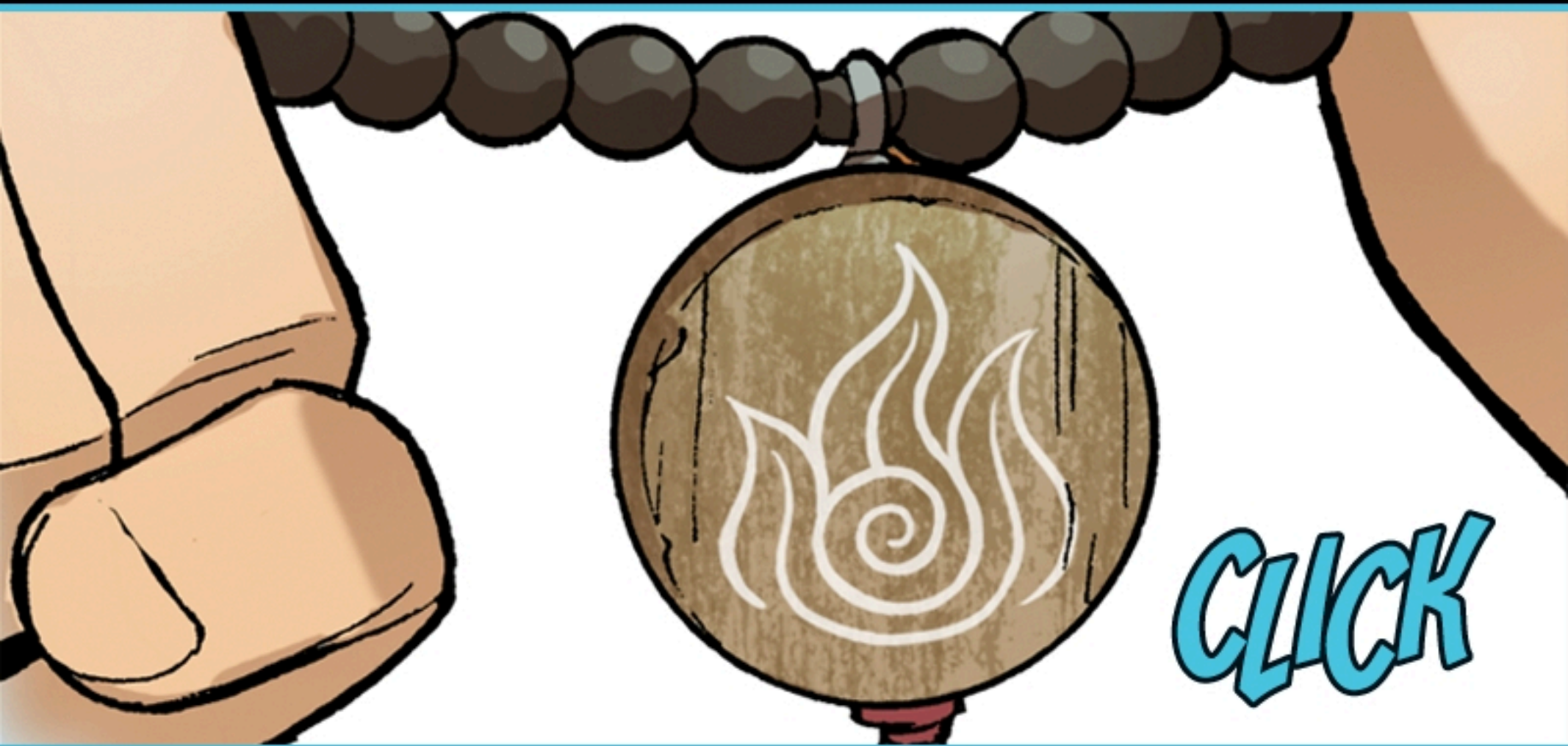






“--BECAUSE OF
THE *PROMISE*
HE MADE.”





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