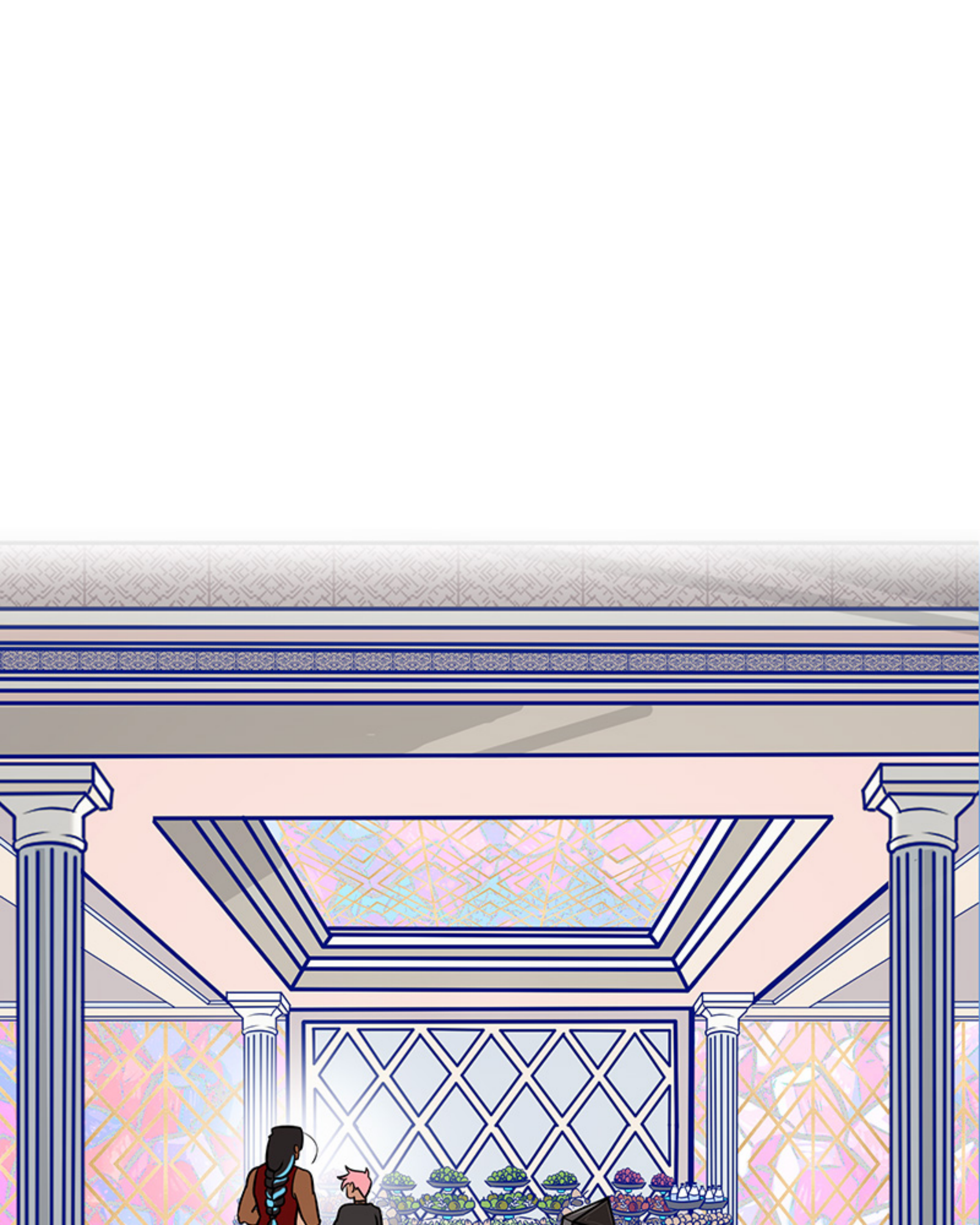






HE REALLY
DIDN'T COME
BACK...

BUZZY
BERRY...?

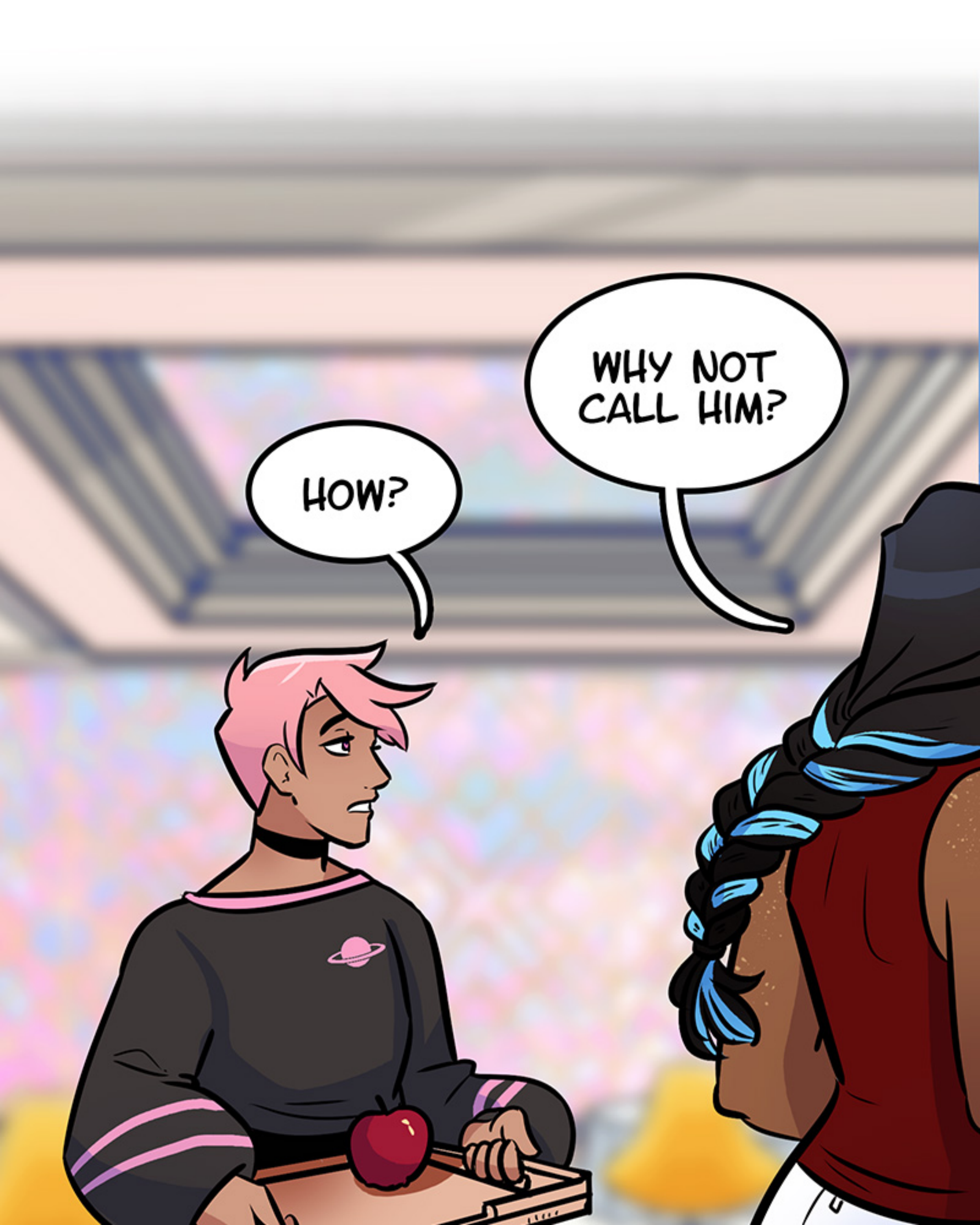




HMMM
I MEAN... I'M
SURE HE'S FINE.
YOU'VE SEEN
HIM-

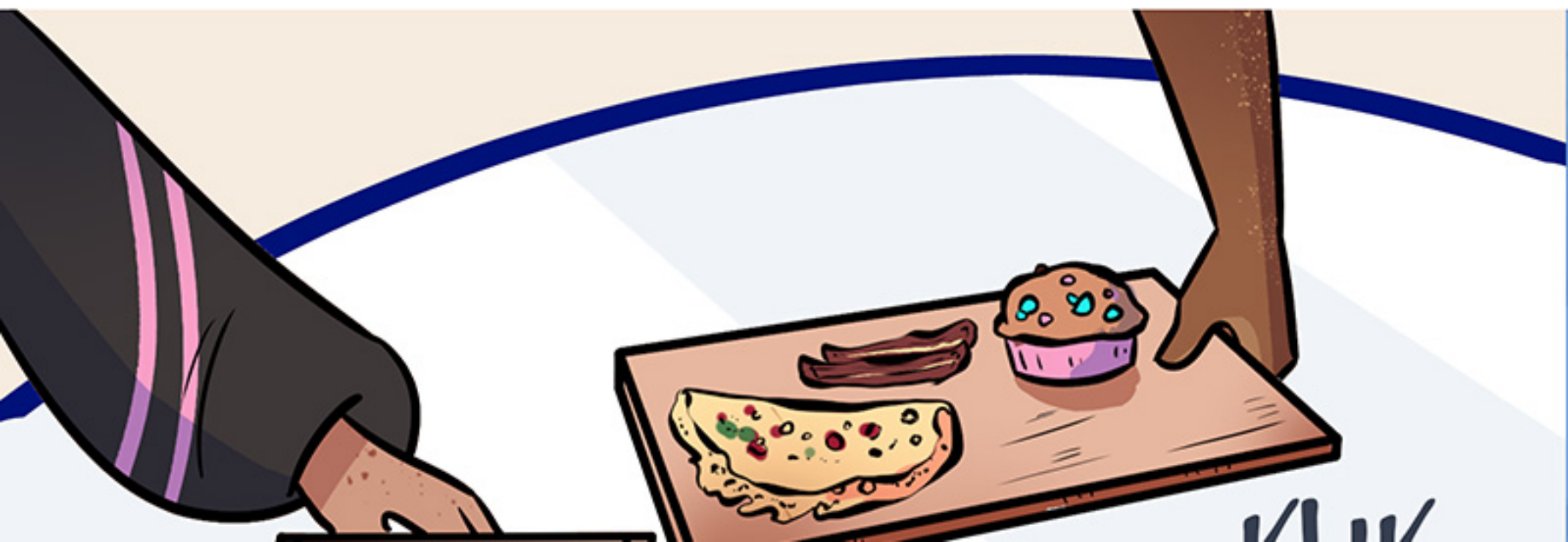
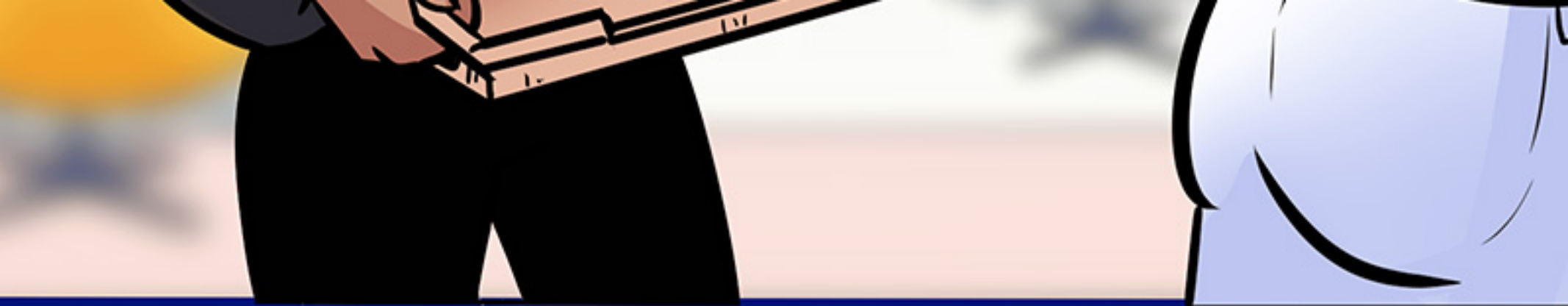
HE'S A
TANK, NO ONE
WOULD GIVE HIM
TROUBLE.

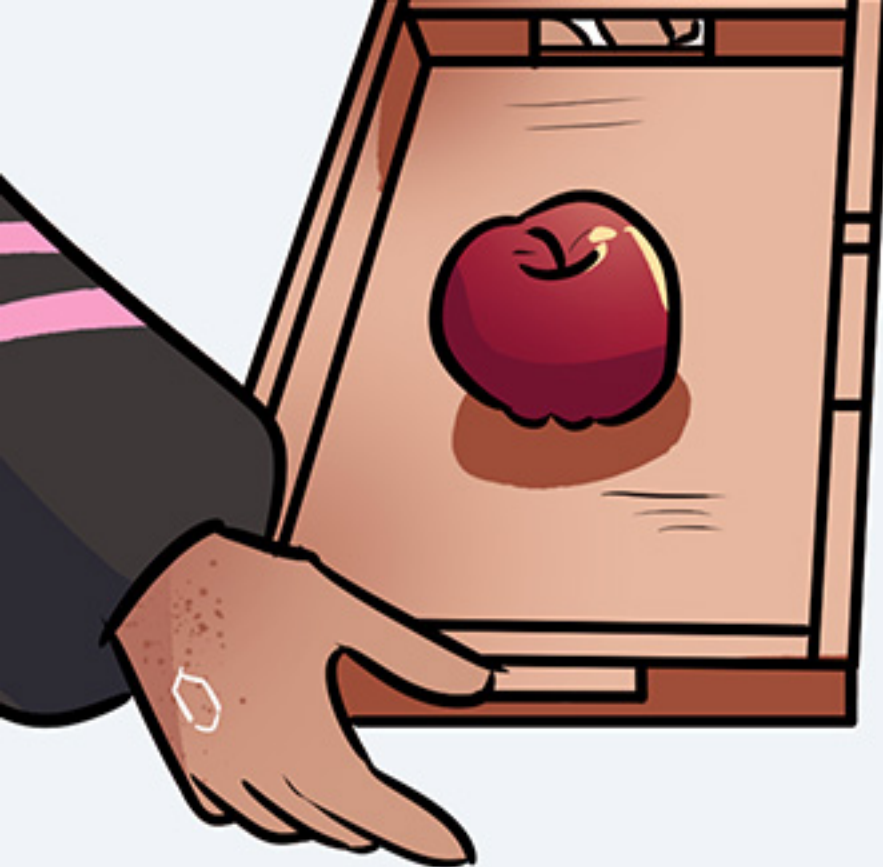


A comic panel featuring two characters in a conversation. On the left, a young man with short, spiky pink hair and a black choker is shown in profile, looking towards the right. He is wearing a dark grey long-sleeved shirt with pink and purple horizontal stripes on the sleeves and a small pink planet logo on the chest. He is holding a red apple and a wooden tray. On the right, a young woman with a long, thick braid of black hair with blue highlights is shown in profile, looking towards the left. She is wearing a dark red sleeveless top. The background is a blurred stadium with blue and white seating. Two speech bubbles are present: one from the man saying "HOW?" and one from the woman saying "WHY NOT CALL HIM?".

WHY NOT
CALL HIM?

HOW?





KLIK

THE WAY
THAT YOU CALLED
ME WHEN YOU WERE
IN THE ALLEY...?

OH

OH!
TRUE. BUT I
DON'T HAVE HIS
NUMBER.



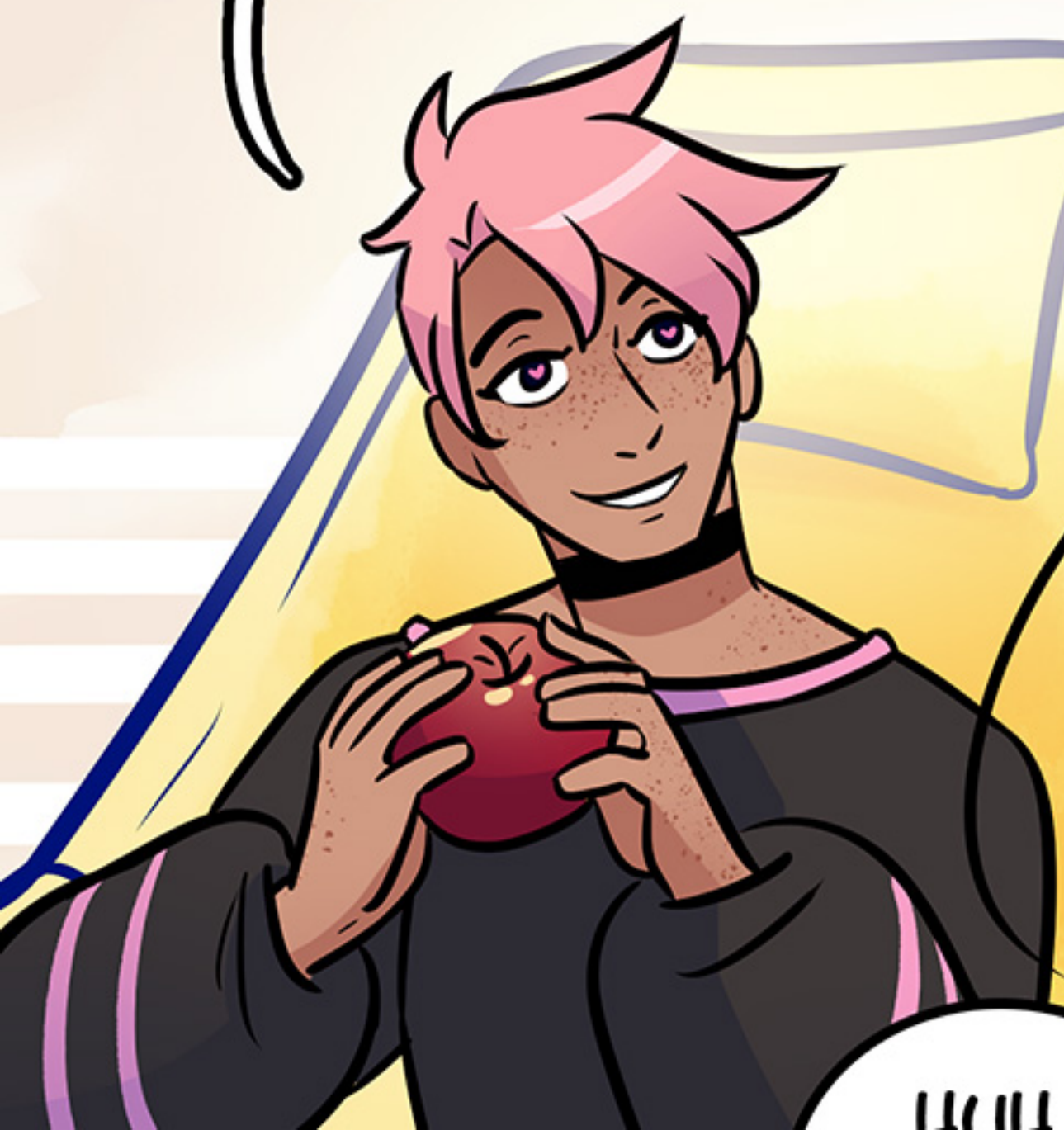
YOU DON'T...
OKAY. WELL. WHEN
WE SEE HIM NEXT

WE SEE HIM NEXT
TIME WE SHOULD
GET THAT.



BECAUSE WE
NEED TO BE ABLE
TO ALL COMMUNICATE...
WAIT- COULD I CALL
YOU?? THE WAY YOU
CALLED ME??

YEAH!



HUU



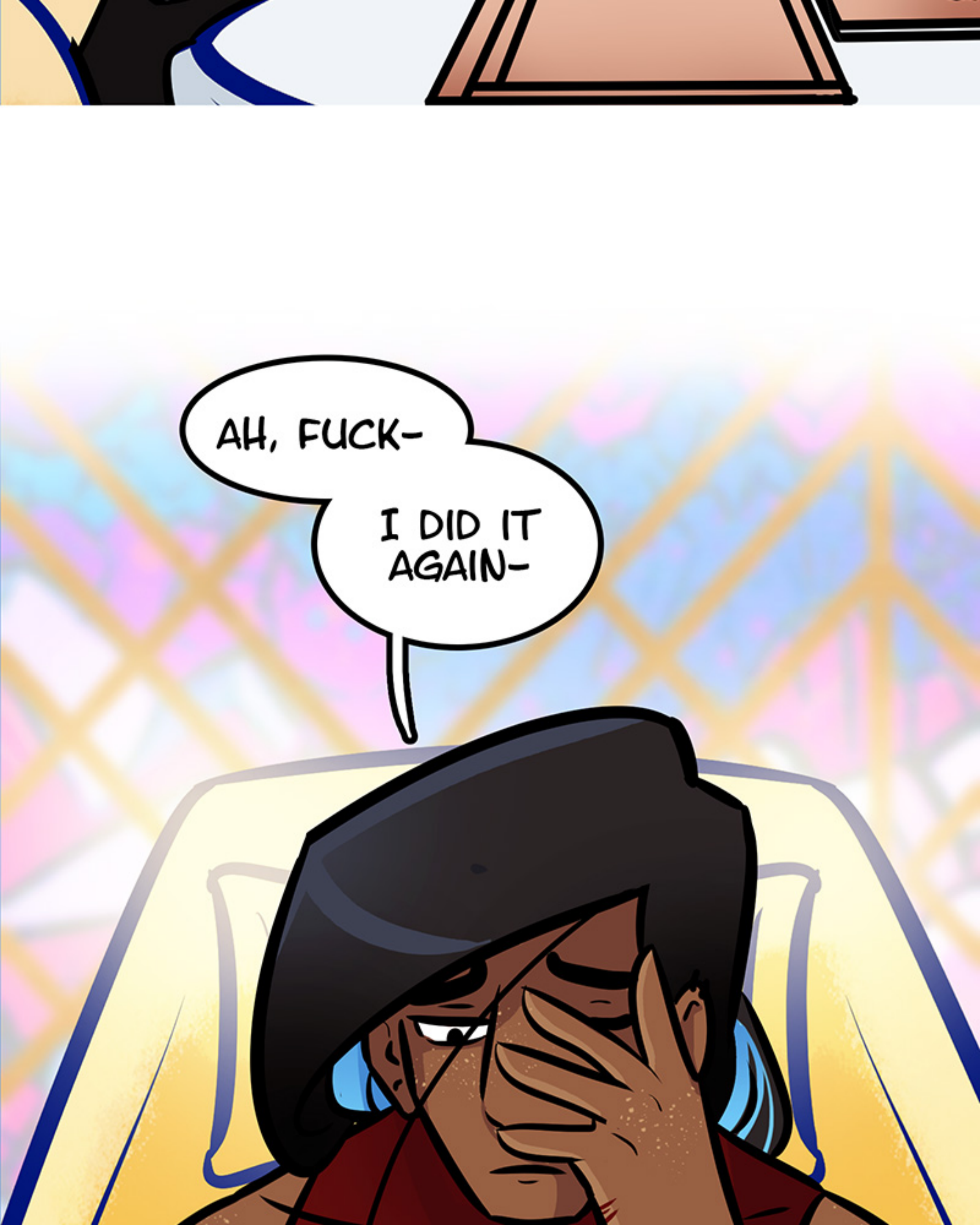


UM...WELL
IT TAKES A LOT
OF ENERGY FOR MY
SYSTEM TO TURN

IT INTO ANYTHING
OF USE BUT...

YOU WERE
EATING AND I...
WANTED TO...





AH, FUCK-

I DID IT
AGAIN-



I'M SO
SORRY.

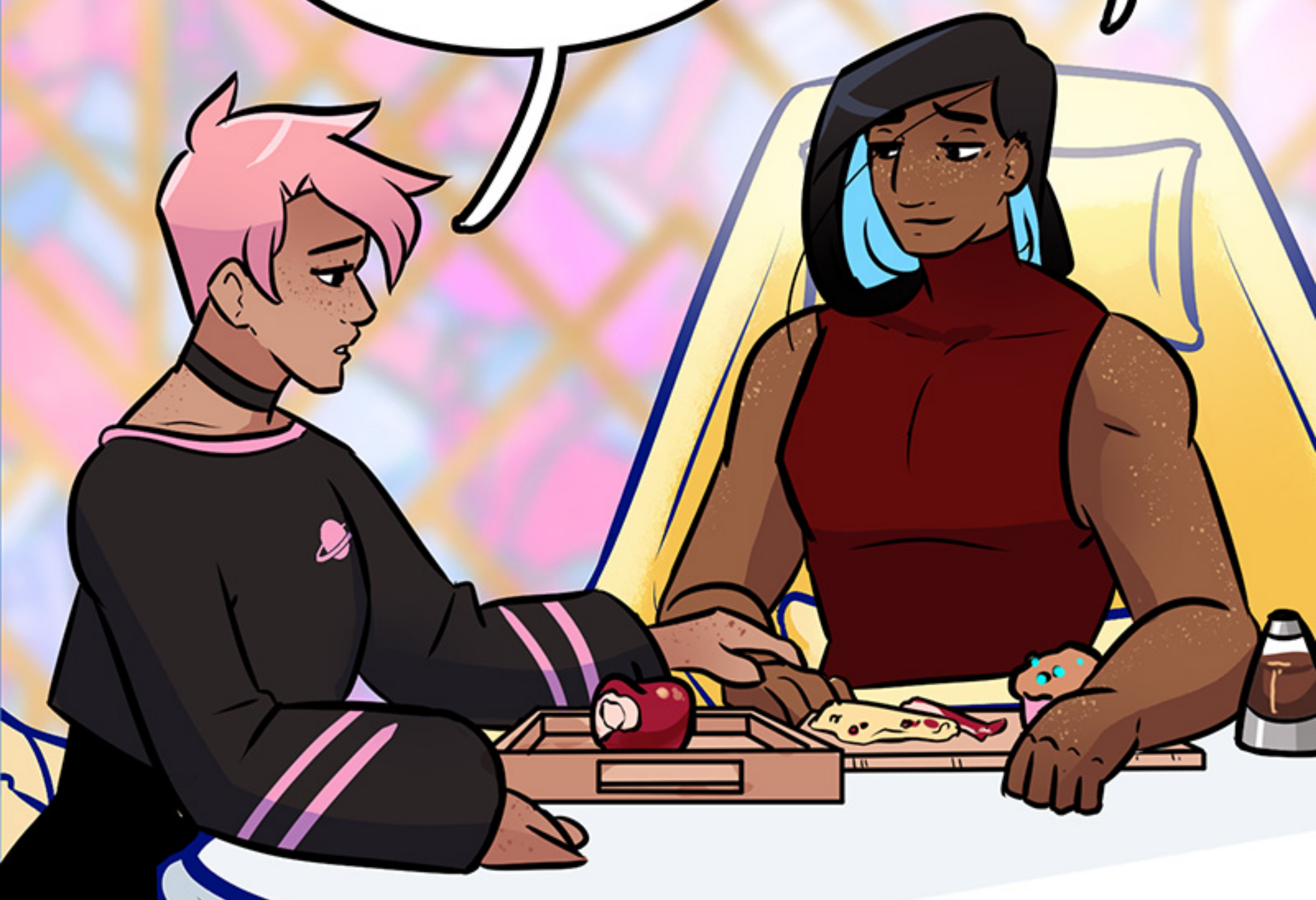
NO, IT'S
OKAY!!

OKAY!!

IT'S A VALID
QUESTION, ESPECIALLY
SINCE IT REALLY DOESN'T
DO ME ANY BENEFIT AT
ALL...

I JUST LIKE
BEING ABLE TO
SHARE A MEAL
WITH YOU...

YEAH...
IT IS
NICE...



AND THAT'S
GOOD TO KNOW-
ACTUALLY,

SINCE THERE
IS SUPPOSED TO BE
A DINNER AFTER THE
AWARD CEREMONY AND I
WASN'T SURE IF WE
COULD AVOID IT.





OH YEAH!
ARE YOU GOING TO
GIVE A SPEECH?

AAHH...
I HAVE NOTES
TO WORK WITH BUT
I'M NOT SURE YET

I'M MOSTLY JUST
GONNA TRY TO KEEP
IT SHORT AND SWEET
THEN ROLL AWAY.



THE MORE
IMPORTANT PART
IS THE VIP PANELS
TODAY-

OTHER PEOPLE CAN
ONLY WATCH THROUGH
A LIVE STREAM, AND IN
BETWEEN PANELS ITS
LIKE... ELBOW RUBBING
AND SCHMOOZING.

DR. EVA HAS ONE
SO I'M HOPING THAT
WE'LL GET A CHANCE
TO GET SOME
ANSWERS.





THEN
RUSHING TO GET
CHANGED INTO THOSE
FANCY OUTFITS WE

HAVE HANGING UP FOR
THE AWARDS.

YAY!

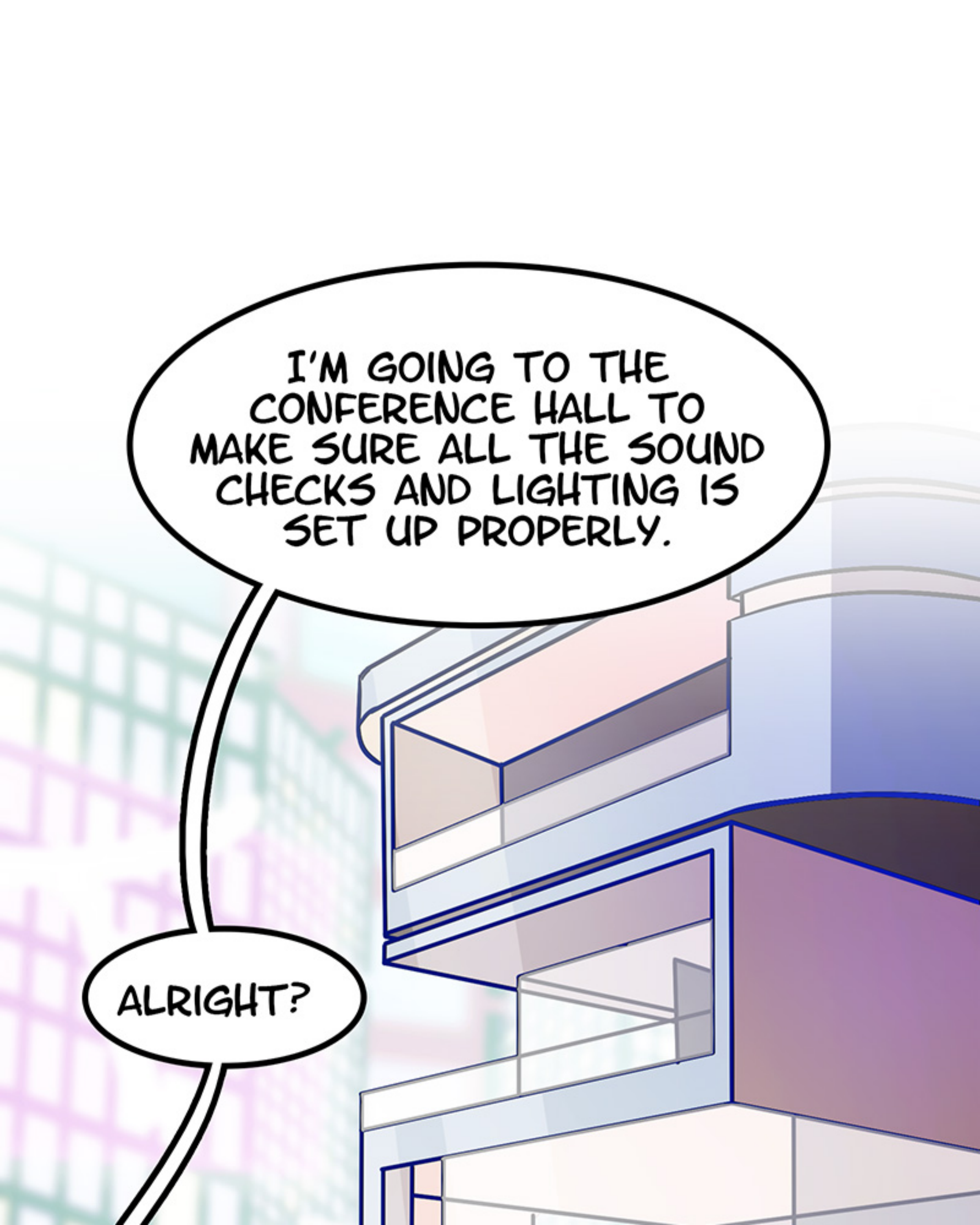






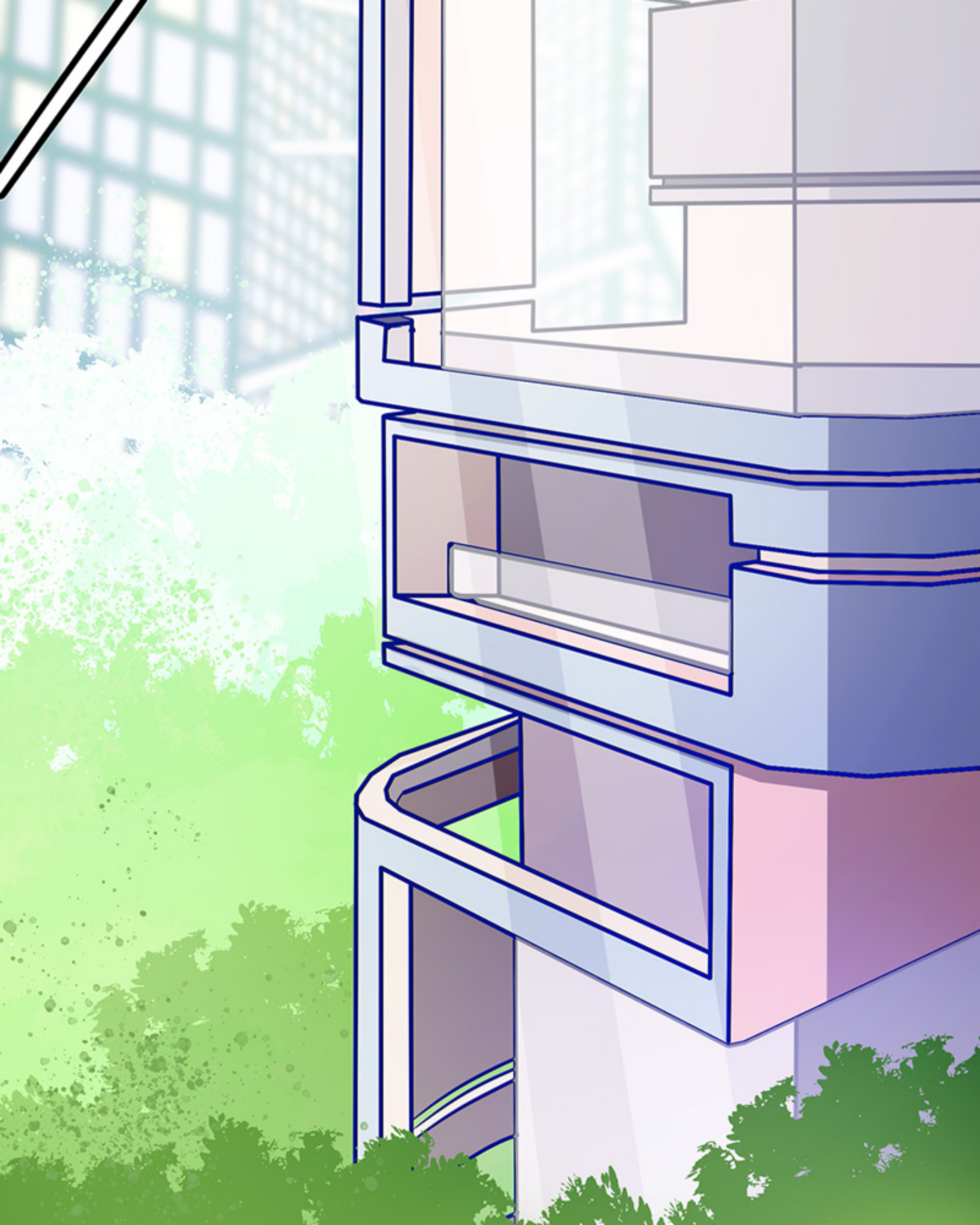
HAHAHA!!





I'M GOING TO THE
CONFERENCE HALL TO
MAKE SURE ALL THE SOUND
CHECKS AND LIGHTING IS
SET UP PROPERLY.

ALRIGHT?

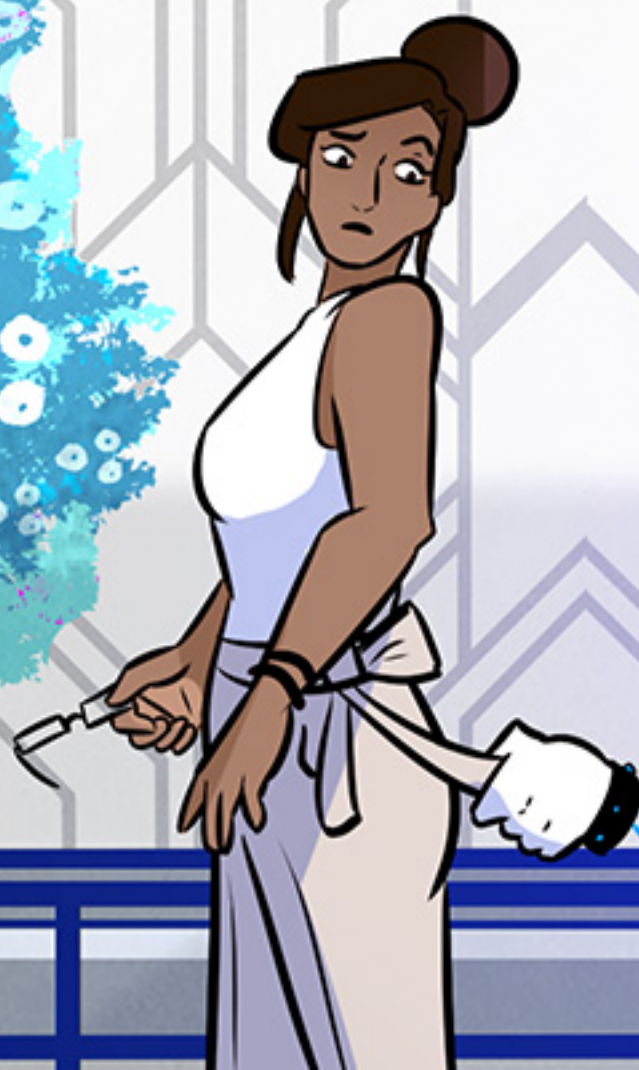


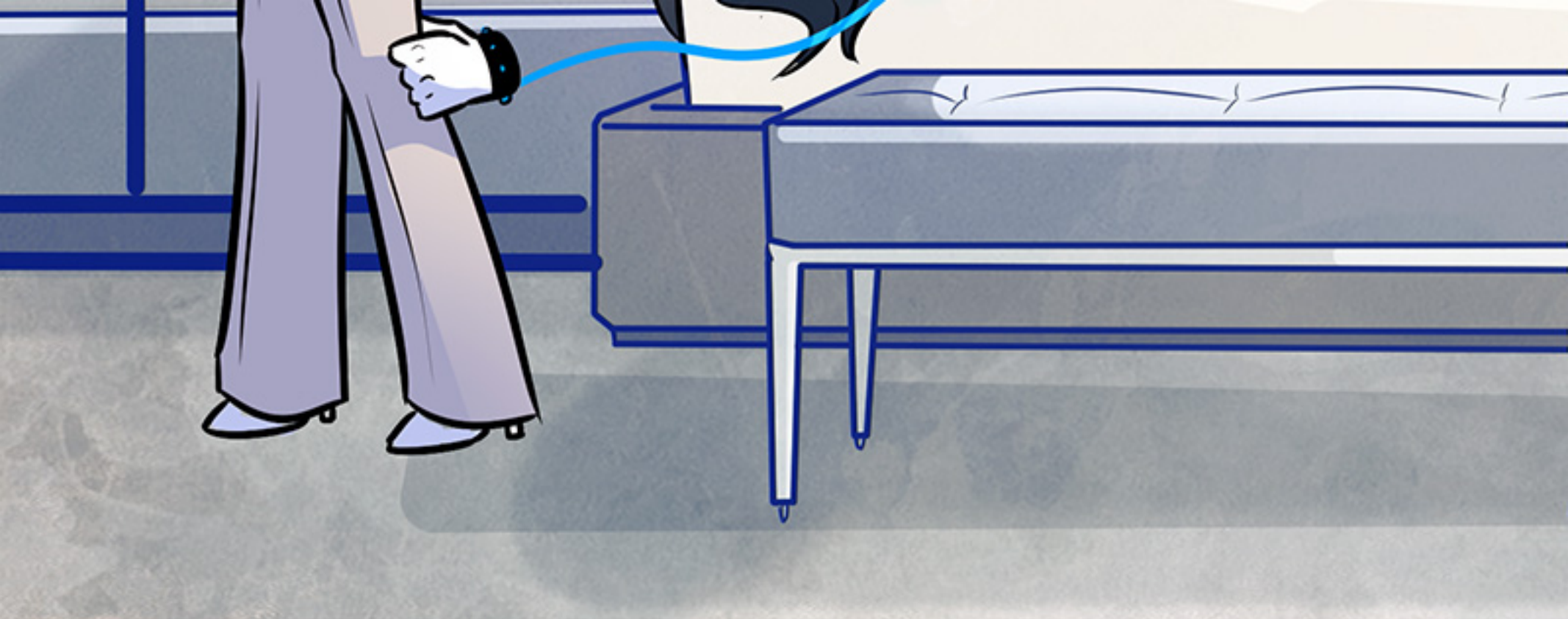
EEUUUGHHH....



WE'RE ON
A VACATION. YOU'RE
NOT SUPPOSED TO
BE WORKING...

THEY HAVE
THEIR OWN PEOPLE
TO DO THOSE SORT
OF CHECKS.



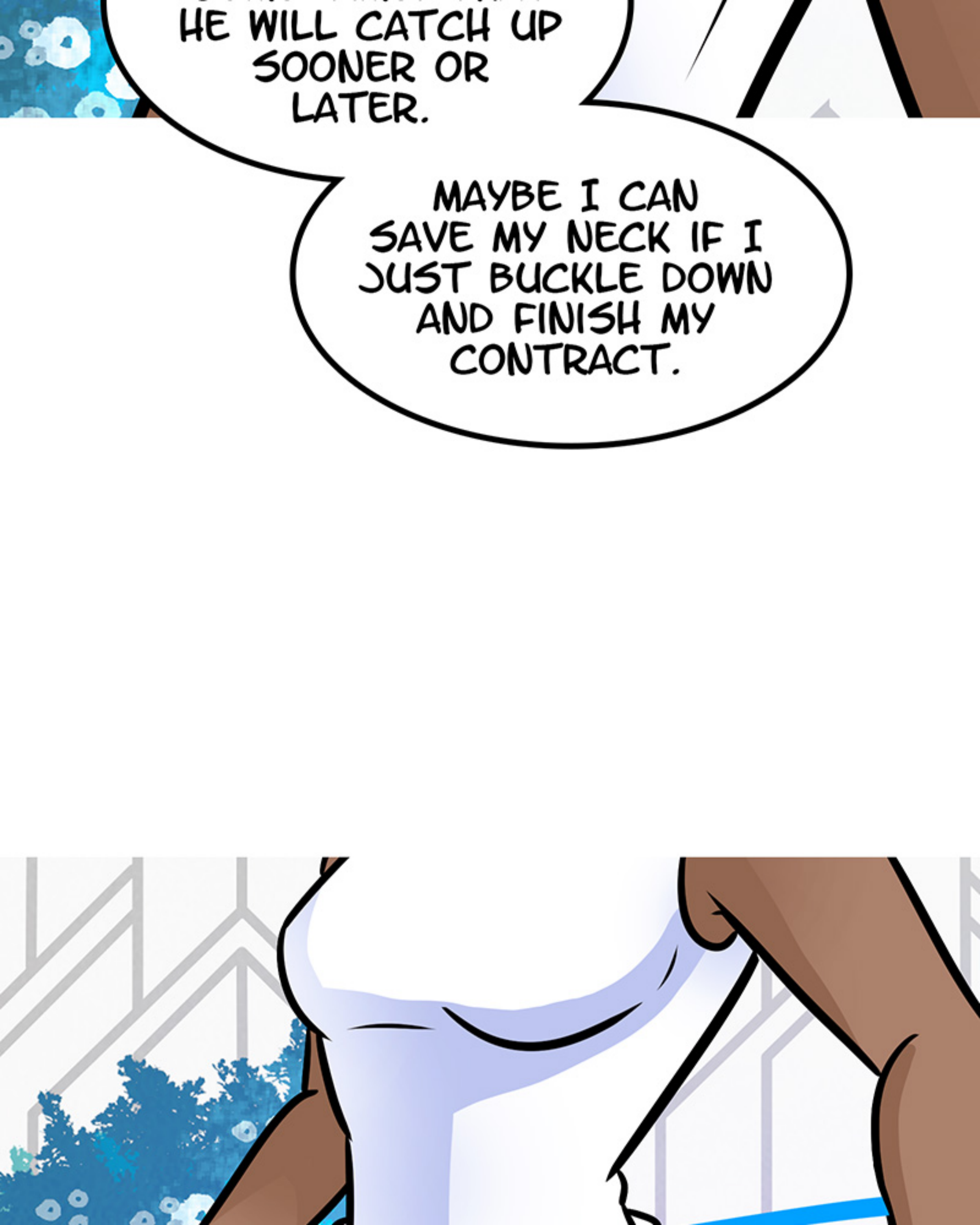


VACATION
PARADISE NOW...
AND THEN
WHAT?

BRIZZ IS
STILL MISSING AND
THE BOT HASN'T
BEEN CAUGHT.



I HAVE TO
FACE REALITY
SOME TIME. THAT

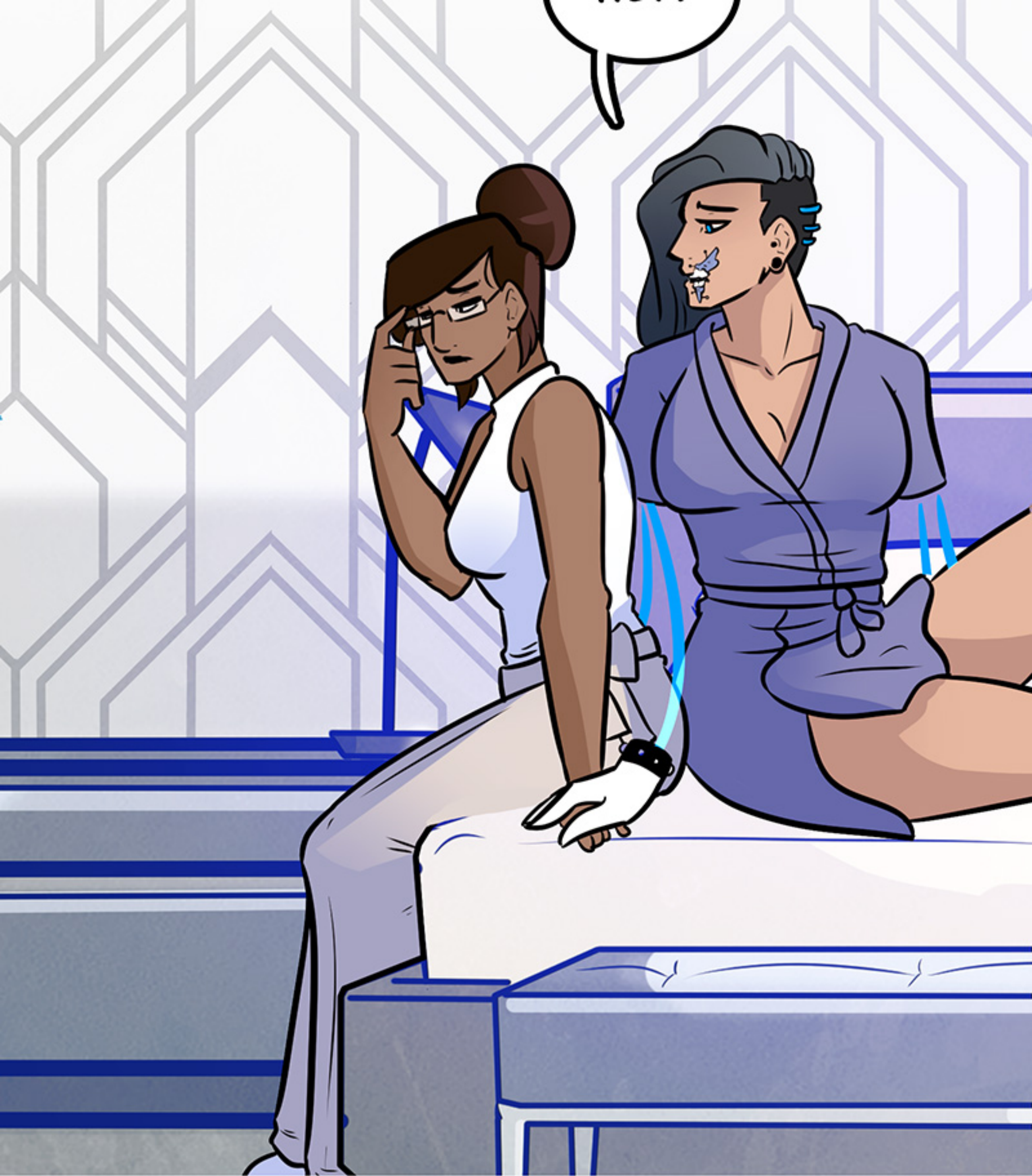


HE WILL CATCH UP
SOONER OR
LATER.

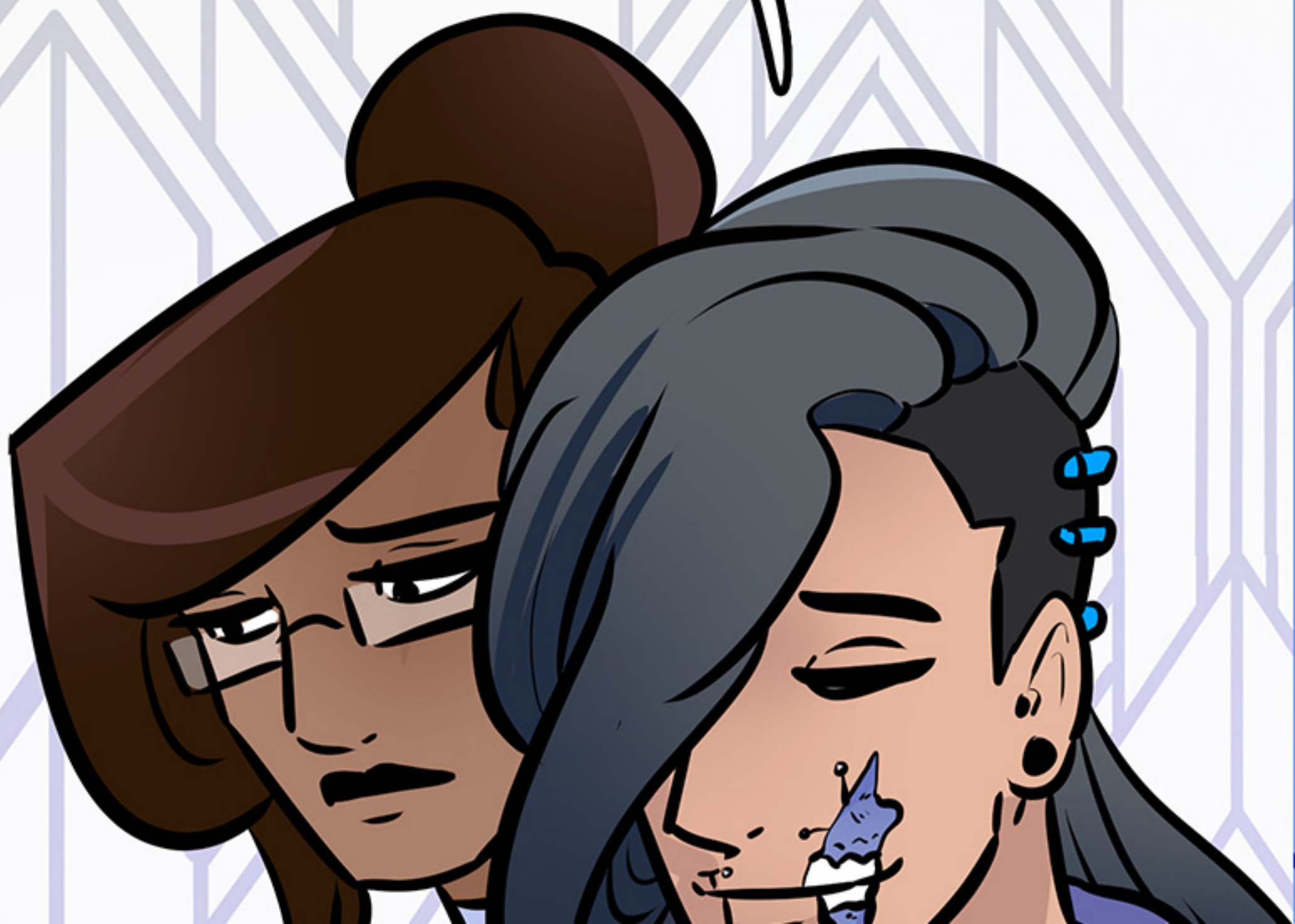
MAYBE I CAN
SAVE MY NECK IF I
JUST BUCKLE DOWN
AND FINISH MY
CONTRACT.

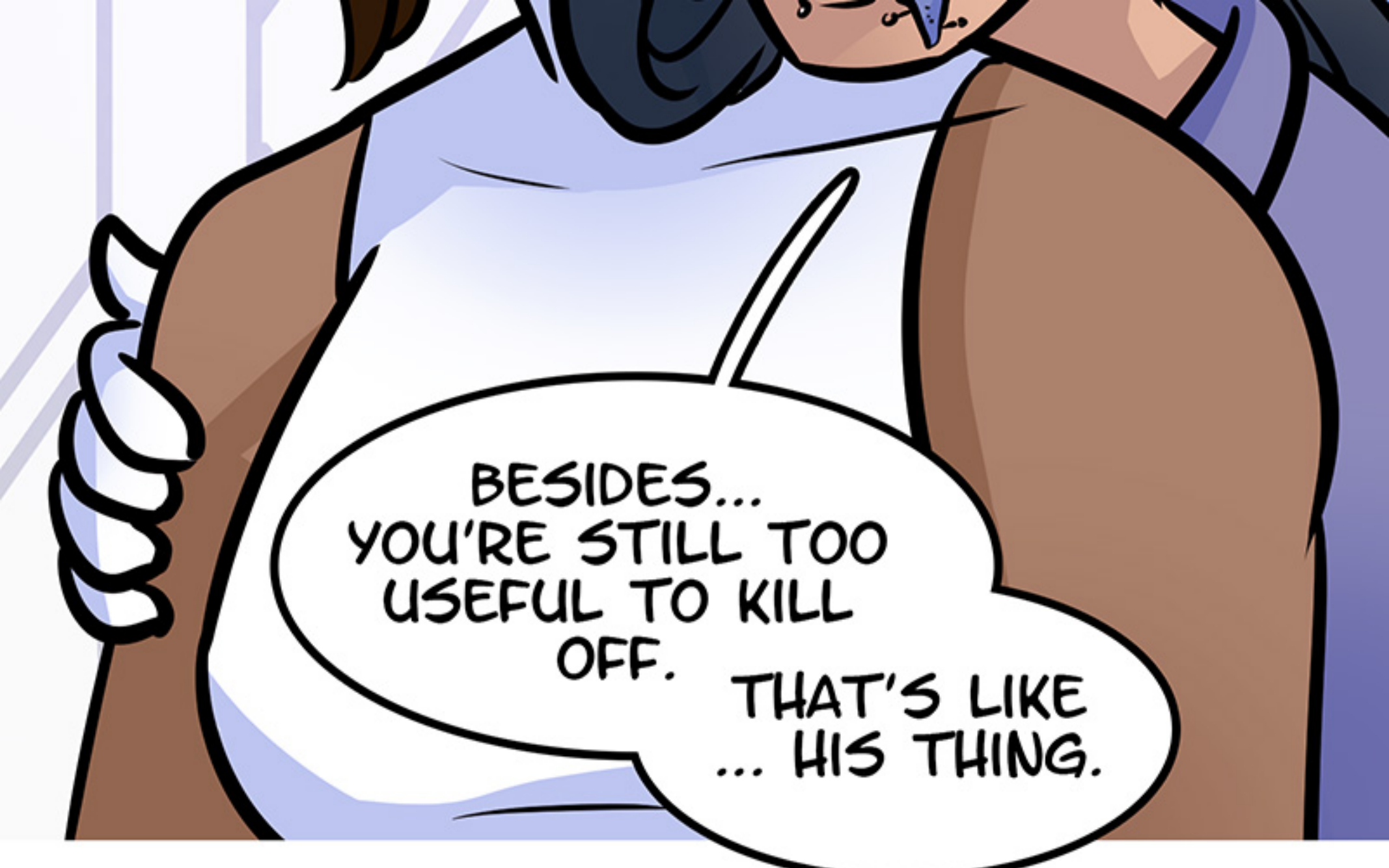


HEY.



I'M NOT
GOING TO LET
HIM HURT YOU,
YOU KNOW.





BESIDES...
YOU'RE STILL TOO
USEFUL TO KILL
OFF. THAT'S LIKE
... HIS THING.



MY USEFULNESS
AS A SECRETARY
WAXES AND WANES

WITH EVERY PASSING
MOMENT.

I DON'T HAVE
THE SAME VALUE
THAT YOU DO.



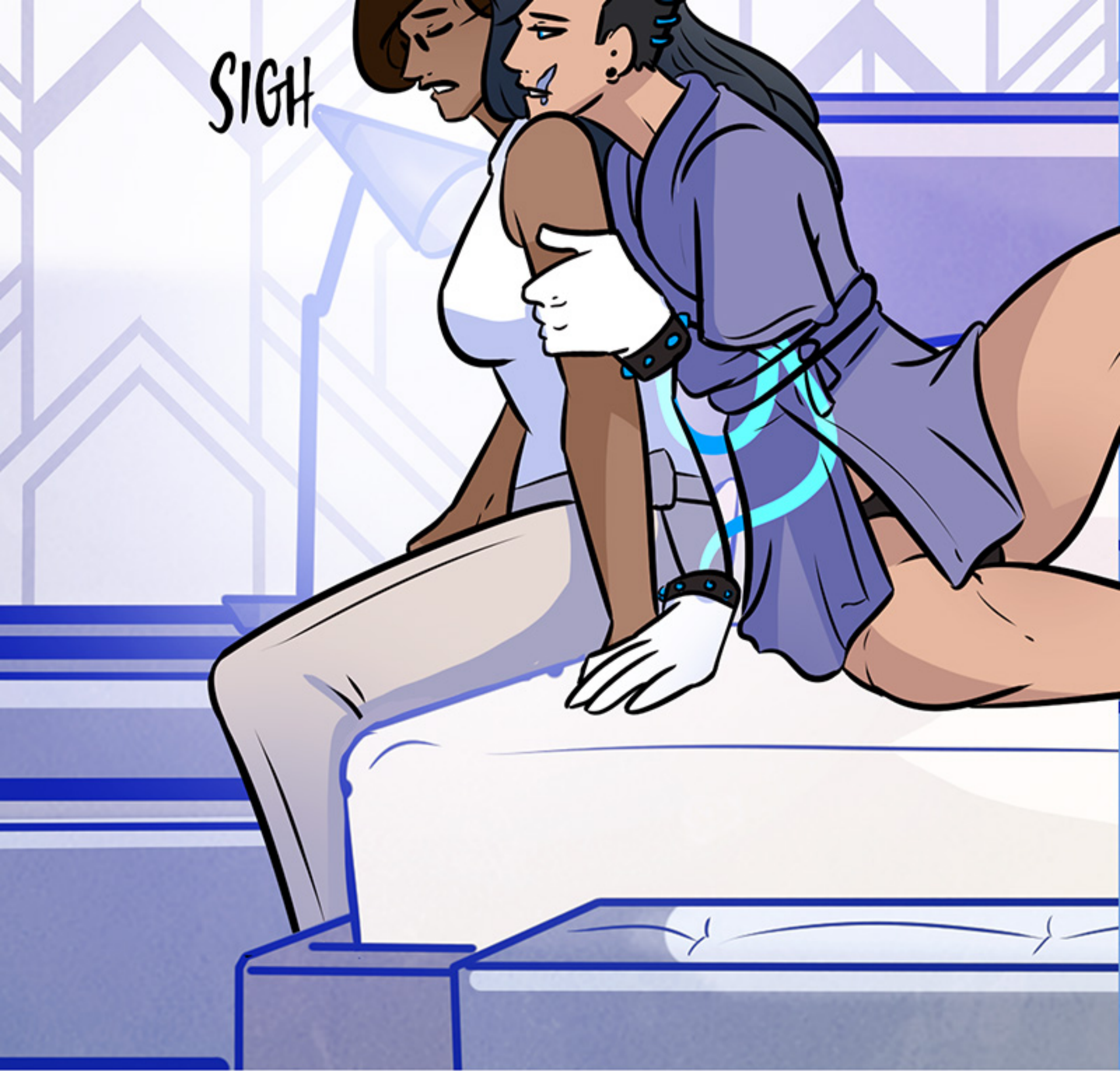


IN FACT I'M
HALF CERTAIN THAT THE
ONLY THING THAT WILL LET
ME SCRAPE BY IS IF HE FELT
KILLING ME WOULD MAKE YOU
5% LESS PRODUCTIVE.



... IT WOULD
BE WAY MORE THAN
5%...

SIGH



I'M FINE.

JUST THINK OF
IT LIKE ME WANTING
TO PERSONALLY ENSURE
YOU LOOK AND SOUND THE
BEST YOU CAN FOR YOUR
PANEL.





BE SURE TO
BE DOWN THERE WITHIN
THE NEXT 30 MINUTES
SO THEY CAN GO OVER
YOUR HAIR AND MAKEUP.

MMM
VERY WELL.

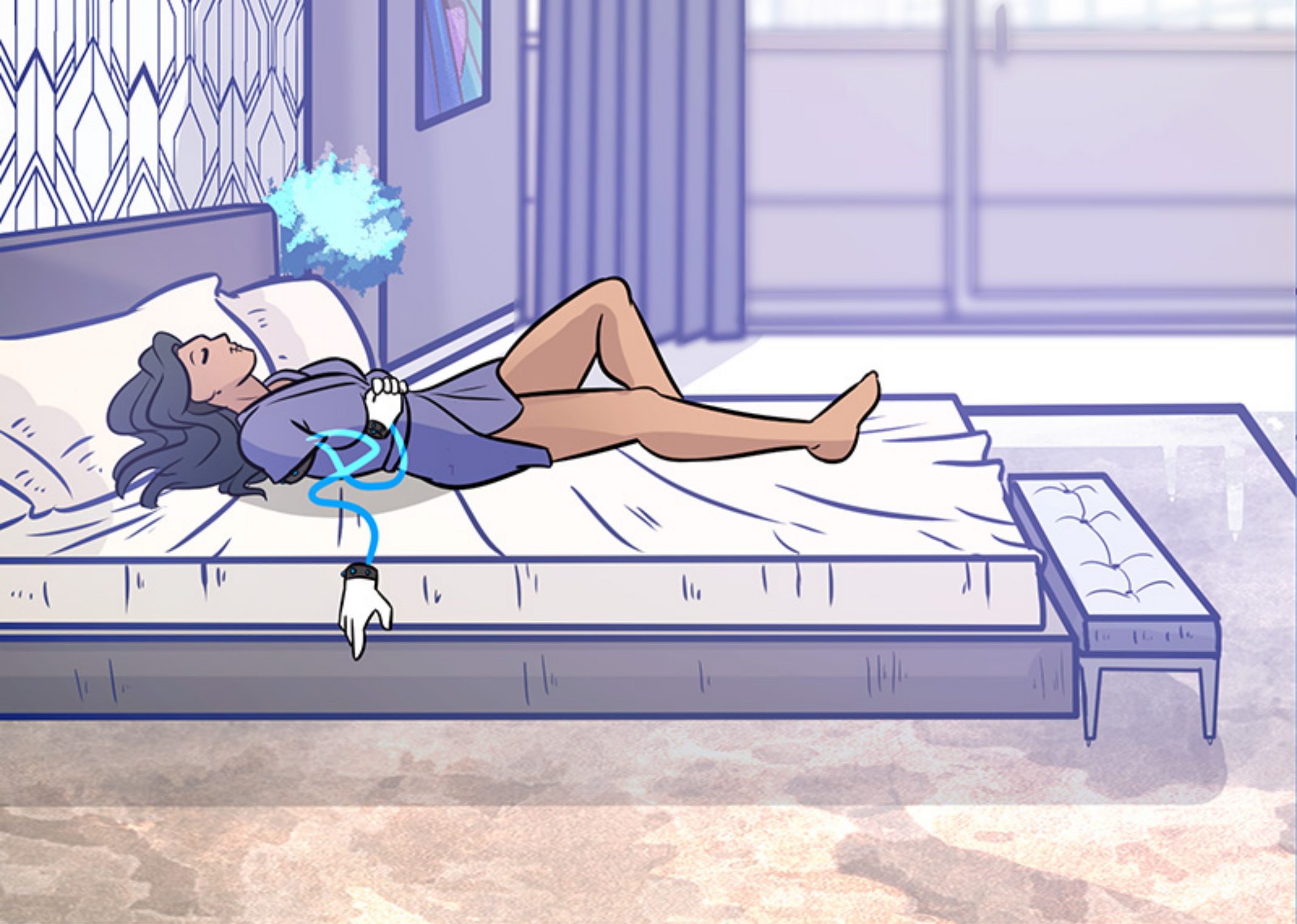
FLOP







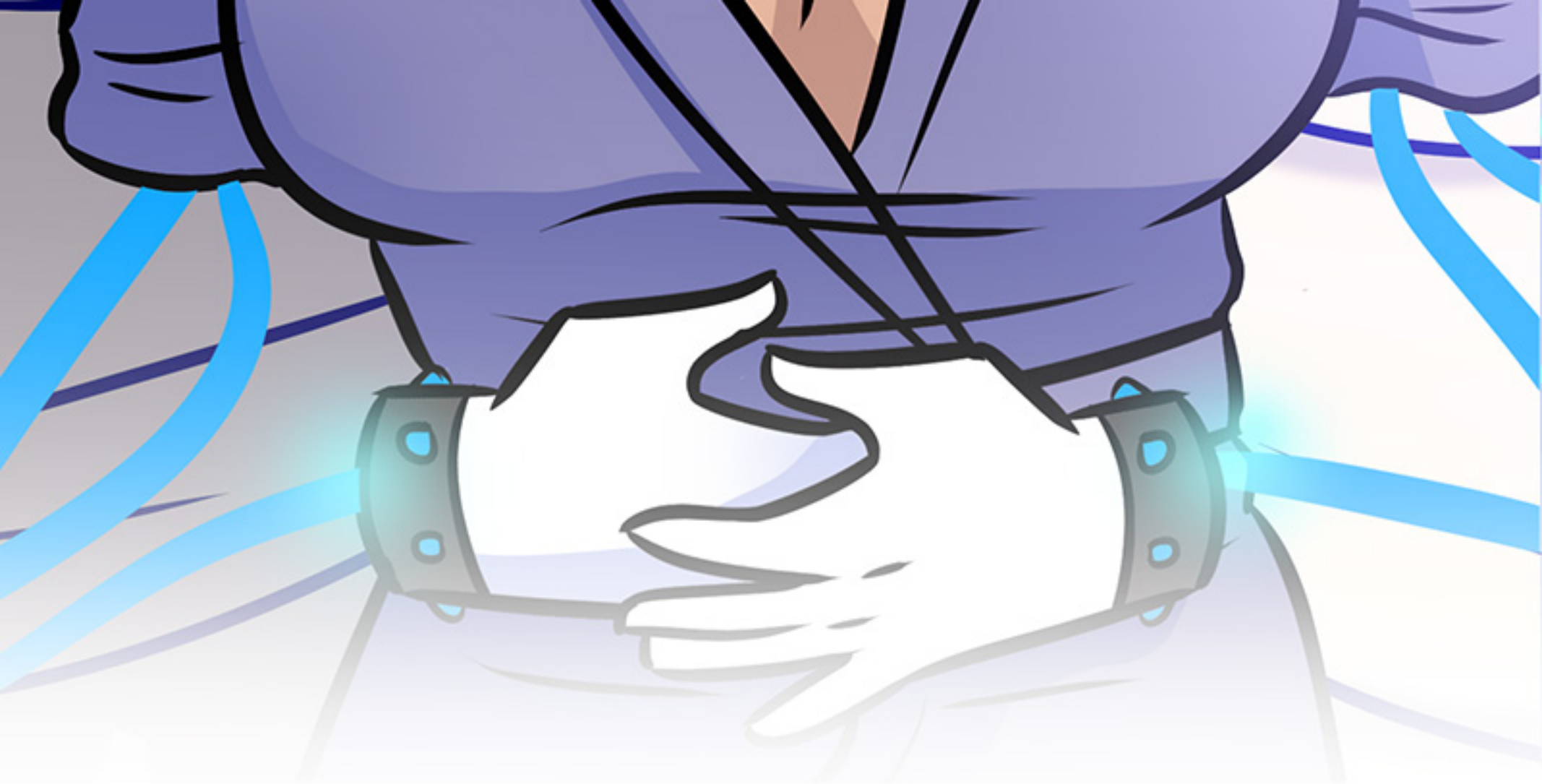




WELL?
DIDN'T YOU
HEAR THE
LADY?

I HAVE
TO GET READY
FOR MY DEBUT.





HOW MUCH
ARE THEY PAYING
YOU TO GIVE A

YOU TO GIVE A
TALK?

YOU HAVEN'T
DONE THAT SINCE
BEFORE THE
ACCIDENT.

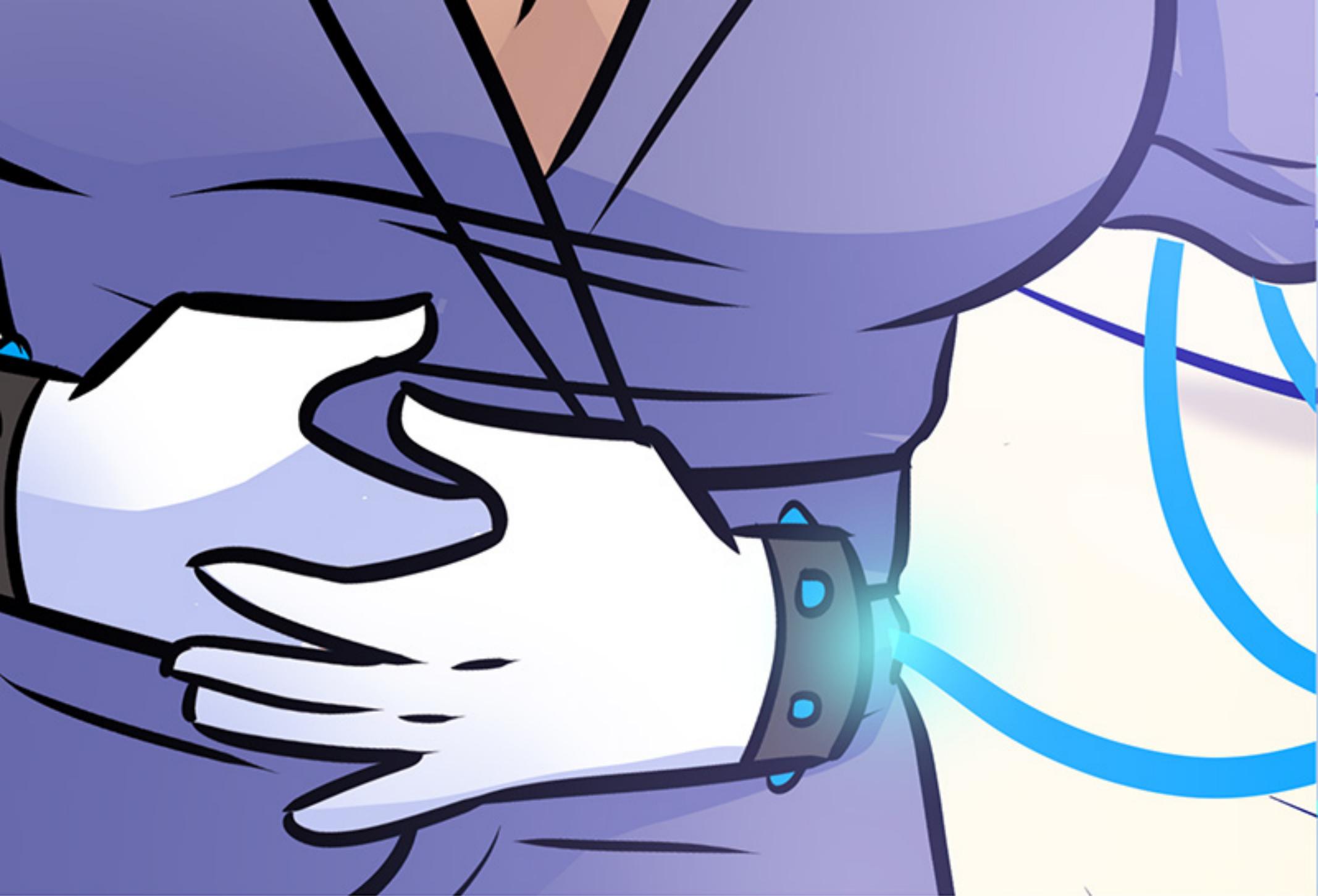


A comic panel featuring a character's head at the bottom, with two speech bubbles. The top bubble contains the text "A DISGUSTING AMOUNT, HONESTLY." and the bottom bubble contains "THEY ARE PAYING FOR THE ROOM TOO!". The background is split into a top purple section with a textured orange and yellow band, and a bottom solid blue section.

A DISGUSTING
AMOUNT, HONESTLY.

THEY ARE
PAYING FOR THE
ROOM TOO!



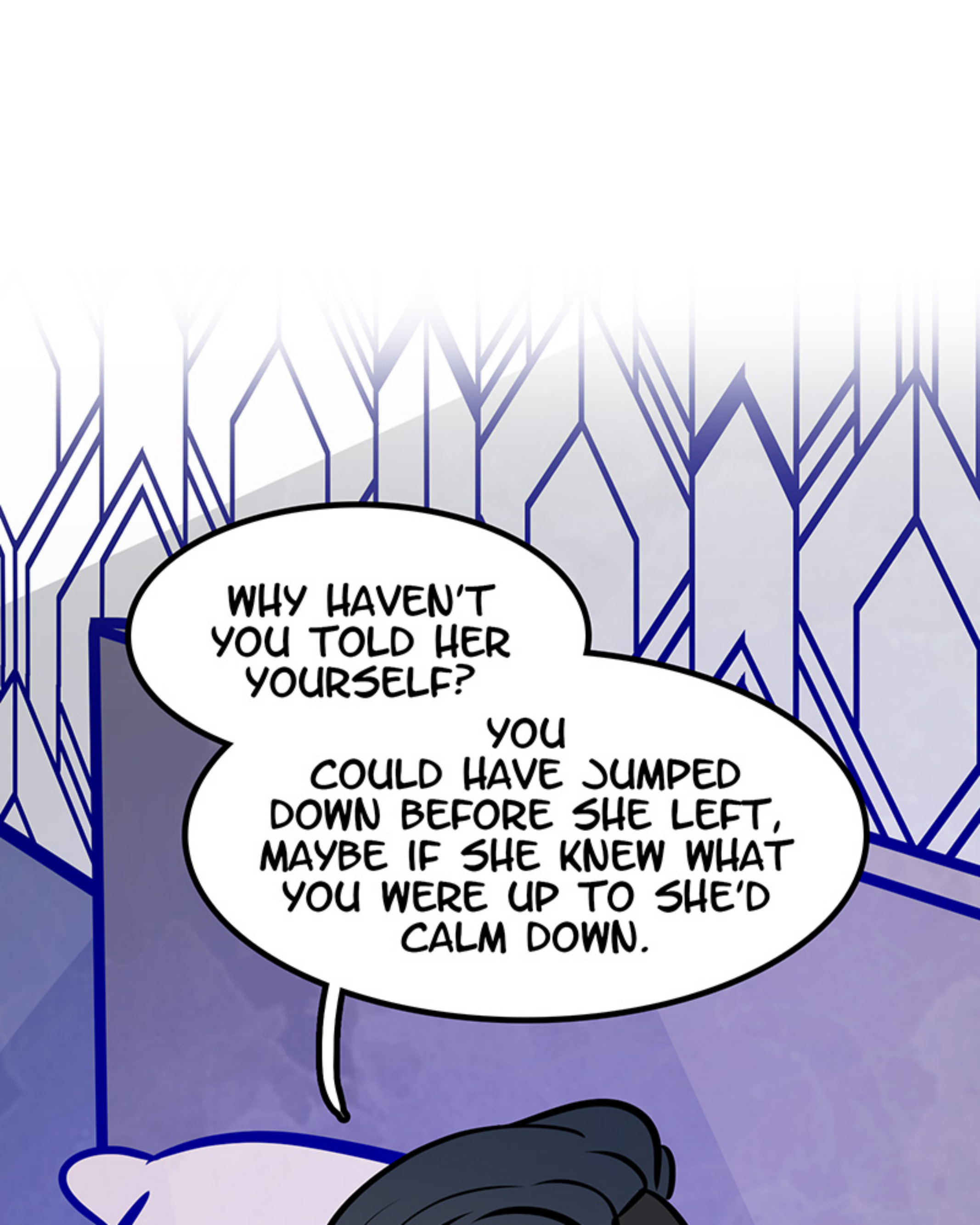


AND YOU'VE
HAD ADLYNN WITH
YOU THIS WHOLE
TIME...

AND HAVEN'T
TOLD HER ABOUT
ANY OF IT...?



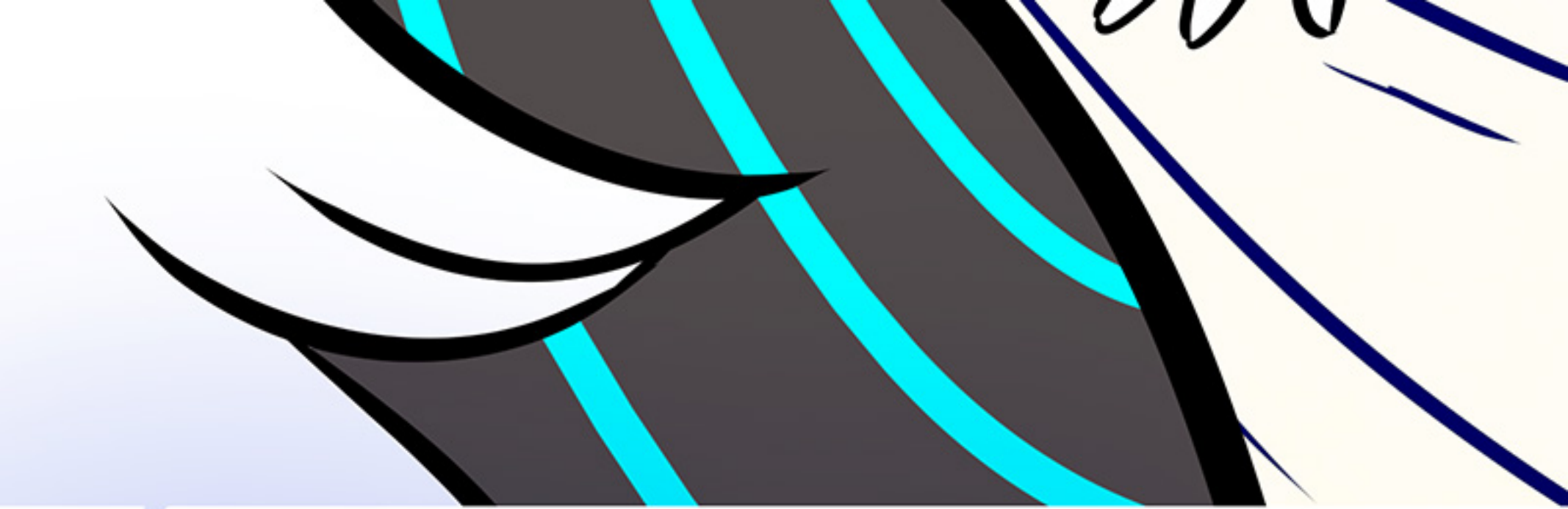




WHY HAVEN'T
YOU TOLD HER
YOURSELF?

YOU
COULD HAVE JUMPED
DOWN BEFORE SHE LEFT,
MAYBE IF SHE KNEW WHAT
YOU WERE UP TO SHE'D
CALM DOWN.





I KNOW
WHY I AM KEEPING
MY DISTANCE. BUT I
DON'T UNDERSTAND
WHY YOU ARE.

TE YOU

IF YOU
CARE ENOUGH
TO 'SHIELD' HER
FROM CHARLES...

IF YOU
CARE ENOUGH
TO 'SHIELD' HER
FROM CHARLES...





I WANT TO
KEEP HER SAFE, BUT
I AM A SCIENTIST TO
MY CORE, BRIZZIU.

I WANT TO
OBSERVE WITH AS
LITTLE INTERFERENCE
AS POSSIBLE.





AND WHAT
EXACTLY ARE
YOU TRYING TO
OBSERVE...

LACEY?





TO WHAT
END?

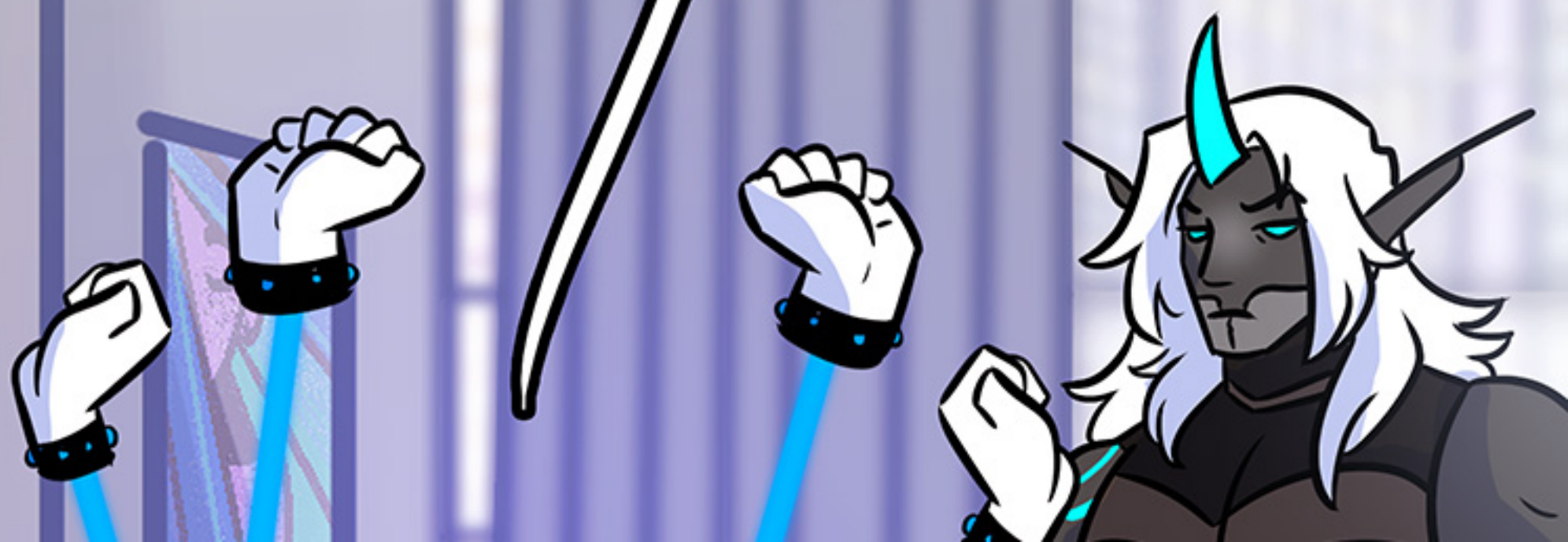
AWWW
YOU SOUND
KIND OF
WORRIED.

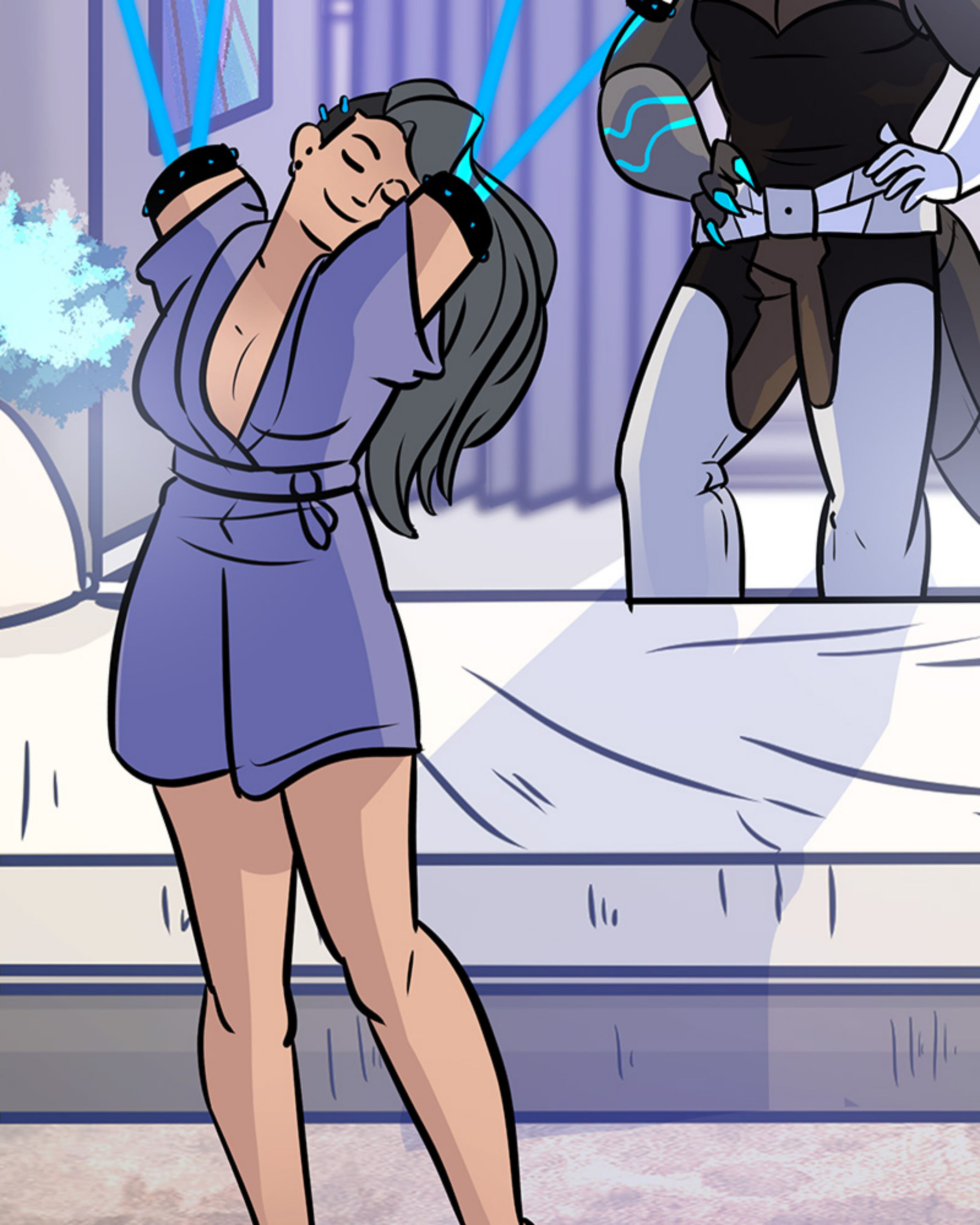
THAT'S
SWEET.





WELL I CAN
TELL YOU HAVE
LOOOOTTSS OF
QUESTIONS.

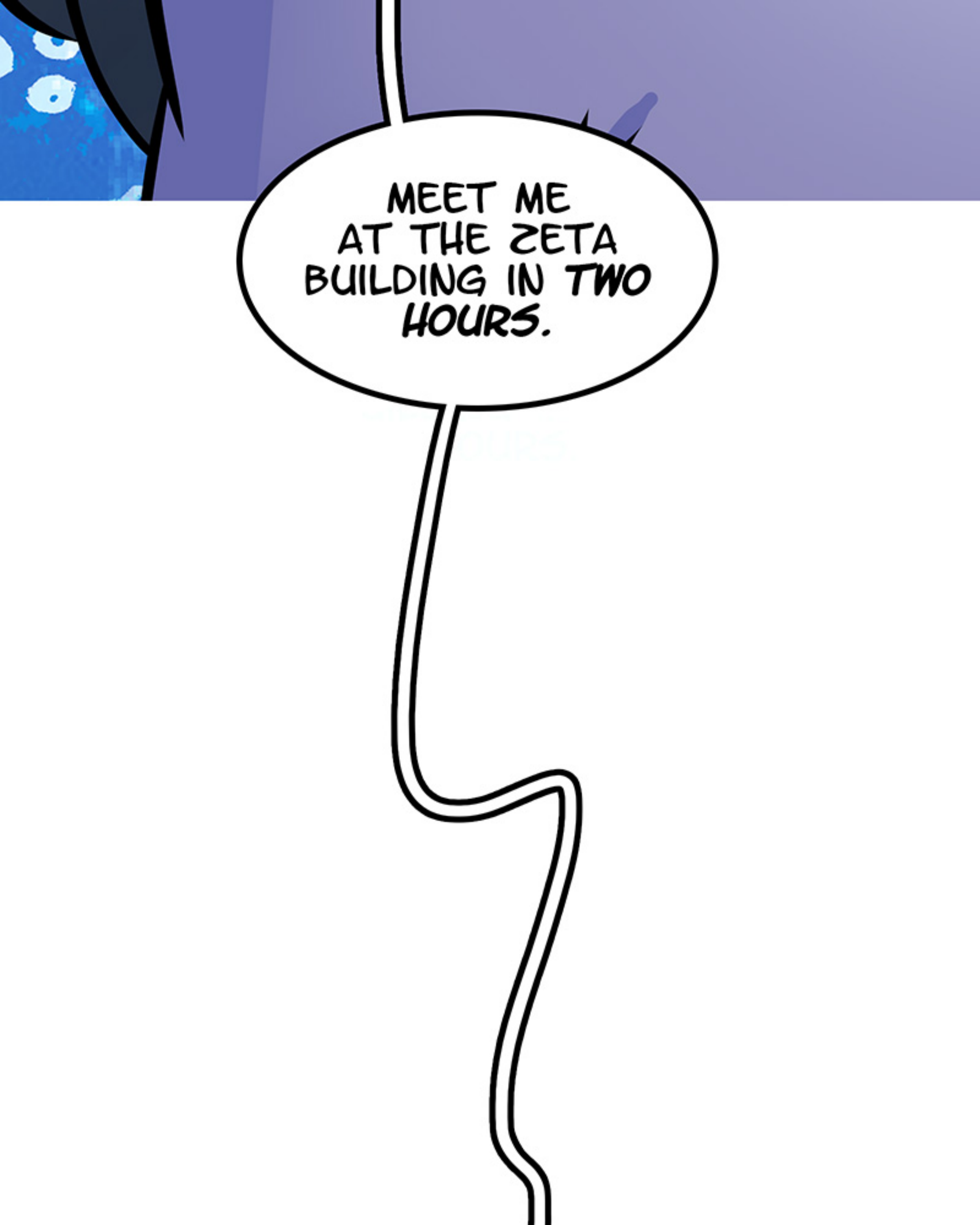






AND I HAVE
A FAVOR TO ASK,
SO WE CAN HELP EACH
OTHER... I'LL EVEN THROW
IN SOME NEW ARMS
THAT MATCH!





MEET ME
AT THE ZETA
BUILDING IN TWO
HOURS.

I HAVE TO
GO TO MY...
ADORING
PUBLIC.

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