





HM...

YOU WIN,
AVALINE.



WIN!?

WIN
WHAT!?

WHAT AM
I SUPPOSED TO
FEEL VICTORIOUS
ABOUT!?





YOU KILLED
MY SISTER!

YOU KILLED
HER JUST SO THAT
YOU COULD MURDER
MORE MEMBERS OF
OUR FAMILY!



I'VE WASTED
SO MUCH OF MY LIFE
TRYING TO PLEASE
YOU-





TRYING TO
JUSTIFY THE WAY YOU
TREATED EVERYONE BECAUSE

YOUR ROLE AS MATRIARCH
WAS STRESSFUL -

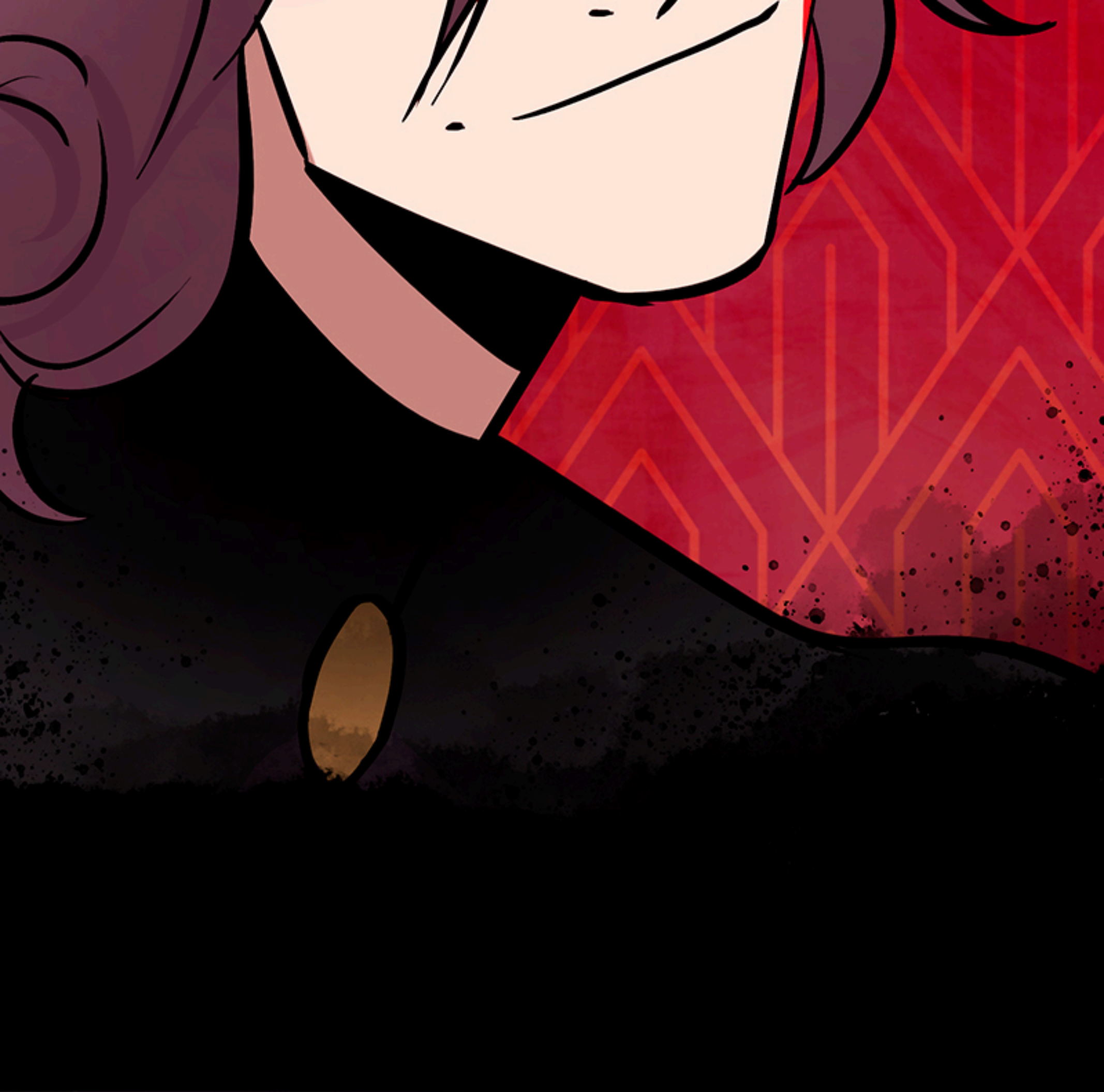


BUT THAT'S
NOT THE CASE
AT ALL-



A close-up illustration of a character with long, straight purple hair. The character's face is partially visible, showing a determined and angry expression with furrowed brows and a slight frown. A prominent red scar runs diagonally across the right side of the face. The character is wearing a purple garment. A white speech bubble with a black outline is positioned above the character's head, containing the text "YOU'RE JUST A HEARTLESS MONSTER!". The background is a dark, textured red with a repeating geometric pattern of orange lines and small red dots.

YOU'RE
JUST A HEARTLESS
MONSTER!

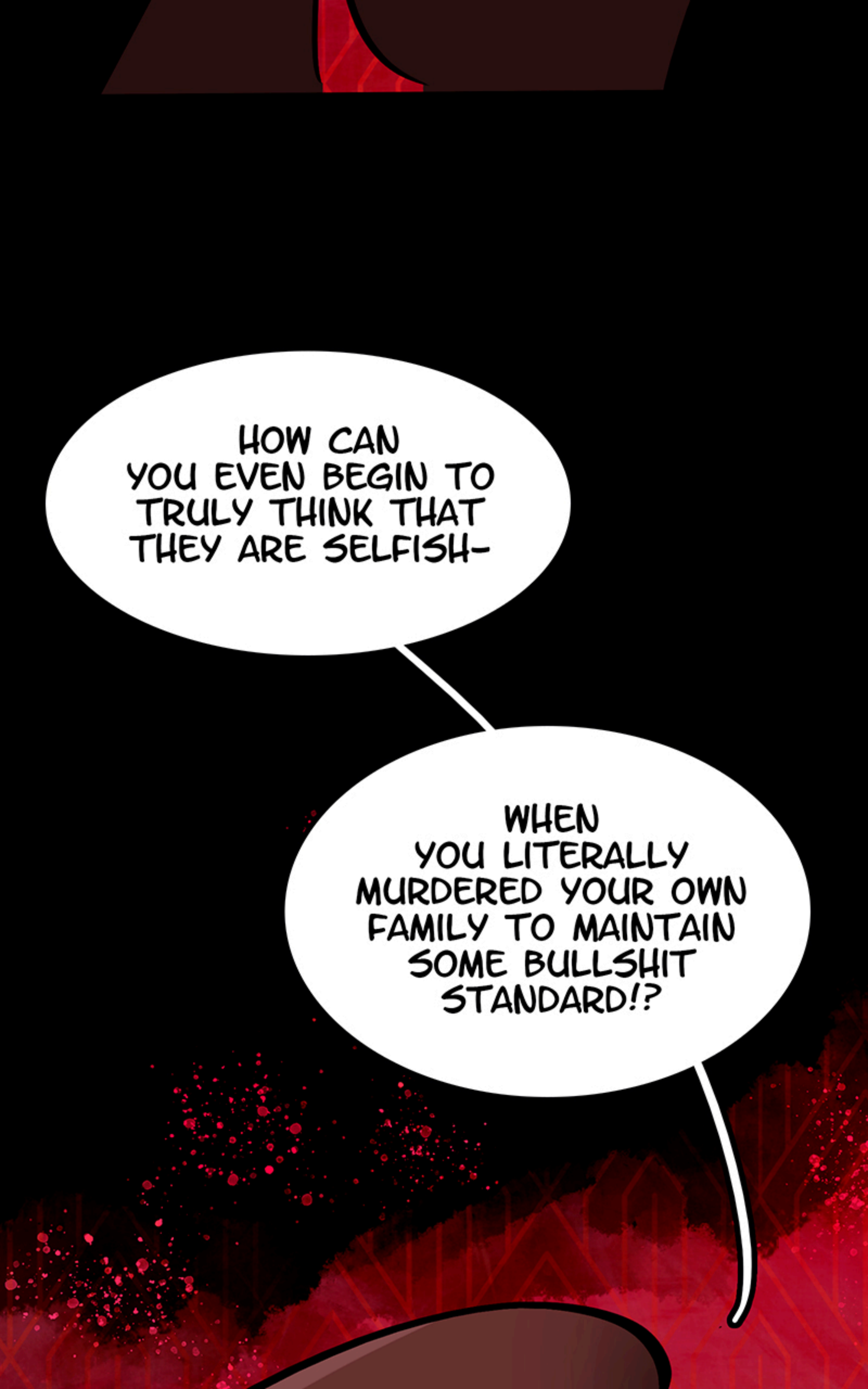


DO YOU
UNDERSTAND WHAT
HAPPENS WHEN YOU
BECOME MATRIARCH?





-YOU CALLED
ABRIELLE AND CAMILLE
SELFISH FOR DOING
THINGS OUTSIDE OF
THE FAMILY-

A comic panel with a black background. At the top, a small portion of a character's head and a red, textured object are visible. Two white speech bubbles are present. The first bubble is at the top left, and the second is below it to the right. The background features a dark red, textured area at the bottom with a pattern of thin, intersecting lines.

HOW CAN
YOU EVEN BEGIN TO
TRULY THINK THAT
THEY ARE SELFISH-

WHEN
YOU LITERALLY
MURDERED YOUR OWN
FAMILY TO MAINTAIN
SOME BULLSHIT
STANDARD!?



YOU ARE THE
SELFISH ONE FOR
REFUSING TO
CHANGE!



CAN'T
YOU SEE
THAT!?

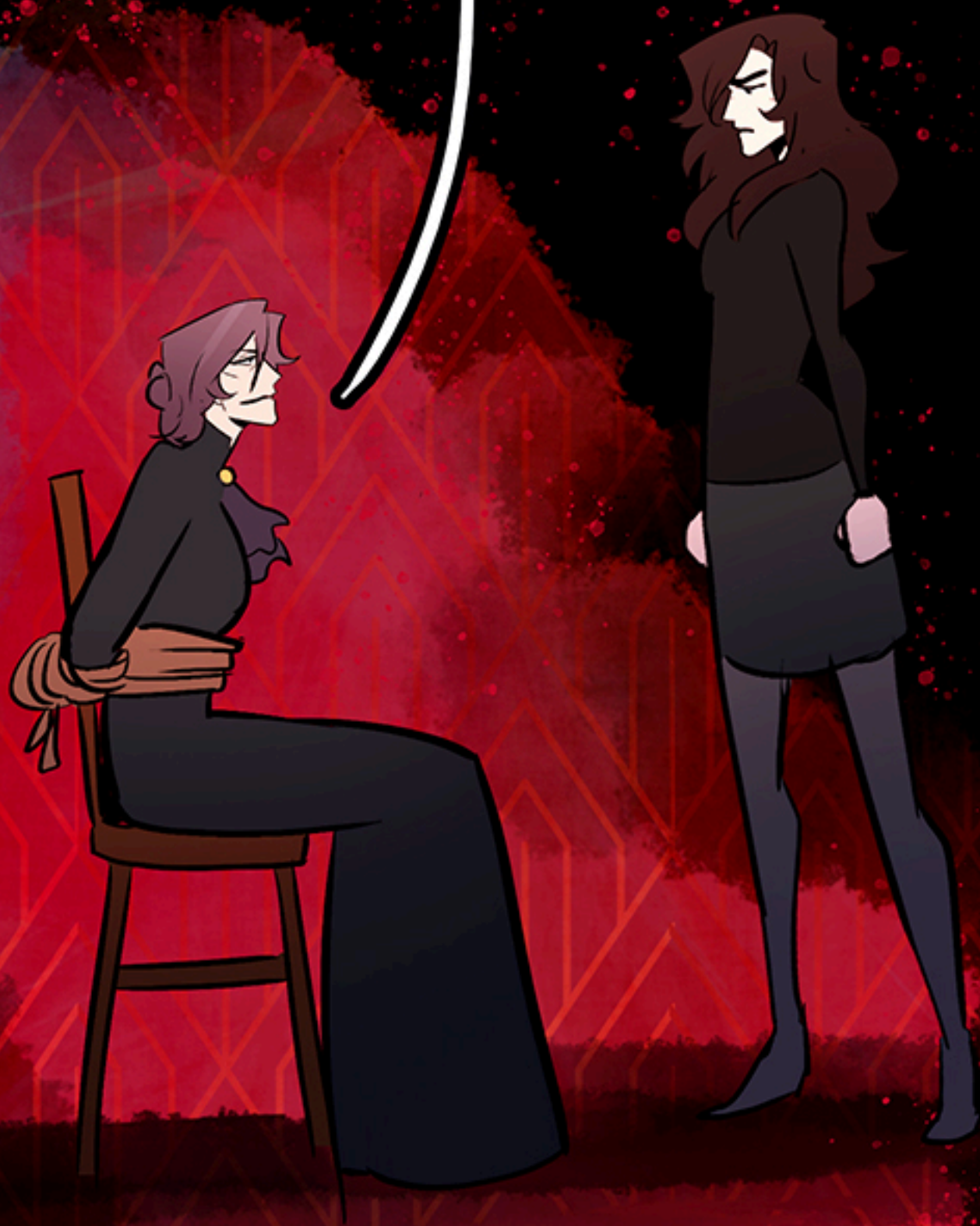
IT'S NOT
JUST A TITLE...
YOU CAN FEEL IT
IN YOUR BLOOD...





YOU CAN
FEEL THE NEW
POWER

POWER =



AND SO
CAN YOUR
FAMILIAR.



WHAT THE
FUCK ARE YOU
TALKING ABOUT!?





FAMILIARS
ARE LOW LEVEL DEMONS
THAT USUALLY TAKE ON A
LESS CONSPICUOUS FORM
TO LIVE HERE.



BUT WHEN YOU
BECOME A MATRIARCH THEY
HAVE TROUBLE MAINTAINING
THEIR FORM BECAUSE
OF THAT POWER...



IT TAKES A
GREAT DEAL OF...
CONTROL... TO
MAINTAIN IT...



SHUT UP!



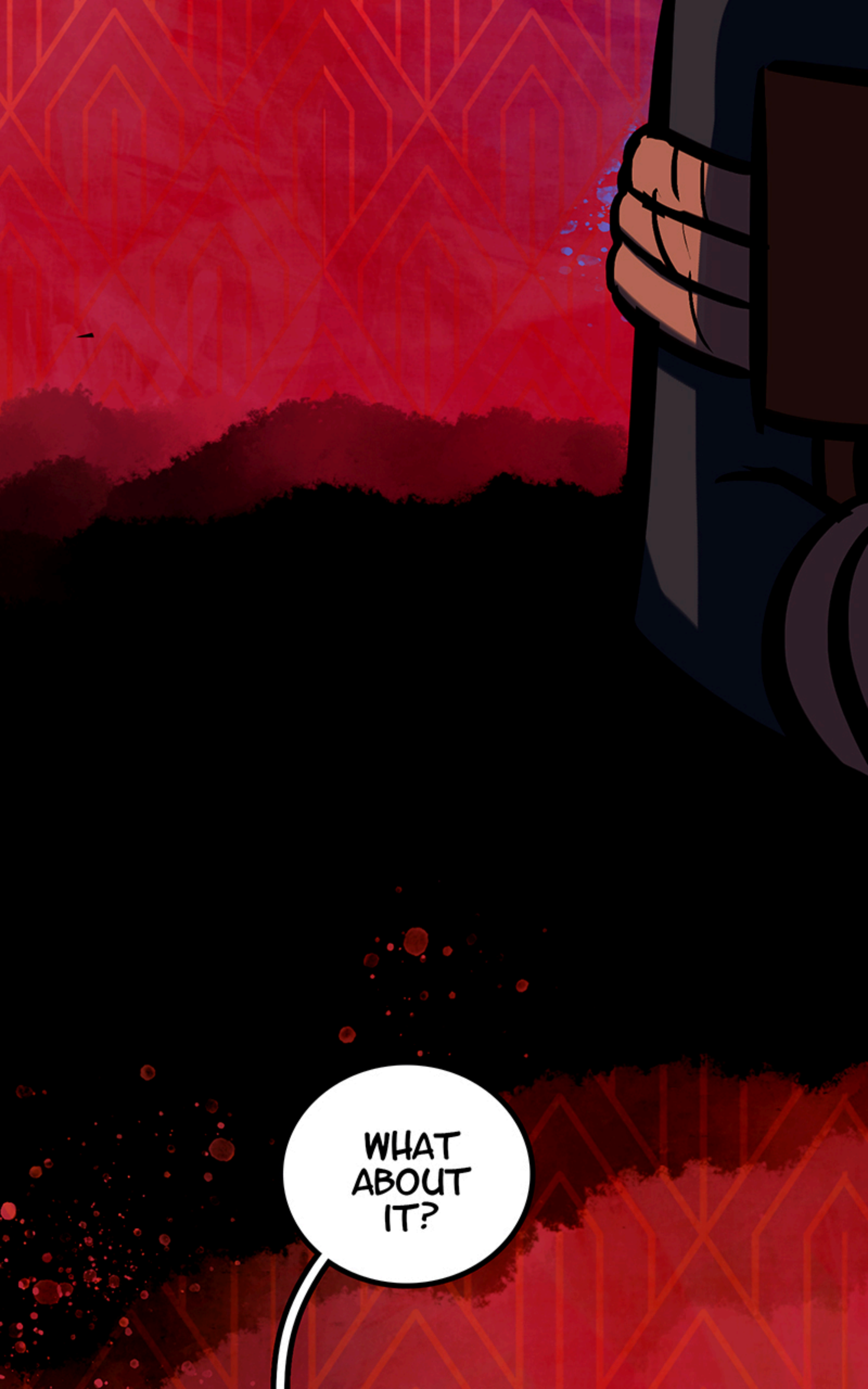


WHAT DOES
THAT HAVE TO DO
WITH ANYTHING THAT
I'M SAYING!?



A comic book panel featuring a brown door with a small, glowing orange keyhole. The door is set against a wall with red wallpaper that has a repeating geometric pattern of interlocking hexagons. To the left of the door, a portion of a dark wooden cabinet or shelf is visible, containing several white, rectangular objects. A large, white speech bubble with a black outline originates from the right side of the frame and points towards the door. The background above the door is dark and filled with numerous small, red, circular specks, resembling blood splatters or dust. The overall style is that of a hand-drawn comic book.

YOU LOCKED
MY FAMILIAR IN THE
CLOSET.



WHAT
ABOUT
IT?



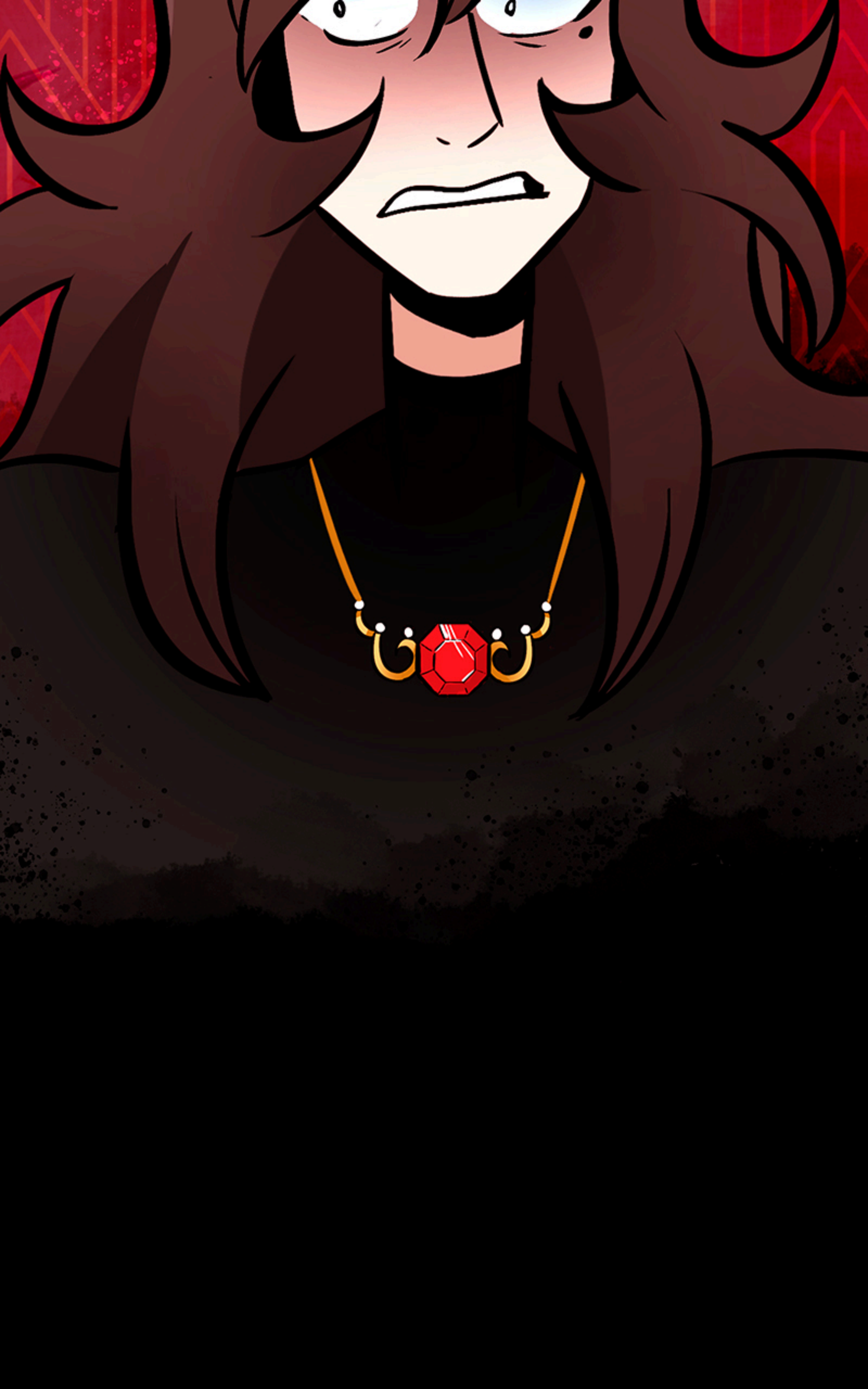


AND YOU DIDN'T
EVEN BOTHER PUTTING
A BLOOD SEAL AROUND
HIM.



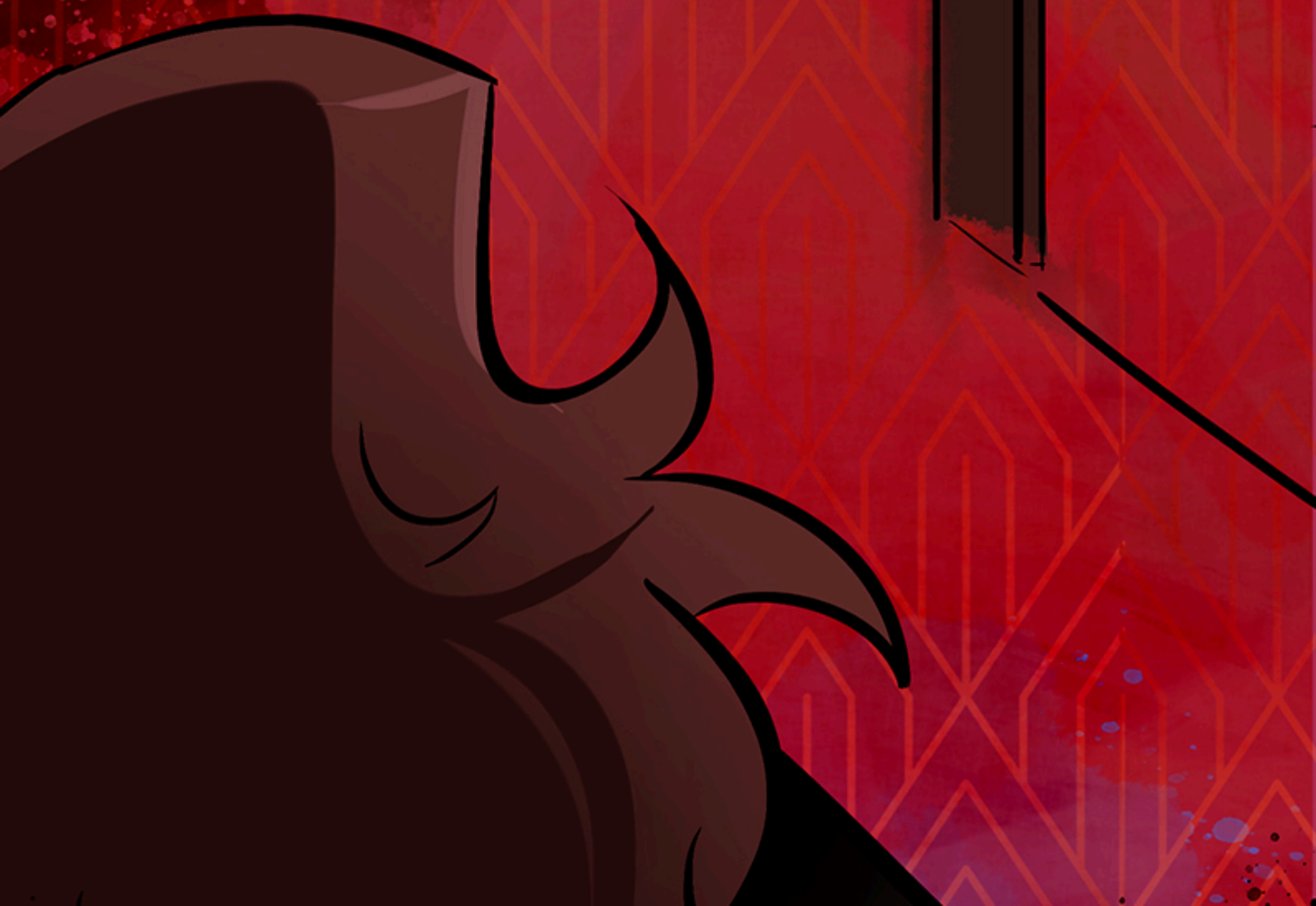
STUPID
AND SHORT SIGHTED.
AS ALWAYS.

A stylized illustration of a character with brown hair and blue eyes, looking upwards. The background is dark red with a repeating geometric pattern and a large, white, stylized text 'HISSSSSSS'.



HISSSSSSSS

HISSSSSSSS







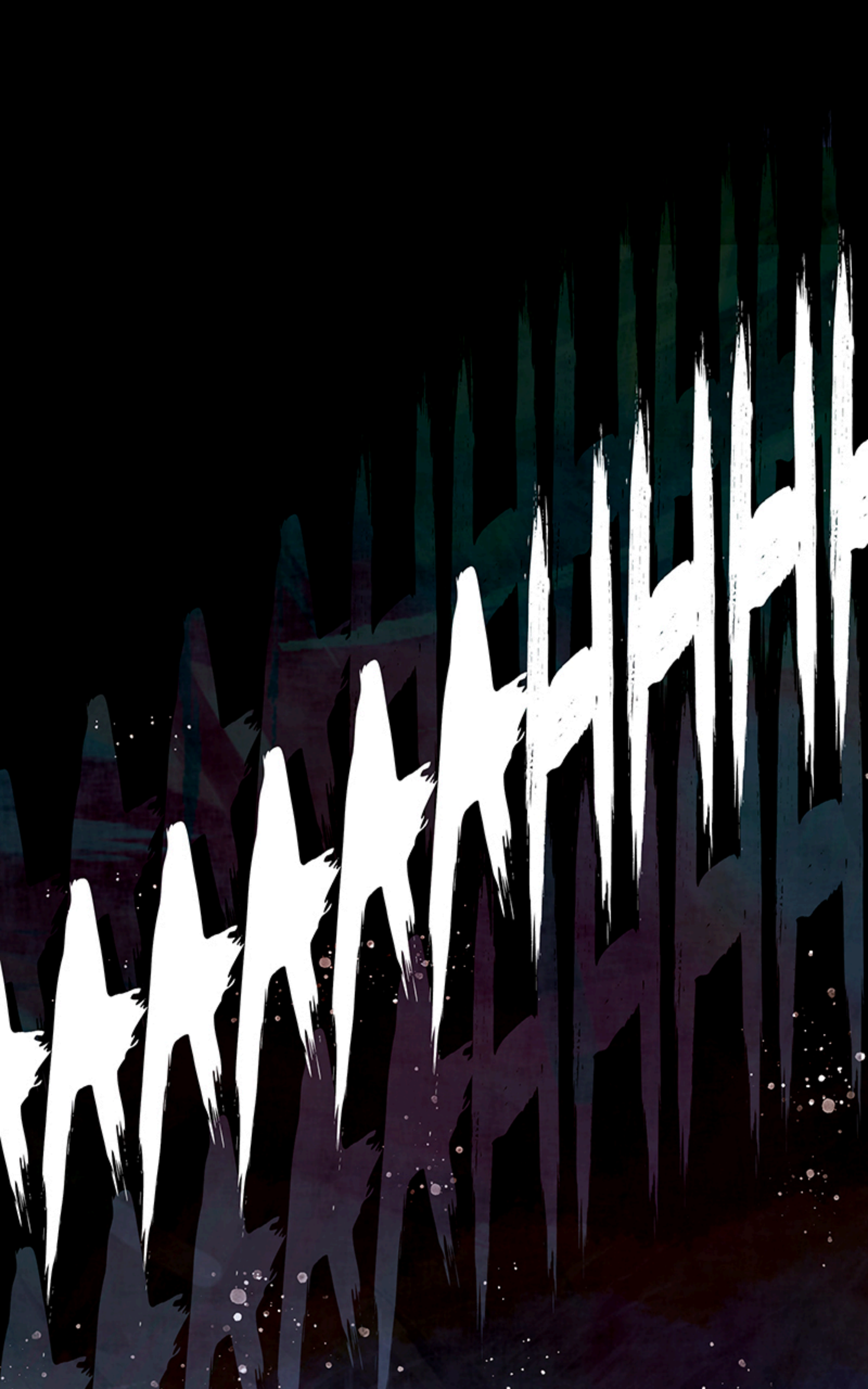
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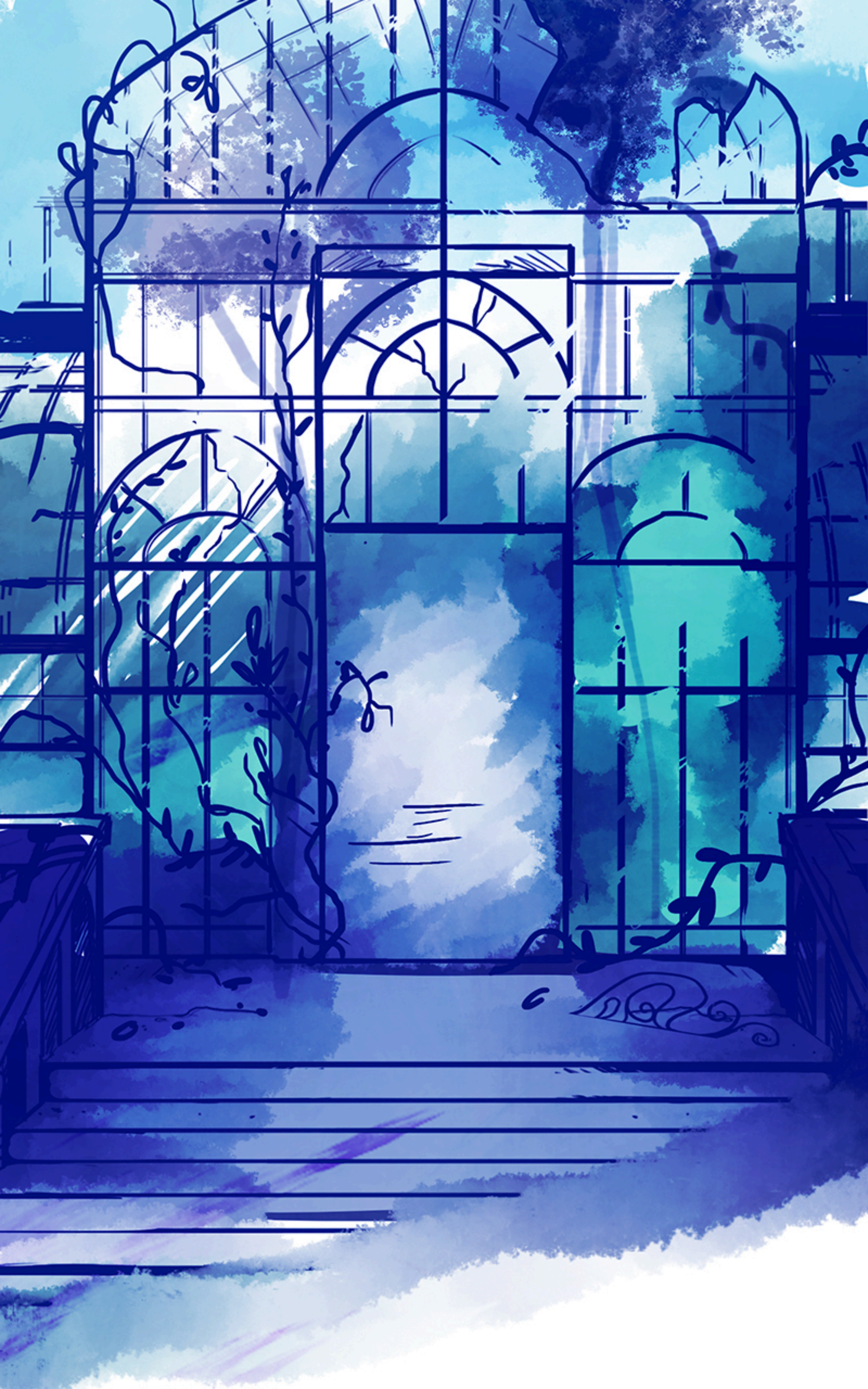






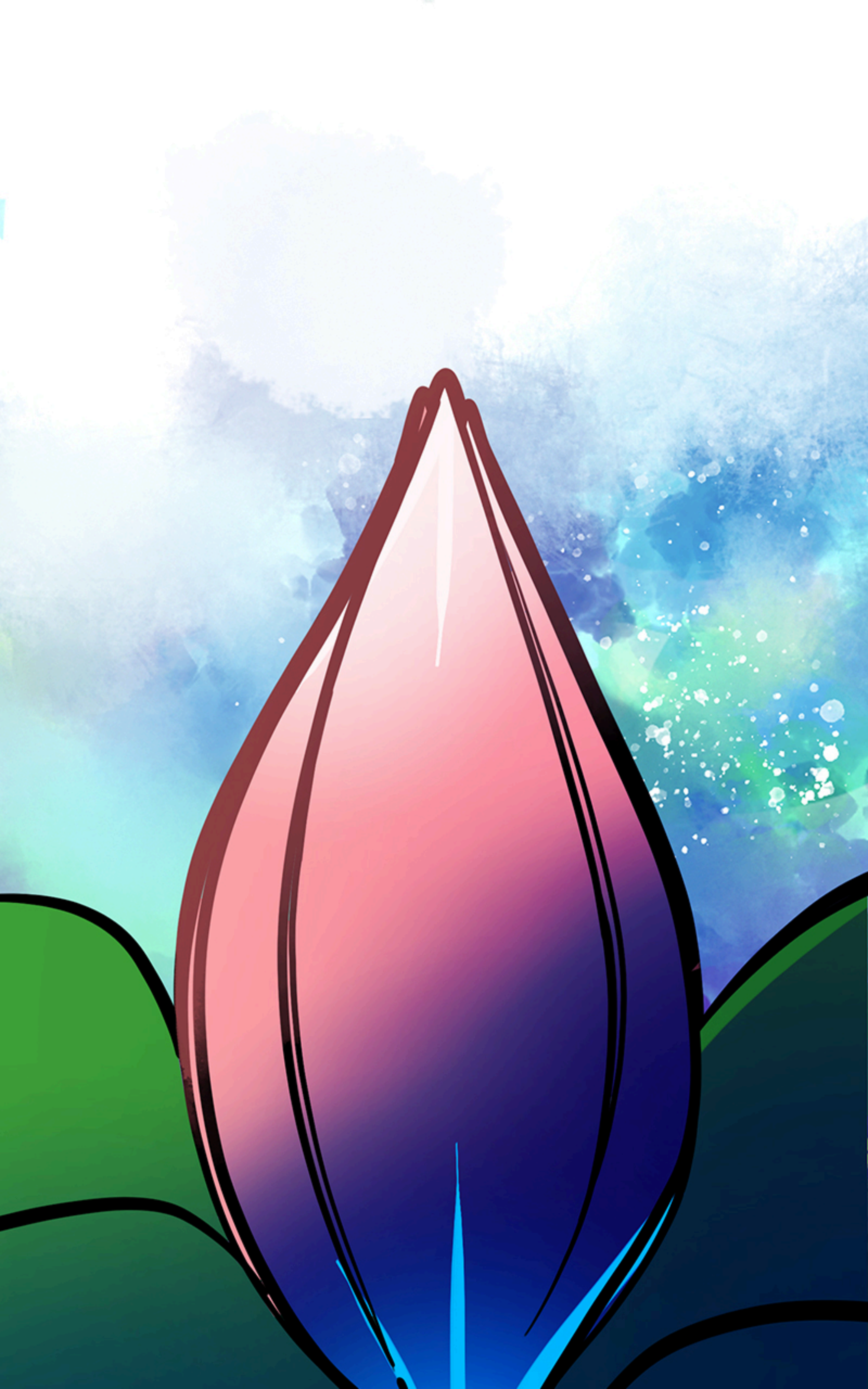
















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CAMILLE...

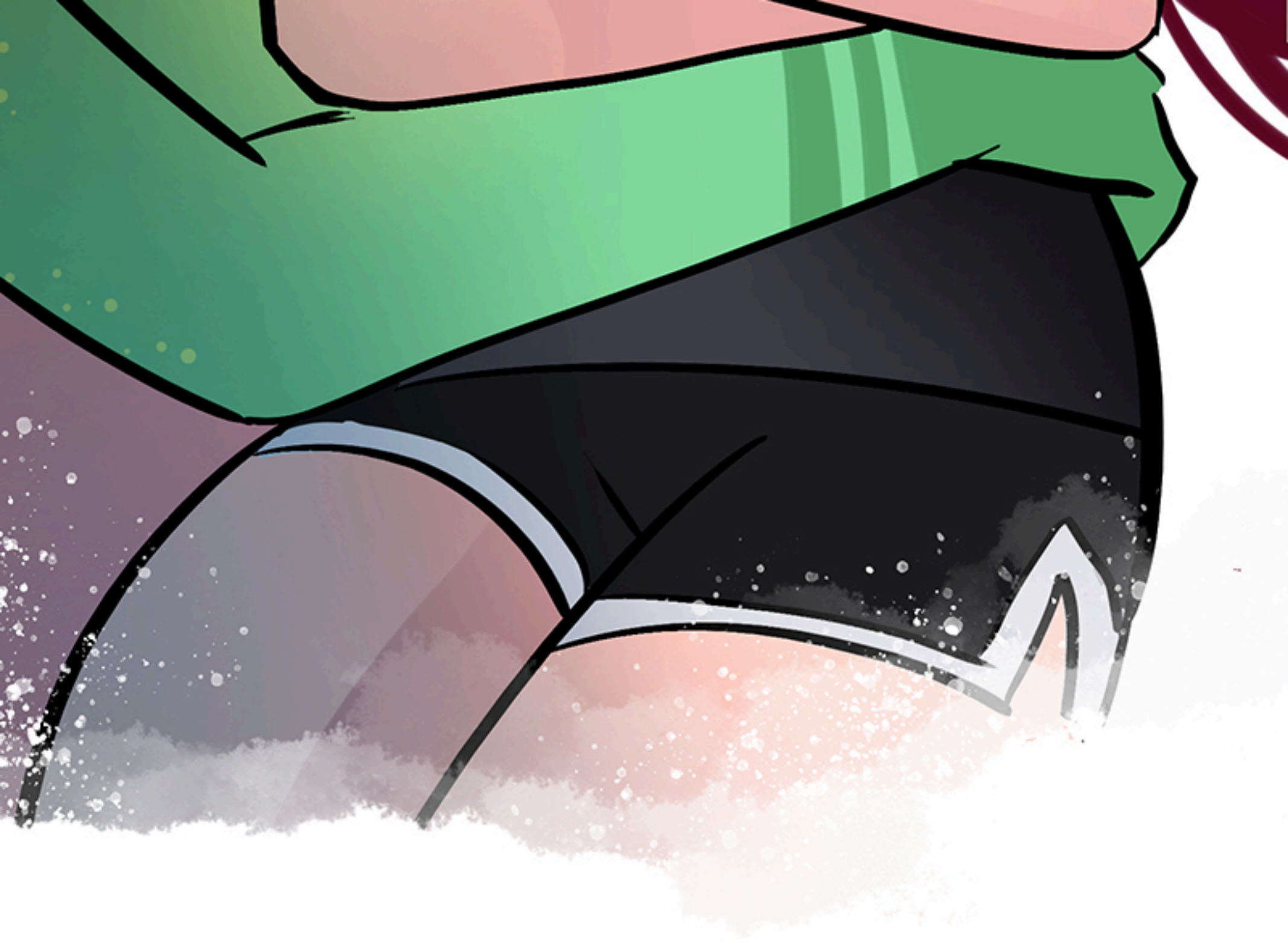




IT'S
MORNING.



MMNN...



HAVE YOU
GOTTEN ANY
MESSAGES FROM
AVALINE?



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