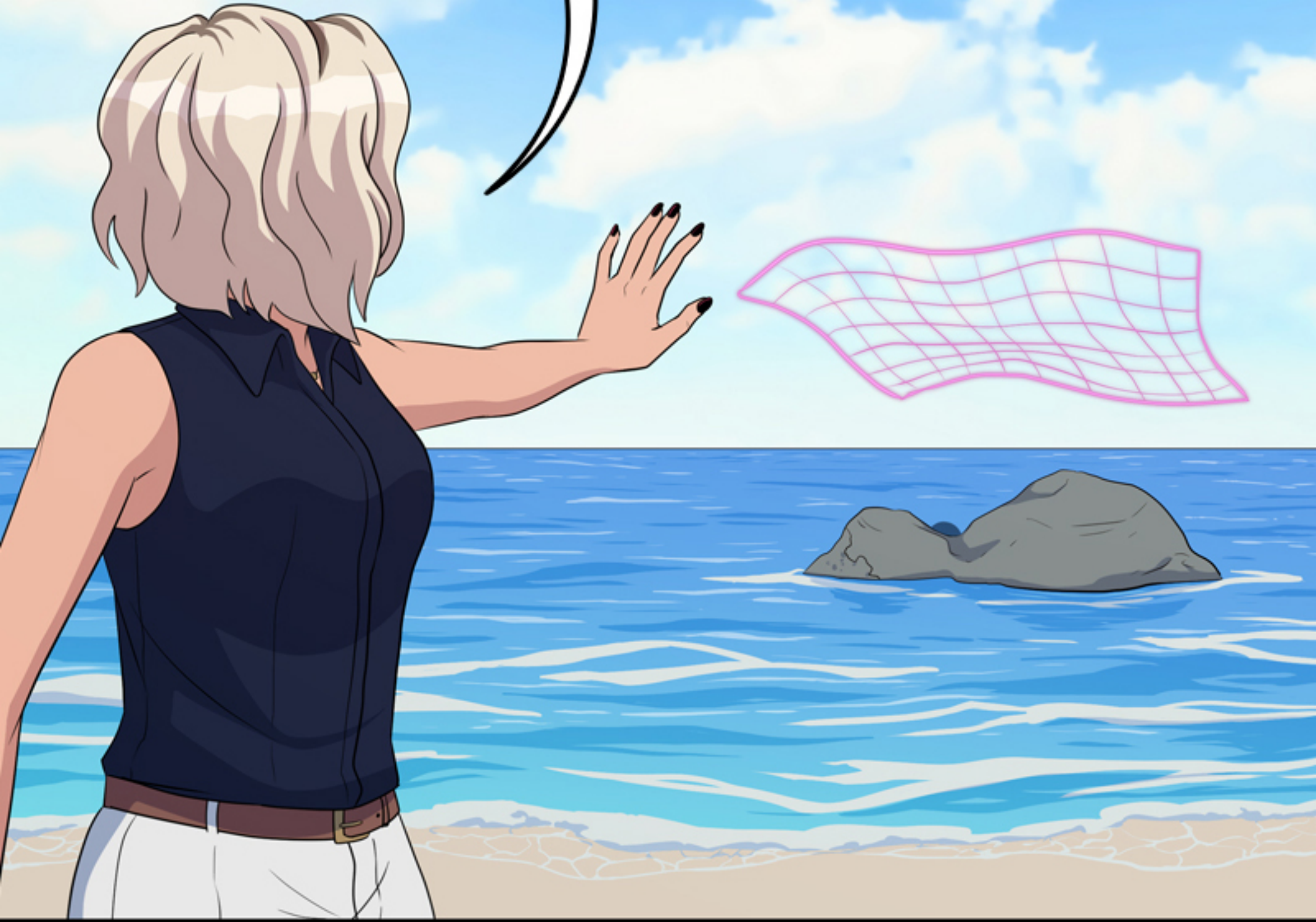


MARIS?

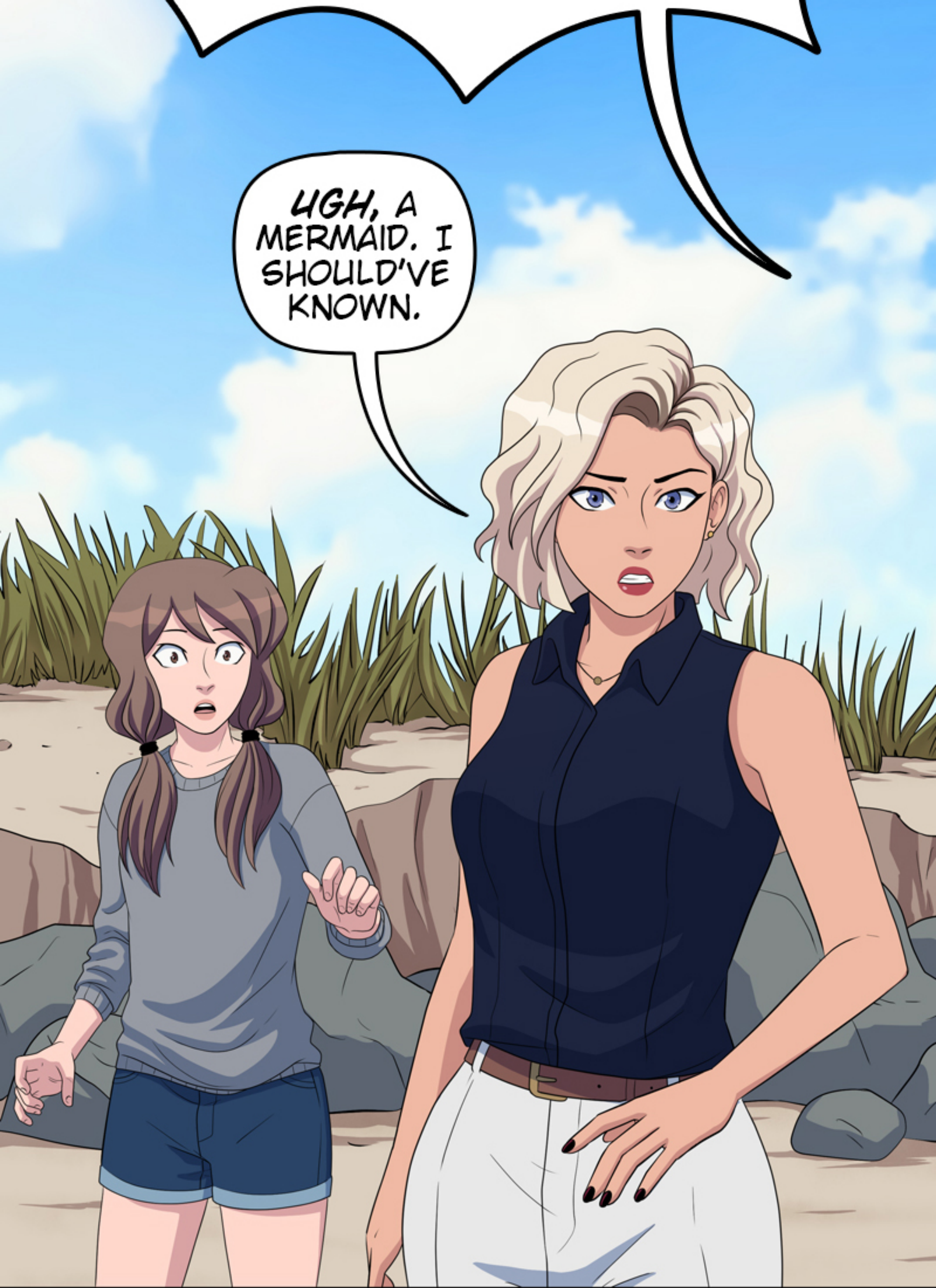




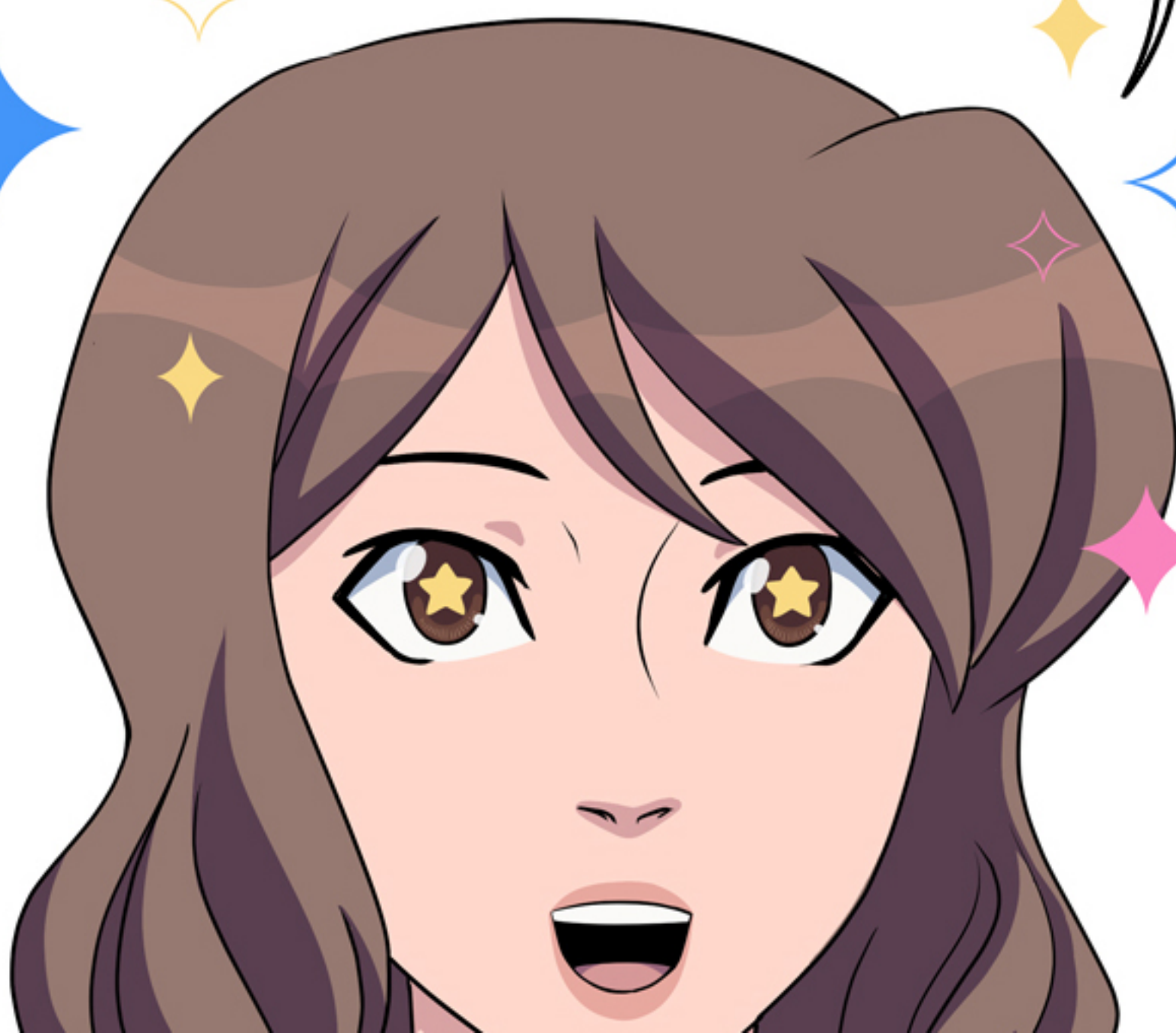


AUGHH!

UGH, A
MERMAID. I
SHOULD'VE
KNOWN.



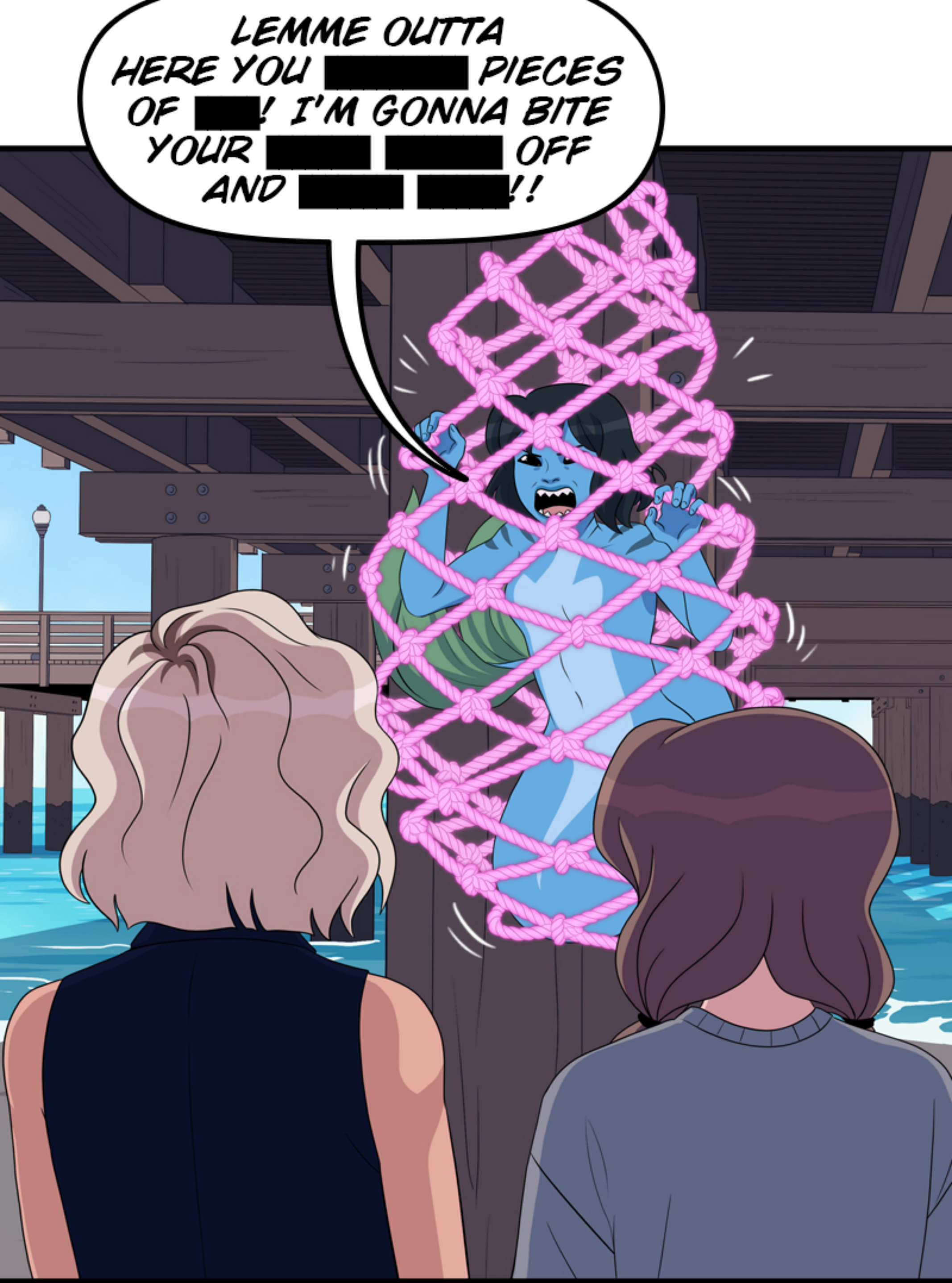
MERMAID?







LEMME OUTTA
HERE YOU [REDACTED] PIECES
OF [REDACTED]! I'M GONNA BITE
YOUR [REDACTED] [REDACTED] OFF
AND [REDACTED] [REDACTED]!!

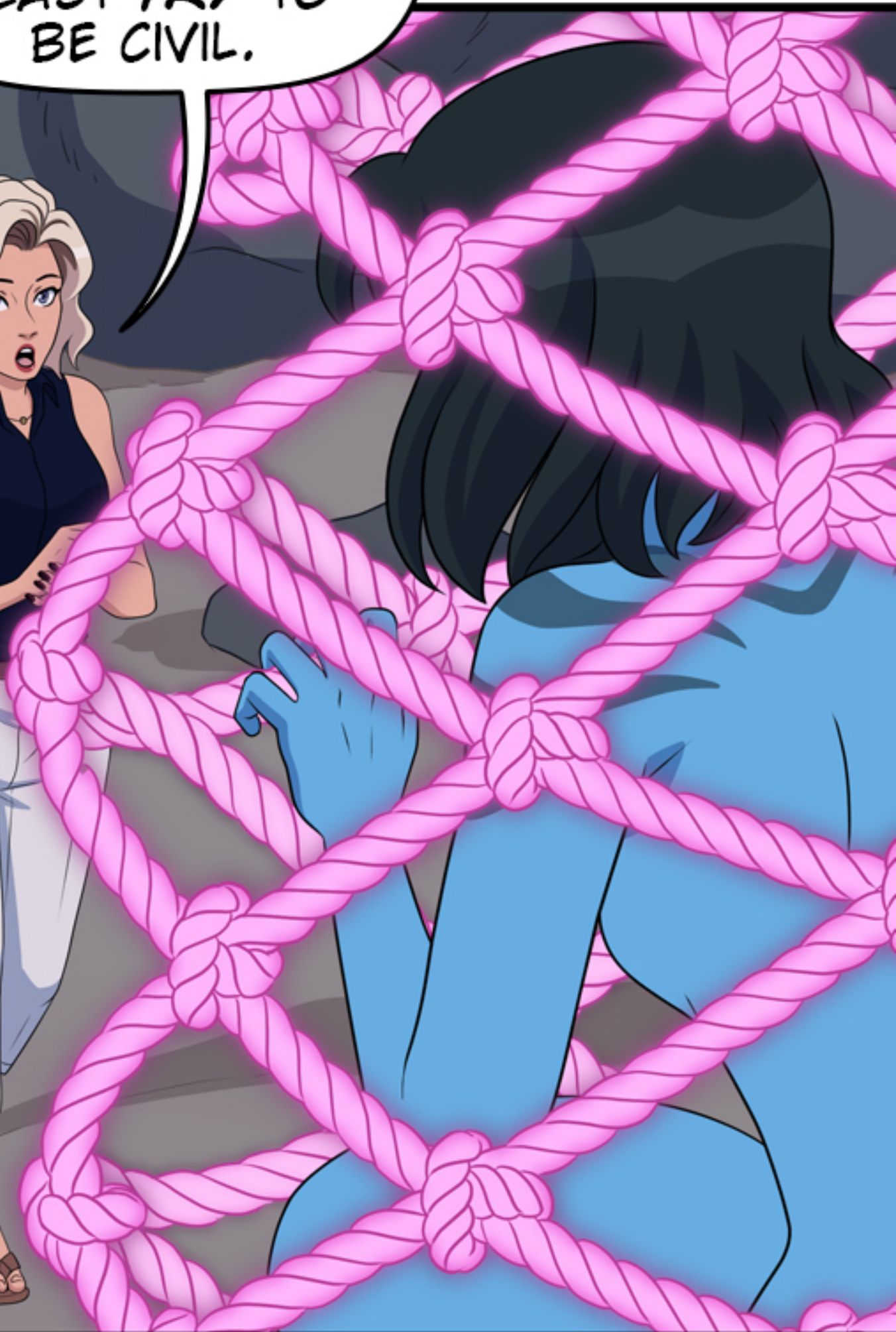


THIS IS
SLIGHTLY LESS
MAGICAL THAN I
IMAGINED.

SHE COULD
GIVE SWEARING
LESSONS TO A
SAILOR.



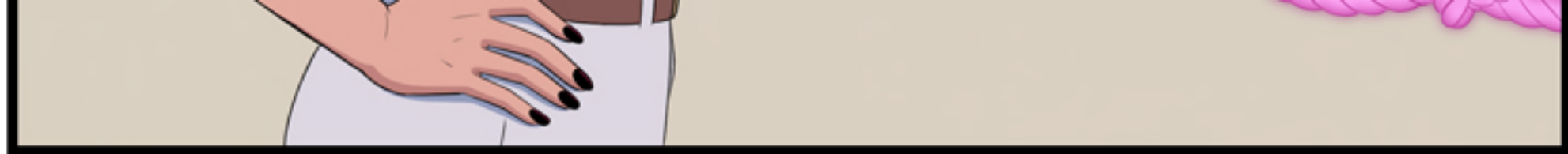
ALL RIGHT,
THAT'S ENOUGH OF
THAT. LET'S AT
LEAST *TRY* TO
BE CIVIL.



NOW, WHAT'S
YOUR NAME AND WHY
WERE YOU SPYING
ON US?

■ YOU.
I AIN'T SAYIN'
NOTHIN'.





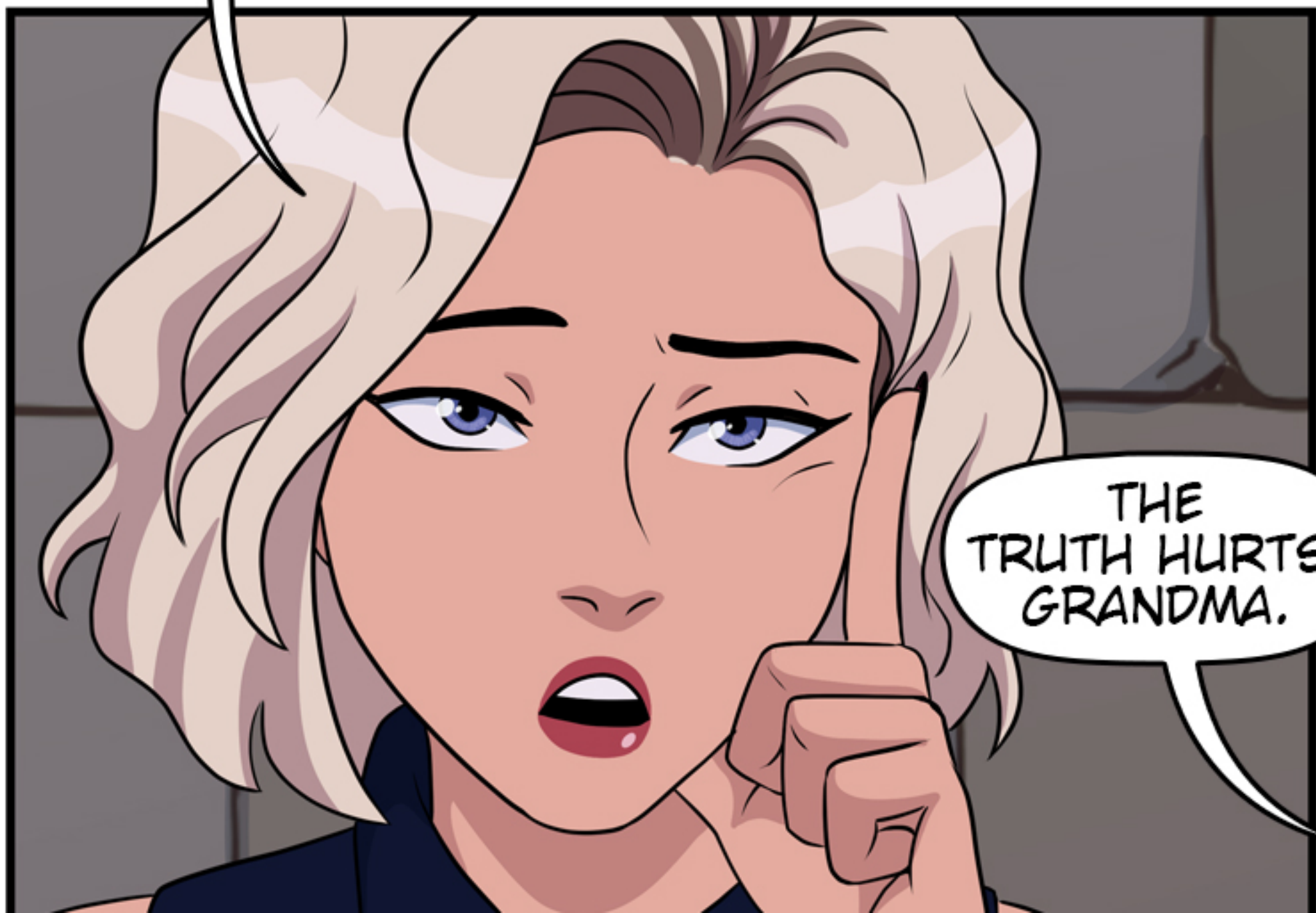
I THOUGHT
MERMAIDS TARGETED
SAILORS ON SHIPS. WHY
ARE YOU TRYING TO LURE
THE MEN OF THIS TOWN
INTO THE OCEAN?

TO SAVE THEM
FROM YOUR UGLY
FACE, YA DRIED UP
OLD HAG.





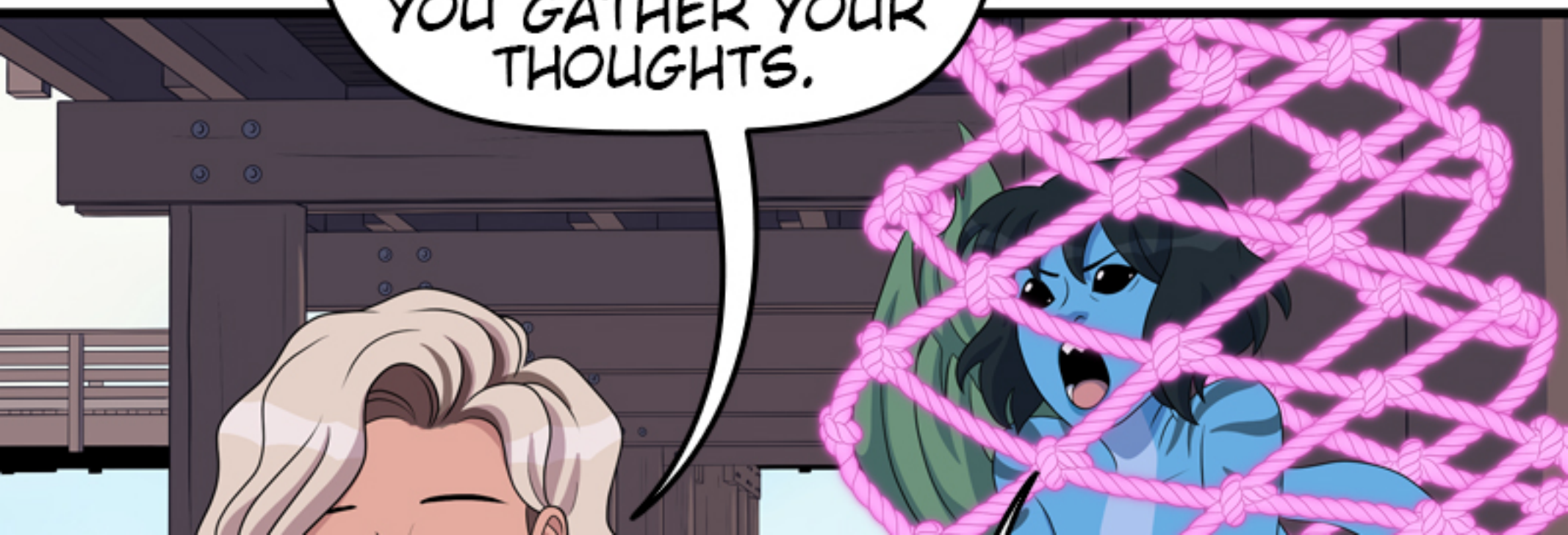
HIGHLY
DOUBTFUL.

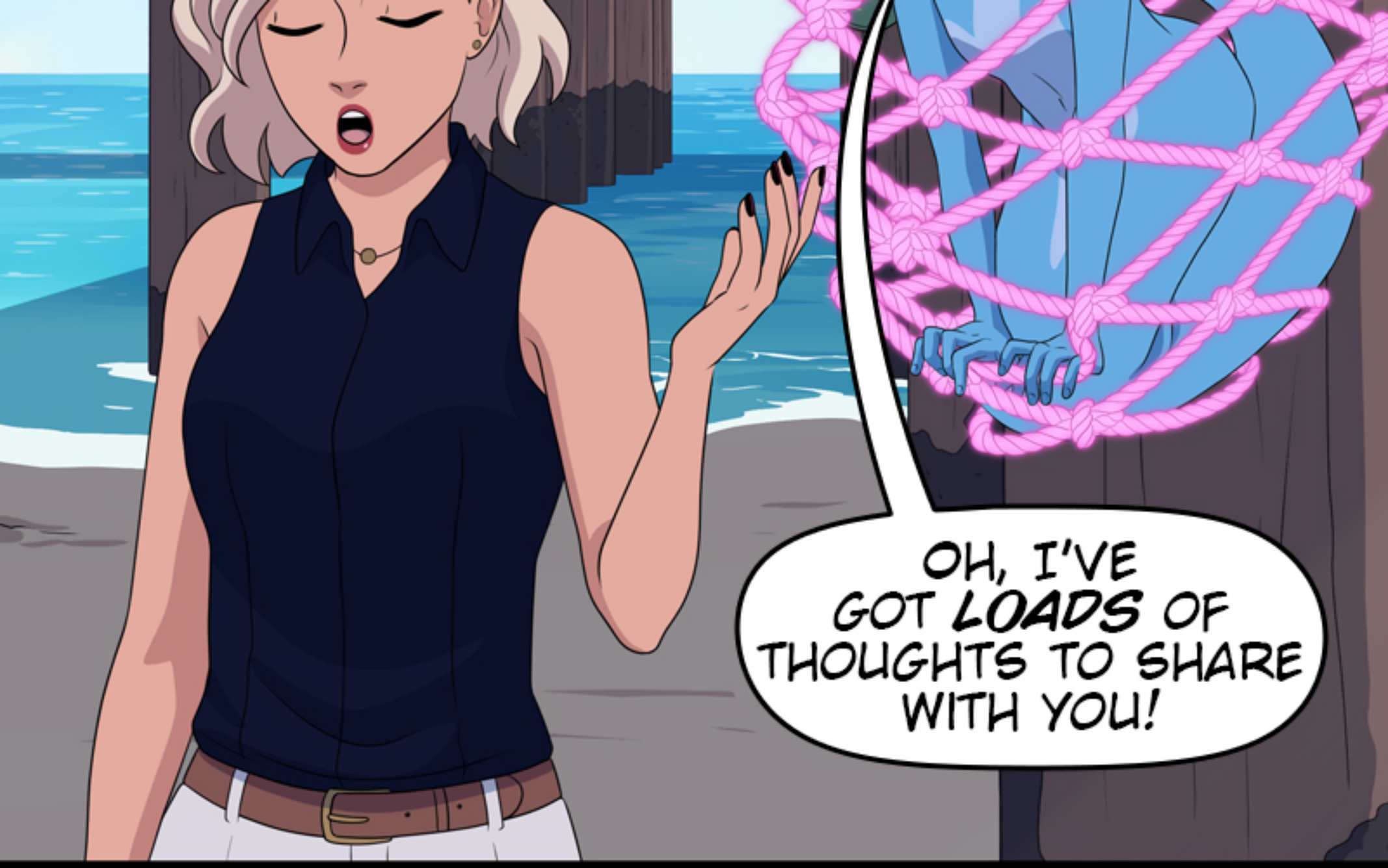


THE
TRUTH HURTS,
GRANDMA.

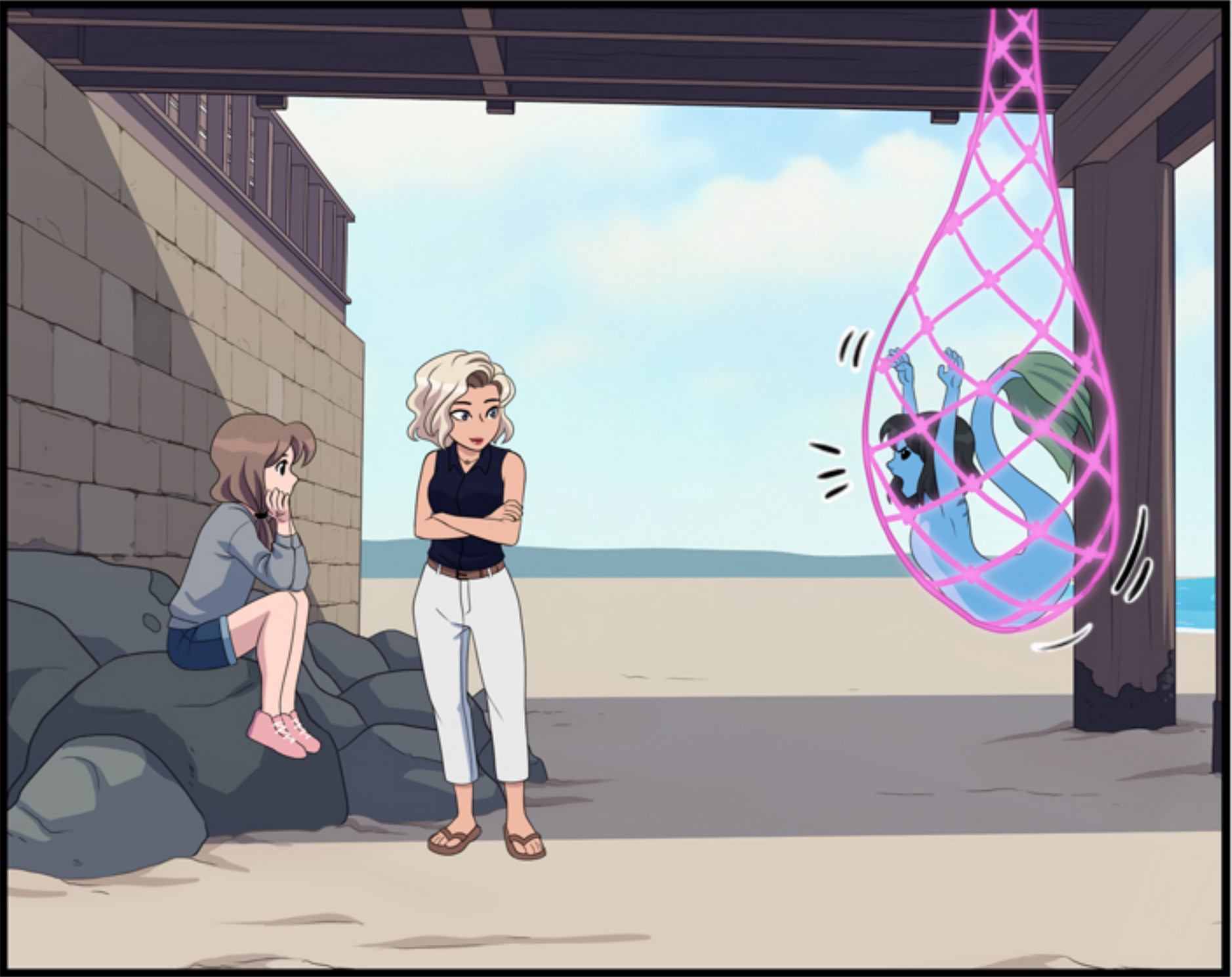


I SEE
YOU'RE NOT
READY TO TALK.
MAYBE A LITTLE TIME
IN THE NET WILL HELP
YOU GATHER YOUR
THOUGHTS.

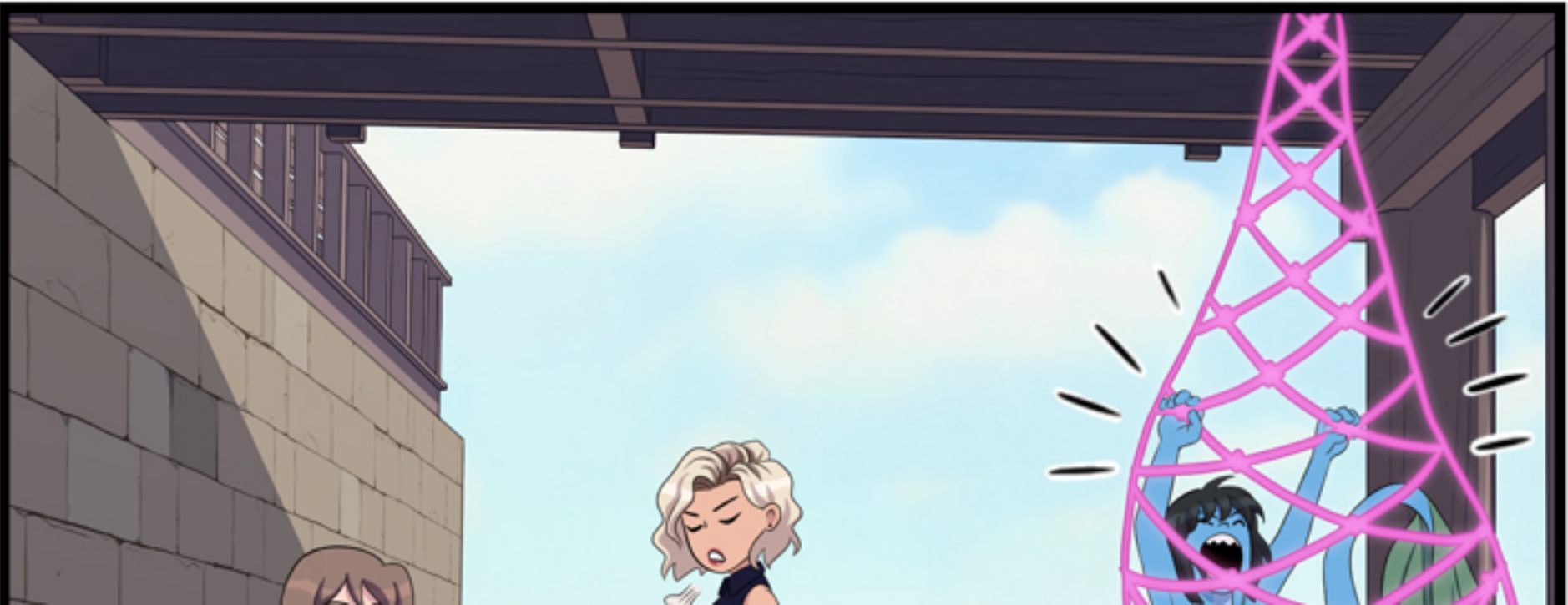




OH, I'VE
GOT **LOADS** OF
THOUGHTS TO SHARE
WITH YOU!









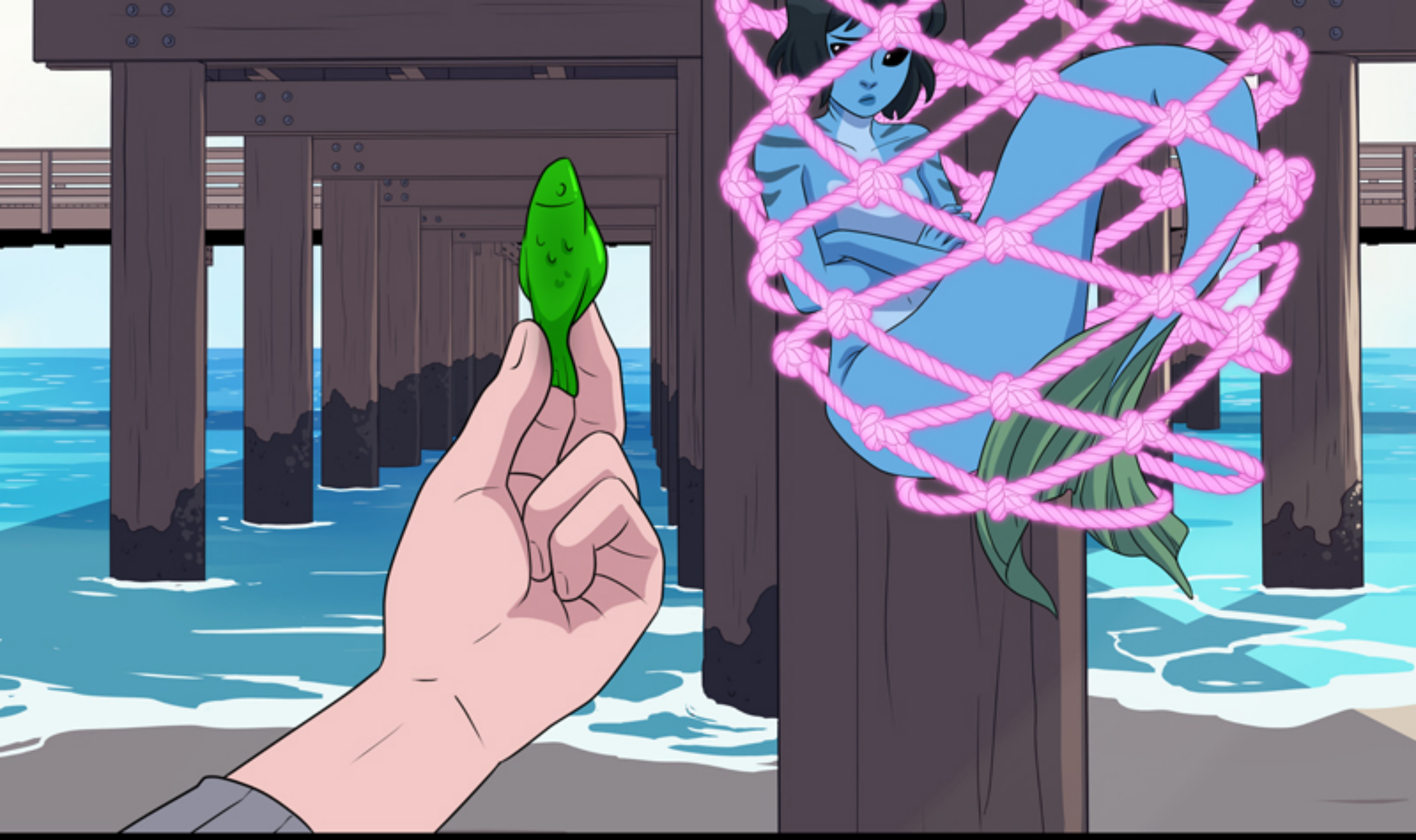
ELLIE, DEAR,
WOULD YOU MIND
KEEPING AN EYE ON OUR
GUEST? I NEED TO TAKE A
BREAK BEFORE MY **EARS**
START BLEEDING.

YEAH, NO
PROBLEM.









OK, SO
NOW I JUST
SAY...

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IT
SHOULD'VE
TURNED
PINK.

...WAS
SOMETHING
SUPPOSED TO
HAPPEN?

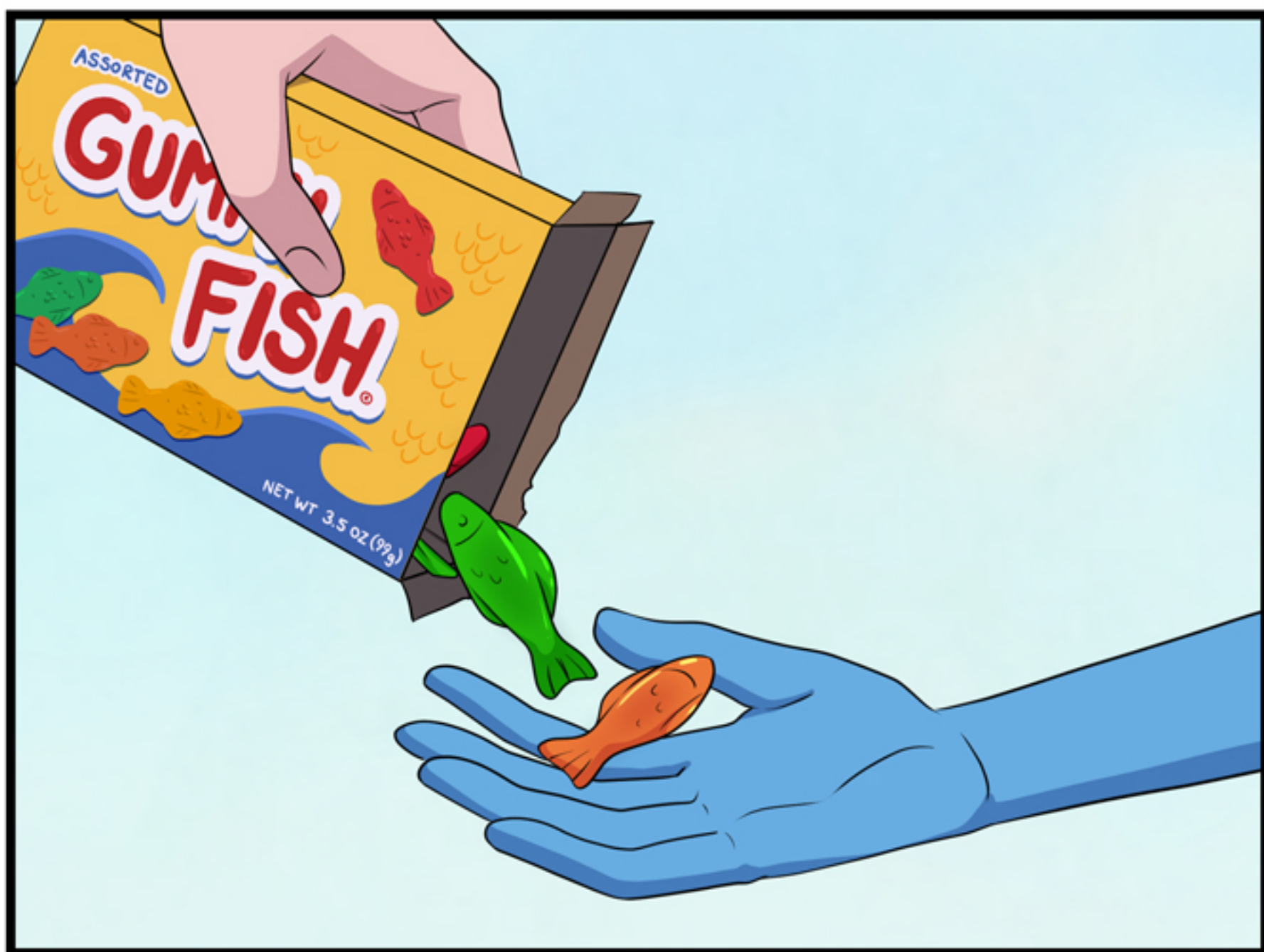
WELL,
IT DIDN'T.

NOP



WANT
SOME? THEY'RE
SWEET





WHAT
DO YOU
THINK?

NOT BAD,
BUT THEY'RE GE'IN'
STUH IN MAH
TEEF.

YEAH,
THAT HAPPENS

SOMETIMES.



I'M
ELLIE, BY
THE WAY.

AMINA.

YOU'RE
A PRETTY CRAPPY
WITCH, ELLIE.



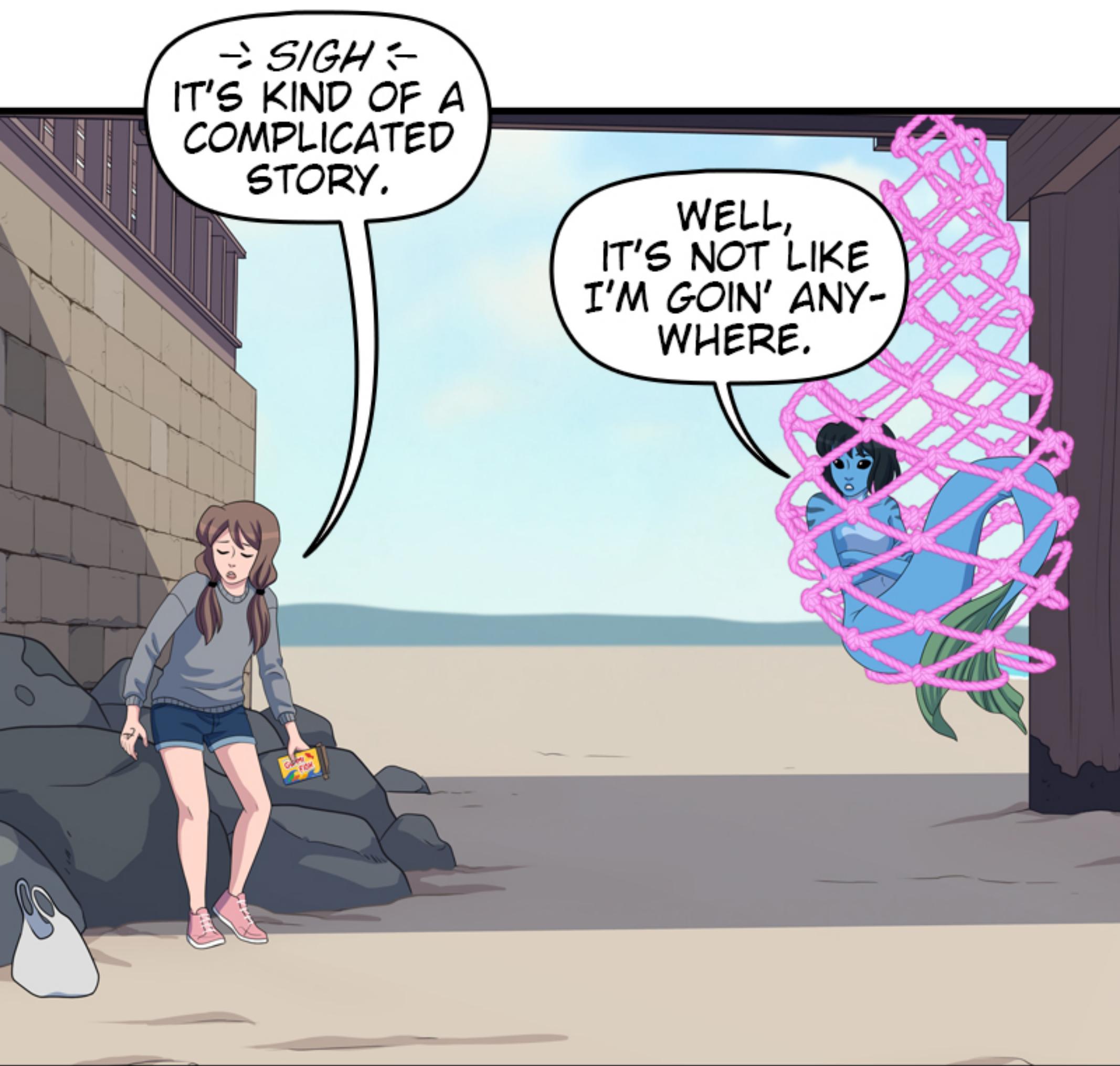
I'M NOT A
WITCH.

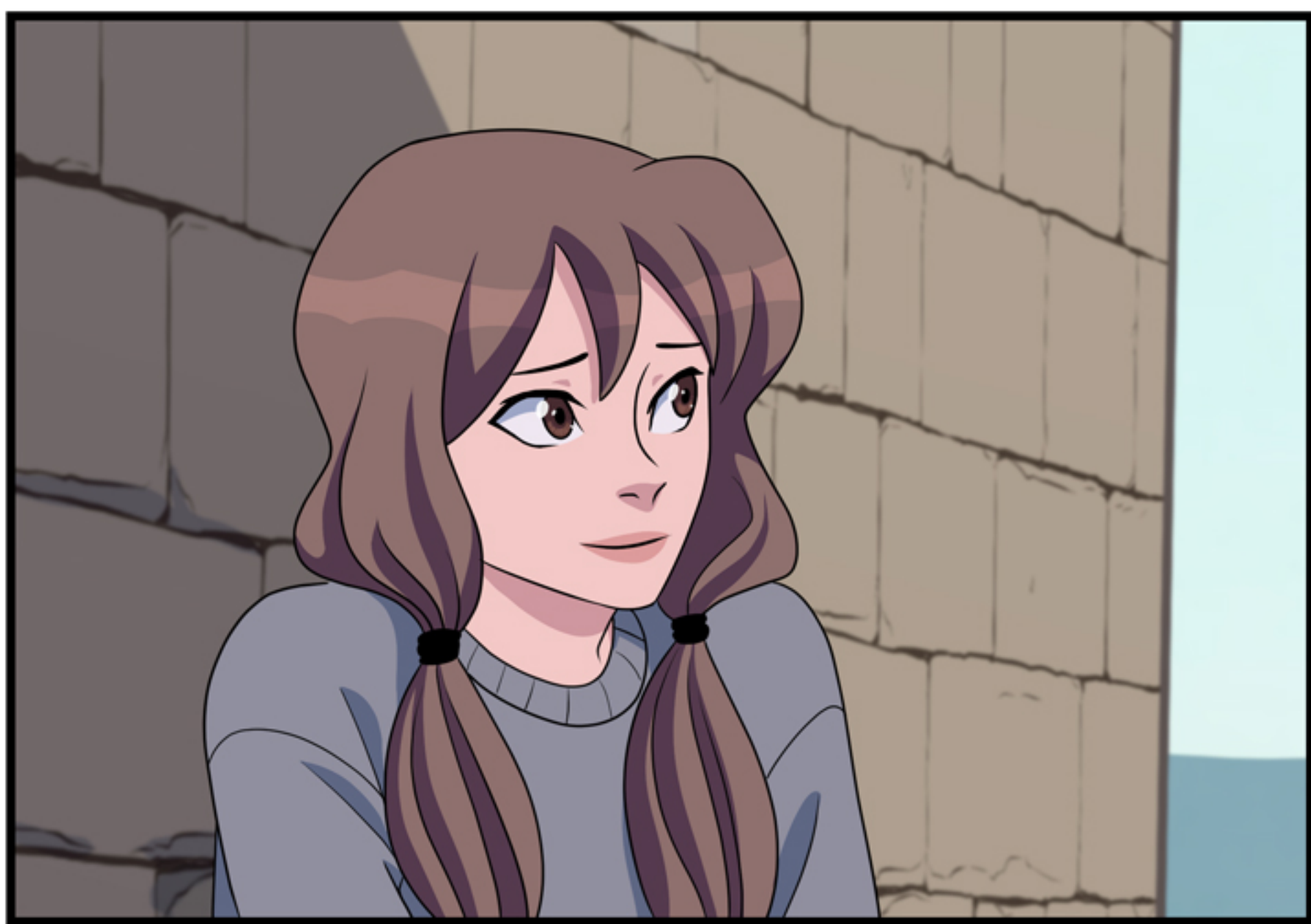
THEN
WHY ARE YOU
TRYIN' TO DO
MAGIC?



⇒ SIGH ⇐
IT'S KIND OF A
COMPLICATED
STORY.

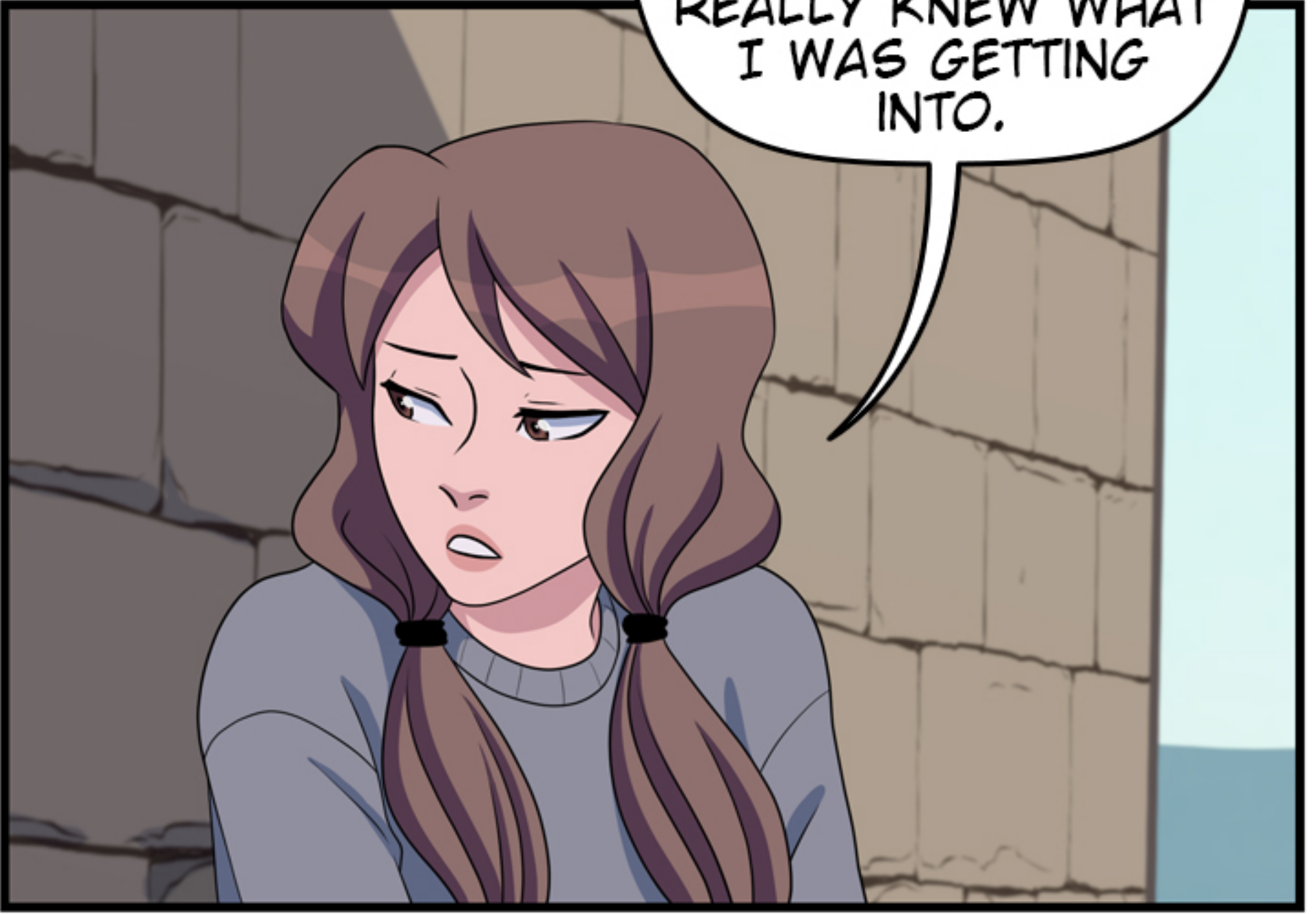
WELL,
IT'S NOT LIKE
I'M GOIN' ANY-
WHERE.





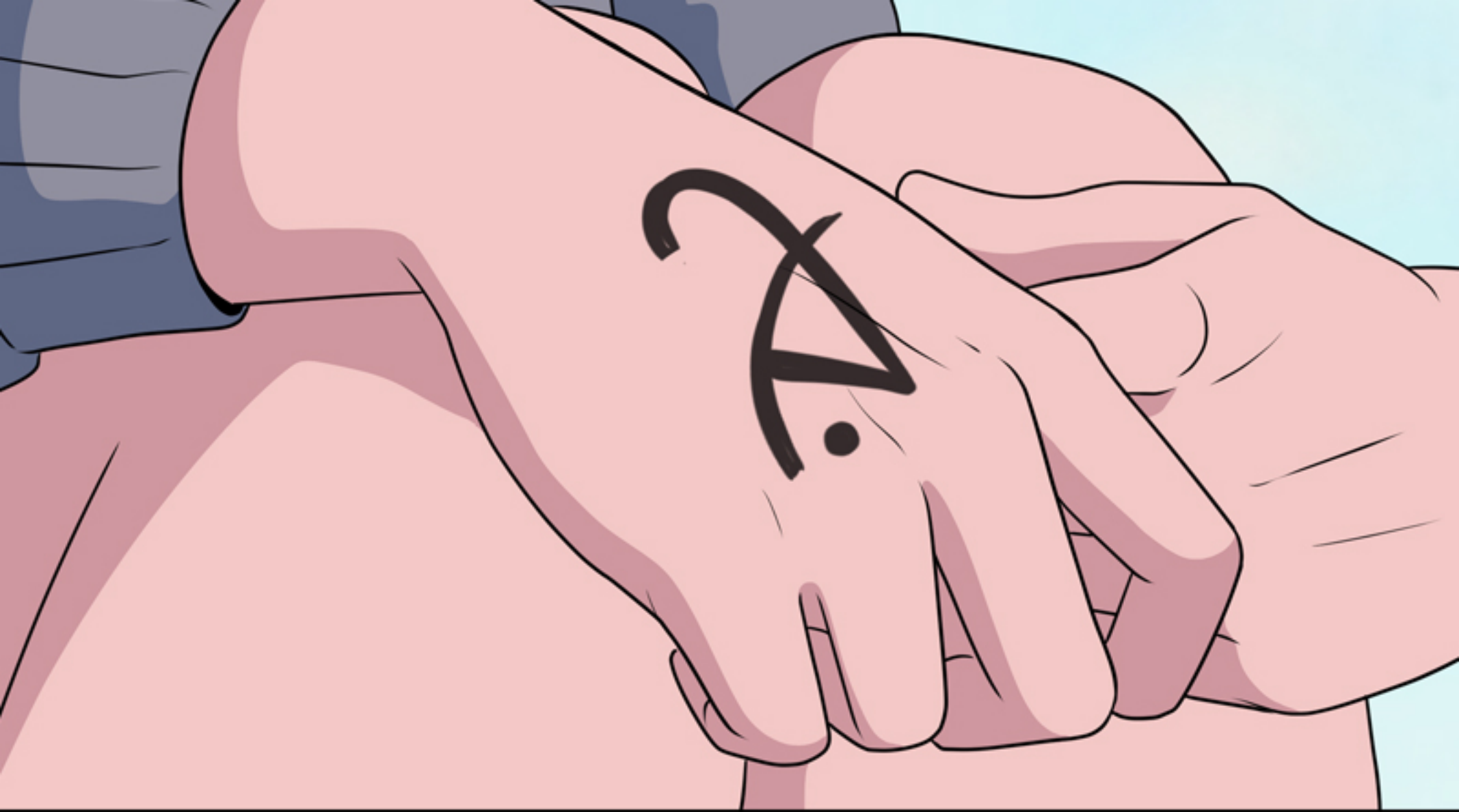
THERE
WAS THIS

WAS THIS
GIRL. SHE ASKED
FOR MY HELP, AND I
SAID YES BEFORE I
REALLY KNEW WHAT
I WAS GETTING
INTO.

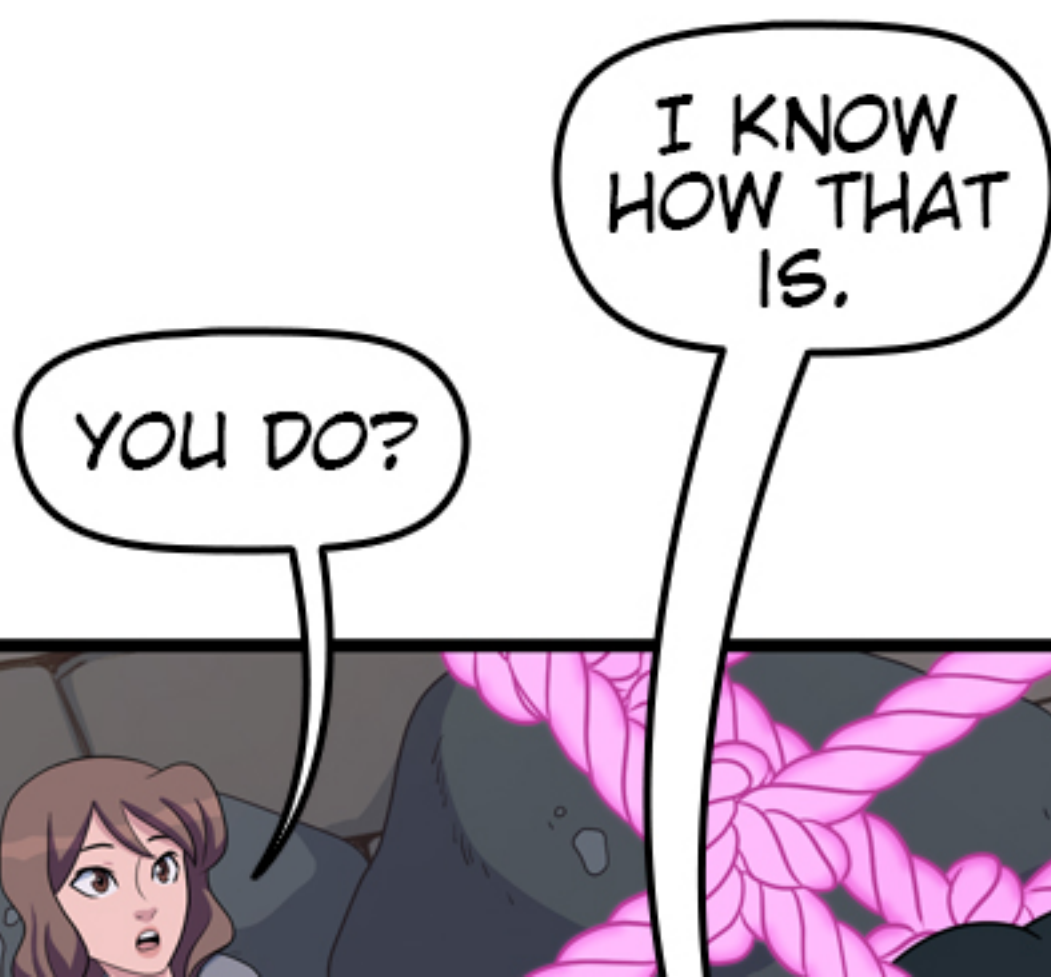


IT TURNS
OUT SHE MAY
HAVE GIVEN ME
SOME OF HER MAGIC,
OR IT MIGHT JUST BE A
TRICK SO SHE CAN
CONTROL ME.





I DON'T
THINK SHE HAS
BAD INTENTIONS,
BUT...SOMETIMES IT
FEELS LIKE I'M JUST
A TOOL POWERFUL
PEOPLE USE TO
GET WHAT THEY
WANT.

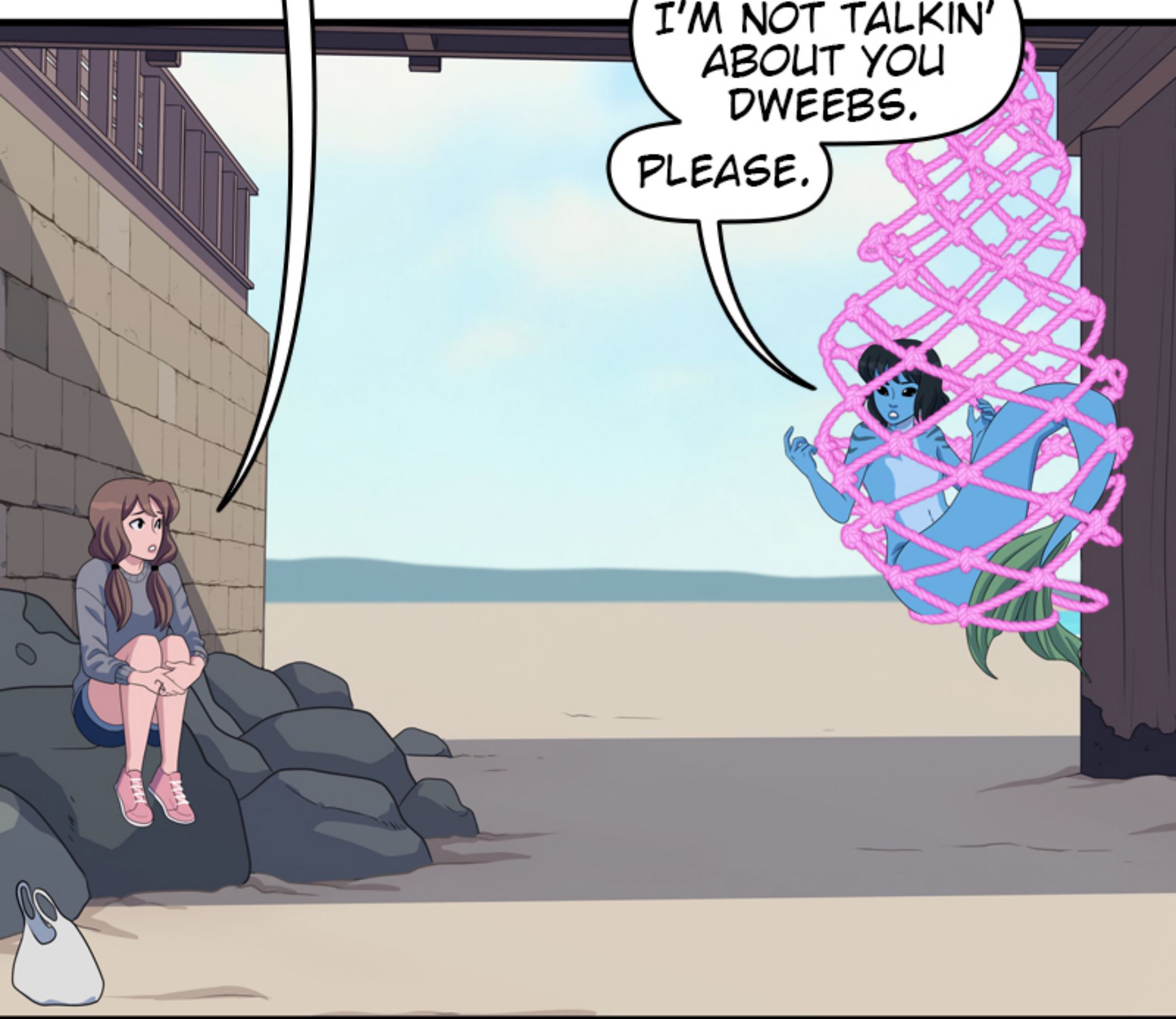




UH, **YEAH.**
WHY DO YOU
THINK I'M STUCK
IN THIS NET?

OH,
RIGHT. SORRY,
WE--

OH NO,



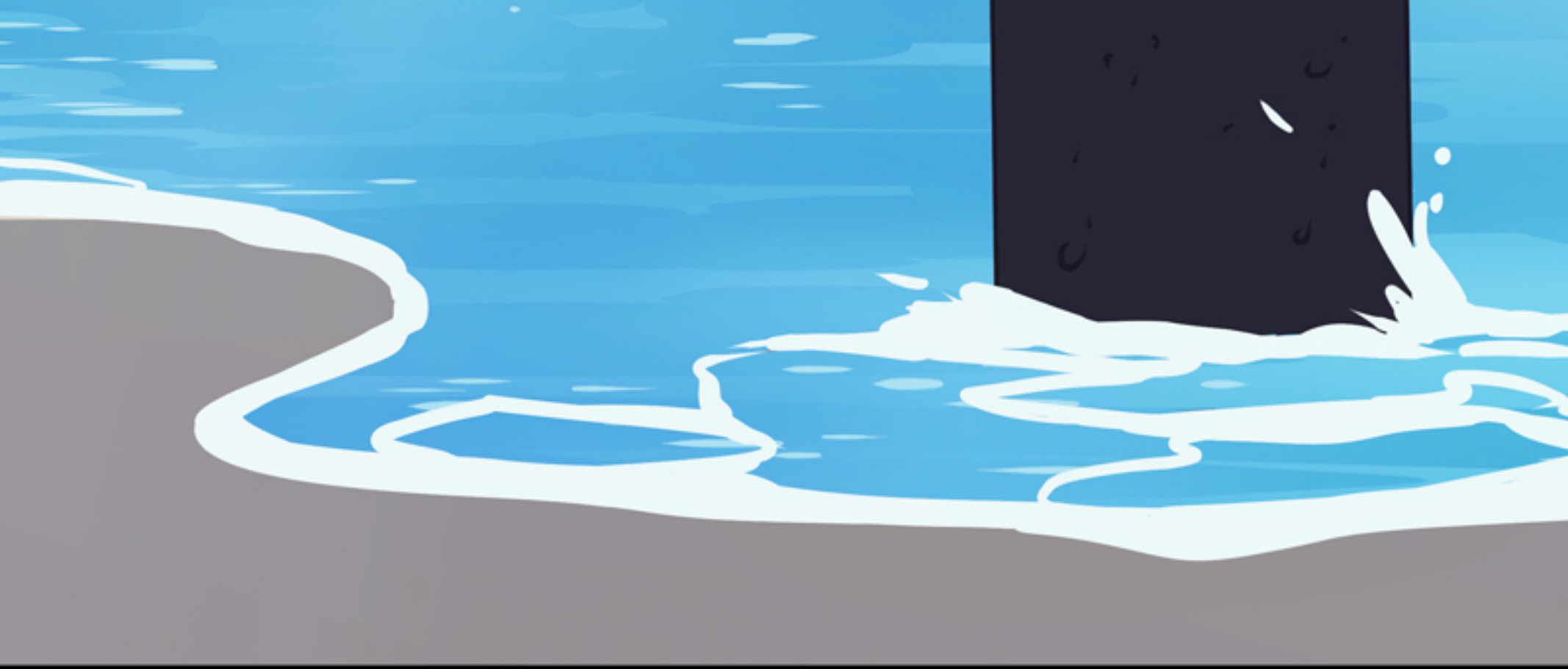
I'M NOT TALKIN'
ABOUT YOU
DWEEDS.
PLEASE.

I MEANT MY BIG
SISTER, NAIDA. SHE
SAYS SPLASH AND WE



"GO SING
TO DROWN THE
MEN."

"GO KEEP
WATCH IN THE
SHALLOWS."



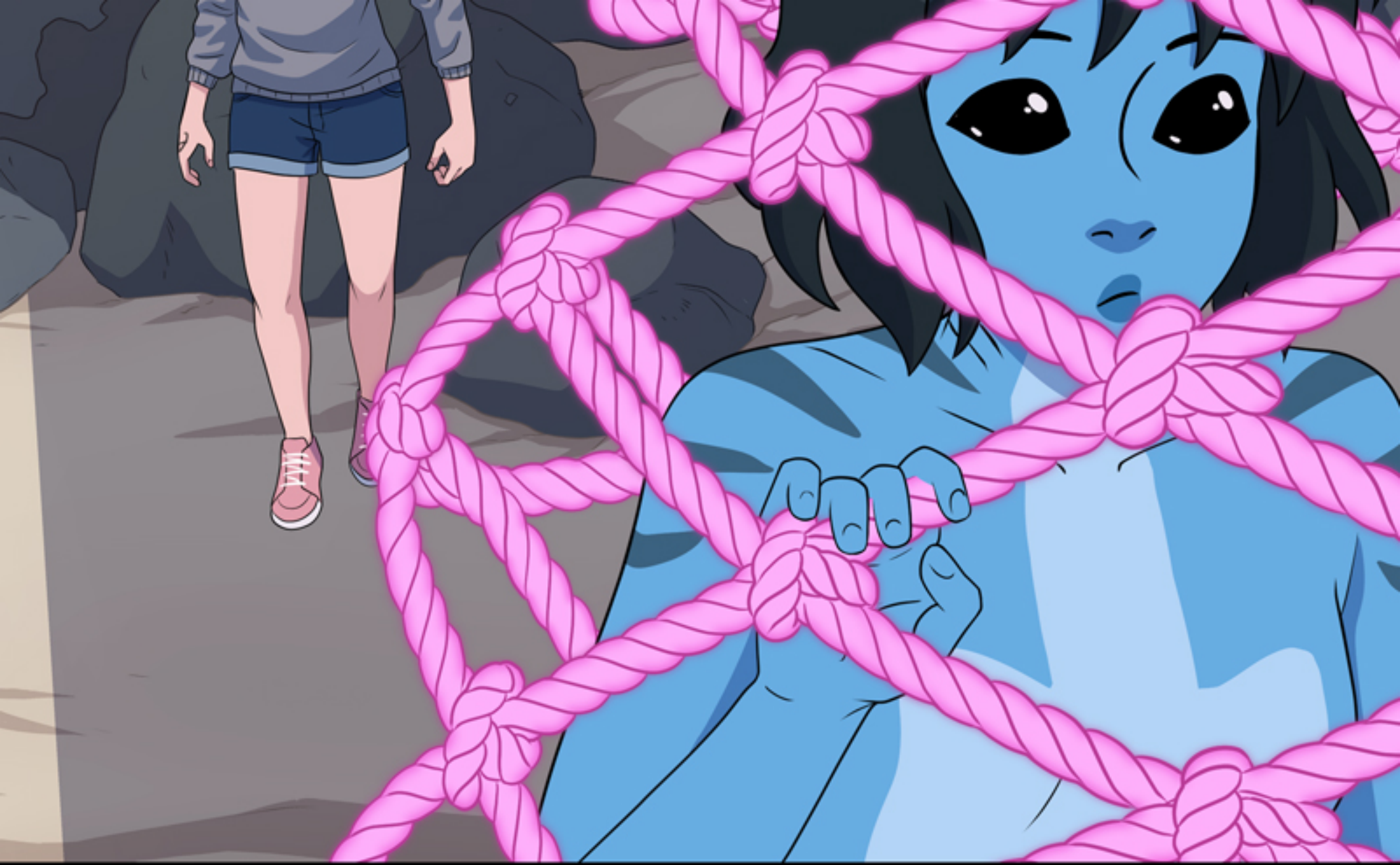
I WONDER
IF THE OTHER
GIRLS KNOW I
GOT CAUGHT.



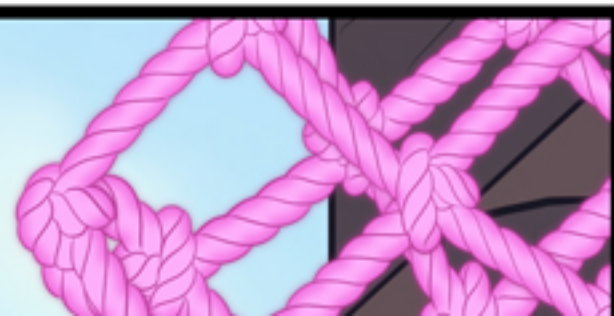


SO WAIT,
WHY DID YOUR
SISTER WANT TO
DROWN THE MEN
IN THE FIRST
PLACE?



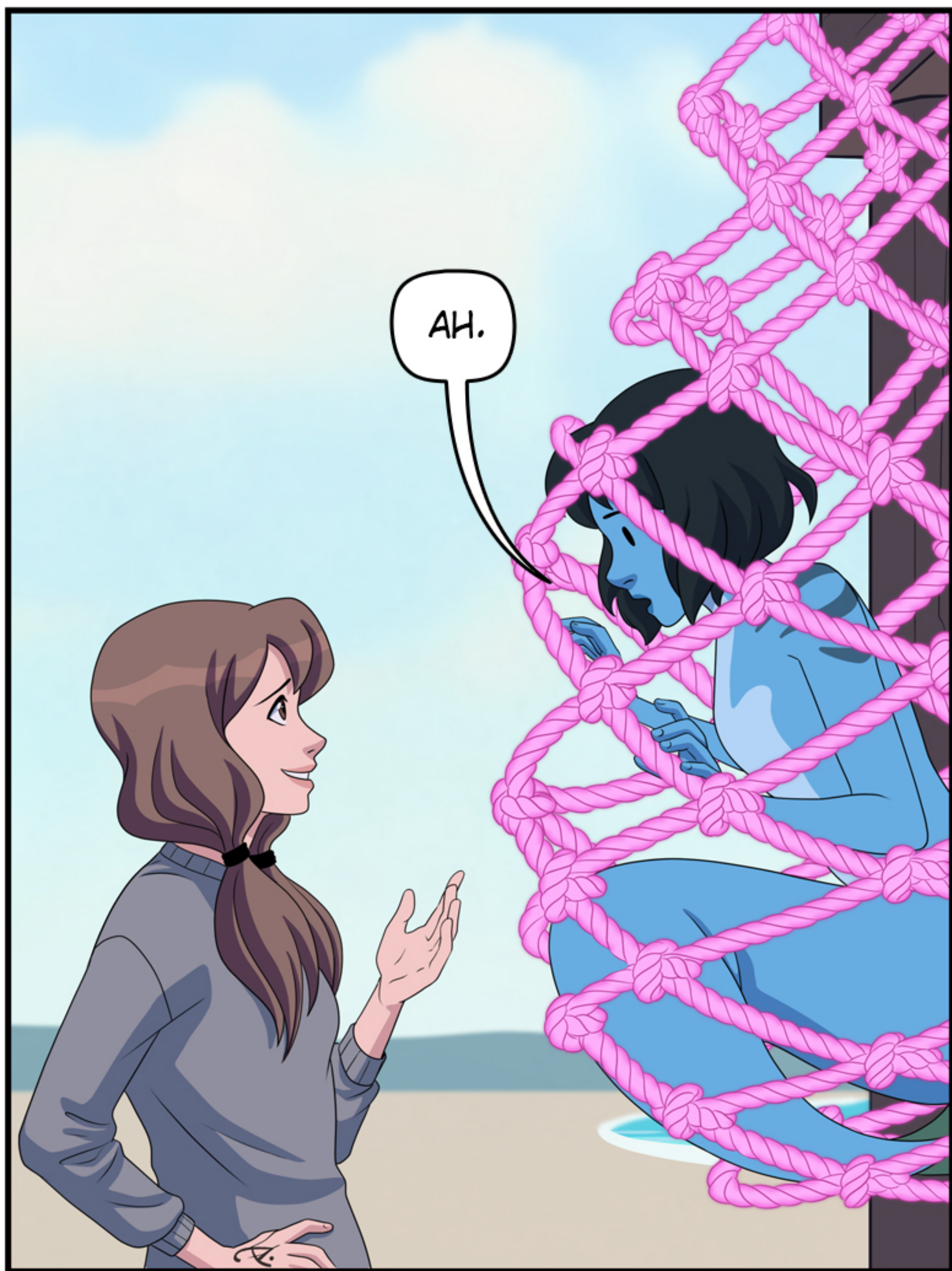


**HA! NICE
TRY. I TOLD YA
I AIN'T SAYIN'
NOTHIN'.**

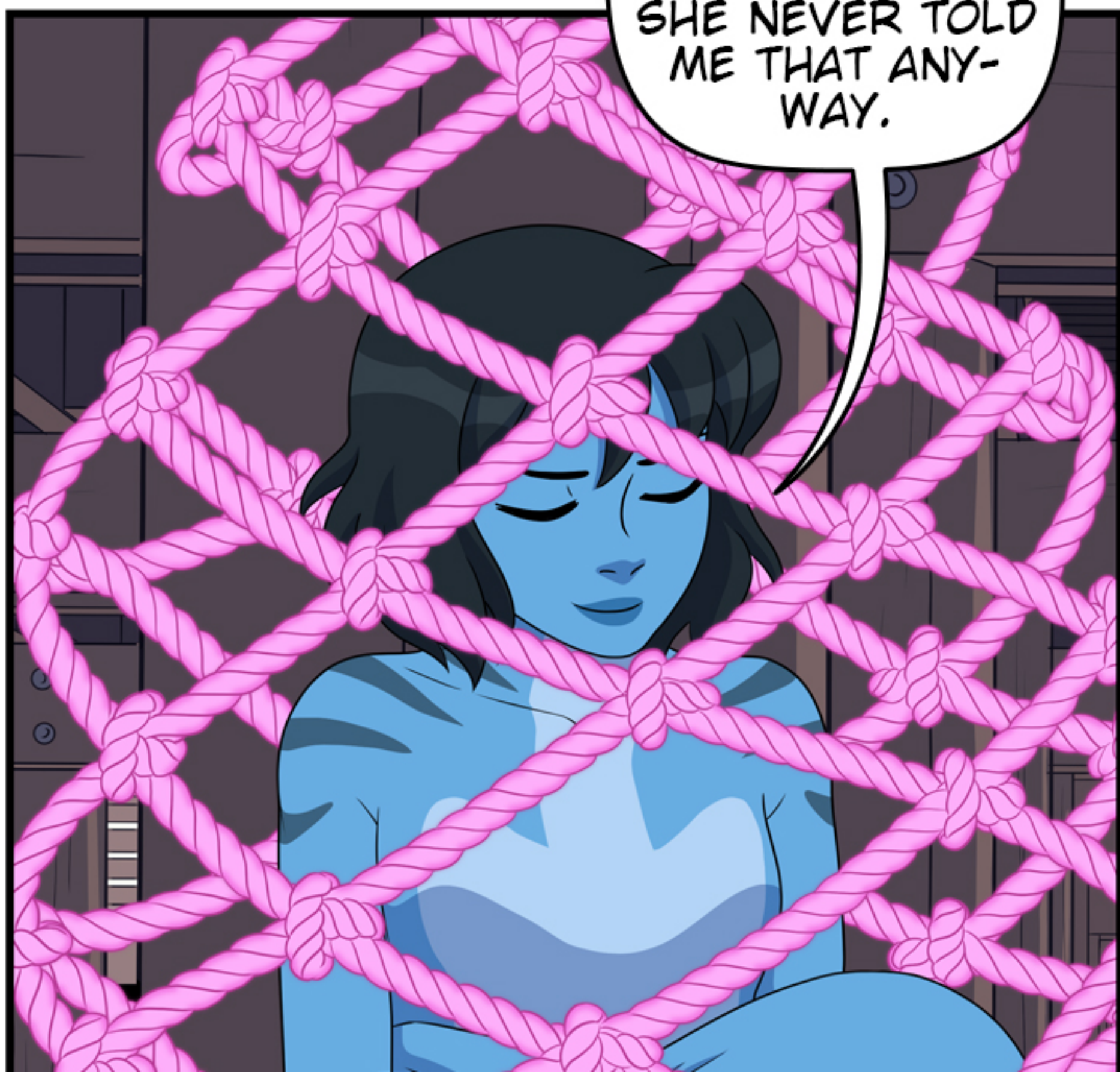


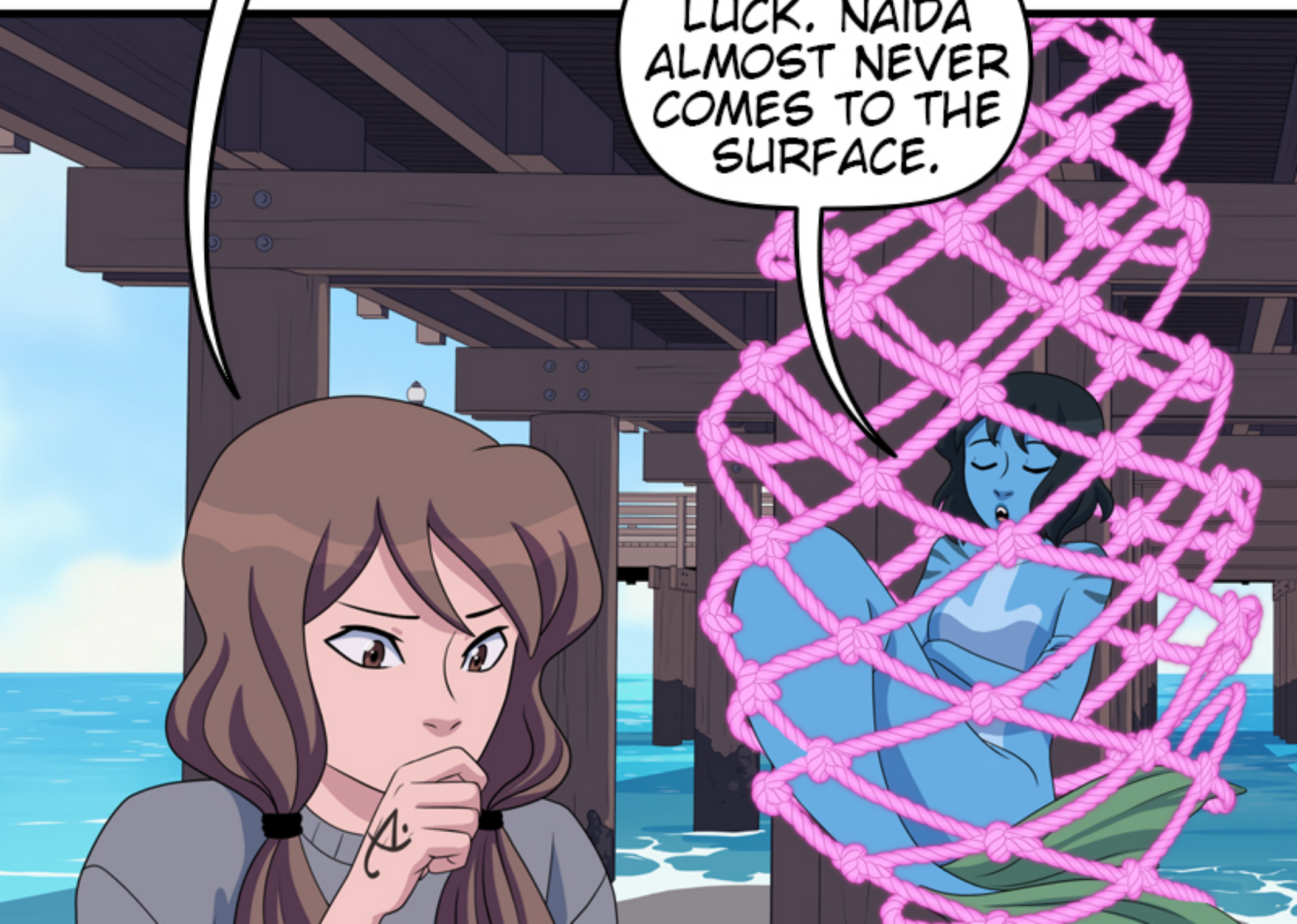
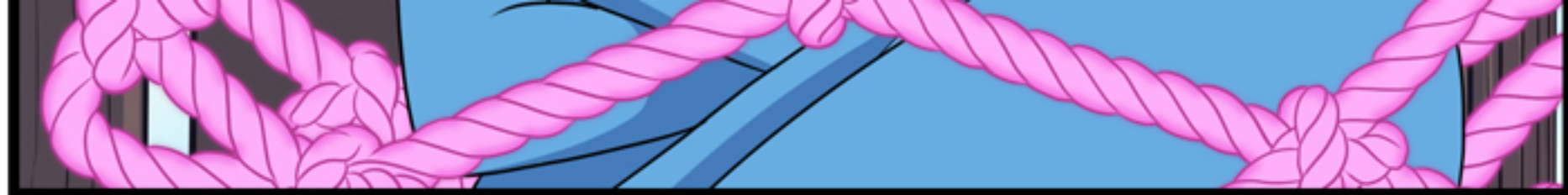
I MEAN,
YOU KIND OF
ALREADY
DID.

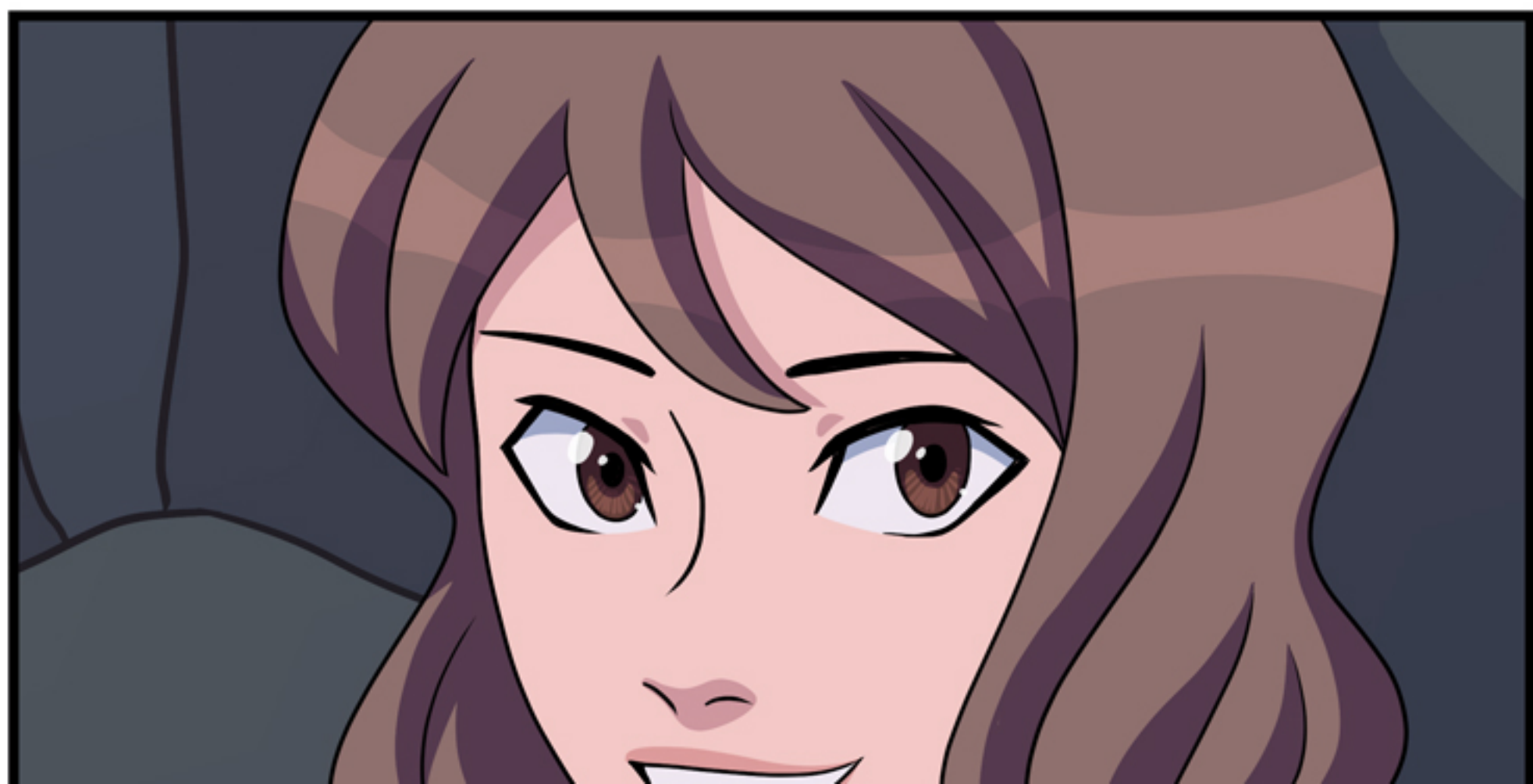




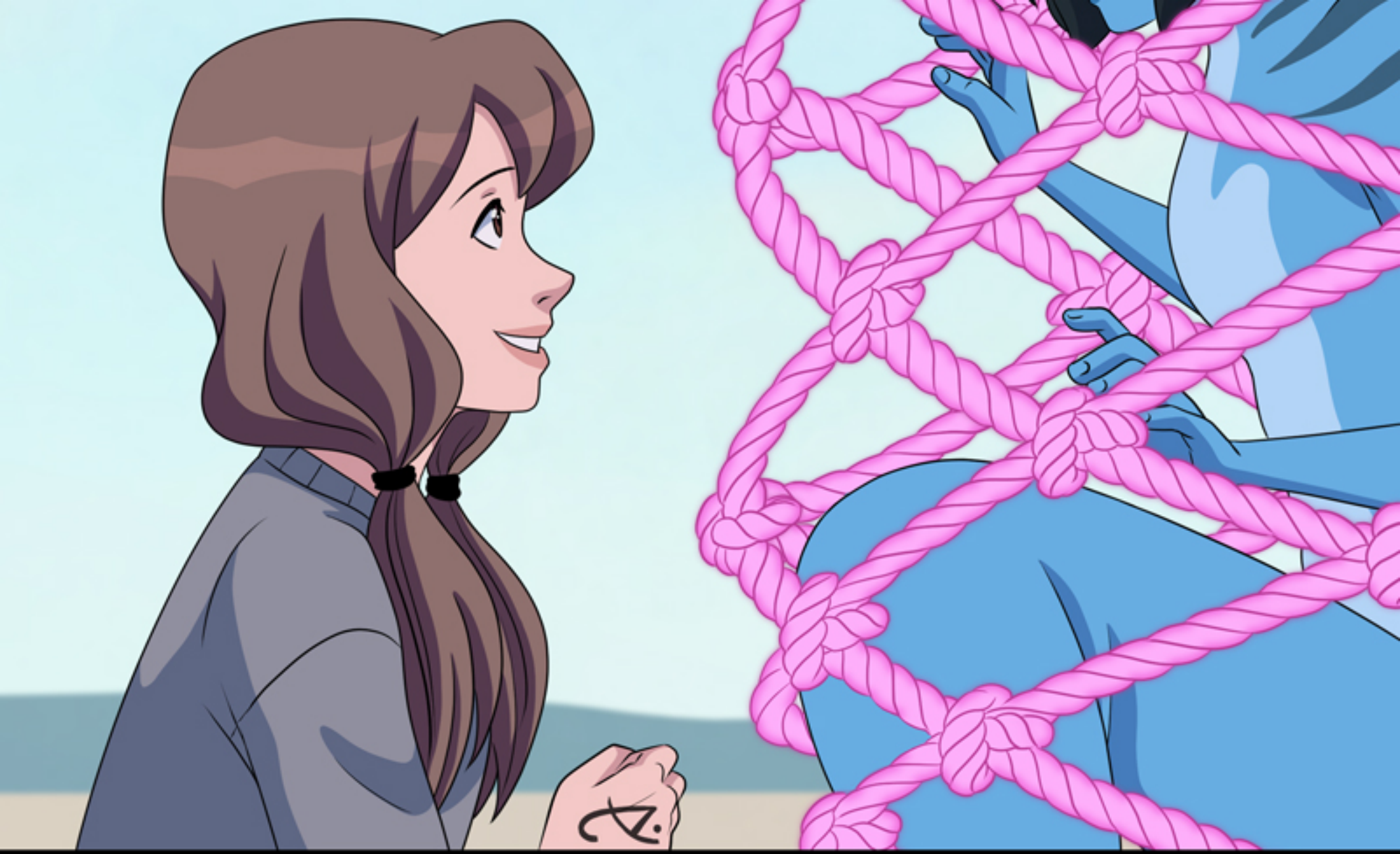
WELL,
IT DOESN'T
MATTER 'CAUSE
SHE NEVER TOLD
ME THAT ANY-
WAY.



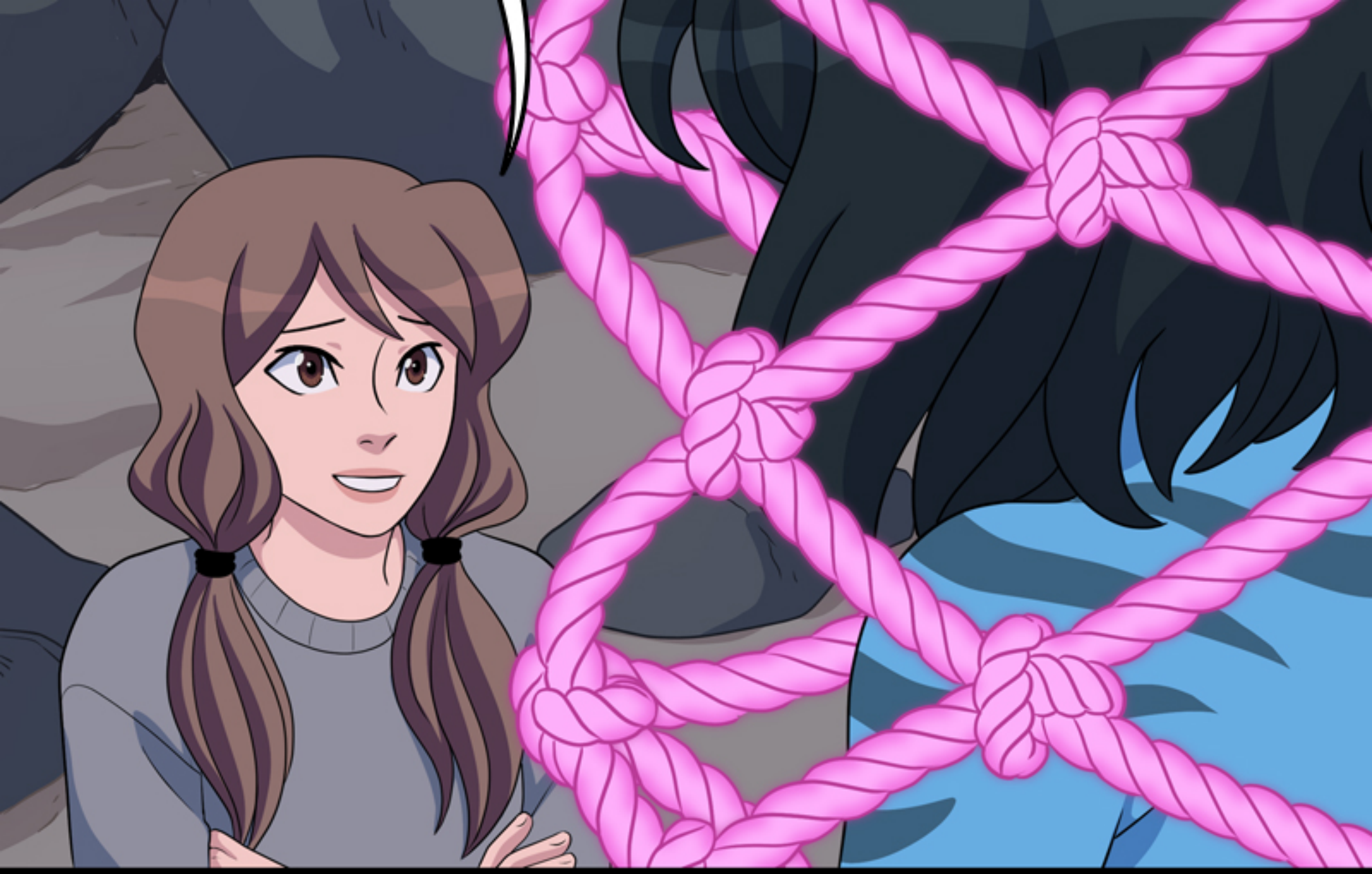








COME ON,
AMINA. YOU DON'T
WANT TO BE STUCK
WATCHING THIS LITTLE
TOWN FOREVER,
DO YOU?







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