



LOVE  
♥  
YOU

Sun's  
Playboy

I like  
summer-  
time.

bright  
light

heat  
heat  
heat

IT'S  
SO  
HOT  
...

Because,

I used  
to dislike it  
because it's  
all hot and  
sticky in the  
summer,

but lately,  
I've come  
to like it.





I get to  
see that  
person.



I've been  
coming here  
every day.

Since  
the first  
day of  
summer,

IT'S A  
PITY.



SO HE'S  
DONE FOR  
TODAY...



GRRR ...  
THOSE WOMEN  
ARE SUCH  
A NUI-  
SANCE.

One look  
and it's  
obvious.

always  
picking up  
girls and  
dumping  
them.

He's a  
total  
player,

so of course  
there's no  
opportunity  
for me to  
get close...

He's  
surrounded  
by girls  
most of the  
time,

squee

This  
guy

is very  
popular.

squee

STICKING  
CLOSE

STICKING  
CLOSE



sigh

SINCE I'M  
ALREADY  
AT THE  
BEACH,

I MIGHT AS  
WELL TAKE  
ADVANTAGE  
OF IT.

BUT...  
IT'S SO  
HOT...

flap flap



WHAT-  
EVER.

I DON'T  
WANT TO SEE  
HIM GETTING  
FRIENDLY  
WITH THOSE  
WOMEN,

TIME  
TO HEAD  
BACK.

wipe

wipe



AH,

THIS  
FEELS  
GREAT.

splash



I ALWAYS  
THOUGHT THAT  
CLEANING UP  
AFTERWARDS  
WOULD BE TOO  
MUCH TROUBLE,  
SO I NEVER  
WENT IN, BUT  
...

splish splash



CRASH

flail  
flail  
flail

THE  
WAVES ARE  
STRONGER  
THAN I  
THOUGHT!!

AHH!!

TUMBLE



I CAN ...

NO,

HUH?

cough

WH...  
WHY  
HIM...



IF YOU  
DON'T KNOW  
HOW TO SWIM,  
STAY AWAY  
FROM THE  
WATER!!

THE  
WAVES  
HERE ARE  
STRONG.

SPLASH

GASP

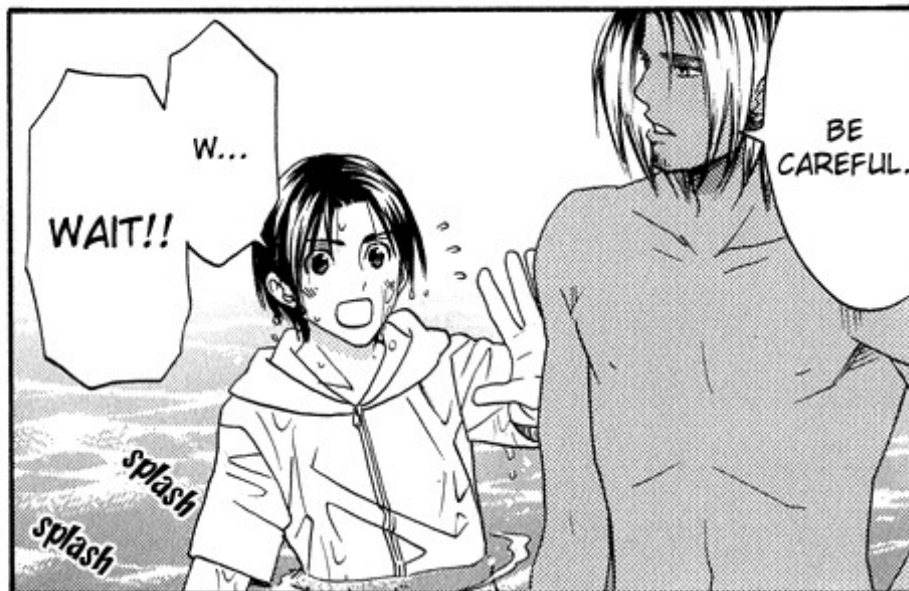
SORRY...

SO...



THEN ...

PLEASE  
TEACH  
ME!!



W...

WAIT!!

splash  
splash

BE  
CAREFUL.







\*T/N: A slight change in kanji goes from Oohira to Taihe, and Taiheiyu means Pacific Ocean, hence the joke.



I thought...

Wow... how  
beautiful.

I guess  
it was  
at that  
moment,

that  
I fell in  
love.



I'M  
ACTUALLY  
LYING  
TO YOU,  
SORRY.

It's hard  
to fake  
drowning.

REALLY  
DON'T  
KNOW A  
SINGLE  
THING  
ABOUT  
SWIMMING.

YOU...

SORRY  
...

GLUB

GLUB

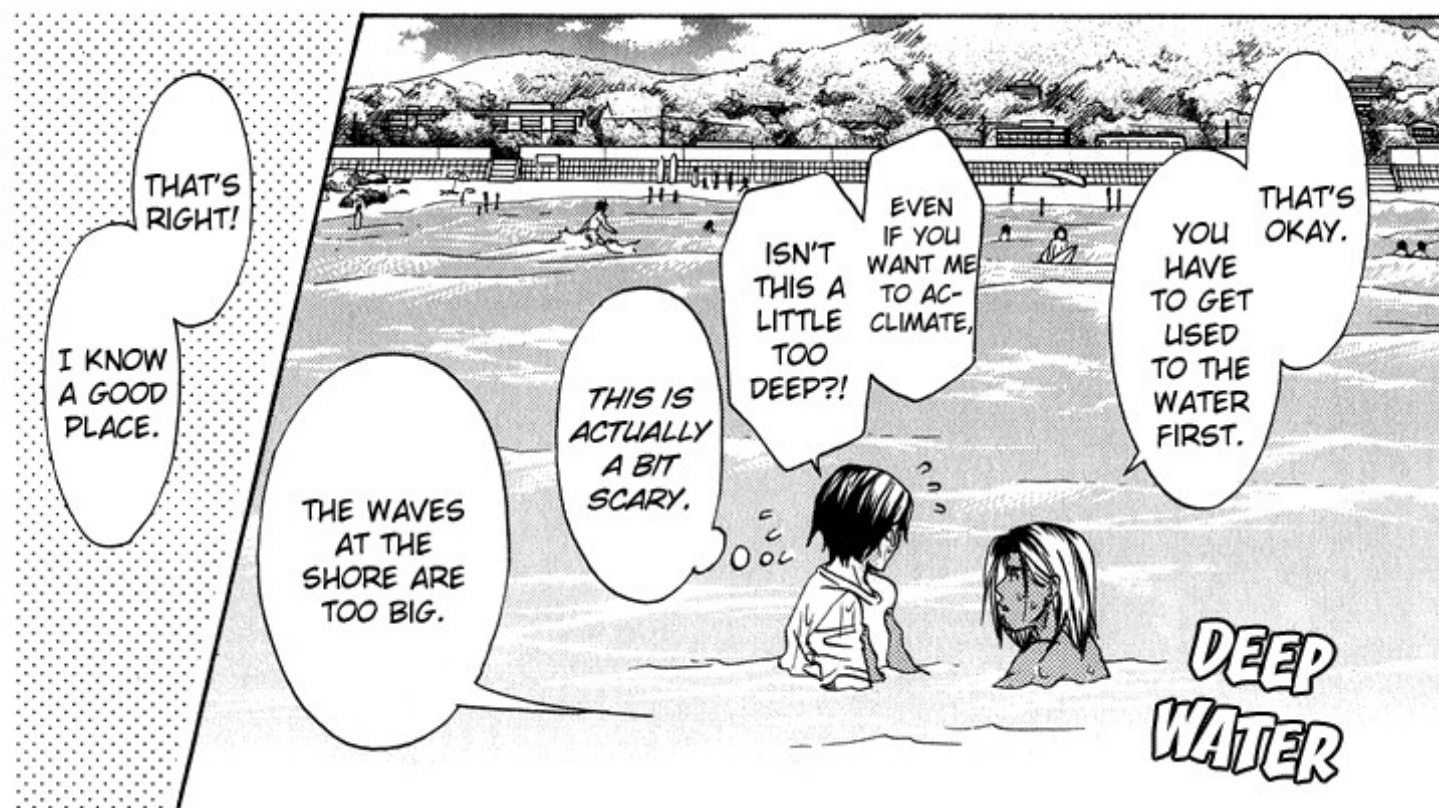
MMM—

And  
starting  
from the  
next day,  
  
we  
began our  
one-on-one  
swimming  
lessons.

GLUB

flail

flail



THAT'S  
RIGHT!

I KNOW  
A GOOD  
PLACE.

THE WAVES  
AT THE  
SHORE ARE  
TOO BIG.

THIS IS  
ACTUALLY  
A BIT  
SCARY.

ISN'T  
THIS A  
LITTLE  
TOO  
DEEP?!

EVEN  
IF YOU  
WANT ME  
TO AC-  
CLIMATE,

YOU  
HAVE  
TO GET  
USED  
TO THE  
WATER  
FIRST.

THAT'S  
OKAY.

DEEP  
WATER

THERE'S  
A LITTLE  
BEACH IN THE  
SHADOW OF  
THE CLIFFS.

LOOK,  
OVER THERE.

swish

EH...

splash

splash

WOW  
...!!

YOU CAN  
PRACTICE  
IN PEACE  
HERE.

DOESN'T  
THIS FEEL  
LIKE A  
PRIVATE  
BEACH?





very  
happy...

What  
am I going  
to do?

I'm...

...



Y...  
YES!!

PRACTICE,  
PRACTICE.

HURRY  
UP!

rump

rump

AH—  
REALLY,

WHAT'S  
WITH THAT  
FACE?

Kick  
your legs in  
the water.  
Higher.

splash

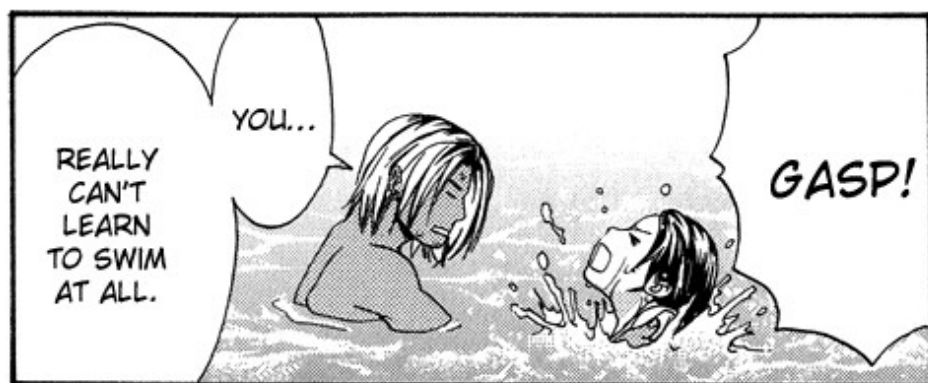
splash

Is this  
really all  
right?

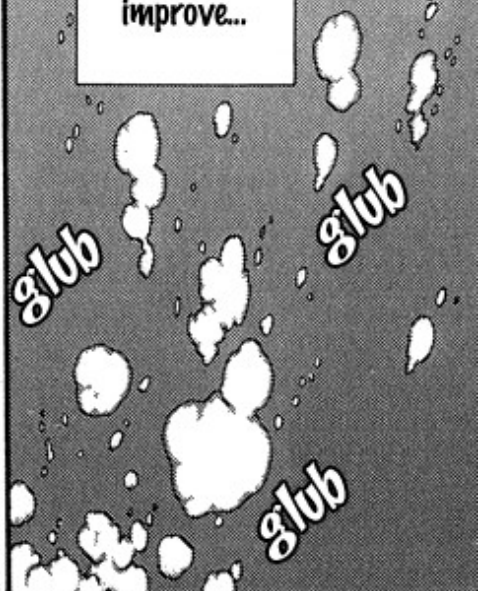
To

decieve  
You-san  
like this.

But, I feel  
so happy  
right now.



Later on, no matter how many days we'd practice, my swimming technique obviously didn't improve...



then there'll be no reason to be together anymore, right?

if I learn how to swim,

Because,





...



WHY DO YOU ALWAYS WEAR A T-SHIRT?

HUH?

The outfit used for sun block.

THAT'S BE-CAUSE,

MY SKIN BURNS EASILY IN THE SUN.



HEY,

YOU MUST BE HUNGRY.

LET'S GO GRAB SOMETHING TO EAT!

... EAT!!

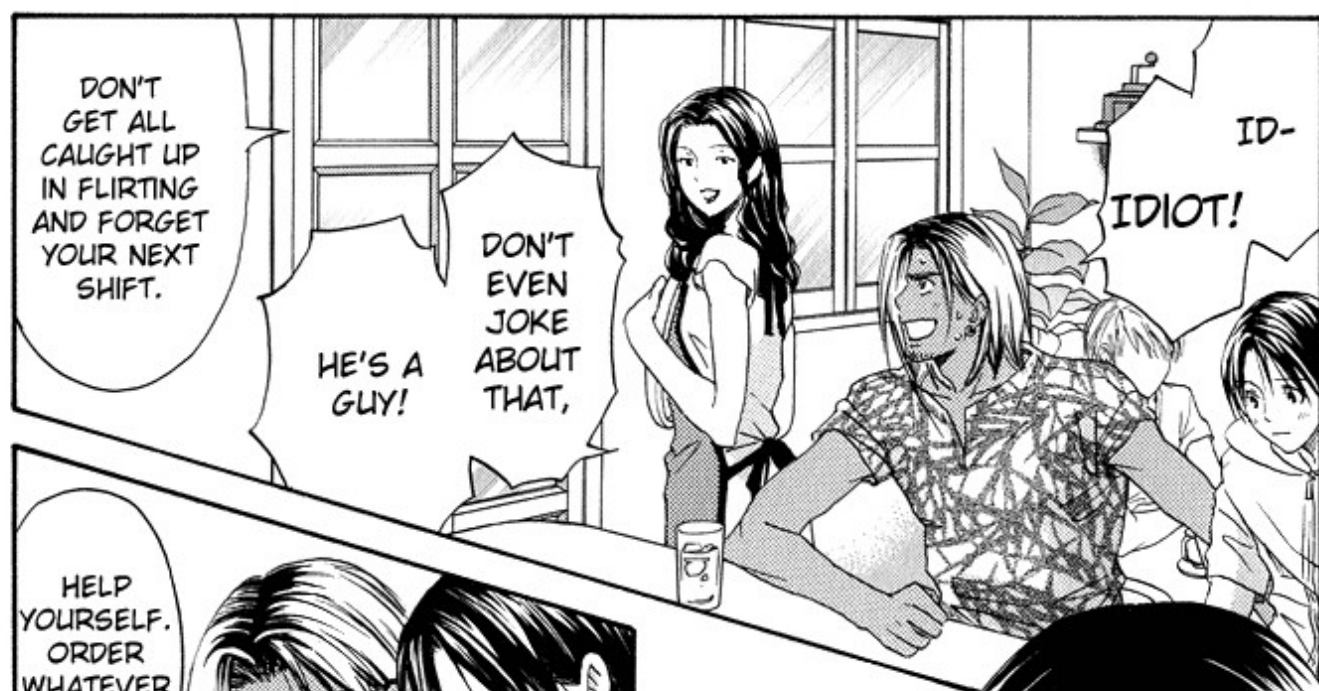
IS... IS SOMETHING WRONG?

What's with your action just now...



whip

ON SECOND THOUGHT, KEEP IT ON.



THIS  
MEANS THAT  
HE'LL GO  
BACK ONCE  
SUMMER IS  
OVER...!?

HUH  
...

BUT,  
THAT'S  
ONLY FOR  
SUMMER.

I DON'T  
LIVE  
AROUND  
HERE.

THE WAVES  
HERE ARE  
AWESOME.

THAT'S  
WHY I COME  
HERE EVERY  
SUMMER.

OH...

IS  
THAT  
SO...

This time I  
definitely must  
tell him that  
I lied about  
not being able  
to swim.



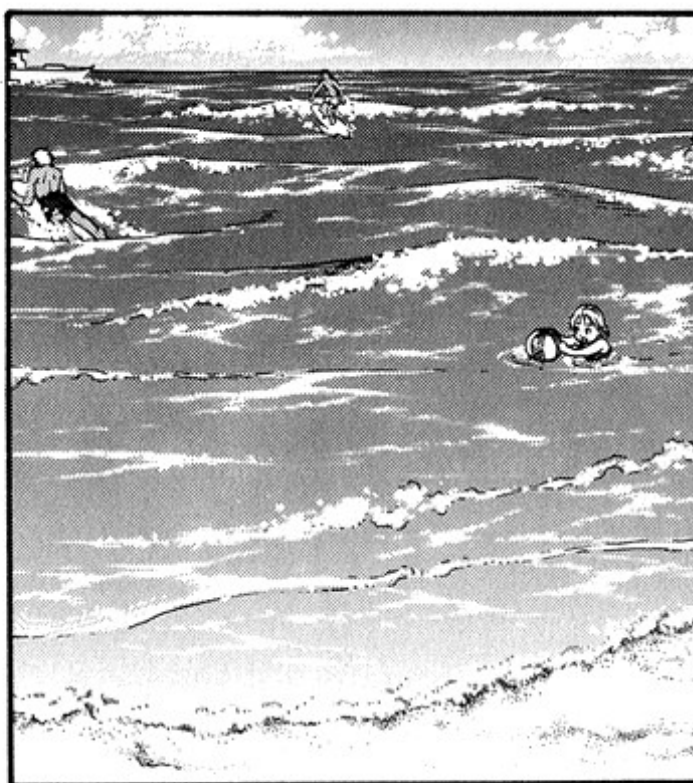
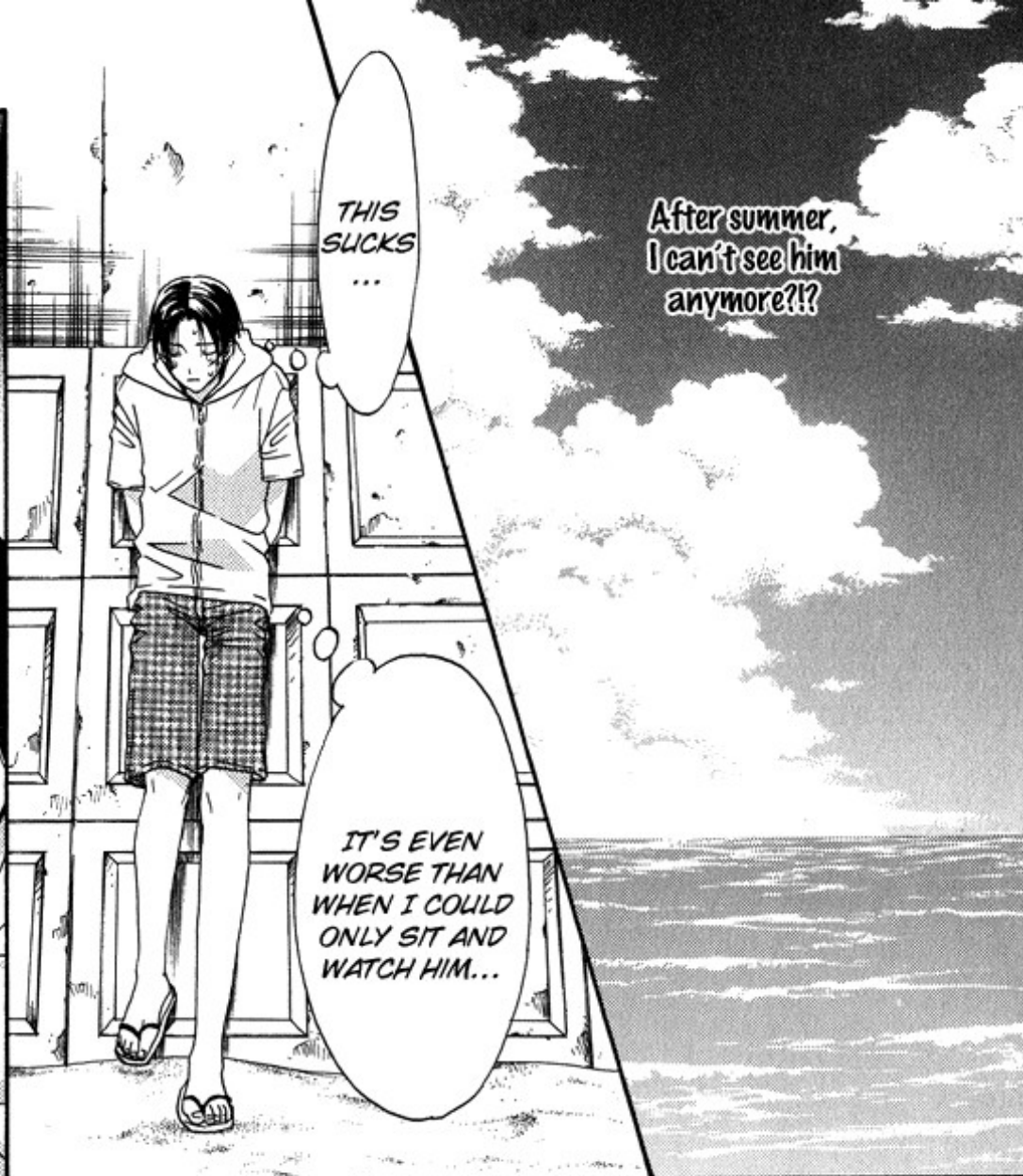
HE'LL  
SURELY  
HATE  
ME FOR  
THIS.

HE'LL  
HATE  
ME...

THIS  
SUCKS  
...

After summer,  
I can't see him  
anymore!!?

IT'S EVEN  
WORSE THAN  
WHEN I COULD  
ONLY SIT AND  
WATCH HIM...



THAT... IS  
WHERE YOU-  
SAN SAVED  
ME FROM  
DROWNING...



THE WATER  
SUDDENLY  
GETS DEEP  
AND THE  
WAVES  
ARE ALSO  
STRONG.

THAT KID  
OVER THERE  
MIGHT BE IN  
DANGER...





AH!!

charge

OH  
NO...

splash

splash



WAIT  
FOR ME...  
I'LL SAVE  
YOU!



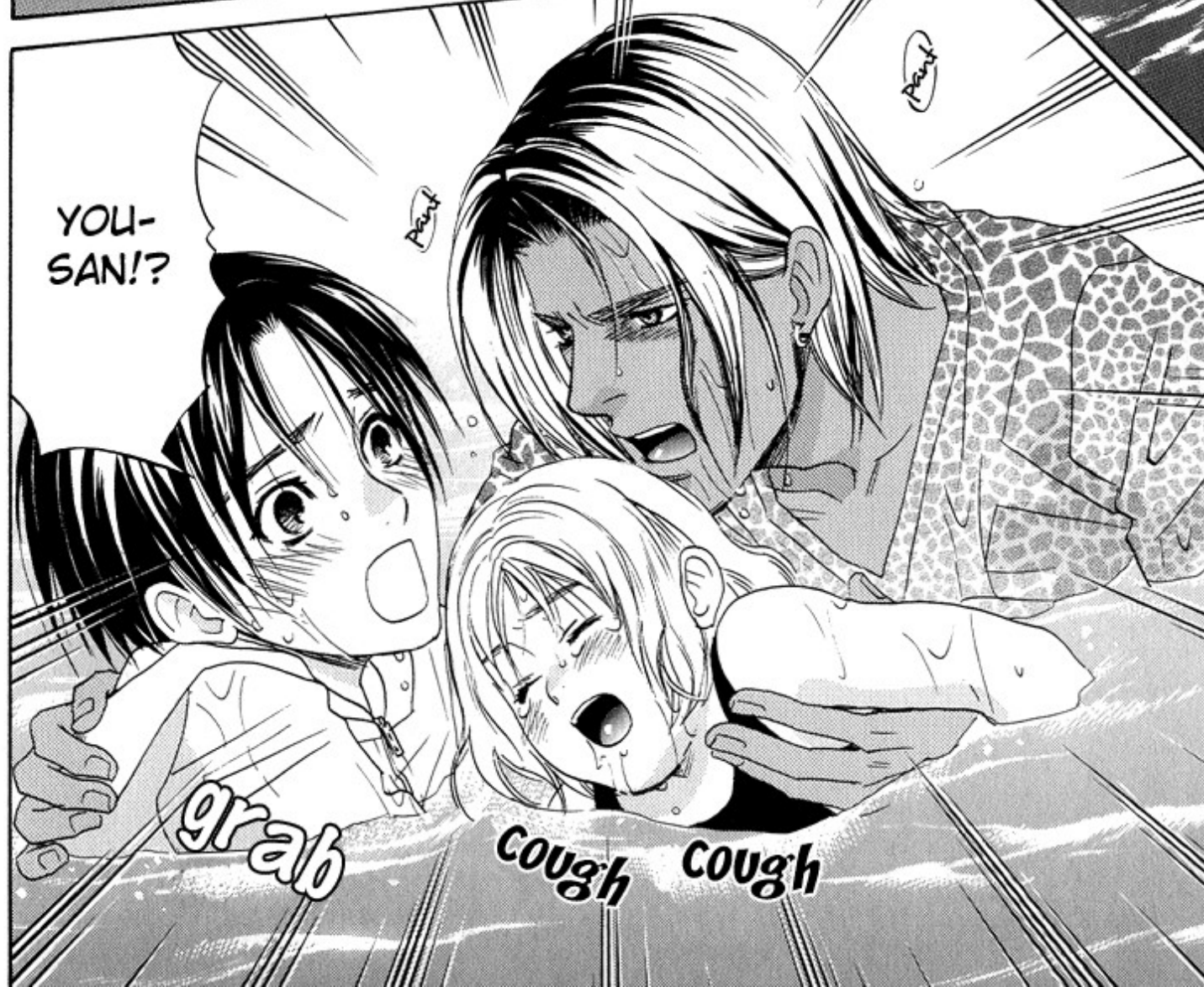
splash

CO-  
UGH  
...

HEL...  
HELP  
ME...

glob

glob

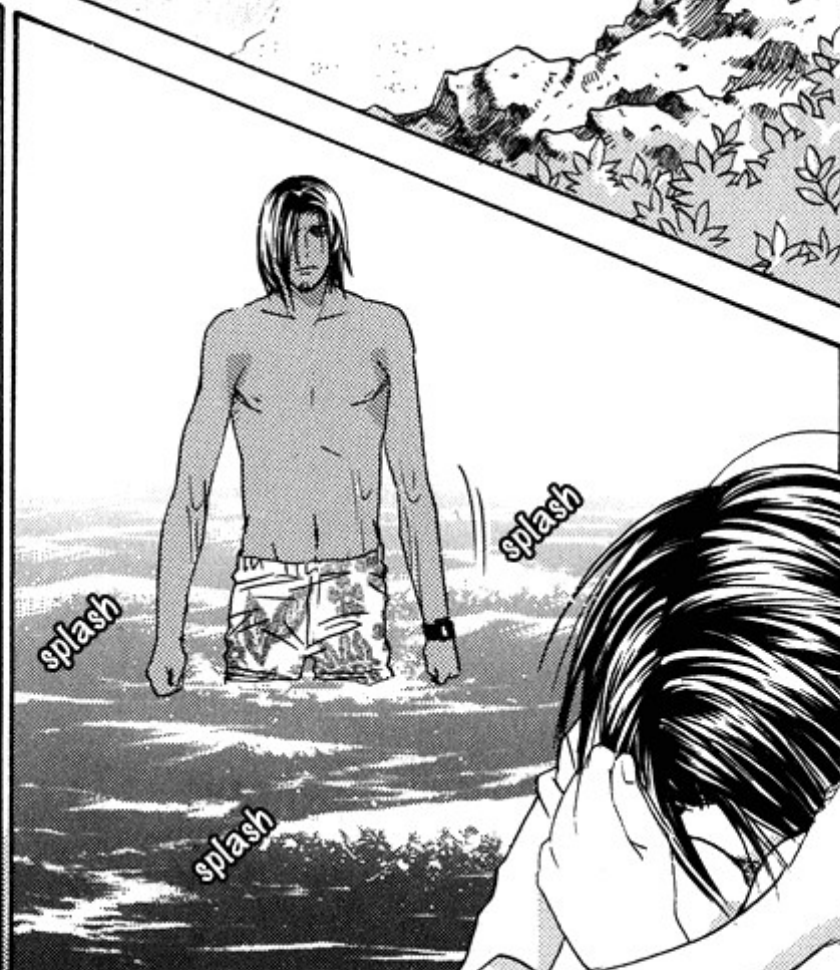






MANABU,

SO YOU  
WERE LYING  
TO ME WHEN  
YOU SAID THAT  
YOU DIDN'T  
KNOW HOW  
TO SWIM...



...I'M  
SORRY...

BECAUSE,

I FELL IN  
LOVE WITH  
YOU!!

THAT'S  
NOT IT!

WHY!? ARE  
YOU MAKING  
FUN OF ME!?

GRAB

DO YOU  
KNOW HOW  
WORRIED I  
WAS JUST  
NOW!?

I SAW YOU  
WHEN I WAS  
ON THE BUS  
HOME FROM  
SCHOOL...

AND I FELL  
IN LOVE  
WITH YOU...

THAT'S WHY  
I WANTED...  
TO BE WITH  
YOU...





shove

WAIT...  
WAIT A  
SECO-  
ND,  
WAIT A  
SECOND!



YOU-  
SA-...

WAI...

kiss  
kiss

slurp

...NN...  
WAIT...



THIS  
KIND OF  
THING...

I'M A  
GUY... YOU  
SAID "DON'T  
EVEN JOKE  
ABOUT THAT  
..."

WHY...

I DON'T EVEN  
UNDERSTAND  
IT MYSELF!



nuzzle

kiss

AH...

AH...

nuzzle

crunch

crunch

LIA...  
LIAR...

twitch

...  
LWAAH  
...

suck

IT'S  
JUST  
THAT  
...

WITH  
YOUR FAIR  
SKIN, YOUR  
BODY IS SO  
SEXY.

FROM THE  
MOMENT I  
SAW YOUR  
BODY, I'VE  
WANTED TO  
DO THIS.

lick

lick

WAY SEXIER  
THAN THOSE  
WOMEN ALL  
BRONZED BY  
THE SUN.

slurp

HOW CAN  
YOU... FEEL  
THAT WAY  
FOR ME...

YOU'RE  
ALWAYS...  
FOOLING  
AROUND WITH  
WOMEN...

suck



You're  
so mean,  
You-san.

AH...

THRUST

AH...

twitch

You're  
about to  
leave,

AHHH!

pant

pant

AH!

AH!

...NN

Then  
doesn't that  
mean that  
I'll never  
be able to  
forget you?

but you're  
doing this  
to me.

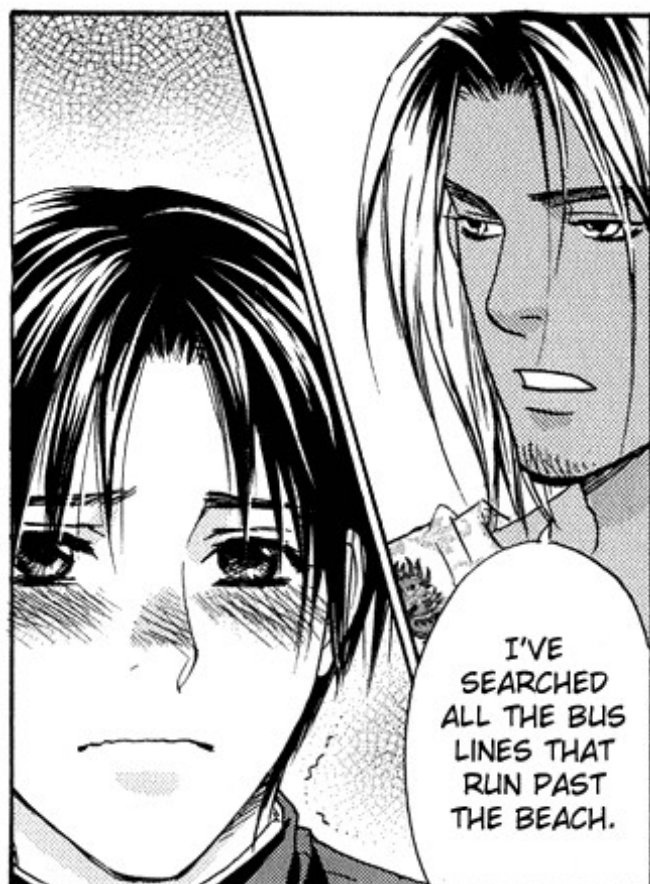
The summer  
when I met  
and fell in  
love with  
You-san  
came to  
an end.

After  
that,

I didn't  
go to the  
beach  
anymore.

And so,  
I'm on the  
bus today  
as usual,

passing by  
the ocean,  
but You-san  
isn't there  
any more.





It seems  
that I'm  
going to like  
all the other  
seasons too.



✧ THE END ✧