Prisoner number 0X337.
Norman Haze. 23years old.
Convicted:murder and burglar.
Sentence:life. Up for parole in 60.
Prisoner number 0X994.
Walter O'Brien. 38years old.
Convicted:drug manufacturing.
Sentence:6years. Up for parole in 3.

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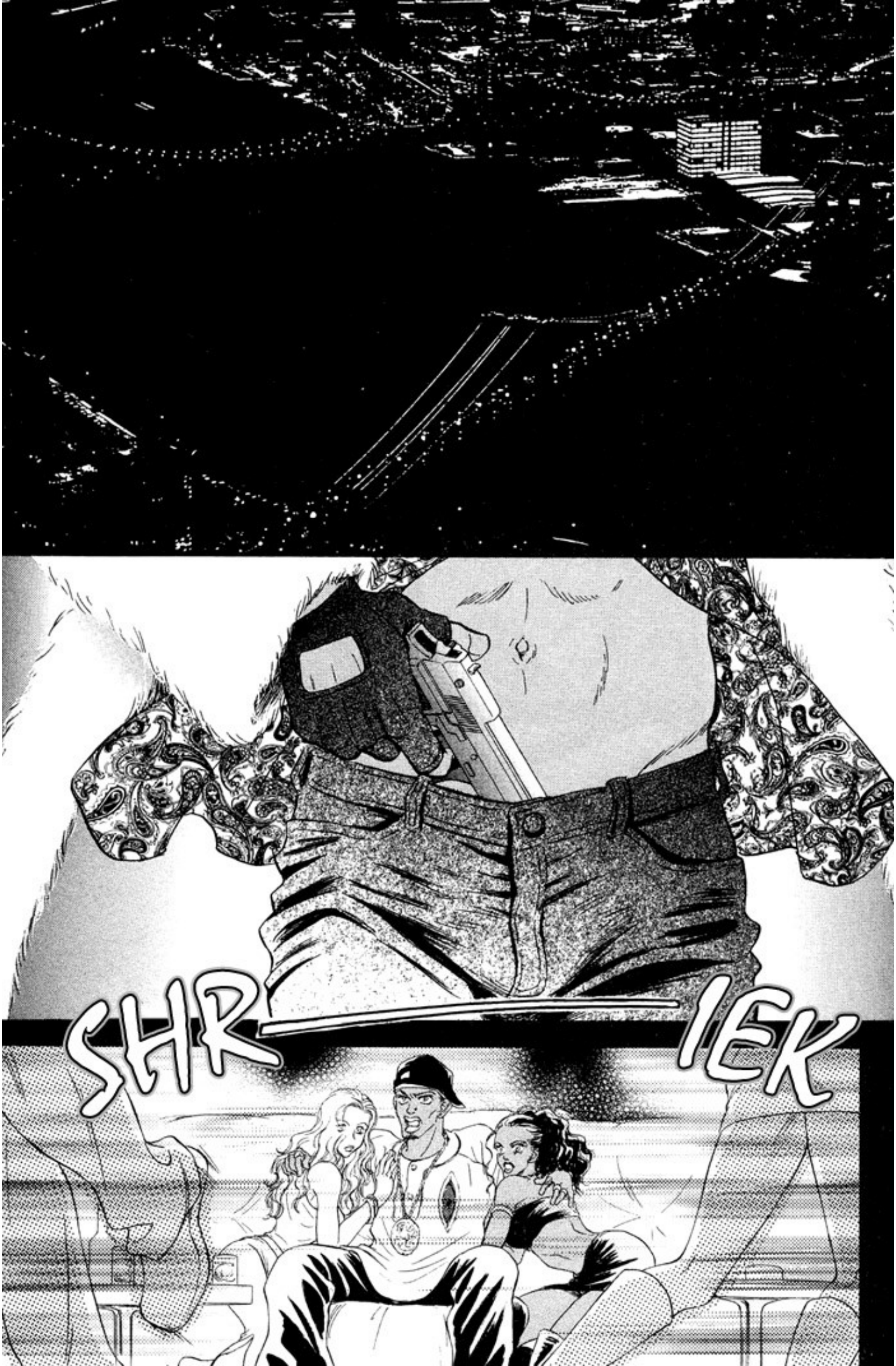
SHR IEK

STOP SWORDFISH!
DON'T BE BREATHING ON MY ISLAND YOU INSECT.
NOOOO!
THAT MOMENT I GOT THE TICKET FOR AN ETERNAL STAY AT THE "UNDER GROUND HOTEL".
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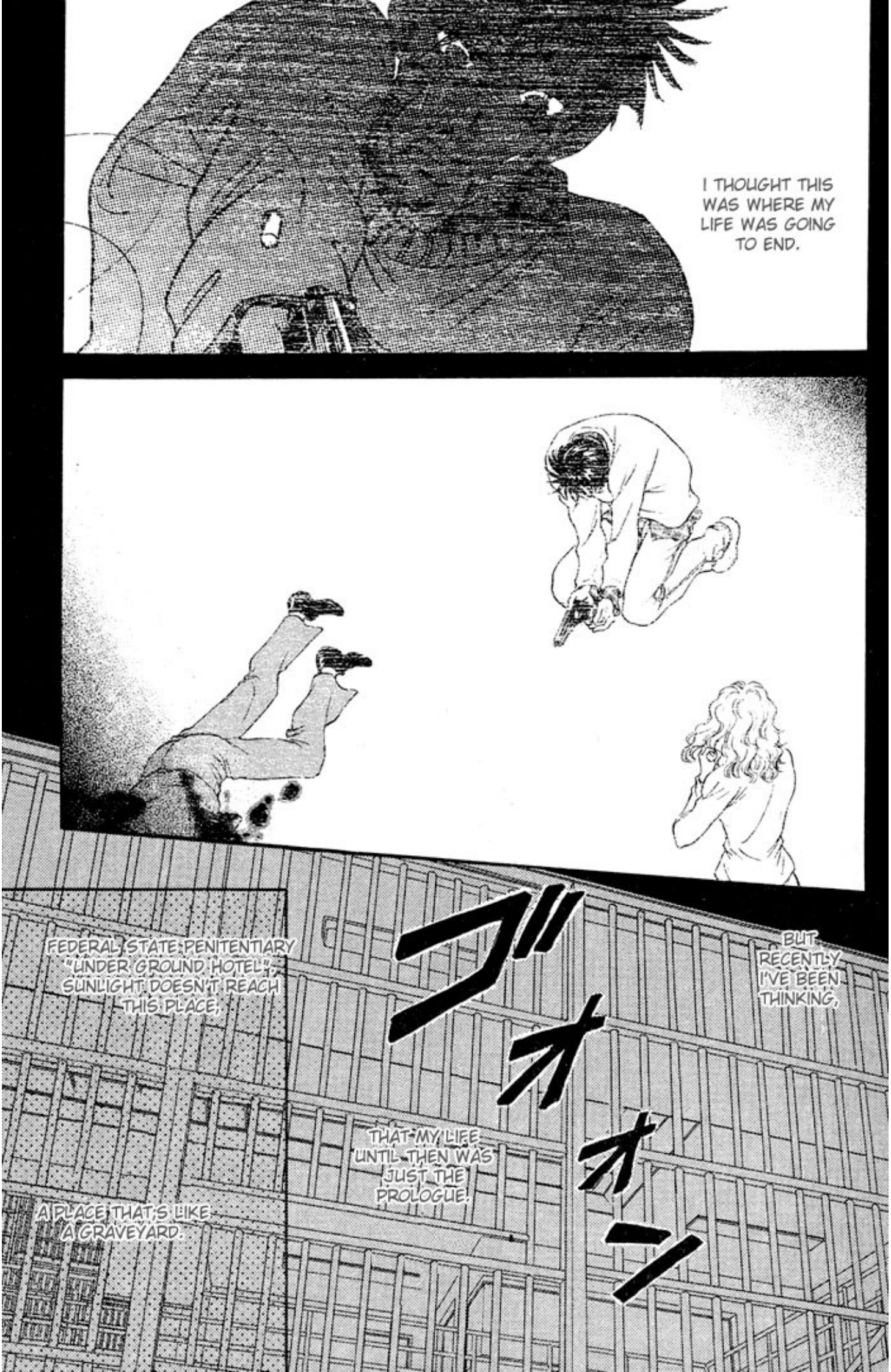
I THOUGHT THIS WAS WHERE MY LIFE WAS GOING TO END.
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FEDERAL STATE PENITENTIARY "UNDER GROUND HOTEL". SUNLIGHT DOESN'T REACH THIS PLACE,
A PLACE THAT'S LIKE A GRAVEYARD.
THAT MY LIFE UNTIL THEN WAS JUST THE PROLOGUE.
BUT RECENTLY I'VE BEEN THINKING,

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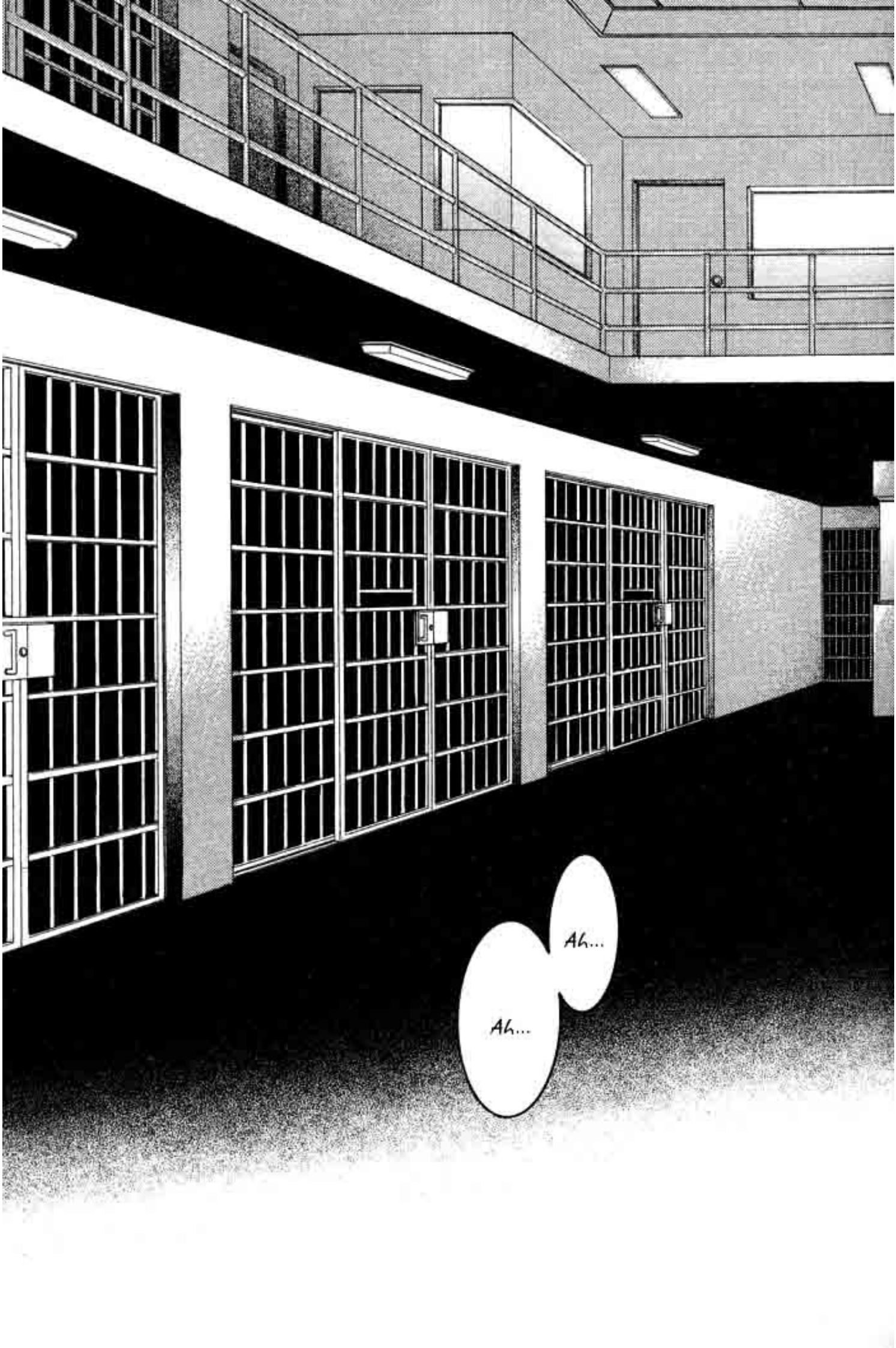
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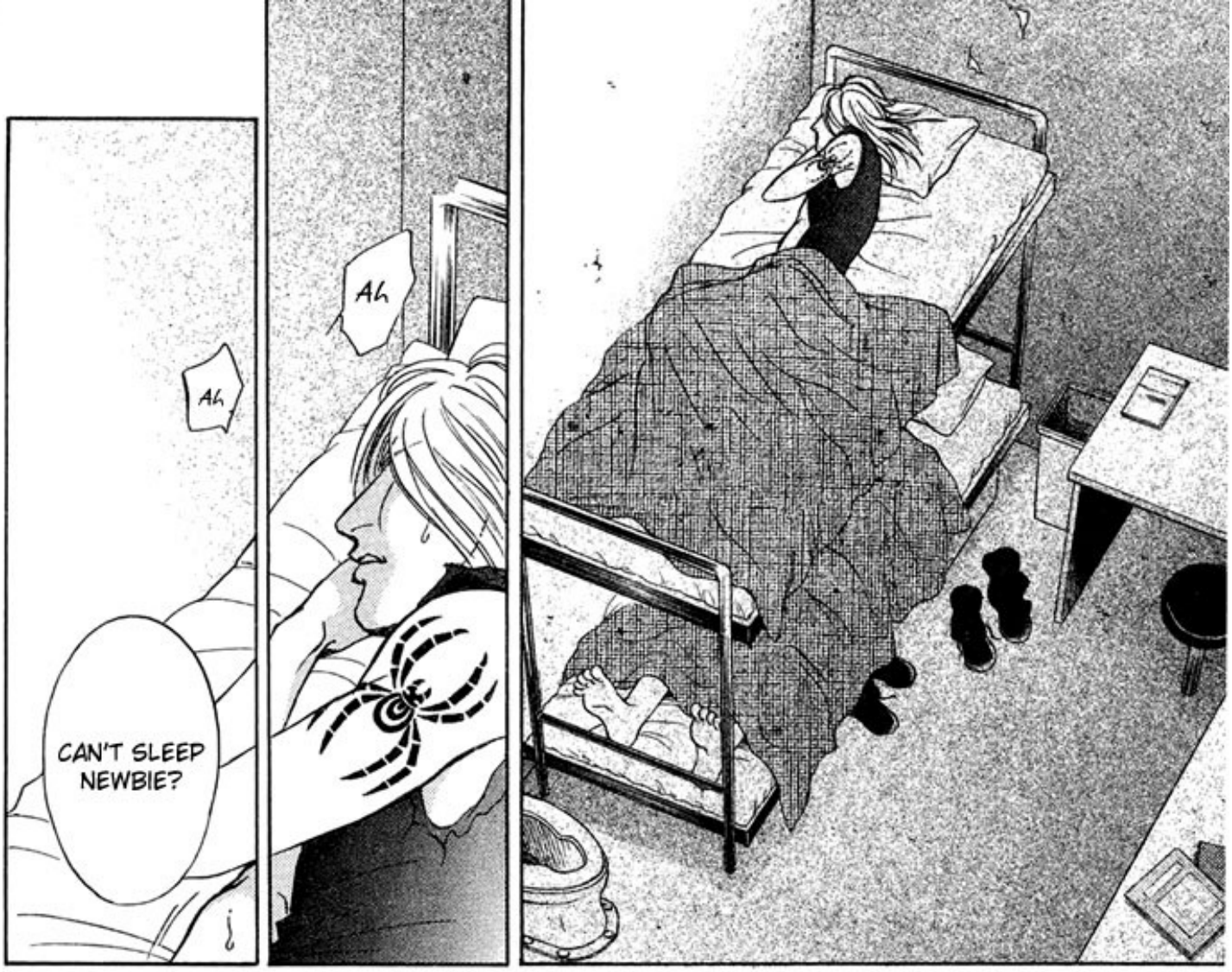
Ah...

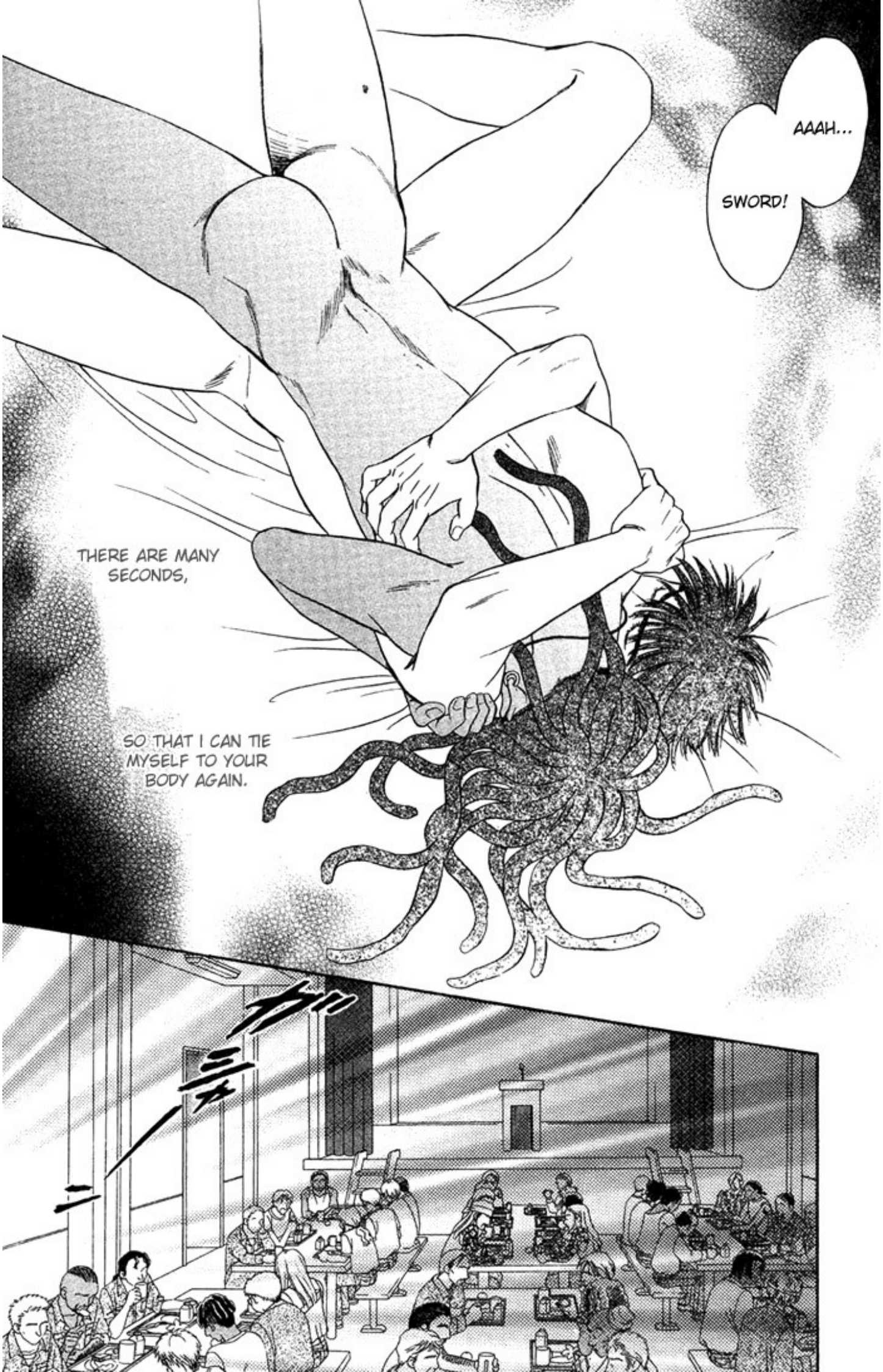

Ah
Ah
CAN'T SLEEP NEWBIE?

GRAND HOTEL?
SWORDFISH IS THE "UNDER GRAND HOTEL" SHUTCALL. EVEN THE GUARDS GIVE HIM SPECIAL TREATMENT
Ah
Nn
Ah
BUT SEX ISN'T ALLOWED RIGHT?
THEY'RE MORE INTO IT THAN USUAL.
IT'S BECAUSE IT'S REUNION SEX AFTER COMING BACK FROM WORK.

CREAK
Ahh...
CREAK
Oh...
THEY SHOULD BE ABOUT READY TO FINISH...
CREAK
CREAK
Haa
LIKE THE GUYS WHO GET TO WORK.
GUYS WHO FEEL LIKE THEY'RE IN A HIGH CLASS HOTEL AND THINK THEIR LIVES ARE PRETTY GOOD CALL IT THAT.
CREAK
.....
CREAK
AHHH!
Oh...
WELCOME TO UGH!

SOMEONE WILL SEE.
DON'T WORRY.
DON'T WANNA...
SWORD PULL OUT.
YOU'LL GET HARRASSED BY THE WARDEN AGAIN.
YOU WANNA GO BACK TO SOLITARY? COULD YOU EVEN GET THE SAME CELL AGAIN?
Shall we get a roommate?
.....

EVEN MY PAST WAS USELESS.
I HAD TO GET TOUGH TO SURVIVE HERE.
2 YEARS AGO...
THE MOMENT I SET FOOT IN THIS PLACE,
I LET GO OF THE ME OF THE PAST AND THE THOUGHT THAT PERHAPS I WOULD BE REBORN IF I DIED QUICKLY... THAT WAS MY ONLY THOUGHT.
I THOUGHT THAT, WITH THIS MAN MY EVERY WISH WOULD BE GRANTED.
SWORDFISH IS QUITE BIG IN BROOKLYN. HE'S A GANG BOSS AND DRUG DEALER.
HOWEVER...
THE LINGERING ATTACHMENT TO 'LIFE' THAT WAS INSIDE ME,
CHOSE TO LOVE HIM.
NOW I WANT TO LIVE.
AGAIN...
CAN I MOVE?


AAAH...
SWORD!
THERE ARE MANY SECONDS,
SO THAT I CAN TIE MYSELF TO YOUR BODY AGAIN.

SHORTEN THEM FOR YOU.
STAB
THEN I'LL...
MY BAD. I'TS 'COS I HAVE LONG LEGS.
THIS KID... MY FOOT...
WHAT'S GOING ON!
WHAT THE FUCK DID YOU DO JAP!
GYAAAH!

ARE YOU CAUSING TROUBLE?
NOO... IT'S NOT THAT SERIOUS.
IT'S NOTHING. I ACCIDENTALLY DROPPED THE KNIFE THAT'S ALL.
SWORD...
I'LL TAKE YOU TO THE INFIRMARY.
PAY BACK IS THE POLITE THING TO DO.
HE'S ALWAYS CAUSING TROUBLE.
With his feet this time...
DONT ACT STUPID.
IF YOU'RE GONNA DO IT, FINISH IT. OR ELSE IT'S USELESS.
THAT WILL GET YOU BACK IN SOLITARY.

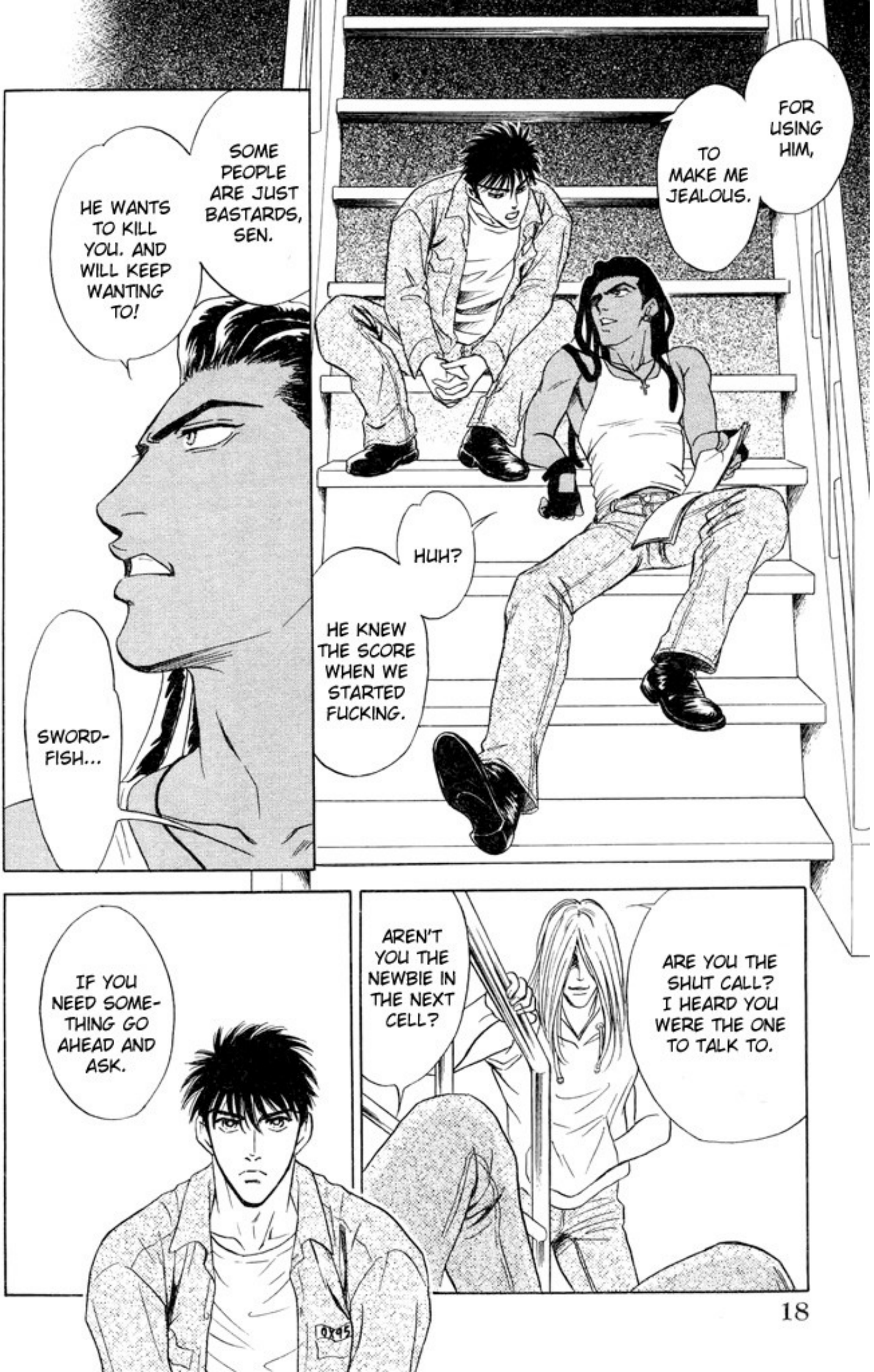
IF YOURE GONNA DO IT MAKE SURE YOU FINISH IT.
SWORD AND SEN GOT BACK TOGETHER.
Damn!
Sen's ass was so hot!
THEY WERE DOING IT LAST NIGHT. COULDN'T YOU HEAR IT?
GIVE IT UP.
IT WAS OBVIOUS SWORD WAS ALWAYS INTO SEN.

WALT...
DIE SEN!
WALTER...
WHY DID YOU PROTECT SEN THAT TIME?

I FIGURED THAT IF I HELPED SWORD OUT, I COULD GET HIM TO WATCH MY BACK TOO...
Is right-handed.
0x994
WELL...

!
TRUTH IS, IT'S 'COS I FELT SORRY FOR YOU.

THANKS NORMAN ...
IF YOU DON'T WANT TO DIE,
DON'T BUTT IN AGAIN WALTER!
0X337
SWORD,
DO SOMETHING ABOUT NORMAN.
BAD MEETING
Hey! Yes. HAHAHA
What's matter with you? Please relax!
I'm glad to see you. HAHAHA
HE'S SERIOUSLY IN LOVE WITH YOU.
DO YOU WANT ME TO FUCK HIM?
APOLOGIZE OR SOMETHING.


FOR USING HIM,
TO MAKE ME JEALOUS.
SOME PEOPLE ARE JUST BASTARDS, SEN.
HE WANTS TO KILL YOU. AND WILL KEEP WANTING TO!
HUH?
HE KNEW THE SCORE WHEN WE STARTED FUCKING.
SWORD-FISH...
ARE YOU THE SHUT CALL? I HEARD YOU WERE THE ONE TO TALK TO.
AREN'T YOU THE NEWBIE IN THE NEXT CELL?
IF YOU NEED SOME-THING GO AHEAD AND ASK.
0X95

AREN'T YOU GUYS FRIENDS?
HE DOESN'T CONCERN HIMSELF WITH BUSINESS.
I'VE GOT LSD TOO. YOU WANT IT?
GOT NO MONEY.
FROM NOW ON WHATEVER I ASK...
HOW?
YOU CAN PAY ME BACK IN OTHER WAYS.
IVY
HUH?
MY WIFE GREW THOSE TOO.

THEY WON'T GROW VERY BIG.
WITHOUT FRESH AIR AND SUNLIGHT, THEY'LL JUST DIE.
JUST LIKE PEOPLE.
THE SUN HUH...
HEY NORMAN,
AREN'T YOU A BARBER?
I'LL PAY!
OKAY BUT,
IT'LL BE EXPENSIVE SINCE I'M THE NO.1 HAIR-DRESSER AT UGH.
IF YOU DON'T MIND, COULD YOU SHAVE MY BEARD FOR ME?
I'M SEEING MY WIFE TOMOR-ROW.

YOU'RE SUCH AN IRRITATING CUSTOMER.
SAFETY RAZOR HUH?
WELL YOU CAN'T KEEP KNIVES IN THE CELLS.
IF THAT'S IT, I CAN SHAVE WITH ONE HAND YOU KNOW.
CALM DOWN.
DID YOU SHAVE IT ALL!? MIRROR, MIRROR!!
IF YOU PISS ME OFF, MY HAND WILL SLIP.
WOW...

AH.
0X994
OKAY THEN.
I'M GONNA GO DO LAUNDRY.
EH?
GIVE ME YOUR STUFF TOO.
I LOOK LIKE A KID. I SHOULD HAVE LEFT IT LONG.
IT'S NOT BAD.
THANKS.
OUCH.
...

WSS
WSS
SLIP
OX994

LOCK DOWN!
EVERYONE BACK IN YOUR CELLS!!
WHAT THE HELL!?
HEY GUARD. WHAT HAPPENED!?

HAZE WAS STABBED IN THE LAUNDRY ROOM.
IS HE DEAD!?
NAAH... BUT IT'S STILL SERIOUS.
WHAT?
IT WASN'T ME.
YOU PROBABLY GOT SOMEONE ELSE TO DO IT FOR YOU RIGHT.
YOU DON'T TRUST ME DO YOU SEN?

BUT,
IF YOU DON'T THEN I'M STARTING TO THINK IT WOULD OF BEEN BETTER IF I DID GET HIM KILLED.
IT WOULD OF BEEN GOOD...
IT WASNT ME. BELIEVE ME.
I BELIEVE YOU.
REALLY?
HE'S IN LOVE WITH SUCH A BASTARD LIKE YOU. I FEEL SORRY FOR HIM...
SEN...
SEN... ARE YOU CRYING? FOR HIM?
FOR MYSELF.

IN YOUR LOVE...
I BELIEVE...

SEN DOES IT FEEL GOOD?
COME WHENEVER YOU WANT.
I'LL SWALLOW IT ALL...
...
Nh...
Ahhhh!
More ...

I'LL MAKE YOU FEEL EVEN BETTER...
I DIDN'T KNOW I COULD FEEL SO GOOD UNTIL I CAME TO. UGH.
BY THE WAY, IT'S NOT JUST HIM WHO CAN MAKE IT FEEL GOOD BUT,
NO MATTER WHAT, I CAN RELY ON HIM TO GET ME OFF..
.....
Ahh...
FEELS GOOD SEN...
FEEL MY FINGERS...
I'LL DO IT LIKE THAT.

Un...
AT FIRST IT HURTS BUT
PEEP
PEEP
PEEP
40
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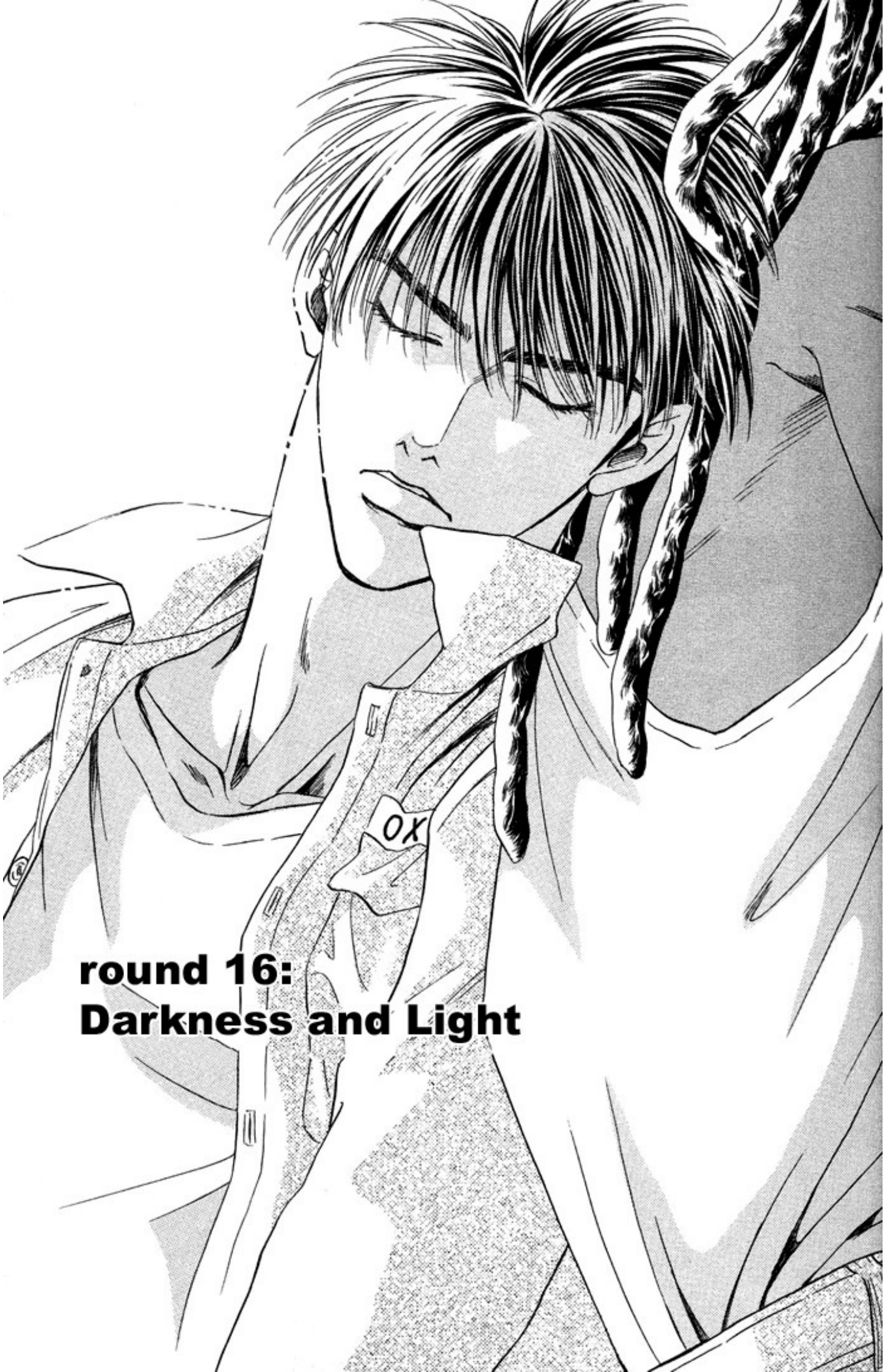
THEN...
SWORD...
MORE...
THE PAIN FADES INTO PLEASURE.
Nhh
KEEP THRUSTING, MAKE ME FORGET EVERYTHING.
Ahh

THAT'S HIS TRUTH...
TO PROTECT HIS TRUTH, HE'LL EASILY KILL PEOPLE.
SEN... I LOVE YOU.
SWORD'S ACTIONS ARE BECAUSE OF ME...
Ahhh
HIS ACTIONS ARE BECAUSE OF ME...
EVEN THOUGH IT STILL HURTS.
Nhh
WE MAKE LOVE...
AHH!

SUCH A BASTARD...
SO AM I...



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Darkness and Light

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QUIET!
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YOU REALLY DON'T UNDERSTAND A WOMAN'S MENTALITY, DO YOU?
LATE AGAIN, MR. OWARI?
IF YOU WANTED TO ATTRACT MY ATTENTION,
A+
DON'T YOU THINK THAT WRITING YOUR REPORT WOULD BE THE MOST EFFECTIVE WAY?
I JUST WANTED TO ATTRACT YOUR ATTENTION, PROFESSOR BURNS.

WHEN I'M HERE, WHAT SHOULD I CALL YOU?
PRO-FESSOR BURNS.
MRS. BURNS.
...
JUST CECILLE...
SEN...
DID YOU KNOW?
I WAS CAPTIVATED BY YOU...
CECILLE ...
...!!
CRASH

THIS YELLOW THIEF!!
...!!
WHAT YOU DID TO MY WIFE, I'LL DO THE SAME BACK TO YOU!!
NO!
STOP!
UWAAAAH!!
PLEASE STOP!
STOP IT!!

BANG
CECILLE !!
SEN...
OI,
SEN!
YOU WERE GROANING REALLY BAD.
SWORD ...

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CREAK
I'M SORRY, SWORD...
CAN I STILL COME DOWN THERE?
I MIGHT HAVE AN OUTBURST...
STILL WANNA?
CREAK

I SIGHED IN RELIEF AT SWORD'S SMELL...
WE CAN DO IT IF YOU WANT.
WE'LL DO IT WHEN YOU FEEL LIKE DOING IT.
BEFORE THAT,
TELL ME ABOUT THIS 'CECILLE' YOU'RE TRYING TO PROTECT.
WHY DID SHE ATTACK HER HUSBAND?
TALK.
YOU NEED TO TELL ME.
EVERYTHING ABOUT THE SECRETS THE GUY I'VE BEEN TRYING TO PROTECT, IS PROTECTING.
YOU TOLD THE CHIEF, RIGHT...?
...
HER HUSBAND FOUND OUT ABOUT OUR RELATIONSHIP.

RAPED ME.
THAT DAY... I WENT TO THEIR HOUSE TO TALK TO HIM, MAN-TO-MAN.
BUT BECAUSE I FELT SO GUILTY, I LET HIM BEAT ME.
IT WAS GOOD FOR HIM, BUT SUDDENLY HE GOT HARD AND...
WHAT IS IT...?
YOU'RE SAYING,
TO STOP HER HUSBAND, SHE MURDERED HIM!?
SHE DIDN'T MEAN TO KILL HIM. SHE JUST WANTED TO SCARE HIM.
BUT IN MY CASE, I INTENDED IT.
WHEN I TOOK THE GUN FROM HER HANDS AND PLUGGED HIS DEAD BODY FULL OF BULLETS.

WHICH DO YOU THINK IS THE CRIME?
HER INCIDENTAL KILLING,
OR MY MURDEROUS INTENTIONAL SHOOTING OF A DEAD BODY, RIGGING IT FULL OF BULLETS?
IT WAS A TWO-PERSON CRIME.
MY LIFE WAS SHIT UNTIL I MET HER.
WHY DIDN'T YOU RUN AWAY TOGETHER?
SHE DIDN'T WANT TO BE A CRIMINAL.
PROTECTING HER HAS GIVEN IT A MEANING.
EVEN NOW, DO YOU LOVE HER, SEN?

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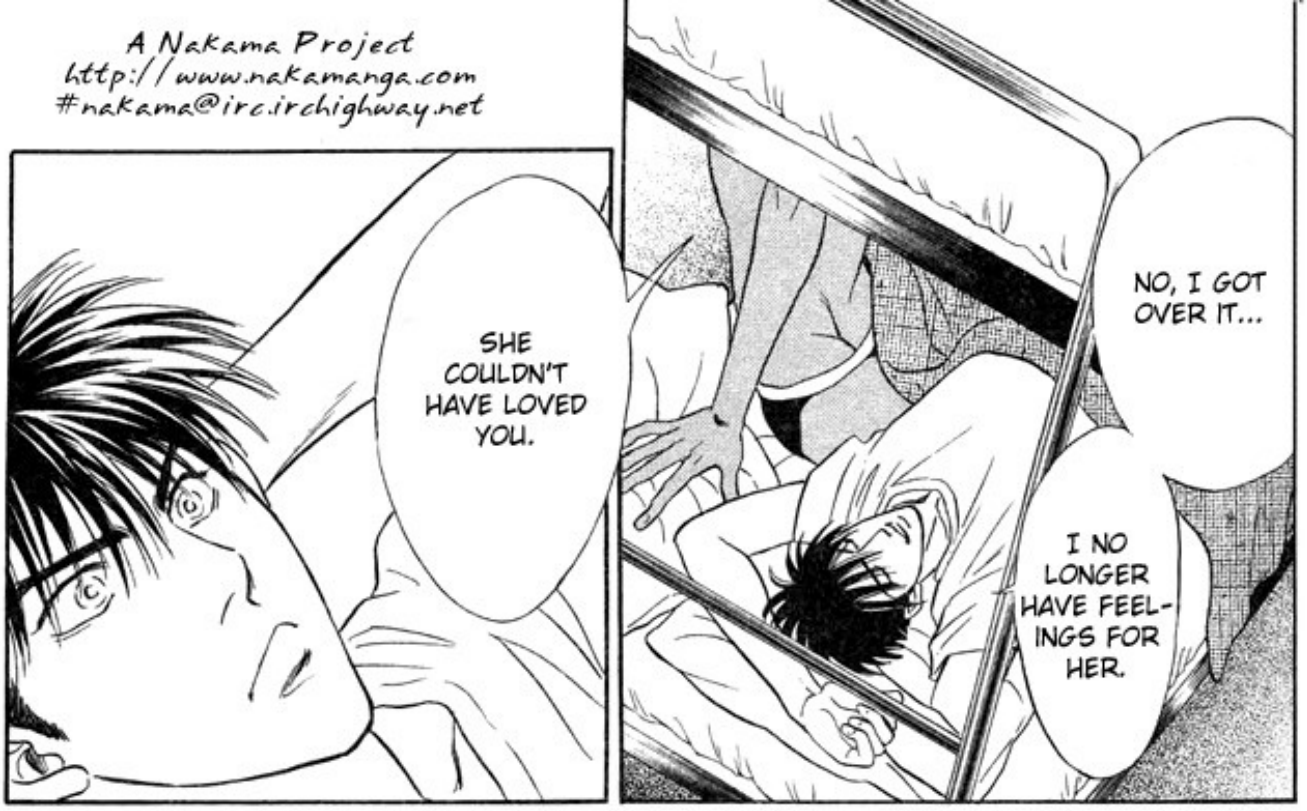
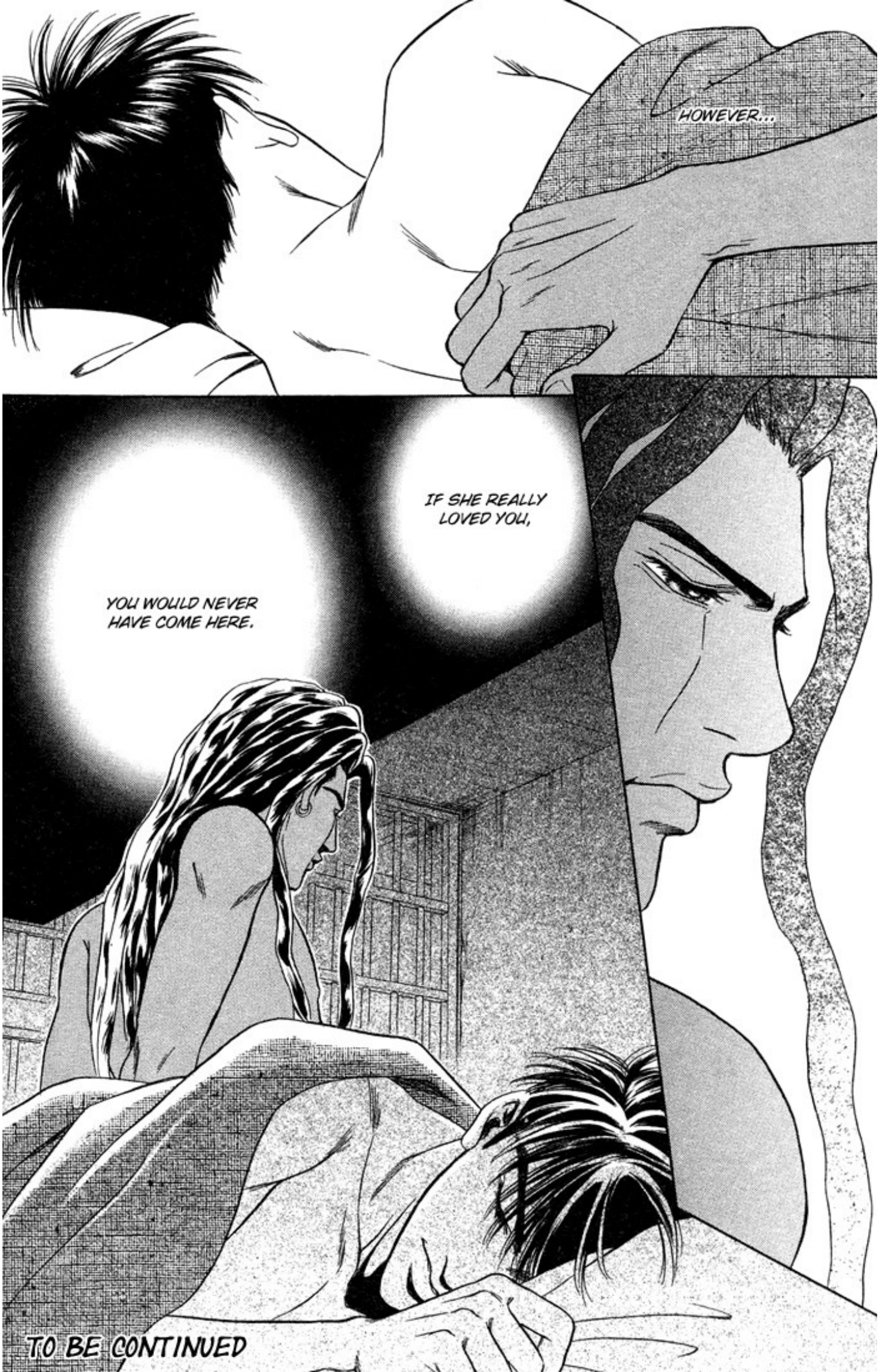


YOU'RE MY REAL PASSION NOW.
RUSTLE
RUSTLE
ME TOO... I FEEL THE SAME.
IF IT'S YOU INSIDE ME, I'D DEFINITELY FEEL SAFE.
DOING IT FROM THE FRONT IS GOOD. I WANT TO FEEL SAFE.
DO YOU HAVE ANY ANXIETIES?

Aaah...
Aaah
Uh...
Nn...
Aah...
Sen.
"DO YOU HAVE ANY ANXIETIES?"

I REALIZED THAT THE REASON YOU'RE HERE AND THE REASON I'M HERE ARE COMPLETELY DIFFERENT.
EVER SINCE I KNEW YOU WEREN'T A MURDERER,
SO THOSE TIMES WHEN I THRUST INTO YOU,
I WONDER ABOUT THE FUTURE...
Swo... rd...
RIDE ME, SEN...
splurt
gasp
I WANT TO SEE YOU BETTER...
WHEN YOU WANT ME...

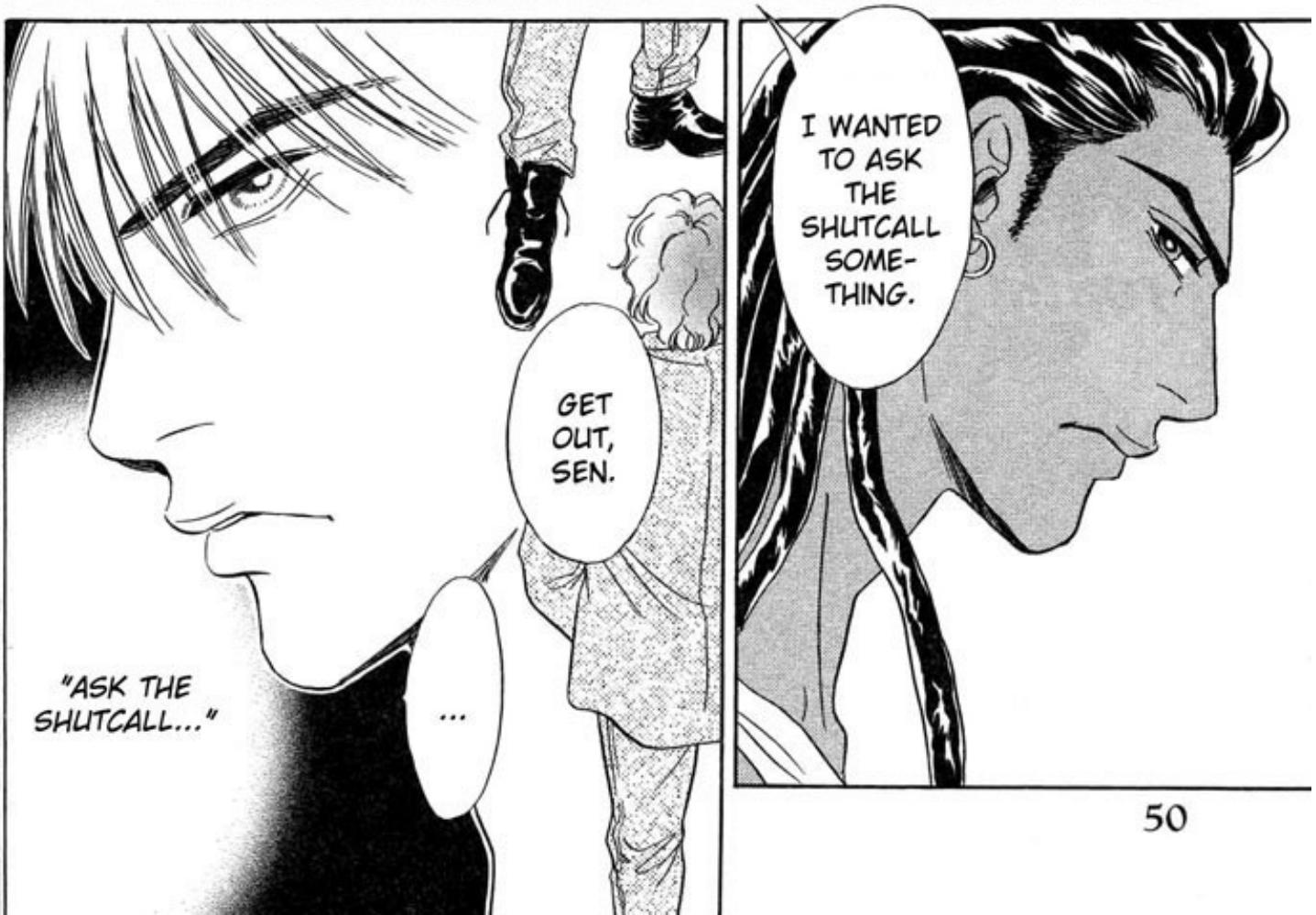
Ah.
IN THIS DARK UNDERGROUND PLACE, YOU'RE LIKE THE SHINING LIGHT OF THE SUN.
YOU'RE BEAUTIFUL.
Aaah...
I DONT WANT TO LOSE YOU!

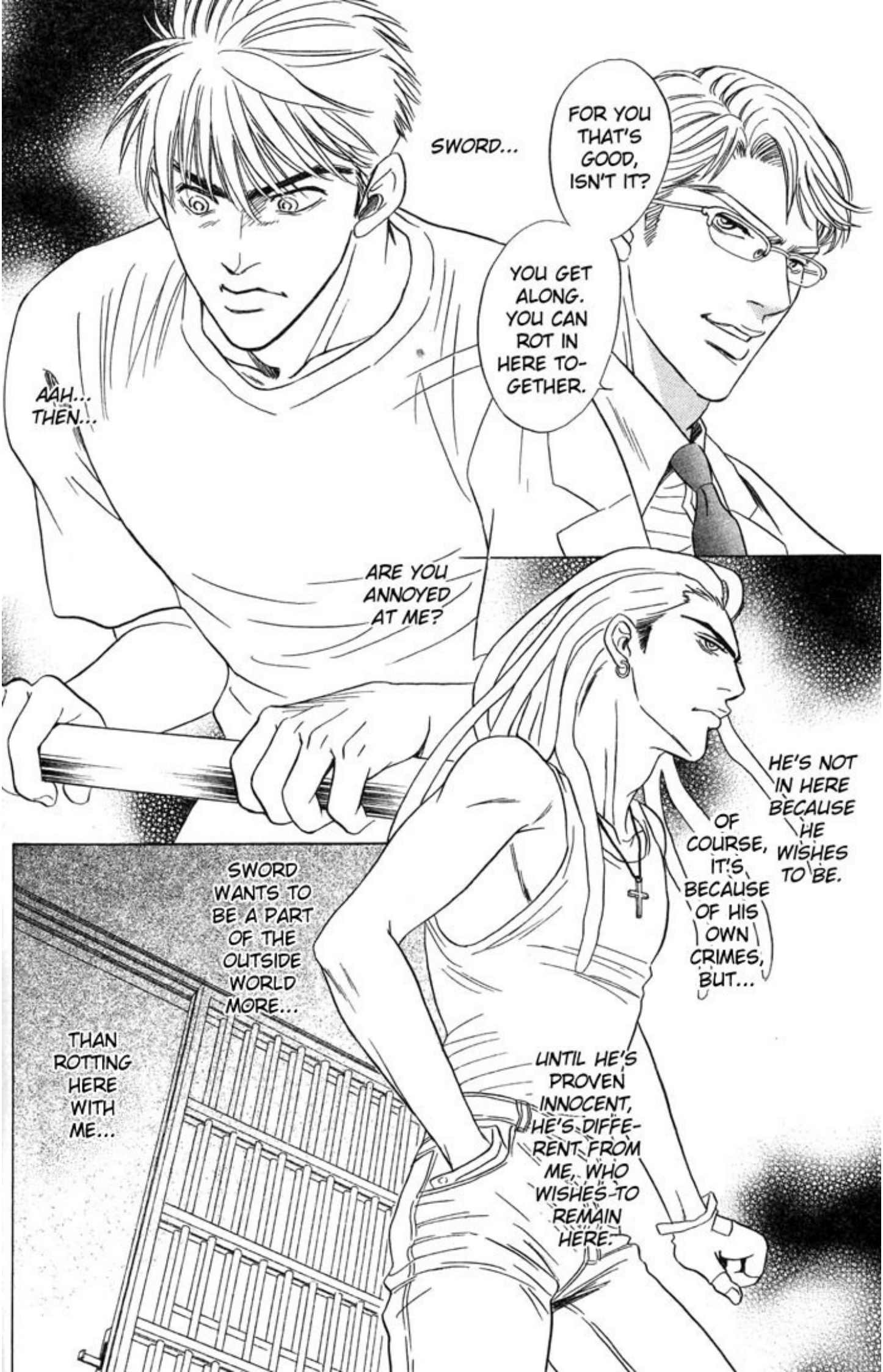

HOWEVER...
IF SHE REALLY LOVED YOU,
YOU WOULD NEVER HAVE COME HERE.
TO BE CONTINUED

I THINK...
IF I'M SUDDENLY THRUSTED AWAY FROM HIM,
IN THE NEXT MOMENT ...
WE'LL KISS UNTIL WE RUN OUT OF BREATH.
round17 : FUTURE
I DEFINITELY GET ANNOYED.
WHEN SWORD GETS TO BE LIKE THIS,

AAH... IT'S OKAY IF YOU'RE IN THE MIDDLE OF SOME-THING.
WHAT THE HELL!? WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU, SWORD!?
YOU NEED SOME-THING?
...!?
shove

NO, ACTUALLY ...
WAL-TER?
SEN! IT'S YOUR FRIEND.

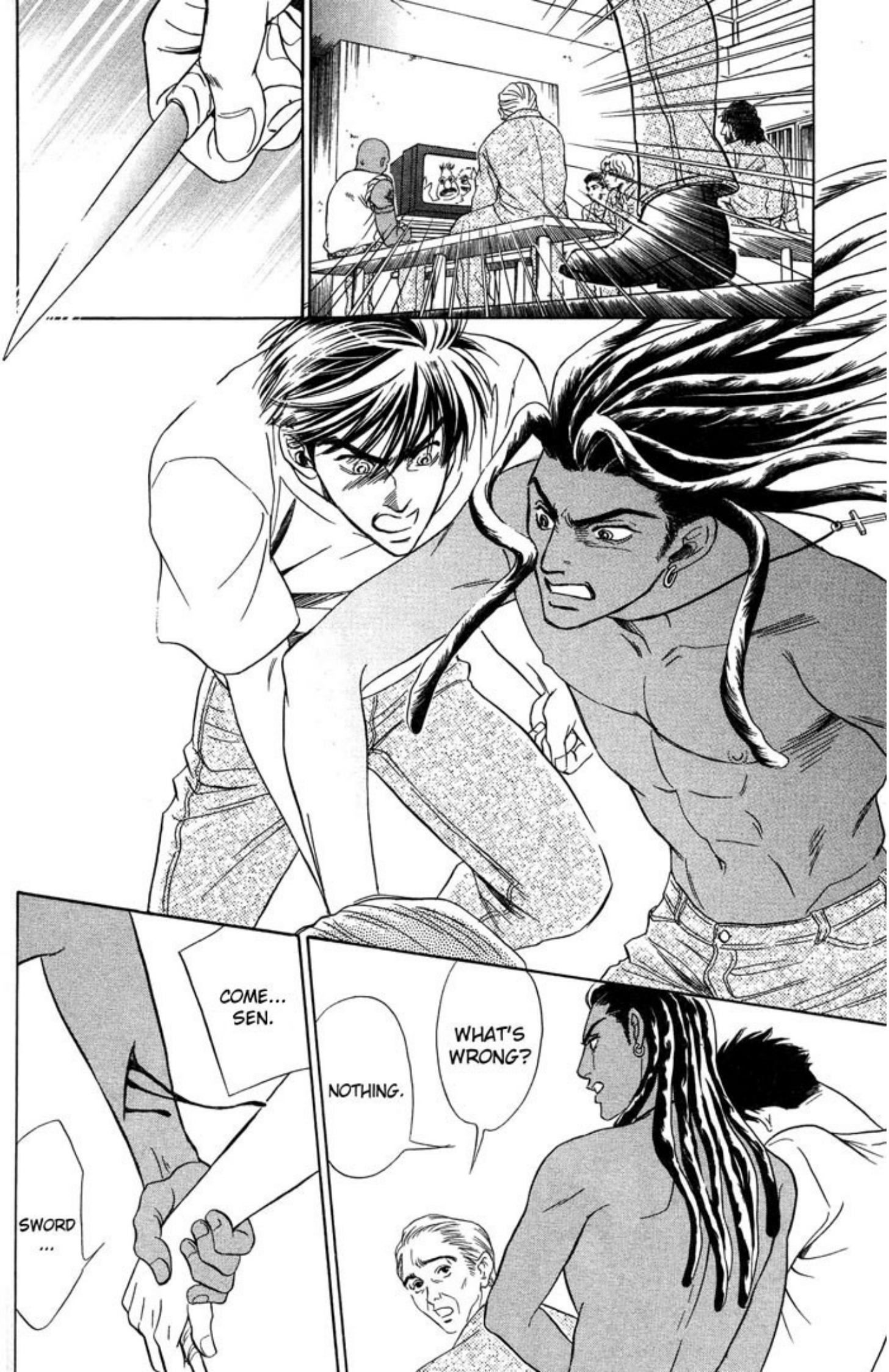

"ASK THE SHUTCALL..."
...
GET OUT, SEN.
I WANTED TO ASK THE SHUTCALL SOME-THING.


SWORD...
FOR YOU THAT'S GOOD, ISN'T IT?
YOU GET ALONG. YOU CAN ROT IN HERE TO-GETHER.
AAH... THEN...
ARE YOU ANNOYED AT ME?
HE'S NOT IN HERE BECAUSE HE WISHES TO BE.
OF COURSE, IT'S BECAUSE OF HIS OWN CRIMES, BUT...
SWORD WANTS TO BE A PART OF THE OUTSIDE WORLD MORE...
THAN ROTTING HERE WITH ME...
UNTIL HE'S PROVEN INNOCENT, HE'S DIFFE-RENT FROM ME, WHO WISHES TO REMAIN HERE.

STOP... SELLING DRUGS.
IT'LL KILL YOU...
HAVE YOU FINISHED YOUR BUSINESS CONVER-SATION?
YEAH.
LET'S GO SHOWER.
ARE YOU A PRIEST OR...
FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE, I CAN NEVER LEAVE THIS PLACE. IT'S TOO LATE TO TELL ME THAT NOW.
I DON'T HAVE A CHANCE...
LIKE YOU.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
IF YOU STARTED TO HATE IT HERE, THEN YOU CAN TALK ALL YOU WANT,
BUT DON'T GO SAYING "IT'LL KILL YOU"!
I WASN'T GONNA SAY ANYTHING LIKE THAT.

I WANT TO BE BY YOUR SIDE FOREVER.
FOR NOW ANYWAY ...
I DUNNO WHAT IT'LL BELIKE IN 10 YEARS.
I'M NOT LIKE YOU!!
I DON'T WANT A WORLD WITHOUT YOU.
creak
FOR EXAMPLE, THIS PLACE MIGHT BE HELL,
BUT I WILL ALWAYS BE WHERE YOU ARE.
...THEN PROVE IT.
ANYBODY WILL DO. KILL SOMEONE!

THERE'S NO CAPITAL PUNISHMENT HERE. JUST AN EXTENSION OF YOUR PRISON TERM.
THEN YOU CAN BE HERE WITH ME FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE.
IF YOU DO IT, IT'S SOMETHING YOU CAN DO THAT'LL MAKE ME NERVOUS TOO, RIGHT?
WHEN YOU FAIL...
SWORD ...
CAN YOU DIRTY YOUR HANDS, SEN? HUH, SEN!? FOR ME!?
...!?


COME... SEN.
WHAT'S WRONG?
NOTHING.
SWORD ...

WHAT ANNOYS ME THE MOST IS THE FACT THAT YOU DON'T WANT IT! ...TO BE FREE!
I DIDN'T THINK YOU WERE THIS STUPID!!
THE FREEDOM I WANT...
...IS WITH YOU.
I WANT TO PROVE IT TO YOU, UNDER THE FREE BLUE SKY...
...THAT OUR LOVE ISN'T JUST SOME MAGIC FROM THIS UNDER GRAND HOTEL.

IT HURTS, DAMNIT!
SWORD ...
SORRY ...
WE SHOULD GET SOMETHING FOR IT AT THE INFIRMARY.
FOR THIS SMALL SCRATCH,
LICK IT FOR ME UNTIL IT HEALS...
SHOWER?
SHALL WE GO...

ZAAAAAA
GRAB
IF WE DO THIS, WE CAN WASH AT THE SAME TIME, RIGHT?

AAAAAAAAA
plop

Ah!
Ah...
Ahh...!
Swo...
rd...
Sen...
Aaah
...!!
Ha...
I WON'T
GIVE UP.
SEN...

SWORD'S POSITIVE ATTITUDE IS WHAT KEEPS ME ALIVE.
SOMEDAY, I'LL KISS YOU UNDER THE SUN.
THAT EVENING...
WE DREAMT THE SAME DREAM.
AS IF WE DREAMT OF THE FUTURE.
AS IF...
TO BE CONTINUED

IS THIS THE PLANT THAT NORMAN WAS GROWING?

I DIDN'T KNOW YOU HAD SUCH A GREEN THUMB,
WALTER.
IT'S REALLY GROWN!
IT'S AN IVY.

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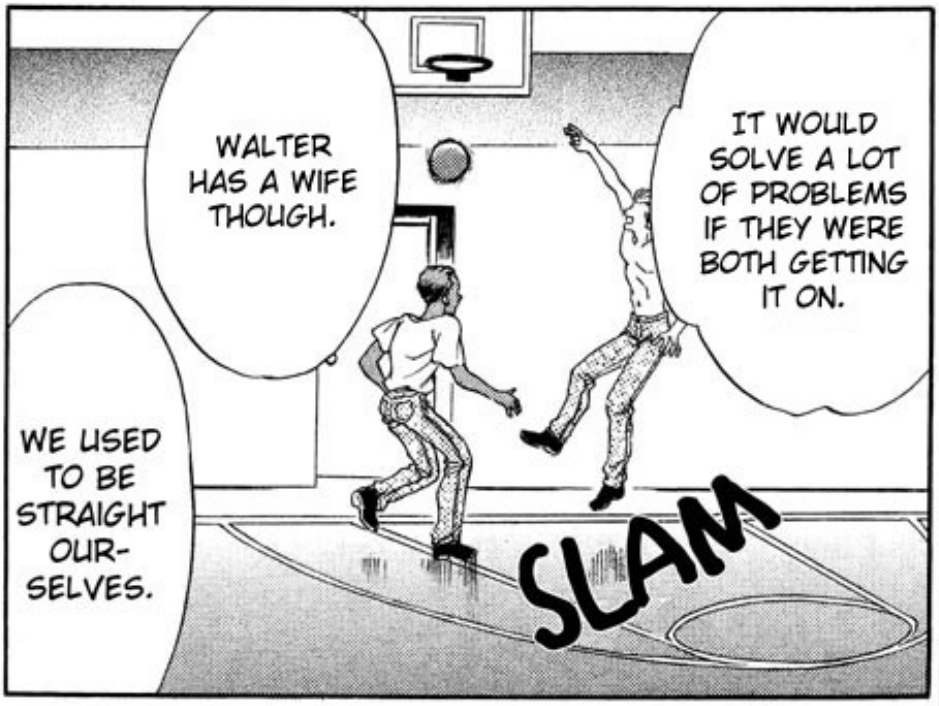
...PLEASE TELL ME! ...WHO STABBED YOU!?
SEN, I DON'T REMEMBER.
NORMAN ...!!
I'M BACK FROM THE LAND OF THE DEAD.
WELCOME BACK, NORMAN.
WALTER!
YOUR BEARD'S GROWN.
Your hair too.
I WANTED UGH'S NUMBER 1 CHARISMATIC HAIRDRESSER TO SHAVE IT.
Huh...? Am I the intruder?

ANYWAY,
IT'S GREAT THAT YOU'RE HEALTHY NOW.
CUT THE CRAP, YOU NEVER GAVE A SHIT ABOUT ME.
JUST TELL SWORD,
...THAT THE INFIRMARY'S BED IS COMFTY.
...

SWORD,

IF ANYTHING HAPPENS TO HIM AGAIN...
NORMAN'S BACK.
Go ahead!!
YEAH, I HEARD.
I'LL KILL THE BASTARD WHO DID IT.
... DON'T BE STUPID!
DO YOU WANNA BE A REAL KILLER!?
...THEN PROTECT NORMAN,
SO I DON'T HAVE TO BECOME ONE.
...

SEN, YOU'RE NOT IN LOVE WITH HIM, ARE YOU?
IT'S NOT LIKE THAT...
I JUST WANT HIM TO BE HAPPY.
I'LL KILL HIM ON THE SPOT.
OKAY, I GOT IT! BUT IF HE EVER MESSES WITH YOU AGAIN,


WALTER HAS A WIFE THOUGH.
IT WOULD SOLVE A LOT OF PROBLEMS IF THEY WERE BOTH GETTING IT ON.
WE USED TO BE STRAIGHT OUR-SELVES.
SLAM

SPEAK-ING OF WHICH,
JUST NOW, THEY SEEMED PRETTY INTIMATE WITH EACH OTHER.
SERI-OUSLY!?

EVEN HE CAN'T WIN AGAINST NEED.
SWORD...

DUNNO... PROB-ABLY...
NOT.
THOUGHT SO.
WHY D'YA ASK?
IF WE MET UP THERE, WOULD YOU HAVE FUCKED ME?
JUST CURIOUS.
THEN...
BECAUSE WE LIVE IN TOTALLY DIFFERENT WORLDS.
WE WOULDN'T HAVE MET EACH OTHER IN THE FIRST PLACE,
WE'LL JUST HAVE TO THANK THIS COUNTRY'S LAW...
FOR THROWING US IN HERE!

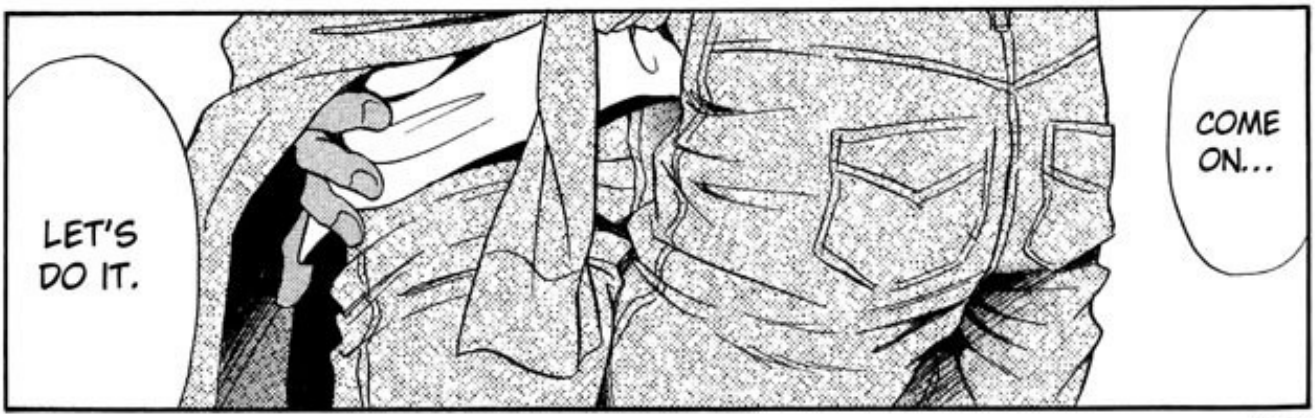
CLANK
BREAK IT OFF!
Fuck!
SEN... I'VE DECIDED.
THE NEXT TIME I KISS YOU, WILL BE UNDER THE SUN.
WHAT ...!?
LET'S BE PIONEERS, THE TWO OF US. WHADDYA SAY?
THAT WAY, YOU WON'T BE BETRAYING WOMEN ANYMORE.
BUT HOW!? HOW WOULD YOU ESCAPE FROM THIS INESCAPABLE PLACE...
I HAVE CONNECTIONS AND MONEY...
WHAT'S LEFT IS THE ACTUAL PLAN...
...
YOU'RE PLANNING TO ESCAPE, SWORD!?
SHH!

SEN...
I DON'T HAVE THE COURAGE.
...IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME.
THERE'S NO WAY IN HELL I'D SPEND MY WHOLE LIFE IN THIS PLACE!
I NEVER PLANNED ON WORKING MY ASS OFF FOR 200 YEARS TO BEGIN WITH.
I'M AFRAID... OF THE CHANGES.
CRASH
STUPID! SO YOU'RE SAYING THAT YOU'RE OKAY WITH LIFE IN HERE!?
IT'S NOT THAT, IT'S OUR RELATION-SHIP!
IF WE GET OUT OF THE CAGE, THERE'S NO GUARANTEE THAT WE WOULD STAY TOGETHER.
WE'RE BIRDS RAISED IN THE SAME CAGE.

YOU...
FLY TO PLACES THAT I CAN'T REACH.
YOU SHOULD FLY FURTHER THAN ME.
THAT'S RIGHT! I'M NOTHING BUT TIMID!
OR DO YOU HAVE NO CONFI-DENCE!?
I'M A DISAP-POINTING AND BORING GUY.
IF WE ESCAPE, YOU'LL FIND OUT...
ARE YOU SAYING THAT YOU DON'T TRUST ME?
BOUNCE
BOUNCE
BOUNCE

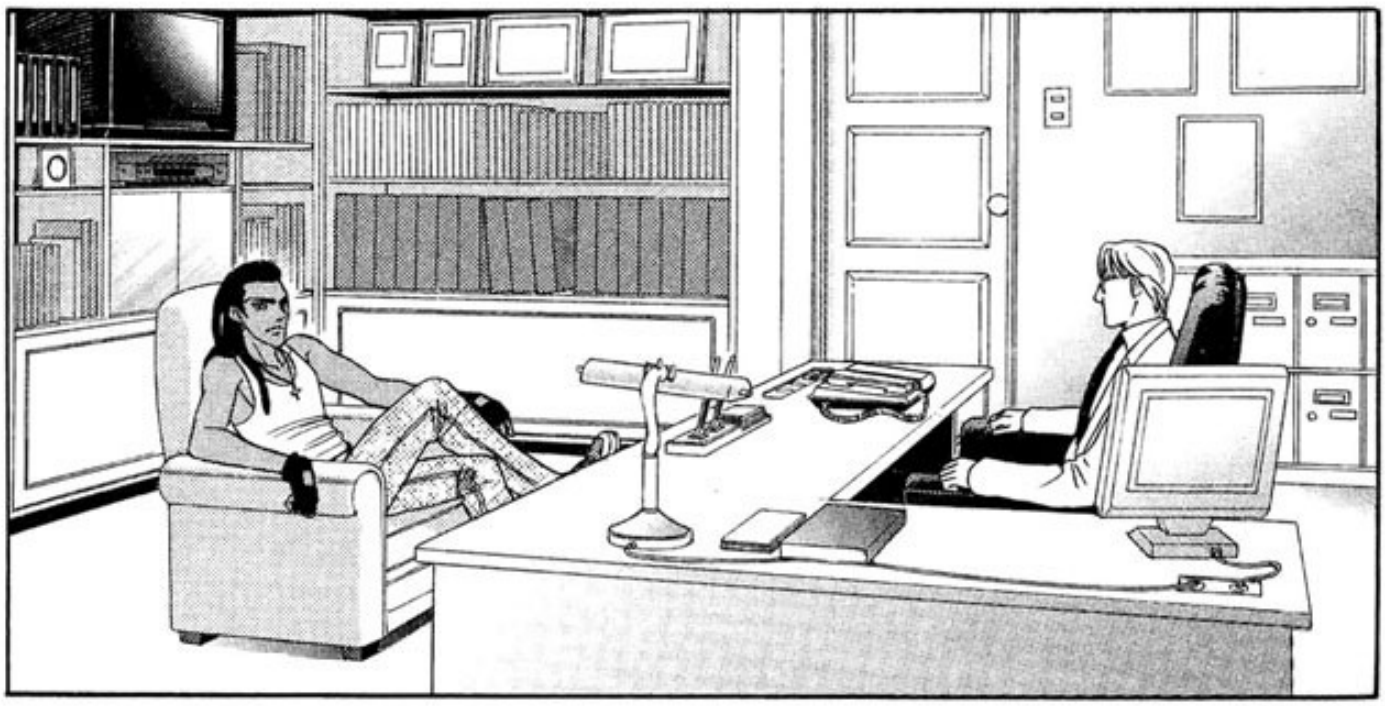
DON'T GET COCKY, SEN.
IT'S NOT LIKE I HAVE ANY EX-PECTATIONS FROM YOU.
I JUST...
WANT YOU BESIDE ME.
I WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT YOU.
OUTSIDE THE CAGE, WE COULD RELAX. I WANT TO FEEL HAPPY,
WHILE WATCHING YOUR FLAWS,
AND YOUR STUPID FACES.
WHY DO I GET THE FEELING THAT I'M BEING PROPOSED TO...
YOU ARE...

CLANK
NO ONE WILL BOTHER US.
ON A SOFT BED,
WE'LL EMBRACE EACH OTHER, UNTIL WE'RE COMPLETLY DRAINED.
WHEN WE GET HUNGRY, WE'D EAT THE PASTA THAT I'D MAKE... THEN WE'D EMBRACE EACH OTHER AGAIN.


COME ON...
LET'S DO IT.

BUT I'M FINE...
WITH HOW THINGS ARE RIGHT NOW.
...!?
FIRST OF ALL, CAN FUGITIVES REALLY BE HAPPY?
WHAT YOU'RE SAYING IS UNREAL, THEY'RE JUST FANTASIES!
YOU...

clash
SHUT UP, DAMNIT!
CLANK
CLANK
YOU REALLY LIKE IT IN HERE!?
PI----P
PI----P
LET GO, YOU HAG!!
WHAT THE FUCK!? DON'T TOUCH ME!
WARDEN ...
SWORD ...
I NEED TO TALK TO YOU FISH... COME TO MY OFFICE.
LET HIM GO!



BUT IS THIS SOME KIND OF OPRESSION TOWARDS ME?

LATELY, THE USAGE OF DRUGS INSIDE UGH IS DROPPING.
ACTUALLY, I'M GLAD THAT THE INMATES ARE CLEAN-ING UP...

I KNOW THAT YOU HATE ME,
BUT YOU'RE NOT A PETTY MAN WHO WILL LET PERSONAL FEELINGS INTERFERE WITH BUSINESS, ARE YOU SWORDFISH?
DON'T OVER-ESTIMATE ME, WARDEN MUTOU.
GATHER MORE BELIEVERS.
DOES SEN KNOW?
THAT YOU AND I ARE PARTNERS?

HE KNOWS NOTHING.
HE HAS NO IDEA THAT THE PRISON'S WARDEN IS THE DRUG SUPPLIER.
DO YOU REGRET IT?
BEING FRIENDS WITH ME.
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO TOLD ME THAT THE BEST WAY TO LIVE A COMFORTABLE LIFE,
IS BY BEING FRIENDS WITH THE PRISON'S BOSS.
BUT I WANTED TO MAKE SURE THAT MY BEFRIENDING YOU WOULD BE WORTH IT.
SO I IMPULSIVELY WROTE A WILL.
...!?

DON'T BEETRAY YOUR FRIENDS, FISH.
IF YOU SOLD ME OUT TO GET PAROLE, THEN I'D MAKE SURE YOU'D SPEND THE REST OF YOUR LIFE SUFFERING IN PRISON.
I'M SURE YOU DON'T WANT TO LOSE YOUR COMFOR-TABLE LIFE.
SAYING, THAT IF I SOMEHOW DIED, WHATEVER THE CASE MAY BE, THE ONE BEHIND IT WOULD DEFINITELY BE YOU.
WARDEN, YOU'RE THE ONE WHO IS SORRY...
BECAUSE, BEING FRIENDS WITH ME, MEANS YOU CAN NEVER LEAVE THIS PLACE.
IT'S A LIFE SEN-TENCE.
THE SAME DESTINY AS YOURS, HUH...?

IT MEANS WE SHARE THE SAME FATE, SWORD...
THAT'S JAPANESE? WHAT DOES IT MEAN?
...
SHUT CALL.
HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT WHAT I SAID?
WHAT?
UHM... ABOUT LETTING ME JOIN YOUR TRADE.
FINE, I'LL LET YOU IN.
BUT IN RETURN, I NEED YOU TO DO ME A FAVOR.

SCRATCH
IF HE'S STILL BUZZING AROUND SEN AND ME, I'D PROBABLY END UP KILLING HIM.
IF HE HAD A LOVER, HE'D COOL OFF A BIT.
HIT IT OFF WITH NORMAN.
WHAT ...!?
JUST USE HIM INSTEAD OF MASTUR-BATING.
YOU CAN ONLY FUCK YOUR WIFE ONCE EVERY 3 MONTHS.
During family visit.
BUT I'M STRAIGHT...
I even have a wife and children.
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CREAK
NORMAN ...
FEELS GOOD RIGHT...? I JUST WANNA THANK YOU...
...FOR TAKING CARE OF THE IVY FOR ME.

WALTER
...
IF YOU DON'T LIKE IT, JUST CLOSE YOUR EYES AND PRETEND I'M A WOMAN...
FINE, I'LL LET YOU IN ON THE TRADE, BUT IN RETURN...
...HIT IT OFF WITH NORMAN.

...Nngh
...
Pant
NOR...
MAN...

I FEEL HONORED,
BUT I CAN'T DO IT WITH A GUY...
BESIDES, I'M A FAMILY MAN.

MORE THAN SEX, I WANT US TO BE FRIENDS.
IN UGH, "FRIEND-SHIP" IS NOTHING BUT AN ILLUSION ...
WHY DON'T WE TRY TO GROW ONE?
THE SEED IS ALREADY PLANTED.

BESIDES, I HAVE A GREEN THUMB.
CREAK

I KNOW YOU ARE.
...SWORD, ARE YOU AWAKE?
I WANTED TO EAT YOUR PASTA.
RUSTLE
...WHAT CHANGED YOUR MIND?
THEN I'LL FOLLOW YOU.
IF YOU REALLY WANNA GO NO MATTER WHAT...

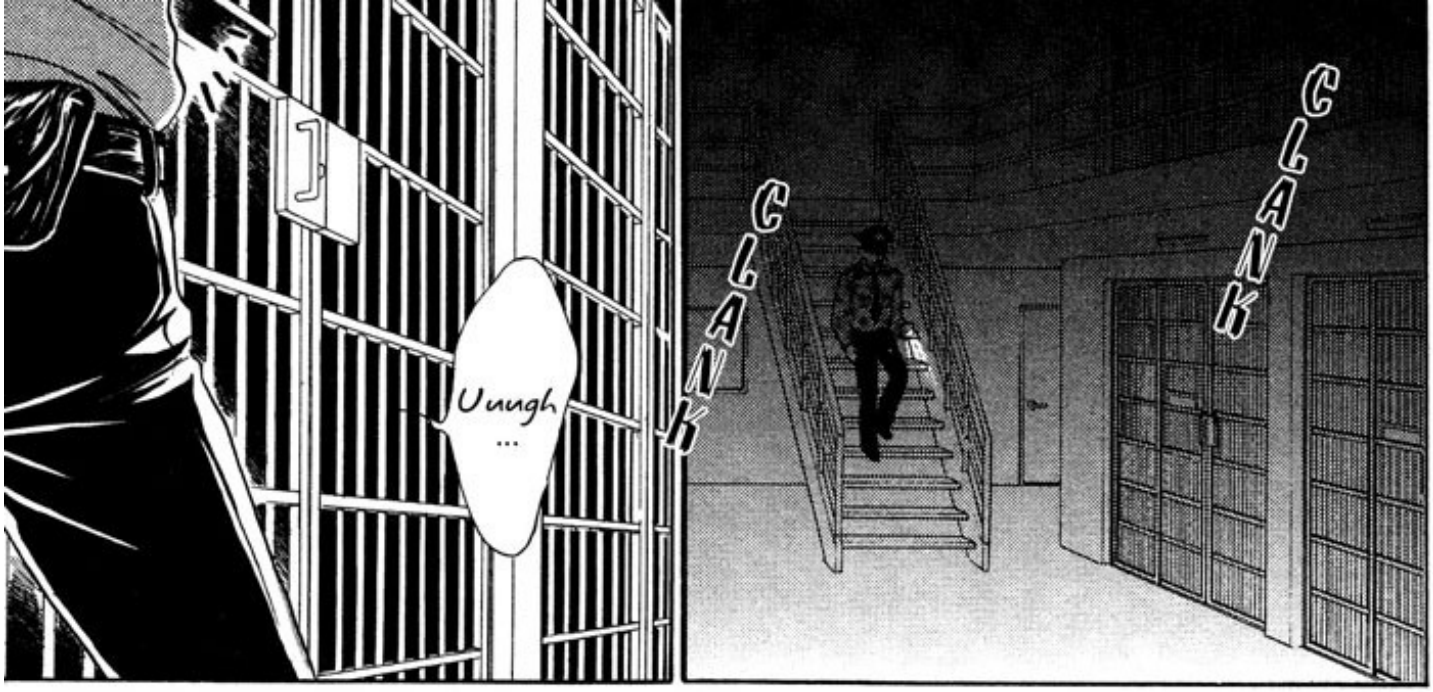
I LOVE YOU...
I KNOW ...
SEN...

creak
TONIGHT IS AN EXCEPTION.
WEREN'T YOU SAVING UP YOUR KISSES FOR WHEN WE'RE OUTSIDE?
SEEMS LIKE YOU NEVER MEANT TO SAVE UP THE SEX.
HAHA.
WHAT?
SWORD'S REASSURING WORDS... TURNS THE FANTASY... INTO REALITY.
THAT WAY,
I CAN MAKE IT REAL.
I HAVE A PRINCIPLE OF NOT SAYING WHAT I CAN'T KEEP.

I FEEL LIKE I COULD FLY REALLY FAR AS LONG AS I'M WITH YOU.

rustle
SWORD ...!

LET ME HEAR IT...
ONE MORE TIME...
THEN THE TWO OF US...
CAN BE HAPPY.
OUR PICNIC PLAN.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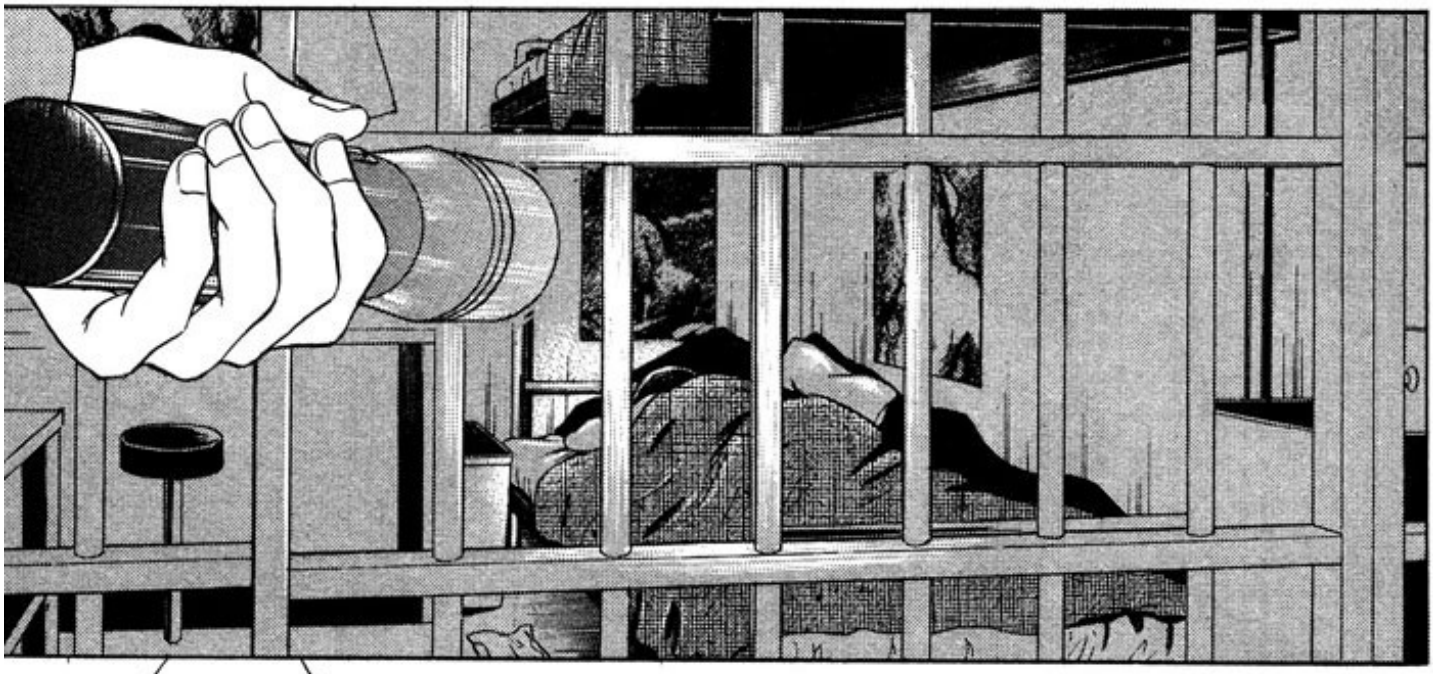
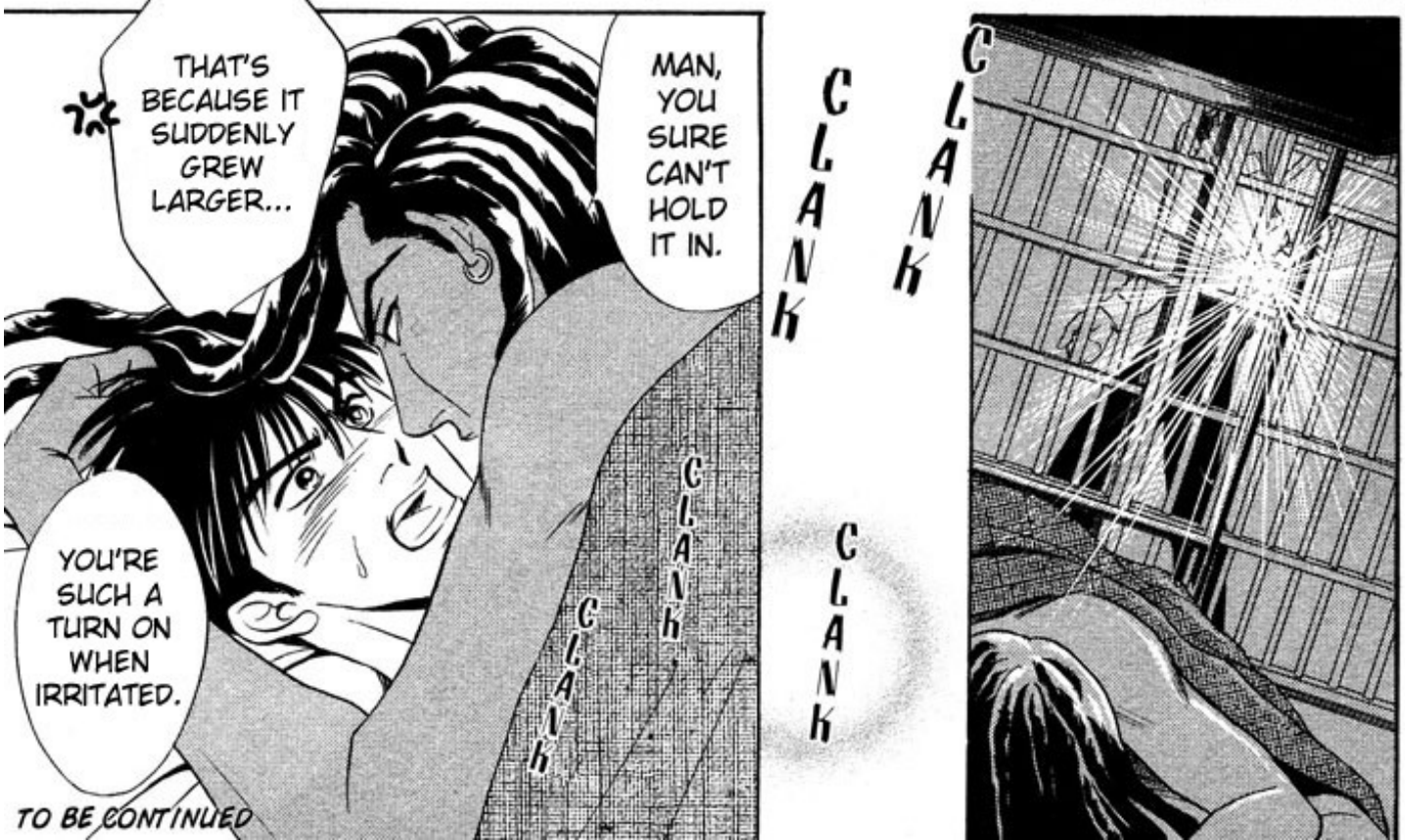
CLANK
Unugh ...

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MAN, YOU SURE CAN'T HOLD IT IN.
THAT'S BECAUSE IT SUDDENLY GREW LARGER...
YOU'RE SUCH A TURN ON WHEN IRRITATED.
TO BE CONTINUED

round 19 : THE RULE OF APPLE

UGH'S GARBAGE TRUCK COMES THREE TIMES A DAY; MONDAY, WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY.
WE'LL HIDE INSIDE THE DUST BOX.
BUT THE GUARD WILL CHECK IT!
SHUSH! LOWER YOUR VOICE OR THEY'LL HEAR US.
DON'T WORRY, I'VE ALREADY ARRANGED THINGS WITH MY GUARD FRIEND.
...IF WE CAN SAFELY GET OUT OF HERE... THEN WHAT?
MY FRIENDS OUTSIDE WILL BE WAITING AT THE DUMPSTER, THEN THEY'LL DRIVE US TO CANADA.
AND AFTER WE GET TO CANADA?
WELL... WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?
LIVING LIKE A HERMIT, DEEP IN THE WOODS, FAR FROM CIVILIZATION ISN'T A BAD IDEA.
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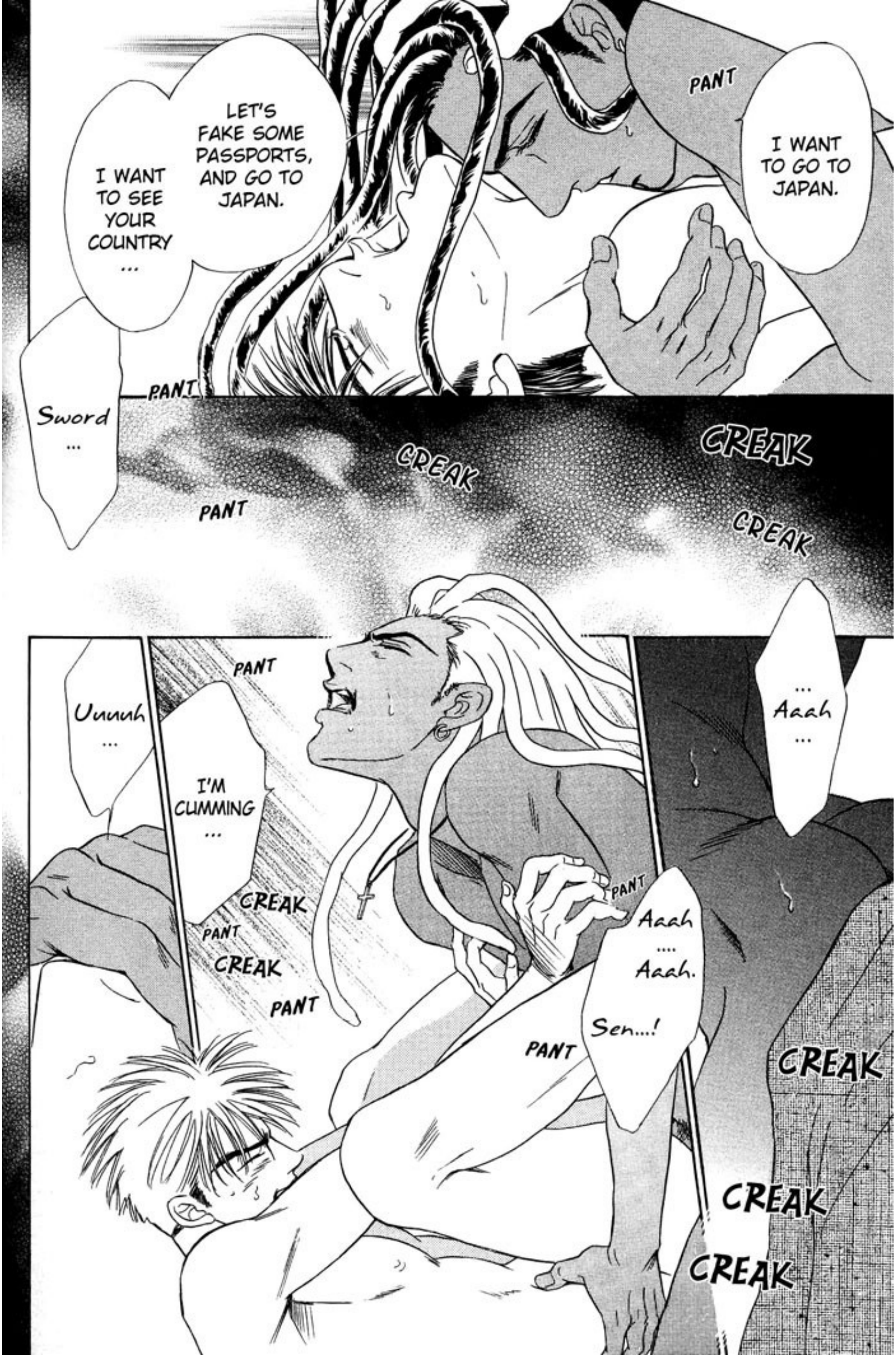
creak


PANT
I WANT TO GO TO JAPAN.
LET'S FAKE SOME PASSPORTS, AND GO TO JAPAN.
I WANT TO SEE YOUR COUNTRY ...
PANT
Sword ...
CREAK
CREAK
CREAK
PANT
... Aaah ...
PANT
Uuuuh ...
I'M CUMMING ...
CREAK
PANT
CREAK
PANT
PANT
Aaah .... Aaah.
Sen....!
PANT
CREAK
CREAK
CREAK

....!!
...
...
CREAK
...
CREAK
CREAK

BUT... WILL IT BE AS EASY AS THAT?
IT'S NOT EASY.

pant
pant
pant

I WANT US TO BECOME ONE, INSEPARABLE FOREVER.
I'LL DO ANYTHING TO BE WITH YOU.
NOW I'M WORRIED ...
WE'LL BE CRUSHED IF WE GET PRESSED INSIDE THE GARBAGE TRUCK. IT'S A MATTER OF LUCK.
There's a good chance that that'll happen.
STUPID ...
SWORD ...
NEXT KISS WILL BE UNDER THE SUN.
...THIS'LL BE THE LAST ONE FOR A WHILE.

EVEN THOUGH I FEEL ANXIOUS...
WAIT, ONE MORE TIME...
YOU'RE INSATIA-BLE...
THAT THIS COULD BE OUR LAST KISS,
BUT SWORD REALLY HATES LOSING.
HE WON'T BREAK HIS PROMISE UNTIL HE WINS... WHAT A GUY.

WALTER.
SO WHAT? I'M ALLOWED TO PLAN FOR A VACATION, RIGHT?
WHAT ARE YOU READING?
HMM, CANADA GUIDE BOOK, HUH?
THUMP
IT'S A MYSTERY WHY UGH'S LIBRARY HAS THIS BOOK.
"LET'S ENJOY GARDEN-ING!?"
WERE YOU A GARDENER?
SORT OF...
WELL, I ONLY SPECIALIZED ON OPIUM LEAVES.
I GOT CAUGHT AND WAS THROWN IN HERE FOR SELLING THOSE.
"GREEN THUMB," HOW APPRO-PRIATE.
IT'S A GOOD THING THAT NORMAN'S PLANT DIDN'T WITHER.

I DON'T WANT TO SEE HIM GET HURT AGAIN...
ME TOO...
SEN, CAN I ASK YOU SOME-THING?
YOU AND SWORD... WHEN DID YOU REALIZE THAT IT WAS LOVE?
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT SWORD...
BUT THAT TIME, WHEN I CAUGHT SWORD AND NORMAN KISSING...
I WAS JEALOUS...
HEY!
THIS ISN'T THE TIME TO BE CHATTERING WITH MY MAN, WALTER!
And he turns out to be extra possessive.

YOUR PARTNER JUST TOOK A CUSTOMER.
HE'S A BITCH, SO HOLD HIS LEASH TIGHTER.
WHOSE FAULT DO YOU THINK IT IS...?
WHAT ?
SCRAPE
I HAVE MY OWN WAY OF DEALING WITH THINGS, SO JUST LEAVE THEM TO ME, SWORD.
CONGRAT-ULATIONS, THIS MEANS BOTH OF YOU ARE HAPPY WITH EACH OTHER.
HIS LEVEL OF DEGRADATION IS BASED ON THE LOVE YOU HAVE FOR EACH OTHER'S BAROMETER.
...HE'S CHANGED.
HE DOESN'T HAVE A BEARD ANY-MORE.
MORE IMPOR-TANTLY, SEN,
THE PLAN IS SET.

WE'LL DO IT THE DAY AFTER TOMOR-ROW.
THAT'S FAST!
SHUSH!
IT'S BECAUSE I CAN'T WAIT TO KISS YOU.
TWO MORE DAYS, AND WE CAN FINALLY SAY GOODBYE TO UGH.
IT'S A STRANGE FEELING.
A LOT OF BAD THINGS HAVE HAPPENED TO ME.
BUT IN HERE... I MET YOU.
I'VE COME TO LIKE MYSELF A BIT MORE.
UGH IS OUR MEMO-RABLE PLACE.
FORGET ABOUT THOSE OTHER THINGS.

Aaaah
...
Haaa
...
More...
Deeper...
Aaaah
...

Sword
...
HUH? WHAT THE FUCK DID YOU SAY ...?
...

FROM NOW ON,
WE CAN START ANEW.

I HAVE NO INTENTION OF COMMENTING ON OTHER PEOPLE'S HOBBIES.
YOU MUST BE DISGUSTED BY ME.
I'LL COME AGAIN, NORMAN.

HE LOOKS JEALOUS.
YOU... STILL LOVE SWORD, DON'T YOU?

THEY'RE GOING TO ESCAPE.
!?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
THEY WILL BOTH BE GONE FROM HERE.
BUT NOW YOU CAN STOP HURTING,

LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE GONNA DO IT THE DAY AFTER TOMOR-ROW.
WHY ARE YOU TELLING ME THIS?
I DON'T KNOW THAT MUCH, BUT...
ESCAPE... BUT HOW!?
NO, ACTUALLY, I READ THEIR LIPS.
I HEARD THE TWO OF THEM TALKING...

WALTER ...
YOU MAKE ME WANNA KISS YOUR DICK.
NOW IS THE TIME.
IF YOU HAVE SOME DEBTS TO SETTLE WITH SWORD,
IT'S THE PROOF OF MY FRIEND-SHIP.
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SWORD-FISH!
PUT YOUR HANDS ON THE WALL, WE'RE GOING TO SEARCH YOU.
YOU WANT TO SEE MY ASSHOLE THAT BADLY?
MAN... I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING.
THEN, WHAT'S THIS?
!?
WHERE THE HELL DID YOU GET THAT? YOU A MAGICIAN OR SOMETHING!?
I'M NOT A FOOL WHO WALKS AROUND CARRYING DRUGS...
PUNCH
SWORD!
PUT HIM IN SOLITARY!

WARDEN,
WILL YOU BE OKAY ALONE?
HIS HANDS AND FEET ARE BOUND...
MUTOU ...
YOU SET ME UP... WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS!?
BUT FOR PRECAUTION, LEND ME THAT.

SLIDE
GO FIGURE... WHO TOLD YOU?
THAT'S BECAUSE YOU WERE GOING TO RUN AWAY FROM ME, SWORD-FISH.
WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?
IF YOU WANT TO GET OUT OF HERE, BE A GOOD BOY AND OBEY ME.
I'LL GIVE YOU ONE MORE CHANCE TO WIN BACK THE TRUST THAT YOU LOST.
DON'T WORRY, EVEN THOUGH YOU'RE SEXY, I HAVE NO TASTE FOR NIGGERS.
YOUR PARTNER IS THIS.

BE QUIET, OR THE GUARDS WILL COME. SURELY YOU DON'T WANT THEM TO SEE YOU LIKE THIS, RIGHT?
... STOP ...
DON'T FIGHT, I DON'T WANT THE GUARDS TO HELP ME WITH THIS.
I WANT TO RE-SPECT YOUR PRIDE, AS WELL AS MINE...
AND FOR YOU TO REMAIN AS THE SHUT CALL HERE.
...
...!!

I WON'T TELL ANYONE ABOUT YOUR TEARS...
LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE ANOTHER SECRET, SWORD...
2 DAYS LATER.
DROP
SWORD ...!!
IT'S TOO BAD OWARI. YOUR PICNIC HAS BEEN CANCELED.

SHOVE IT, SEN...
YOU'RE ONLY GOING TO MAKE THEM HAPPY.
WARDEN ...
WHAT DID YOU DO TO SWORD!?
THIS ISN'T A SHOW, BEAT IT!!

...
SEN
...
SWORD, YOU'RE AWAKE?
YOU WANT AN APPLE? YOU MUST BE HUNGRY.
I FAILED YOU...
WE STILL HAVE A CHANCE TO ESCAPE.
IT'S NOT THAT.
WHEN WE FIRST MET, I ONLY DID HORRIBLE THINGS TO YOU.
BUT WHY...
DID YOU FALL IN LOVE WITH ME...?
WALTER ASKED ME THE SAME THING...

IT JUST CAN'T RESIST THE PULL OF GRAVITY.
THE APPLE DIDN'T FALL ON ITS OWN ACCORD.
IT'S THE SAME AS THIS.
WHEN DID YOU FALL FOR ME?
WHAT ABOUT YOU...
DUNNO ...
MAYBE ...
FROM THE MOMENT I FIRST KISSED YOUR LIPS.

THERE ARE SOME THINGS THAT YOU CAN'T RESIST.
WHO ARE YOU? A LOVE SICK MAIDEN?
THEN MAYBE, THE APPLE HAS ALWAYS WANTED TO KISS THE EARTH.
NOPE.
HE REALLY IS TOUGH...
YOU'RE SUCH A TEASE.
UNTIL WE'RE UNDER THE SUN.
I WILL RESIST...
TO BE CONTINUED

SINCE OUR FAILED ESCAPE ATTEMPT, THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WATHING US HAS INCREASED.
WE'VE COME TO REGRET OUR VOW TO NOT KISS UNTIL WE'RE OUT.
BUT EVEN SO, WE SPEND EVERY NIGHT AND DAY FIGHTING OFF EACH OTHER'S TEMPTATION TO BREAK THAT VOW.
round 20 : VISITOR

BWA HA HA HA HA !!
週刊 少年チャンピ
君はこれを読まずして死ねるか!?
HIS "TEXT BOOK" IS A JAPANESE COMIC BOOK HE SNEAKED IN WITH BRIBES.
SWORD, WHO WANTS TO VISIT JAPAN AFTER OUR PRISON BREAK, IS NOW INTENSIVELY LEARNING JAPANESE.
WHAT? YOU CAN UNDERSTAND WHAT'S GOING ON ALREADY!?
NOPE.
BUT JAPANESE COMICS ARE DEFINITELY GREAT!
I HAVE LOTS OF FUN JUST LOOKING AT THE PICTURES.
THEN THERE'S NO REAL POINT IN READING THAT.
SEN OWARI!
SO TEACH ME, SEN.
YOU HAVE A VISITOR.

A VISITOR ...!?
COME TO THE WARDEN'S OFFICE RIGHT NOW.
WHY THE WARDEN'S OFFICE AND NOT THE VISITING ROOM!?
I DON'T KNOW WHY.
WHO COULD IT BE...
MAYBE YOUR PARENTS?
NO WAY!
I'M AN ABANDONED SON.
COME ON AL-READY!
WHAT'S WITH HIM?
THIS IS HIS FIRST VISITOR.

HERE'S SOME MAIL FOR YOU.
AND...
THIS WEEK'S INCOME, BOSS.
YOU'RE PRETTY GOOD AT THIS, WALTER.
despite your appearance.
NEXT TIME, INTRODUCE ME TO YOUR CUSTOMER.
I'LL ASK THE SUPPLIER.
WHEN IS THE NEXT DELIVERY? WE'RE RUNNING OUT OF STOCK.
YOU COULD JUST ASK SEN TO TRANSLATE THEM FOR YOU.
YEAH, I'M INTO JAPANESE COMICS NOW.
A JAPANESE DICTION-ARY?
NAH, HE'S STINGY.
And he expects me to pay him.
"I'M AN ABANDONED SON."
WHEN YOU THINK ABOUT IT... HE'S NEVER EVEN GOTTEN ONE LETTER...

IT WOULD BE GREAT...
IF HE WERE MEETING HIS PARENTS RIGHT NOW.
HOW DO YOU DO, MR. OWARI.
WHO ARE YOU?
MY NAME IS WALLACE.
I'M CECILE BARNES' LAWYER.
AND WHAT BUSINESS DOES THE LAWYER OF THE WIFE WHOSE HUSBAND I KILLED, HAVE WITH ME?
MRS. BARNES COMMITTED SUICIDE.

ON THE DAY SHE DIED, SHE SENT A LETTER... MORE OF A LAST WILL, TO ME.
IN THE LETTER, SHE REVEALED SOME FACTS ABOUT THE MURDER OF HER LATE HUSBAND, MR. BARNES.
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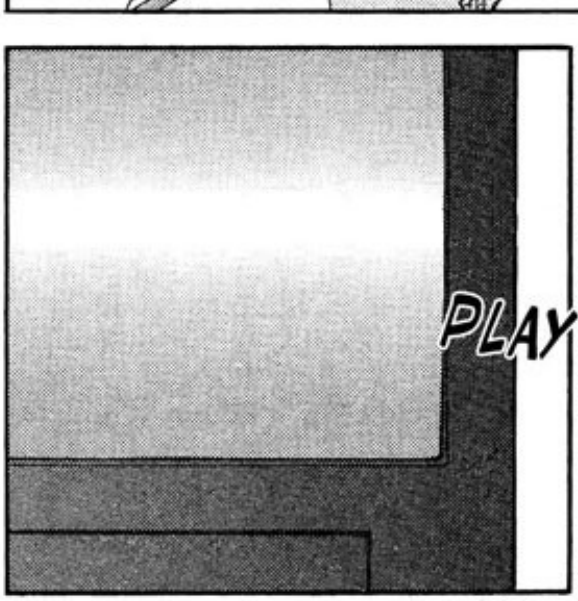
SHE CONFESSED THAT THE REAL MURDERER WAS HERSELF.
AND AS HER LOVER, YOU COVERED UP FOR HER AND TOOK THE BLAME INSTEAD.
IN THE END, SHE CARRIED TWO SINS, AND SHE FELL UNDER THE WEIGHT OF THEM...
SHE WANTED YOU TO HAVE A RETRIAL.
THAT'S HER LAST WILL.
Gulp
OWARI, ARE YOU OKAY?
SIT DOWN.

BUT MRS. BARNES IS DEAD.
WITHOUT HER, HOW CAN WE PRESENT ANY PROOF?
THERE'S THIS LETTER, AND A VIDEOTAPE SHE SENT ME.
WE CAN USE THOSE.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THIS WAS TAKEN FROM THE SECURITY CAMERA IN THE GARDEN.
SHE HAD BEEN HIDING IT.
CAN WE VERIFY THE CONTENT?
OF COURSE.

HERE.
SHE'S THE FIRST ONE TO SHOOT...

THEN SHE PANICKED.
THEN MR. OWARI CHECKED ON THE FALLEN MR. BARNES MOMENTS LATER..
I'M SORRY, COULD YOU FAST FORWARD FOR ABOUT 5 MINUTES?
...THERE, STOP!
HE TOOK THE GUN FROM HER,
AND SHOT THE UNMOVING MR. BARNES.
IF WE ANALYZE THE TAPE, WE CAN VERIFY WHETHER MR. BARNES WAS ALREADY DEAD OR NOT WHEN MR. OWARI SHOT HIM.
PIP
THIS IS GREAT, OWARI.
NOW YOU CAN RETURN TO YOUR COUNTRY.
SIGN THE TRIAL'S REVIEW INVOICE.
...I'M THE ONE WHO KILLED HIM..!!

I'M THE KILLER!!
OWARI,
THIS COUNTRY DOESN'T HAVE ANY OBLIGATION TO SPEND ITS TAX DOLLARS ON YOU.
THOSE ARE FAKES!!
SHE'S THE ONE WHO'S COVERING UP FOR ME!
WELL, I COULD DETAIN YOU FOR GIVING A FALSE STATE-MENT.
BUT ARE YOU REALLY HERE TO PROTECT HER REPU-TATION?
OR IS IT FOR YOUR OWN SELFISH DESIRE?
JUST THINK OF WHAT WOULD'VE BECOME OF HER, IF SHE KNEW YOU ENJOYED PRISON.
...!!

SOMEONE! GUARD ...!!
LUNGE
!?
RETURN HIM TO HIS CELL.
WE HAVE TO GET HIM OUT OF HERE IMMEDIATELY, OTHER-WISE...
SEN!?
HIS BRU-TALITY IS CAUSED BY THE BAD ENVIRON-MENT.
IT'S OBVIOUS THAT HE'S IN SHOCK AND PANICKED AFTER HEARING OF HER DEATH.
WELL TALK ABOUT THIS ANOTHER DAY...

WHO WAS THE VISITOR..?
DID MUTOU DO SOME-THING TO YOU!?
DON'T TOUCH ME!!
953
CLICK
HEY, WHY DID YOU CUFF HIM!
HE WENT BERSERK.
SORRY, I NEED TO BE ALONE FOR A WHILE...
HEY, MUTOU!

WHAT HAPPENED!? SEN JUST WENT STRAIGHT TO SLEEP!
HE'S IN MOURNING.
HIS FORMER LOVER DIED.
!?

HER LAST WILL IS FOR SEN TO HAVE A RETRIAL.
HE'LL BE CHARGED FOR GIVING A FALSE STATEMENT.
HE'LL DO 1.5 YEARS, BE RELEASED FROM PRISON AND GO ON PROBATION,
THEN HE'LL BE DEPORTED.

AND THAT MEANS,
YOU WON'T HAVE ANYONE BUT ME, SWORDFISH.
SWORD,
ARE YOU LISTENING !?

I RECEIVED SOME INFORMATION...
THAT THERE'S A LITTLE RAT HERE IN UGH.
THEN LET'S TALK BUSINESS.
I'M GOING TO STOP SUPPLYING DRUGS FOR A WHILE.
...YEAH, I HEARD YOU.
WHAT'S WRONG WALTER, YOU'VE BEEN SIGHING A LOT.
GET RID OF IT, FAST...!!
SIGH

I'M IN TROUBLE, I HAVE TO LET BOSS MEET MY CUSTOMER.
WHY? I THOUGHT BUSINESS WAS GOOD.
ACTUALLY, I DON'T HAVE ANY CUSTOMERS.
AND IT'S NOT BECAUSE OF MY LOOKS.
I JUST PRETENDED TO SELL IT AND BOUGHT IT MYSELF.
TRUTH IS... I BOUGHT THEM ALL.
DID YOU KNOW, NORMAN?
RUMOR SAYS THAT THERE'S A RAT IN UGH.
UNDER-COVER COP?
WHAT FOR? YOU DON'T DO DRUGS.
YUP.
BECAUSE OF THAT, ALL THE DRUG DEALERS HAVE BEEN LAYING LOW.
WHEN THE DRUG SUPPLY RUNS LOW, THE PRICE WILL SKYROCKET. THAT'S MY CHANCE!
DON'T TELL ME, YOU...

DON'T YOU THINK I'M A GOOD STRATEGIST?
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO SPREAD THE RUMOR ...!!
...I SEE.
...BUT WHEN DID YOU GET THE INFO ABOUT THE RAT?
GOOD PLAN!
WE'LL BE THE SAVIORS IN THE DARK.
I'LL MAKE AN EXCEPTION FOR THE SAKE OF BUSI-NESS.
I THOUGHT YOU WEREN'T INTERESTED IN MEN?
WHY... SUDDENLY ...?
DON'T WORRY, I HAVE AN ADVANTAGE OVER HIM.
IF SWORD FINDS OUT, HE'LL KILL YOU!!

I NEED YOUR COOPE-RATION, NORMAN.
IT'S HEROIN.
YO, WALTER!
WE HAD A BET ABOUT YOU BEING THE RAT.
WHO LOST?
HEY WALTER.
blush
YOUR SHIRT'S INSIDE OUT.
The front and back too.
AHH!

WHY DIDN'T YOU JUST BY IT YOURSELF, NORMAN?
THANKS FOR GETTING IT FOR ME.
Ha ha ha
IT'LL BE BORING IF YOU PAY ME WITH MONEY...
BUT I WAS AIMING FOR A BIGGER PROFIT ANYWAY.
I'LL BE IN TROUBLE IF SWORD FINDS OUT...
...THAT I'M HELPING WALTER RAISE HIS SALES.
SO IT'S TRUE THAT YOU'RE WITH WALTER NOW.
YOU'RE QUITE BRAVE, RISKING YOURSELF FOR YOUR LOVER'S SAKE.
...I'M ENVIOUS.
Aaah... Aaaah.

THANKS, NORMAN.
NO SWEAT.
IT'S YOUR MONEY ANYWAY.
AND I HAD FUN TOO. HE HAD A BIG DICK.
HERE.
I SHOULDN'T HAVE INVOLVED YOU IN THIS.
I'LL BE EXPECTING PAYMENT.
THIS IS BUSI-NESS, RIGHT?
LIKE I SAID..!
I SHOULDN'T HAVE INVOLVED YOU IN THIS...

LIGHTS OUT!
DONG
CREAK
...YOU'RE SO COLD, SWORD.
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO WANTED TO BE ALONE.
YOU HEARD EVERYTHING FROM THE WARDEN, RIGHT...
YEAH, I ALSO HEARD THAT YOU'RE IN MOURNING.
DO YOU WANT ME TO CONSOLE YOU, SEN?
DON'T BE A BRAT!

I AM.
GRAB
YOU'RE ACTUALLY JEALOUS OF SOMEONE WHO'S DEAD...
YOU'RE HURTING BECAUSE OF SOMEONE ELSE.
IT'S NONE OF MY BUSINESS!
BECAUSE YOU STILL LOVE HER.
YOU REALLY WANT TO STAY THE BAD GUY THAT MUCH, HUH.
SWORD! LET'S JUST RUN AWAY TOGETHER.
I HAVE NO INTENTION OF LEAVING HERE WITHOUT YOU.
THEN DO THE RETRIAL.
THE ONE I LOVE NOW IS YOU.

I REALLY WOULD KILL SOMEONE, IF IT WAS FOR YOU...!
IT IS LOVE!
...BUT I LOVE YOU MORE...!! YOU KNOW THAT.
YOU'RE INTENT ON PROTECTING HER REPUTATION. DON'T TELL ME THAT'S NOT LOVE!?
push
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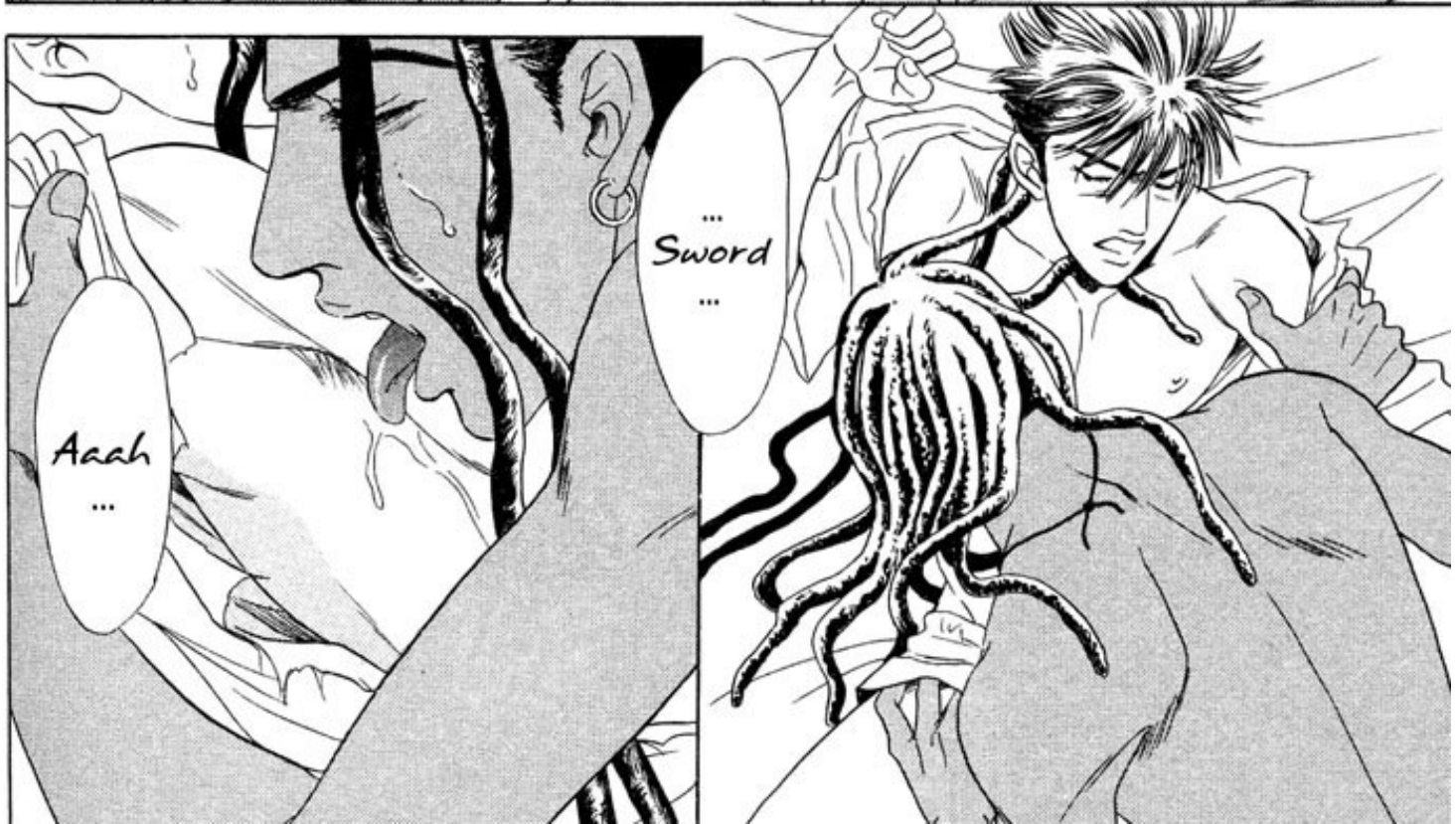

Aaah ...
... Sword ...

SUCK ME, SEN...
SUCK MY DICK.
BRING YOUR ASS OVER HERE.
I'LL LICK IT FOR YOU.

Aaah
...
...
Aaaah
YOU TASTE LIKE TANG.
IT SEEMS YOU'RE RIPE FOR THE TAKING.

YOU'RE SO HORNY ...
HOW IN-APPROPRIATE SINCE YOU'RE IN MOURNING.
NO...
A... haaa ...
SAY IT'S GOOD.
FEELS ...
GOOD ...
WHERE? YOUR ASS?

Sword
...
YOU WANT IT HERE, DON'T YOU?
YOU WANT ME TO THRUST OVER AND OVER AGAIN.
Aaah
RIGHT NOW... HAVING SEX WITH ME IS ALL YOU CAN THINK ABOUT.
PUNCH
YOU SHOULD'VE TOLD HER THAT, SO SHE WOULDN'T HAVE COMMITTED SUICIDE.
...!!
EVEN MORE THAN LAMENTING ABOUT HER SUICIDE.
YOU LEAD A CRUEL LIFE,
WITHOUT REMEMBERING EVEN THE SMALLEST THING ABOUT HER.

STOP, LET ME GO...
UUU... FFF!
CREAK
CREAK
CREAK
Mmph ...
CREAK
Uuugh ....
Uuuugh ...
CREAK CREAK

Haa
CREAK
Haa
Haa
CREAK
THRUST
CREAK
Nnngh
...
Uuugh
...
CREAK
THRUST
...
CREAK
Se--n!
CREAK
Aaa
Aaa
aaah

flop
I'M SORRY I HIT YOU, SWORD...
Haa
Haa
I NEEDED IT ROUGH.
IT'S OVER, SEN.
YOU SHOULD GET OUT OF HERE BY YOUR-SELF.
AND FOR THAT, IT'S OKAY WITH YOU IF I'M HURT.
SWORD ...
YOU DON'T WANT TO HURT, SO YOU USED ME...
I KNOW ...

WHAT THE FUCK? YOU SAID WE'D KISS UNDER THE SUN.
IF YOU STAY WITH ME, YOU'LL ONLY LIVE IN HIDING...
...FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE. MY PRIDE WON'T LET ME BECOME A BURDEN TO YOU. I'D RATHER DIE.
DON'T MAKE ME SUFFER MORE THAN THIS.
SWORD, IF YOU'RE TRYING TO CHASE ME AWAY, IT'S USELESS.
ALL I CAN HEAR COMING OUT OF YOUR MOUTH IS, "I LOVE YOU."
WHAT'S ALL THAT NOISE!!? GO TO SLEEP ALREADY.
CLANK CLANK
HOW CAN I SLEEP?
WHAT!? THEN LET ME CUT OFF YOUR USELESS EARS!!
THIS SEX FIEND KEEPS COMING ON TO ME.

CLANG
CHINK
PUT HIM SOME-WHERE ELSE FOR A WHILE.
SWORD ...
HEY, I'M DOING THIS BECAUSE I LOVE YOU.
SEN, I'LL DRIVE YOU OUT OF THIS PLACE...!

DAMN IT!! LET ME GO!!
THEY TOOK SEN...
LET THEM.
SWORD ALONE IS ALREADY A HANDFUL.
AND HOW CAN YOU THINK OF SOMEONE ELSE WHEN YOU'RE INSIDE ME.
SAME WITH YOU NORMAN ...
YOU'RE THINKING ABOUT SWORD, AREN'T YOU?
THAT'S NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS.
THAT'S TRUE...
CREAK

Nnngh
...
CREAK
CREAK
Wal
...
CREAK
Walter
...

HE... THERE'S A POSSIBILITY THAT HE'LL TURN INTO A REAL MURDERER JUST SO HE CAN STAY HERE WITH ME.
AFTER HE GETS OUT, HE'LL COMMIT ANOTHER CRIME AND COME BACK HERE.
SWORDFISH, IT SEEMS THAT YOU SENT OWARI AWAY.
I HAPPENED TO REMEMBER ONE THING THAT ONCE MADE HIM WANT TO GET OUT.
I WANT YOU TO MAKE HIM REMEMBER THAT.
ANOTHER THING ...
I NEED YOUR HELP TO MAKE SEN WANT TO GET OUT OF HERE.
SO, WARDEN MUTOU, I NEED YOU TO TEACH HIM THAT, THAT'S NOT A VIABLE OPTION.

AND IF YOU DON'T WANT ME TO KILL YOU,
DON'T YOU DARE TOUCH HIM.
I'M CHOOSING YOU AND UGH OVER HIM.
DON'T BETRAY ME, WARDEN MUTOU.
BY THE WAY, DID YOU TALK ABOUT THIS WITH HIS PARENTS?
THE LAWYER SHOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH THEM.
"I'M AN ABANDONED SON."
I WANT TO KNOW HIS PARENT'S ADDRESS ...
CLANG
dong

CLANG
CLANG
CLANG
CLANG
CLANG
clank

WHO THE HELL ARE YOU!?
STAY AWAY FROM ME!! SOMEONE ...
CLANK
clang
clang
clang
uuuuh ...
uuuh.

clank
GASP
SEN, A LETTER FOR YOU.
sigh
WALTER.
YOU LOOK AWFUL! COULDN'T GET ENOUGH SLEEP?
Noboru Owari
×-×-×× Minami
Kunitachi-shi Tokyo
×××-×××× JAPAN
WHO CAN SLEEP IN A PLACE LIKE THIS?
...!?

Dear Sen,
Please forgive us for never contacting you all this time.
We love you from the bottom of our hearts.
There are a lot of things we want to say, that can't be written in a letter.
We'll be waiting for you to return to Japan.
Love, Father and Mother
IT'S FROM MY PARENTS!
WOW, THIS IS THE FIRST...
MAYBE THEY HEARD ABOUT YOUR RETRIAL.
SEN...
I'LL TRY TALKING TO THE LAWYER.
IS THAT SO...

THANKS, WALTER.
YOU CAN GO NOW. NORMAN IS STARING DAGGERS AT US.
BESIDE FUSSY, HE'S ALSO VERY JEALOUS.
BUT WHO IS HE JEALOUS OF...
SEN WON'T BE COMING BACK TO THIS ROOM...
THIS WAY...
"SWORD, LET'S GO GRAB SOMETHING TO EAT."

plop
MY TREAT, SHUT CALL.
"MY TREAT, TO CELEBRATE YOUR COMING BACK FROM SOLITARY!"
SEN...
HOW WAS MY LIFE IN LIGH BEFORE YOU CAME?
I CAN'T REMEMBER.
YEAH, THEY SAID HE DIDN'T KILL ANYONE, SO HE'S GETTING A RETRIAL.
I HEARD THEY MOVED SEN TO PROTECTO-RAL CONFI-NEMENT.

BEFORE I MET YOU...
LIGHTS OUT!
HOW DID I LIVE IN THIS PLACE?
...h
NORMAN ...
WE CAN'T DO MORE THAN THIS.

MY WIFE IS VISITING TOMORROW.
SO?
OH, ARE YOU TELLING ME THAT YOU DON'T WANT TO HOLD YOUR WIFE WITH A TAINTED BODY!?
WHILE SPEWING THAT YOU CAN'T DO IT WITH A MAN,
YOU GOT HARD INSIDE MY ASS! HYPOCRITE!
NORMAN ...
WHEN SEN LEAVES,
YOU'LL HAVE THE PERFECT CHANCE.
...WHY ARE YOU SO PERSISTENT ABOUT SWORD?
THE PERSIS-TENT ONE IS YOU.
BUT I'M ONLY PERSISTENT ABOUT YOU, WALTER!
YOU'RE THE FIRST ONE WHO COULD MAKE ME FORGET ABOUT SWORD.

I LOVE YOU WALTER ...!!
IF I EVER LED YOU ON... I APOLO-GIZE...
WAL... WALTER,
YOU DON'T HAVE TO LIKE ME.
JUST HOLD ME LIKE YOU DID THE NIGHT BEFORE...!

I CAN'T HOLD YOU, NOT AFTER KNOWING HOW YOU FEEL.
I'M AN IDIOT... I NEVER LEARN MY LESSON.
JUST LIKE WITH SWORD,
IT ENDS RIGHT WHEN I'M GETTING SERIOUS.
NOR-MAN...

PRISONERS WITH THE FOLLOWING NAMES, PROCEED TO VISITING QUARTERS!

PRISONER NUMBER OX 994, WALTER O'BRIEN.

OX 232, JIM CONNOR.

OX 107, SWORDFISH.

OX 083...

SWORD ...!!
Look at you...
IS THIS A SEX ROOM? WHAT BAD TASTE.
SEN... I HEARD YOU AGREED TO HAVE A RETRIAL.
THEY AGREED TO LET ME SEE YOU AS LONG AS THEY COULD PUT UP SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS.
And they bugged the room too.
...CAN'T HELP IT. YOU'VE GOT TO LOSE IN ORDER TO GAIN.
I'VE ALWAYS WANTED TO SEE YOU...!

THE HEARING IS IN TWO DAYS.
UNTIL THEN, I'LL STAY HERE WITH YOU.
DON'T JOKE WITH ME! I DON'T HAVE THE TIME TO ACCOMPANY YOU DURING THIS LITTLE FAREWELL PARTY.
GUARD! OPEN UP!
SWORD.
HANDS OFF!!
I'M NOT THE MAN YOU ONCE KNEW.
I'M A TOTALLY DIFFERENT PERSON NOW.
DON'T YOU HAVE ANY INTEREST IN THE ME WHO LOOKS LIKE THIS?
BESIDES, IT'S NOT LIKE I LOVE EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU.
BUT I WON'T GIVE UP.
EVEN YOU CAN'T STOP ME.

DON'T TOUCH ME MORE THAN THIS... OTHER-WISE...
THE NEXT KISS WILL BE UNDER THE SUN... BUT...
I WON'T BE ABLE TO LET GO...
YOU WANTED TO GET OUT OF HERE. IF YOU DIDN'T, THEN YOU WOULDN'T HAVE SAID ANYTHING ABOUT IT.
FOR THE SECOND TIME...!

lunge
I DON'T NEED ANY SUN.
BECAUSE I HAVE YOU...
YOU, WHO IS HOTTER AND...
BUT I ALREADY CAN'T LET GO.
BRIGHTER THAN THE SUN.

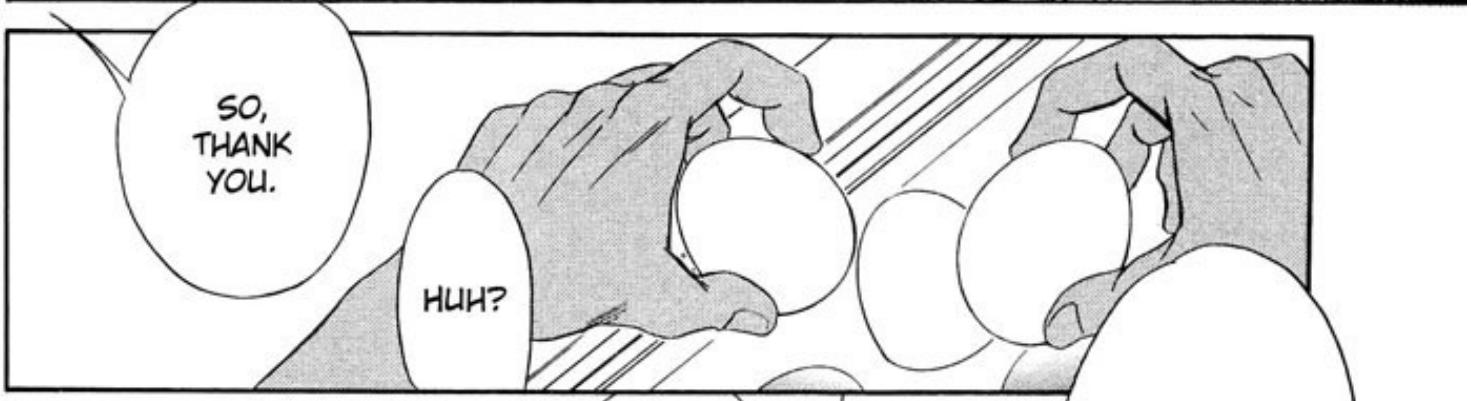
HEY!?
THE SHOW'S ON.
LIAR! YOU FORGOT ABOUT ME THE SECOND YOU STEPPED INTO THE FREE WORLD.
DON'T SULK. I NEEDED TO PLAN FOR THE FUTURE YOU KNOW.
?!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN...
WA... WAIT!!

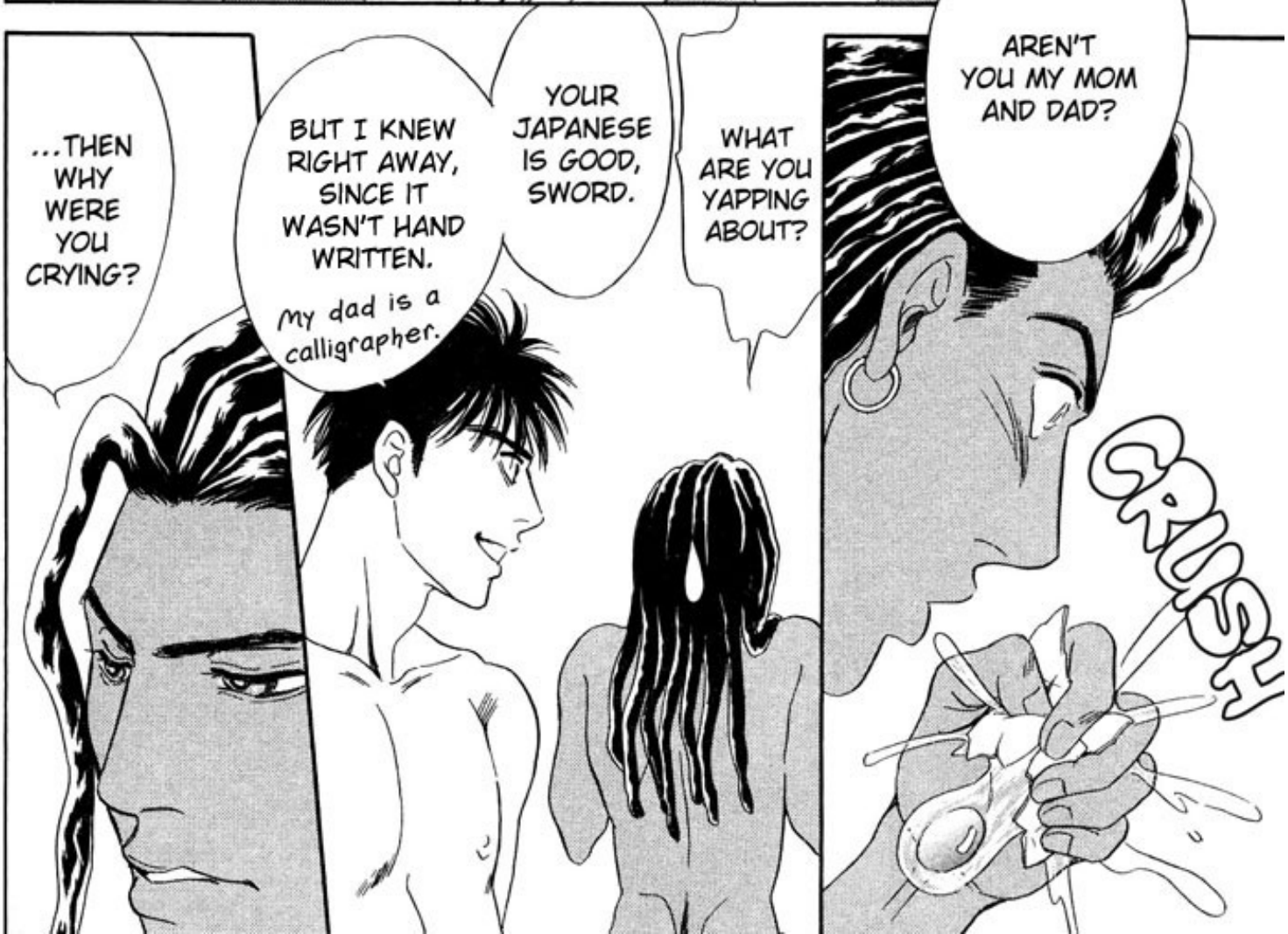
DON'T BE SHY. YOU OF ALL PEOPLE MUST BE USED TO THIS.
SWORD, IF YOU DON'T LIKE THESE CLOTHES, JUST TAKE THEM OFF.
WHO SAID I DIDN'T LIKE THEM?
YOU IN A NECKTIE IS A HUGE TURN ON...
You know where they put the camera?
They didn't tell me. aFraid we might take it down.
Never mind.
Let the Warden enjoy the service From different angles.
WAR-DEN...
LET THEM BE.
THIS WILL BE THE LAST FOR THEM.
Aaah ...
Aaah ...
Aaah ...
Aaah ...

Sen...
I FEEL AS THOUGH IT IS A PART OF ME.
WHEN I'M CARESSING YOUR BODY,
YOUR EVERY BEING IS SYNCHRO-NIZED WITH MINE.
Ah!
creak
creak
Ah!
Aa ah!
creak
Sword ...
THIS SPRING BED IS THE BEST...

Sword... Move, quick..
...!
Sen...
Sword... more...
Sen ...!
Ah... ah... There!
There... more...
Aaah ... Aaah ...!!

I CAN'T BELIEVE THAT WE'RE STILL INSIDE THE PRISON.
THIS PLACE EVEN HAS A KITCHEN.
Just out of the shower
THE FOOD IS A PRESENT FROM THE WARDEN.
I USED TO THINK THAT I WOULD NEVER GET TO SEE THE INSIDE OF THE FAMILY VISIT ROOMS.


SO, THANK YOU.
HUH?


AREN'T YOU MY MOM AND DAD?
WHAT ARE YOU YAPPING ABOUT?
YOUR JAPANESE IS GOOD, SWORD.
BUT I KNEW RIGHT AWAY, SINCE IT WASN'T HAND WRITTEN.
my dad is a calligrapher.
...THEN WHY WERE YOU CRYING?
CRUSH

BY THE WAY, WHAT ARE YOU COOKING ?
I FELT ABANDON-ED AND ANXIOUS, BUT THE LETTER REALLY MADE ME HAPPY.
MY MOM MADE ME DO THE COOKING.
WE'RE PRETTY GOOD, HUH?
I LIVED ALONE WHEN I WAS A COLLEGE STUDENT.
...
OUR NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR IS WORKING HARD.
IT'S WALTER AND HIS WIFE.
Aahn...
Aahn...
Aaah...

WE WON'T LOSE TO THEM!
Aaah ... Aaah ...
Ah!
FOOD AND SEX ONLY. IT'S LIKE A FRIGGING HONEYMOON.
I FEEL LIKE AN IDIOT WATCHING OVER THEM!
THIS SUCKS.

VISITING TIME IS OVER.
THEN... I'M OFF.
EVEN THOUGH I'M NOT AROUND, DON'T USE DRUGS.
SHUT UP, JUST GO ALREADY!
SEN.

TO BE CONTINUED.

DRIZZLE

final round : ONE

SWORD...

EVEN THOUGH IT'S THE MIDDLE OF THE DAY, IT'S DARK OUTSIDE.
AND OF COURSE, IT'S ALSO DARK IN HERE.
I CAN'T HELP BUT FEEL LIKE I'M STILL LIVING IN UGH.
"JOIN ME. I'LL BE WAITING AT THE FANTASIES THEATRE ON BOWERY STREET."
THIS MORNING WAS THE TIME FOR GARBAGE PICK UP AT UGH.
SWORD WAS SUPPOSED TO ESCAPE LIKE WE PLANNED.
SWORD ...
IF IT STOPS RAINING, TOMORROW WE'LL BE ABLE TO BASK UNDER THE SUN TOGETHER.
HE WON'T COME.

!?
WARDEN ...
SHH... IT'S THE MOVIE'S CLIMAX.
aah ahh
haa haa
BUT THE TWO OF YOU LAST NIGHT WERE HOTTER.
I SAW EVERYTHING, EVEN THE WHITE SEMEN THAT POURED OUT...
...FROM YOUR HOLE THAT SWORD'S BLACK DICK THRUSTED INTO...
SWORD... HE SPILLED IT ALL...?
DON'T BE MAD, THIS IS HIS WAY OF SHOWING YOU HIS LOVE.
ooo oh
JUST LIKE WHEN HE KILLED CECILE BARNES.

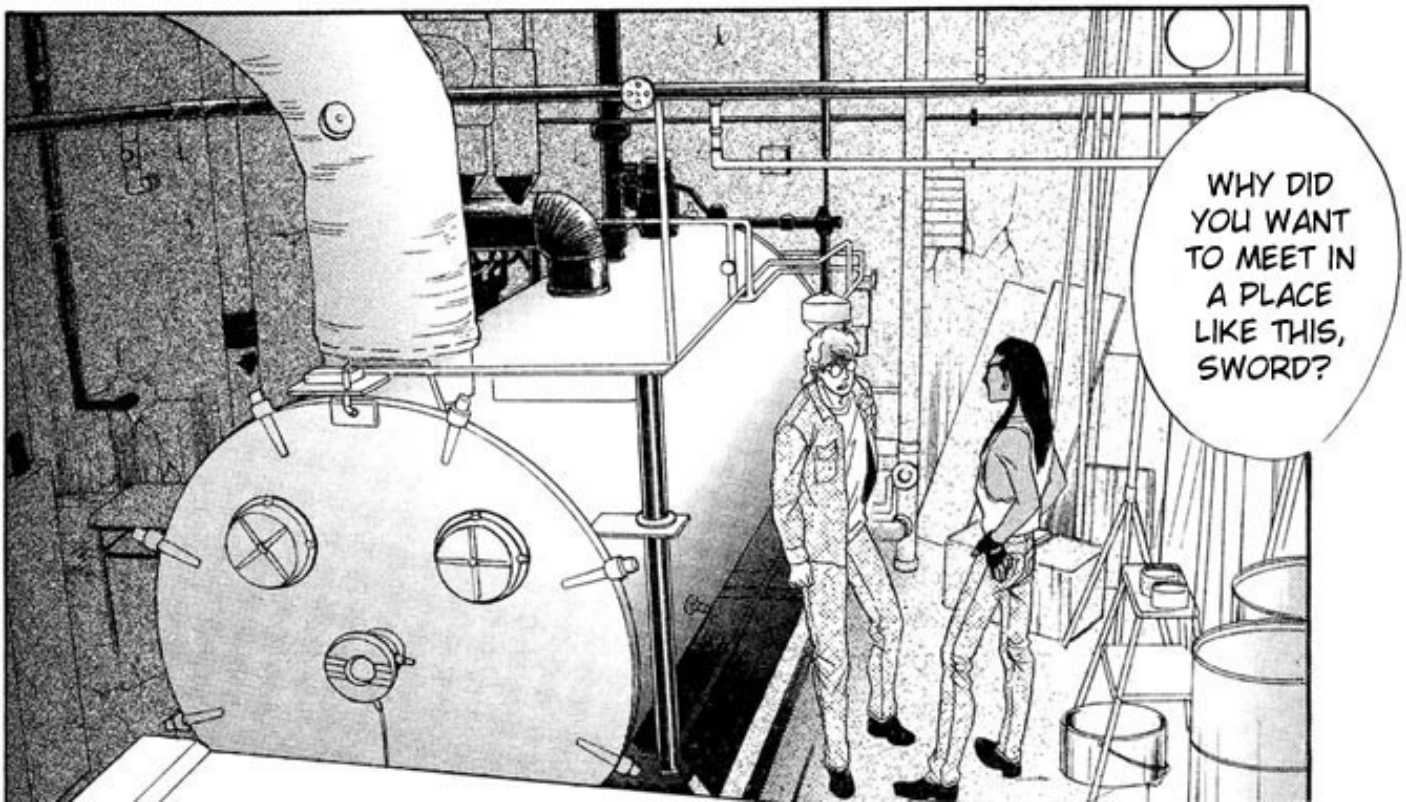
HAVEN'T YOU EVER THOUGHT, THAT HE MIGHT HAVE KILLED HER USING THE HELP OF HIS FRIENDS ON THE OUTSIDE?
I'M GOING TO CANCEL MY APPEAL FOR RETRIAL ...
Yes. Oh--. Oh---
Yes!
THEN I'M GOING TO REPORT YOU FOR GIVING A FALSE STATE-MENT.
DO WHAT-EVER YOU LIKE.
I WON'T LET THINGS HAPPEN AS SWORD PLANNED ...!
WARDEN,
YOUR GOAL IS TO SEPARATE ME FROM SWORD, RIGHT?

TIGHTEN
THEN I HAVE A BETTER WAY...
...!?
CLANK

NO SUCH THING.
HEY, SEN...!
WHAT HAPPENED WITH THE RETRIAL?
...YOU TRAITOR ...!
WHY ARE YOU WASTING YOUR LIFE, SEN!?
I GOT A PROMOTION FOR THREATENING THE WARDEN.
HOW COME !?
WHY CAN'T YOU UNDERSTAND MY FEELINGS!?
SOON, I WILL BE MOVED...
TO LEVEL 4*.
!?
*LEVEL 4 IS FOR THE MOST DANGEROUS CRIMINALS.

YOU'RE NOT JUST A PART,
YOU'RE MY EVERY-THING.
YOU'RE THE ONE WHO DOESN'T UNDER-STAND, SWORD.
AS LONG AS YOU'RE FREE OUT THERE, I FEEL AS THOUGH I'M FREE TOO,
BECAUSE YOU'RE A PART OF ME.
IF I LOSE EVERYTHING, THEN IT'S OVER.
GET YOUR ASS INTO SOLITARY, OWARI!
IT'S ALL OR NOTHING.
THAT'S ALL THERE IS FOR ME.
IF YOU HAD SUCCEEDED ON YOUR FIRST PLAN, THINGS WOULDN'T HAVE TURNED OUT LIKE THIS, SWORD.

NORMAN...
HOW DID YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT?
I HEARD IT FROM WALTER.
HE WAS THE ONE WHO RATTED YOU OUT TO THE WARDEN.


WHY DID YOU WANT TO MEET IN A PLACE LIKE THIS, SWORD?

I NEVER THANKED YOU FOR THE LETTER.
HERE'S A TREAT, IT'S TOP NOTCH.
IT WAS NO PROBLEM, JUST WANT TO BE USEFUL FOR THE SHUT CALL.
JUST TAKE IT.
I'M A TERRIBLE DRUNK, SO I DON'T USE DRUGS.
BESIDES, I NEED MY HEAD CLEAR.
JUST LIKE YOU, SWORD.
YEAH.
I HAVE A LOT OF ENEMIES HERE IN UGH.
SO WHICH ARE YOU...
ENEMY?
OR FRIEND?
IF YOU'RE MY FRIEND, JUST TAKE IT.

NORMAN
...
IT WOULD HAVE BEEN TROUBLESOME IF YOU GOT OUT, BECAUSE I NEEDED YOU.
SO THE RAT REALLY WAS YOU!!
WHAT-EVER I CHOOSE, IT'S DEATH, RIGHT?
ANSWER ME, WHY DID YOU GET IN OUR WAY!?

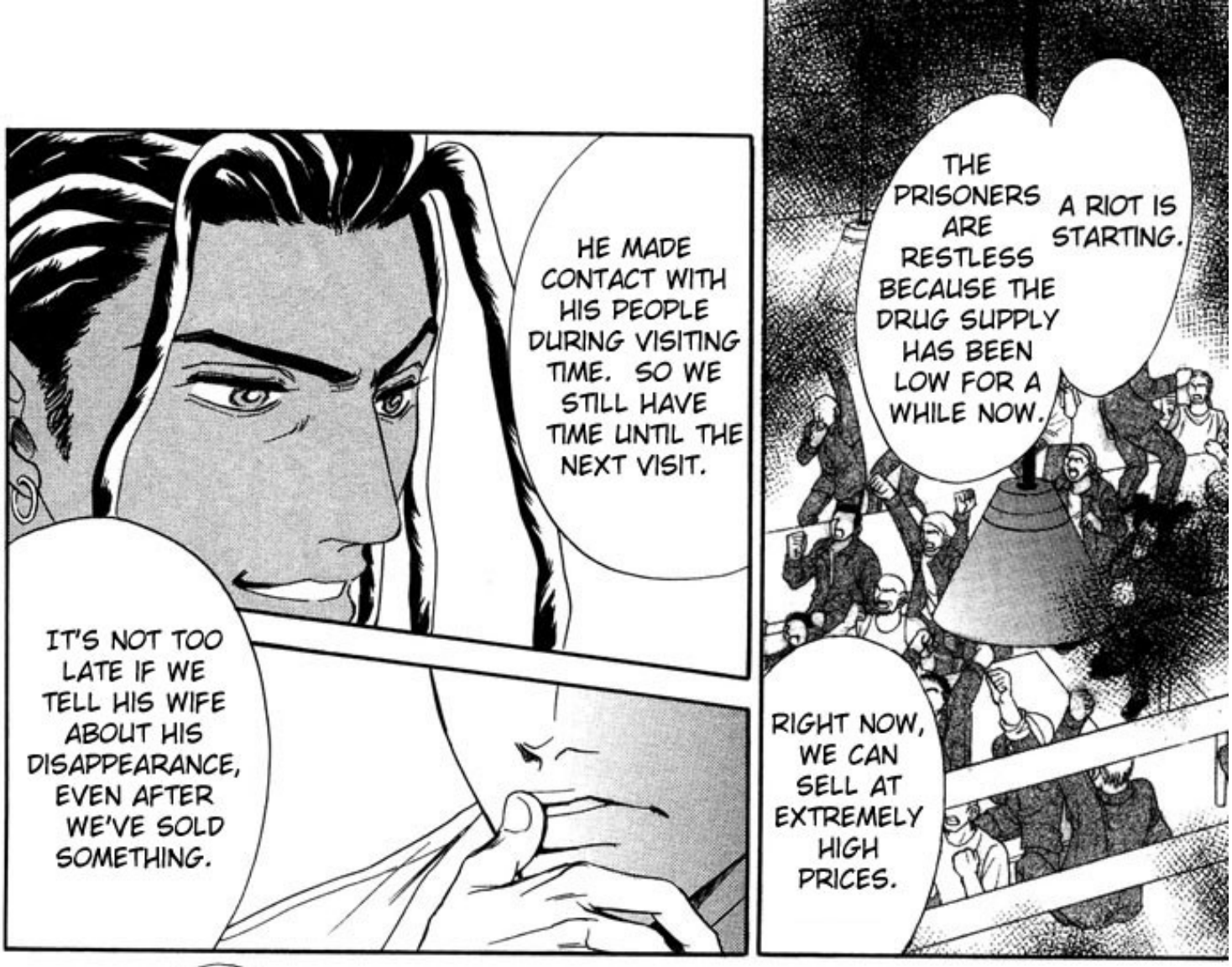
MY TARGET ISN'T SMALL FISH LIKE YOU.
...!?

LET'S MAKE A DEAL, SELL OUT YOUR BOSS.
WHO THE HELL ARE YOU?
HAYES, WHERE'S O'BRIEN!?
DUNNO ...
AND I'LL HELP SEN.
WALTER O'BRIEN IS MISSING!
SLAM
Piiiii
Piiiii
ROLL CALL!
LOCK DOWN!!
WALTER, YOU...

CRASH
"IN THIS UGH 'FRIENDSHIP' IS NOTHING BUT ILLUSION."
"THE SEED IS ALREADY PLANTED AND I HAVE GREEN HANDS."

I THINK IT'S TIME TO DEAL AGAIN.

YOU'VE TAKEN CARE OF THE RAT?
SLAM
... WHERE IS HE?
BOILER ROOM, HIS BONES HAVE PROBABLY BURNED TO ASH BY NOW.
YOU'RE ON THE SUSPECT LIST TOO.
THEY'RE LOOKING FOR THE DRUG SUPPLIER AND THE BACKBONE OF THE WHOLE OPERATION.
...THEN WOULD IT BE BEST TO LAY LOW FOR THE TIME BEING.
WALTER O'BRIEN WAS A FAKE NAME.
HE'S FBI.
FBI?!
I DIDN'T GET THAT INFORMATION.


HE MADE CONTACT WITH HIS PEOPLE DURING VISITING TIME. SO WE STILL HAVE TIME UNTIL THE NEXT VISIT.
IT'S NOT TOO LATE IF WE TELL HIS WIFE ABOUT HIS DISAPPEARANCE, EVEN AFTER WE'VE SOLD SOMETHING.
A RIOT IS STARTING.
THE PRISONERS ARE RESTLESS BECAUSE THE DRUG SUPPLY HAS BEEN LOW FOR A WHILE NOW.
RIGHT NOW, WE CAN SELL AT EXTREMELY HIGH PRICES.

JUST LIKE MONEY IS EVERYTHING TO YOU, WARDEN.
YOU'RE FINALLY TAKING YOUR JOB SERIOUSLY, SWORD.
FINE, THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW, I'LL SNEAK SOME IN.
SWORD ...
I JUST NEED TO EXERCISE MY POWER, AND THIS IS ALL I HAVE LEFT.

JUST TELL ME ONE THING, I'VE BEEN AGONIZING ABOUT IT...
AS A REWARD, I'LL TAKE BACK SEN'S PROMOTION.
I DON'T HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH HIM ANYMORE...
WAS IT YOU THAT LED CECIL BARNES TO COMMIT SUICIDE?
IT WAS THE GROUP'S YOUNG-STERS.
UNDER YOUR ORDER?
WELL, YES.
THANK YOU, TRAVIS MUTOU.
IT WASN'T ME.

IF YOU DIDN'T HAVE HER KILLED, I WOULD HAVE.
OWARI,
YOU WILL BE MOVED TOMORROW.
I WANT TO TALK TO SWORD ...
CAN'T, HE REFUSED TO MEET WITH YOU.
SEN, I LOVE YOU...
haa
haa
haa

"HE MIGHT HAVE KILLED HER USING THE HELP OF HIS FRIENDS OUTSIDE."
SWORD WOULDN'T DO THAT.
BUT...
EVEN IF HE DID, I STILL CAN'T HATE HIM.
BUT THAT'S BETTER THAN BEING UNLOVED LIKE THIS.
DO YOU REALLY NOT WANT TO SEE ME, SWORD?
AFTER YOU'VE BACKED ME THIS FAR INTO A CORNER.
I LOVE YOU, SEN.

DID I MAKE THE WRONG CHOICE ...?
SWORD
I'M JUST A FOOL OF LOVE.

IT TOOK A WHILE TO MAKE THEM, SO NO LEFTOVERS, 'KAY?
HAND-MADE!?
TONIGHT'S DESSERT IS A FORTUNE COOKIE.
FOOD.

CRUNCH
"BE CAREFUL OF TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS."
Fuck it.
HEY SEN, WHAT'S YOURS?
"DEATH."
AH, YOU EAT IT!
clank
GET OUT SEN, TIME TO MOVE.
WARDEN... I BEG YOU. LET ME MEET WITH SWORD FOR ONE LAST TIME.
I HAVE SOMETHING TO RETURN TO HIM.
YOU CAN HAND IT TO ME.
UGH

IT'S A KISS.
WELL, OKAY. YOU'LL BE SEPARATED ANYWAY.
BUT HE'LL PROBABLY REFUSE YOU.
chink
chink
chink
chink

FOR YOU, AS A MEMENTO.
I DON'T WANT ANYTHING THAT BELONGED TO YOU.
IF I COULD... I WOULD RETURN EVERY MEMORY OF YOU THAT I HAVE.
...SEN,
THIS IS A WARNING, SO LISTEN CAREFULLY.
BE CAREFUL OF THE GUARDS...
ON LEVEL 4, THEY CAN SHOT WITHOUT WARNING.
YOU'RE COCKY, SO DON'T MAKE ANY ENEMIES.
... THANKS FOR THE WARNING.

DON'T DIE.
I'LL BE FINE, YOU TOO.

IT'S TIME OWARI, LET'S GO.
UGH
THANKS FOR TAKING CARE OF ME.
...WHAT ABOUT THE KISS?
chink
chink
NAH.
chink
chink
...
WAIT,
SEN!!
0X

I WON'T LET YOU GET OUT BEFORE ME!!
I CAN'T JUST LET YOU GO!
UGH
FISH!
COME NEAR AND I'LL KILL YOU!!
I WON'T LET YOU GET OUT OF HERE ALIVE...!!
STOP FISH!!
YOU ONLY GET 3 WARN-INGS!

BANG
SWORD! THROW YOUR KNIFE AWAY!!
SEN... YOU'RE MINE!!

BANG
BANG
BANG

THE ONLY THING IN MY HEAD AT THAT TIME, WAS DEATH.
I THREW AWAY MY PAST AND WAS REBORN.
AT THE MOMENT I STEPPED INTO THIS UGH,
TWO AND A HALF YEARS AGO...
THUMP
THUMP
I THOUGHT THIS MAN COULD GRANT MY WISH.
THUMP
THUMP
I'M PROUD OF MYSELF FOR CHOOSING YOU.
BECAUSE YOU MADE MY WISH COME TRUE.
THUMP

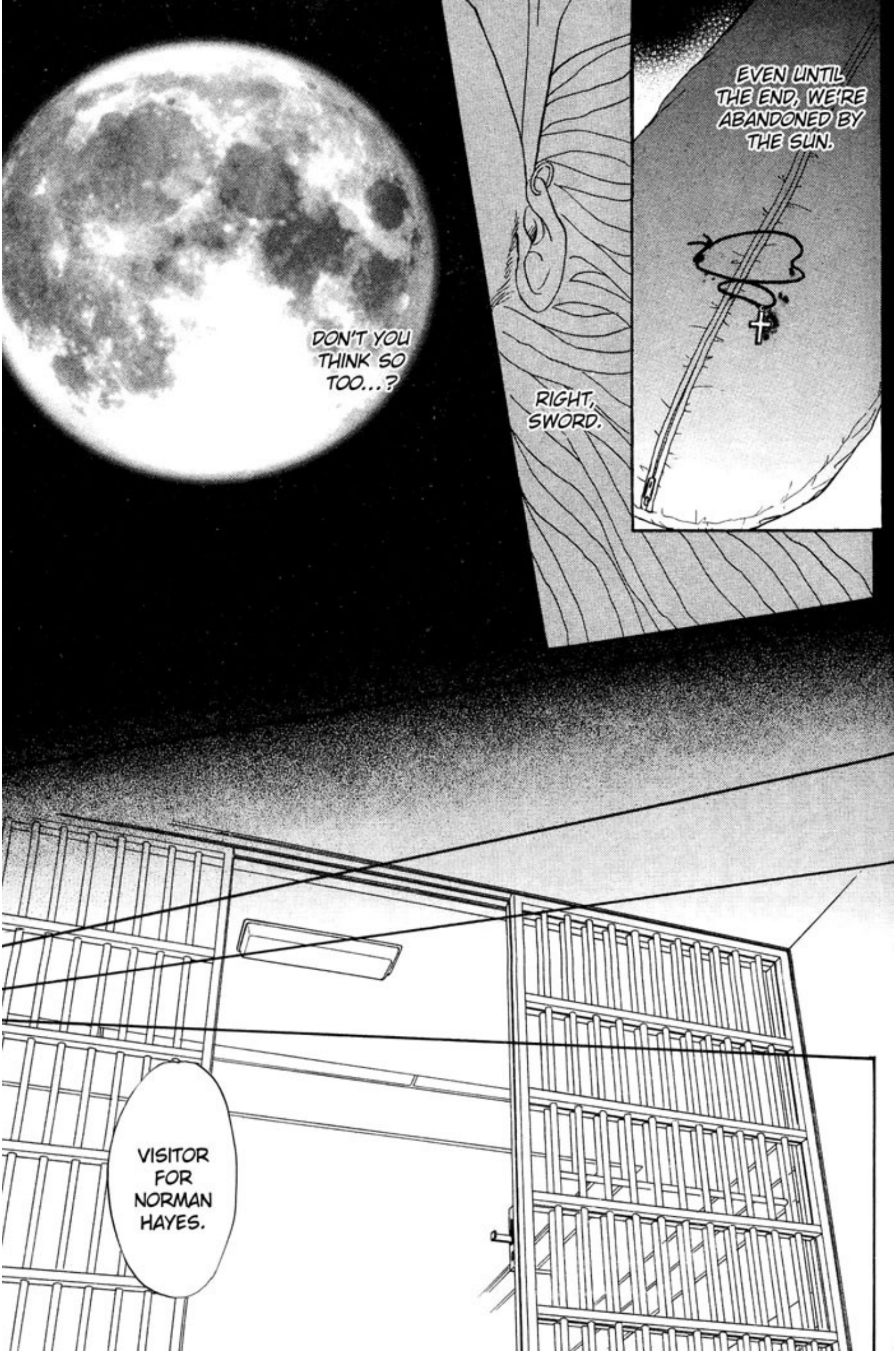
CLANG
PATTER
PATTER
PATTER

Freeze!
EVERYBODY ON THE FLOOR!!

TRAVIS MUTOU,
WE'RE ARRESTING YOU FOR DRUG TRAFFICKING AND YOUR INVOLVEMENT IN THE DEATH OF CECILE BARNES.
HI... HIM?
WALTER ...?!
FBI
FBI, NOBODY MOVE!
FBI
FBI
HIS WORDS CAN'T BE USED AS PROOF.
YOU MADE A DEAL WITH SWORD?
JUST LIKE USUAL.

THEN THERE'S PROOF FROM GOD.
?!...
WE RECEIVED PERMISSION FROM THE TOP AND SEARCHED YOUR OFFICE.
"WELL, YES."
YOU CAN'T USE THAT AS SOLID PROOF.
WE HAVE SOME PROOF.
IT'S FROM YOU.
"UNDER YOUR ORDER?"
FBI
SLIDE
THE WORDS OF A CRIMINAL ALONE INDEED CAN'T BE PROOF.
WE ALSO TOOK SOME PICTURES WHEN YOU MET UP WITH SOME GROUP LAST NIGHT.

FBI
LAST NIGHT, WE CHECKED OUT OF IT.
UNITED STATES FEDERAL PRISON "UNDER GROUND HOTEL".


EVEN UNTIL THE END, WE'RE ABANDONED BY THE SUN.
RIGHT, SWORD.
DON'T YOU THINK SO TOO...?
VISITOR FOR NORMAN HAYES.

YOUR BEARD'S GROWN.
I THOUGHT I'D GET YOU TO SHAVE IT FOR ME.

THAT'S MY REAL NAME.
AND THE STORY ABOUT A WIFE WAS ALSO FAKE.

HAVE YOUR WIFE SHAVE IT FOR YOU.
WILLIAM.
0X337

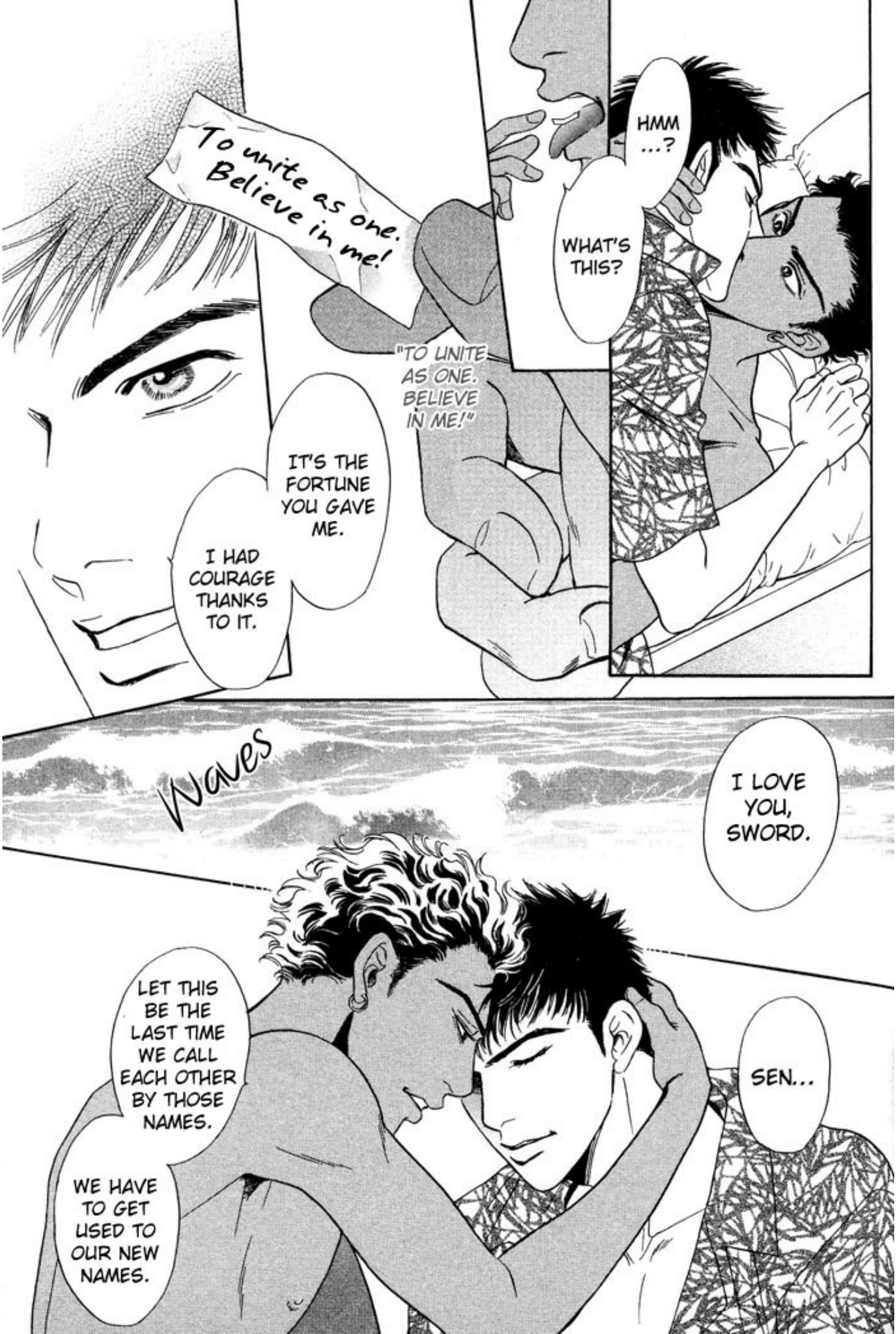
...OKAY, I'LL SHAVE IT FOR YOU, BUT I NEED A FAVOR.

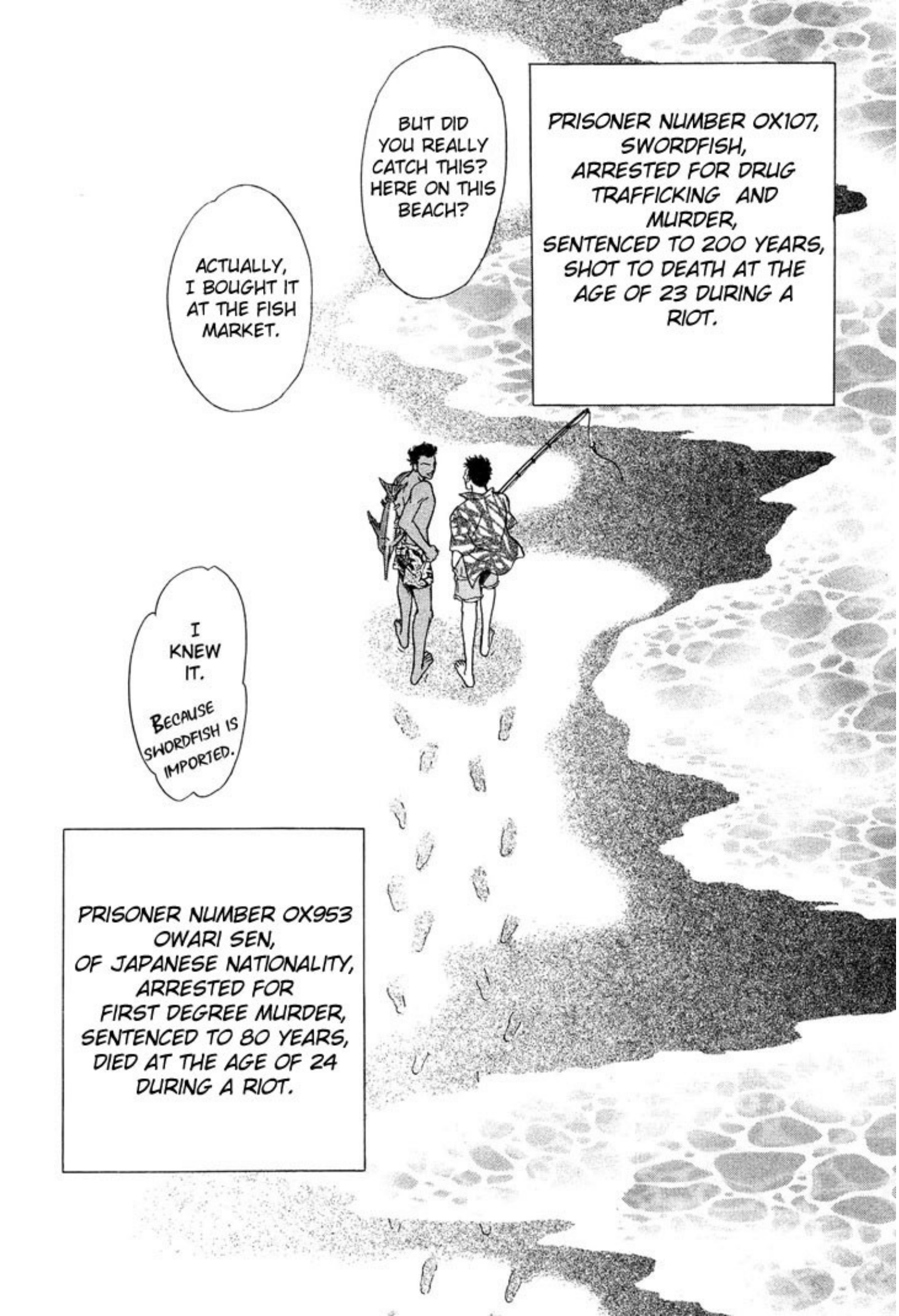
I'LL DO WHAT YOU SAY NORMAN,
BUT...
I'LL COME HERE AGAIN, WHEN MY BEARD GROWS BACK.
GROW THIS UNDER THE SUN FOR ME.
AND DON'T EVER COME BACK,
I DON'T WANT TO HAVE ANY MORE EXPECTA-TIONS.
DO WHAT-EVER YOU WANT ...
OH YES,
ACTUALLY I CAME BECAUSE HE ASKED ME TO GIVE THIS TO YOU.
THEY DON'T NEED IT ANYMORE.
THEY'RE STILL ALIVE!?

YOU SAW IT YOURSELF, THE DEMISE OF SEN AND SWORD.
NOW THEY BOTH ARE FISHING IN HEAVEN.
Waves

HEY.
DON'T GET IN THE WAY.
I'M TRYING TO GET A TAN.
YOU WANNA TURN INTO CHAR-COAL? YOU'RE ALREADY SO DARK.
SHUT UP! BY THE WAY, HOW WAS FISHING FOR DINNER?
I'VE GOT IT COVER-ED!
TONIGHT IT'S CHARCOAL-GRILLED SWORDFISH!!
YOU'RE A BASTARD, DID YOU KNOW THAT?

waves


To unite as one. Believe in me!
HMM ...?
WHAT'S THIS?
"TO UNITE AS ONE. BELIEVE IN ME!"
IT'S THE FORTUNE YOU GAVE ME.
I HAD COURAGE THANKS TO IT.
Waves
I LOVE YOU, SWORD.
SEN...
LET THIS BE THE LAST TIME WE CALL EACH OTHER BY THOSE NAMES.
WE HAVE TO GET USED TO OUR NEW NAMES.


PRISONER NUMBER OX107,
SWORDFISH,
ARRESTED FOR DRUG
TRAFFICKING AND
MURDER,
SENTENCED TO 200 YEARS,
SHOT TO DEATH AT THE
AGE OF 23 DURING A
RIOT.
BUT DID
YOU REALLY
CATCH THIS?
HERE ON THIS
BEACH?
ACTUALLY,
I BOUGHT IT
AT THE FISH
MARKET.
I
KNEW
IT.
BECAUSE
SWORDFISH IS
IMPORTED.
PRISONER NUMBER OX953
OWARI SEN,
OF JAPANESE NATIONALITY,
ARRESTED FOR
FIRST DEGREE MURDER,
SENTENCED TO 80 YEARS,
DIED AT THE AGE OF 24
DURING A RIOT.

I would like to say thank you very much for continuing to read my work all this time.

I'm working on a side story and doujinshi for UGH.

If you are interested, please send a letter enclosed with a reply envelope and an 80 yen stamp to the address below.

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