



Shrine
Festival
Sumo

Besides professional sumo player, students do also participate in this traditional sports. Everytime when a religious festival is held, they give show in towns to help celebrating. This is the theme of this story, the love between sumo players. Also, in the episode, the first female character appears on stage. This makes the story more like a misallenuous mixture, which once made me regret for it.

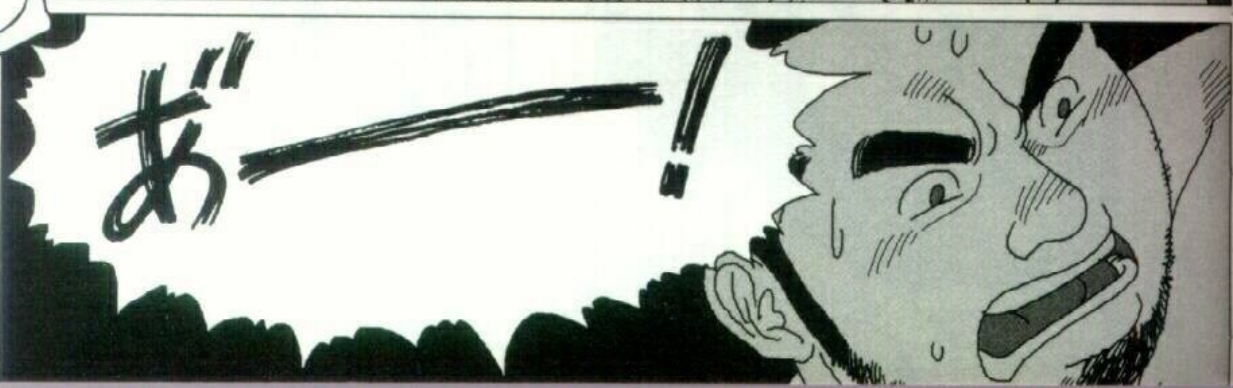
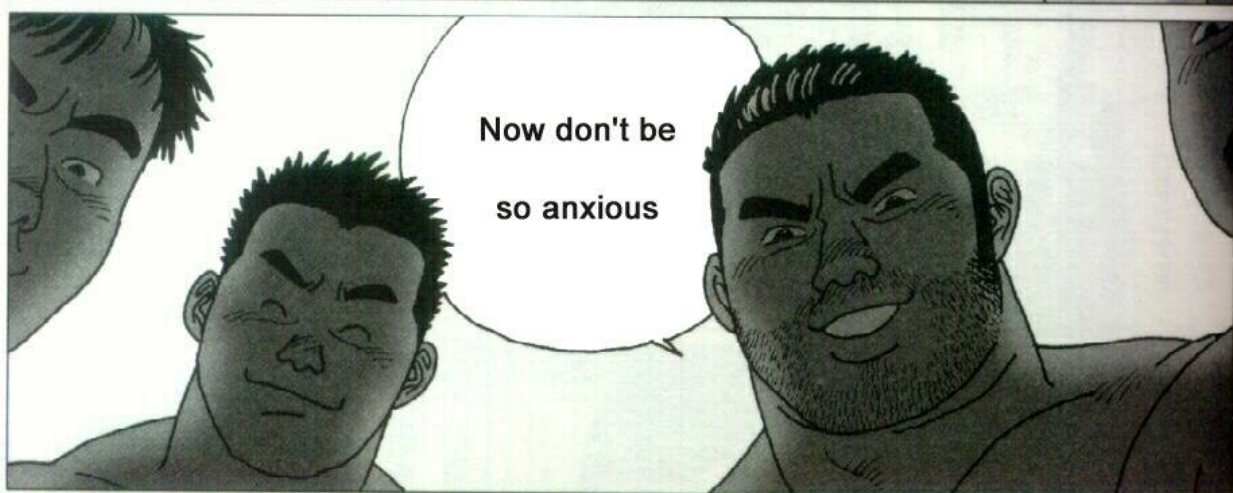
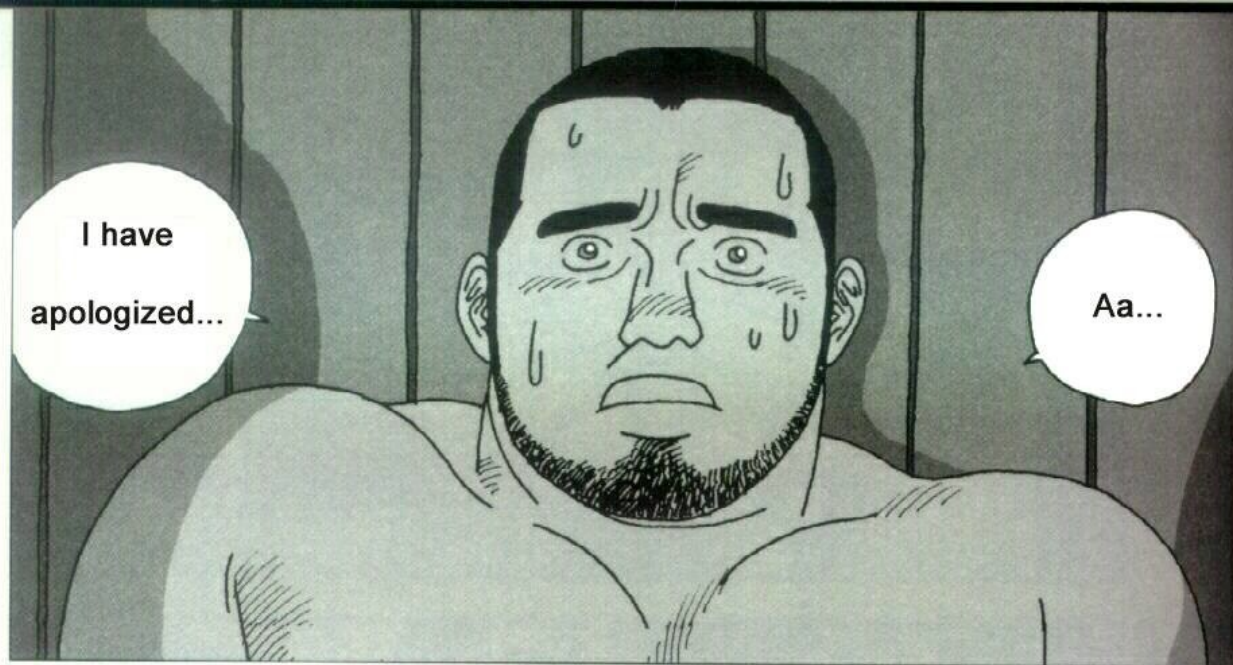
However, the positive responses from readers always aid me to regain my confidence, and give me strength to carry on. Here, I'd express my gratitudes to everyone of you.

Thanks you.

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Yatsukichi Jinja
Reitaisai
Hounou Zumou

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That sumo loincloth fits you well



Hey,
done



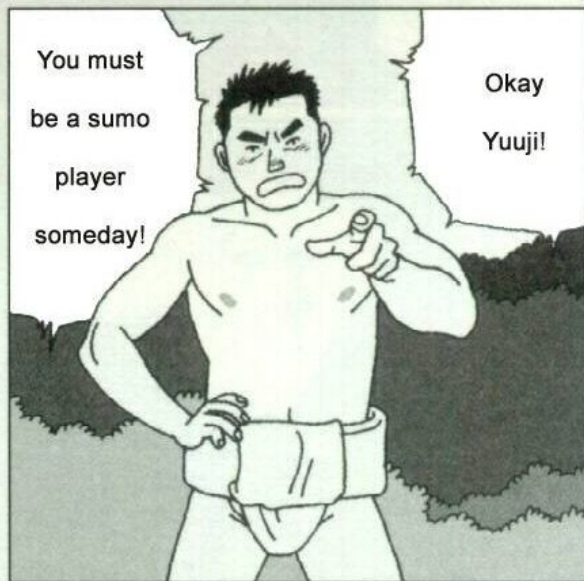
I don't want to wear
the sumo loincloth!



I don't want to
be a festival sumo!

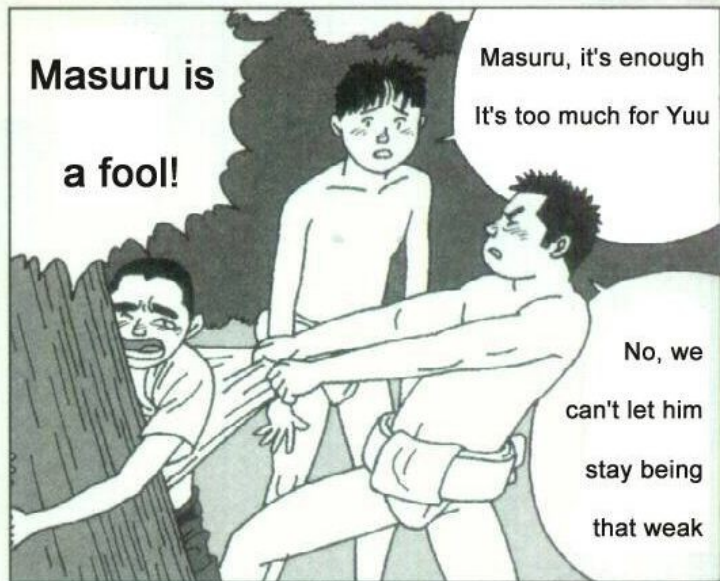
You must
be a sumo
player
someday!

Okay
Yuuji!



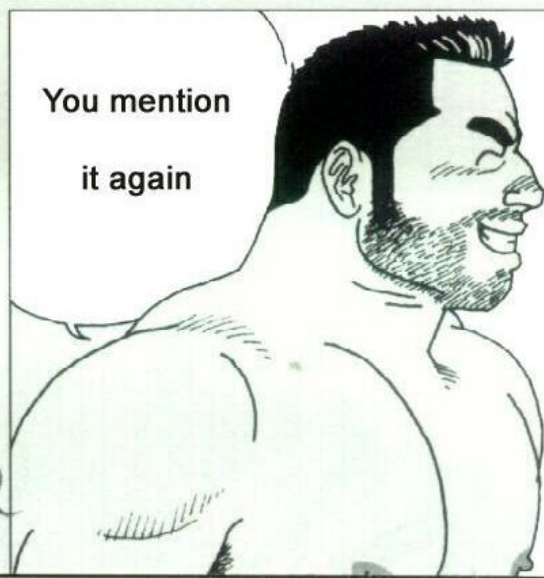
Masuru is
a fool!

Masuru, it's enough
It's too much for Yuu

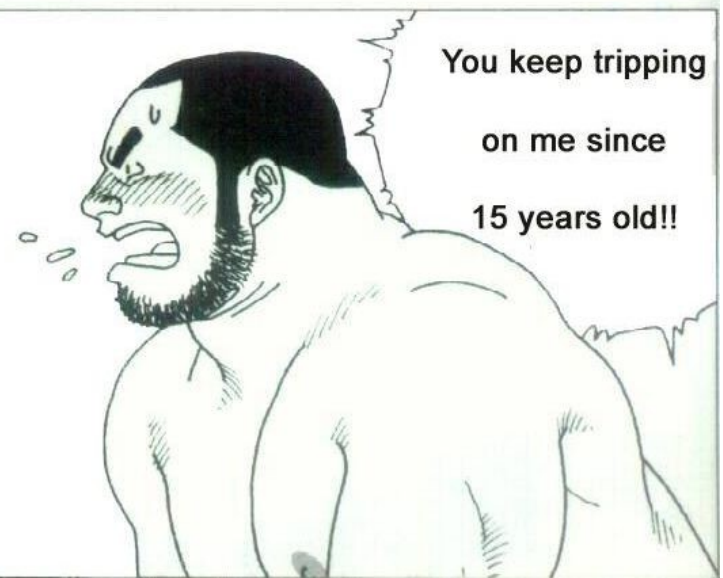


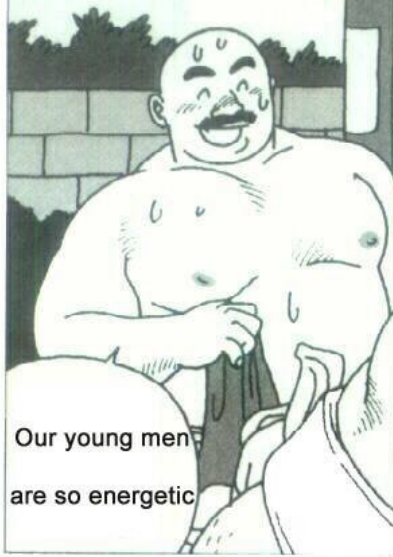
No, we
can't let him
stay being
that weak

You mention
it again



You keep tripping
on me since
15 years old!!



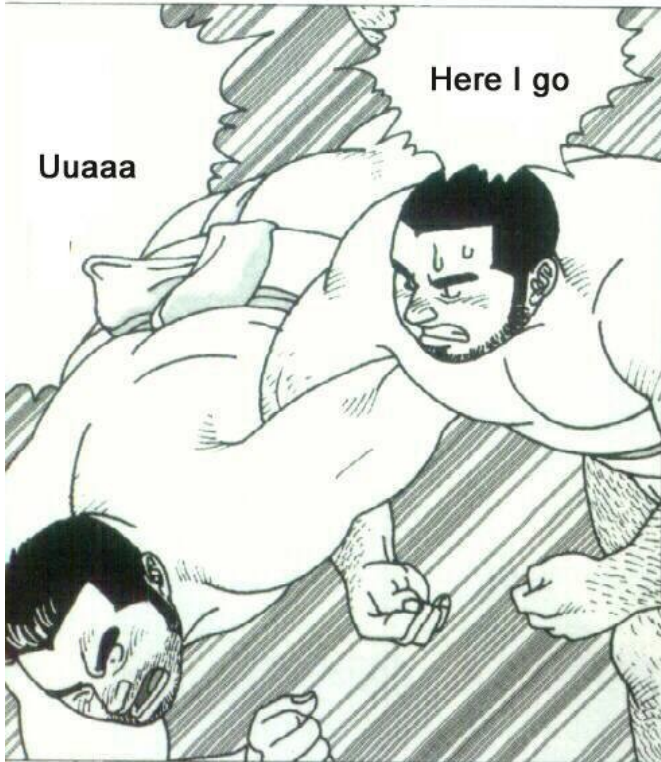


Our young men
are so energetic

I used...
I used
to have
some
special
feelings
for you



Once again!



Uuaaa

Here I go

At
that
very
minute
... ..
I felt
the
feeling
... ..



But I am
too timid
to let out
my words

Ha

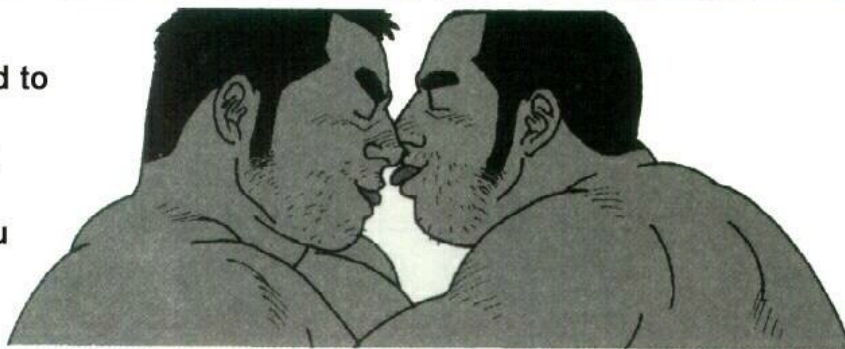
Ha

Let rage
aroses your
power and force

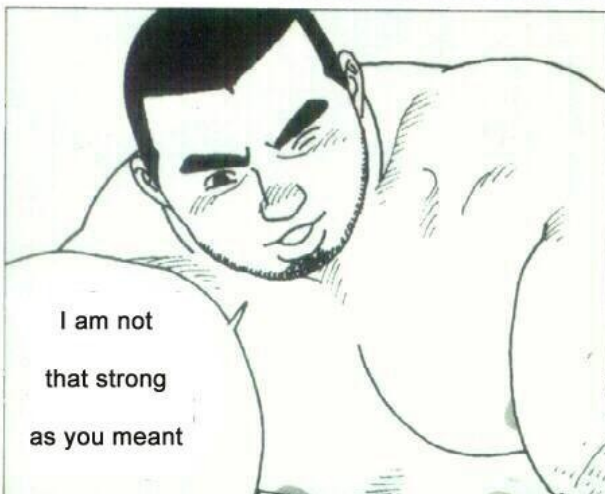


I can still
remember
when you
forced me
to enter
high school
Judo club

That I wanted to
have you
handle you

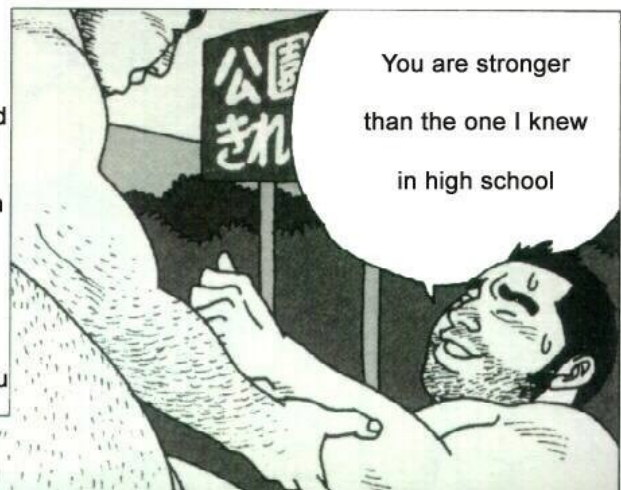


My feeling was
so strong

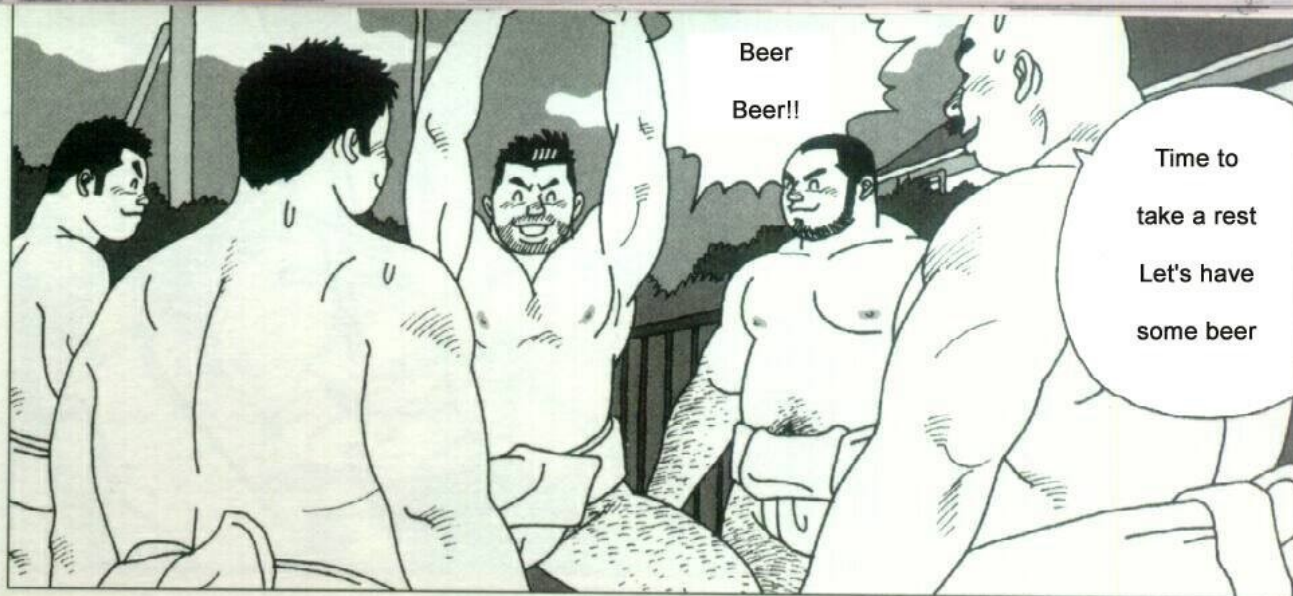


I am not
that strong
as you meant

I do
wanted
to own
you
Masuru



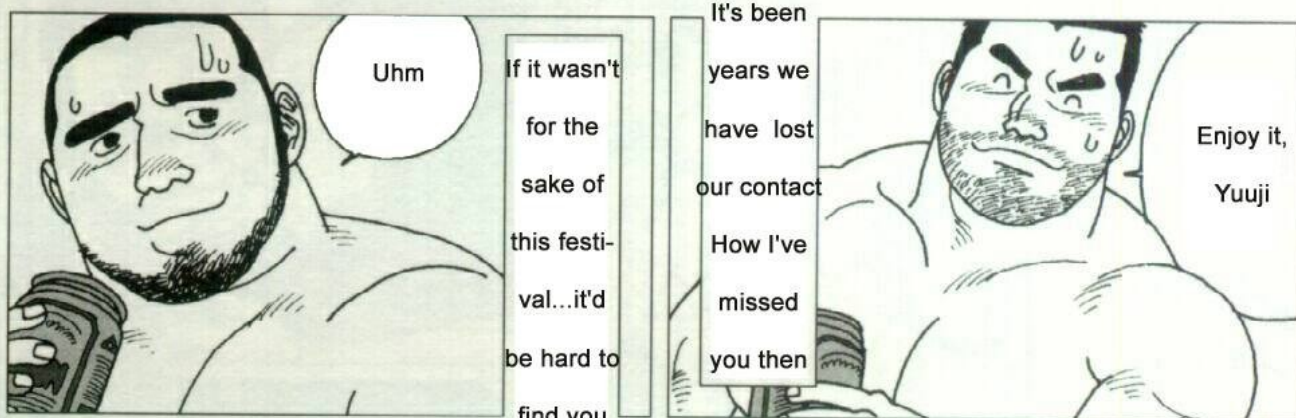
You are stronger
than the one I knew
in high school



Beer

Beer!!

Time to
take a rest
Let's have
some beer



Uhm

If it wasn't
for the
sake of
this festi-
val...it'd
be hard to
find you

It's been
years we
have lost
our contact
How I've
missed
you then

Enjoy it,
Yuuji



Hey, it's Masuru's
lover Keiko

Sorry to
interfere you

Everyone, you've
done great work

Oh



Sheesh
Who does
she think
she is
....

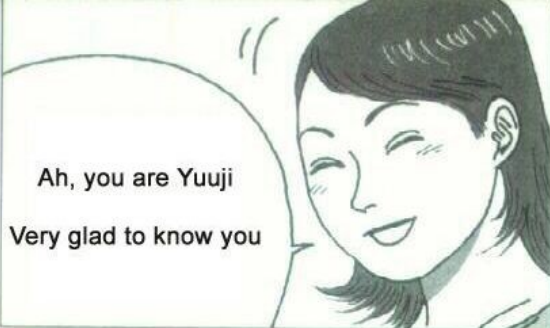


Masuru's body looks
so great out of clothes

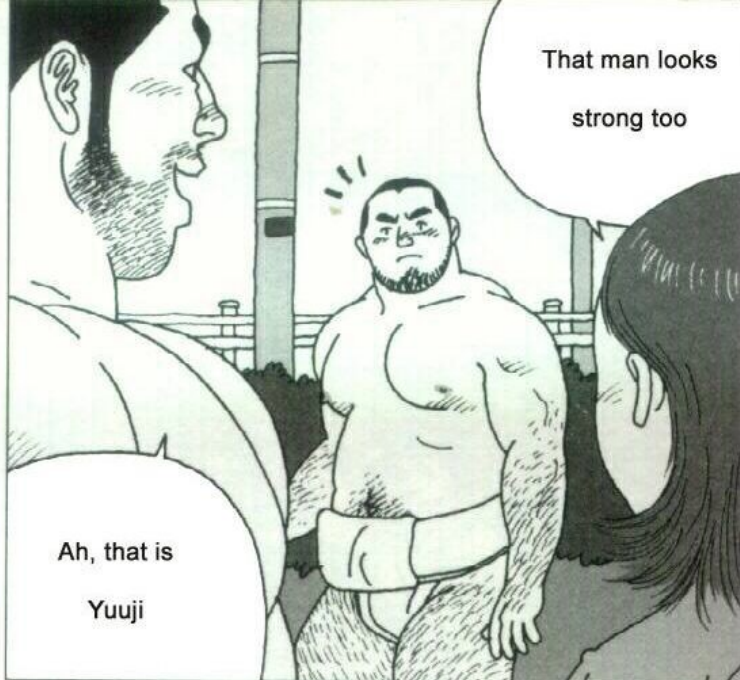
Yeah,
because
of the sumo
loincloth



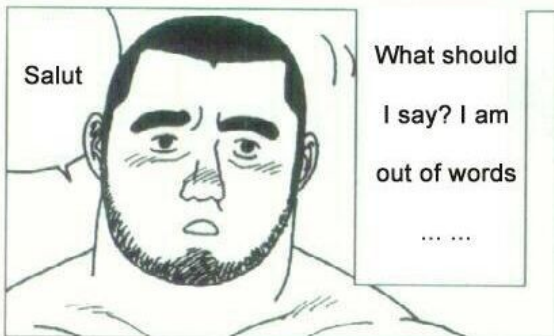
Who is
it?
This
girl,,,



Ah, you are Yuuji
Very glad to know you



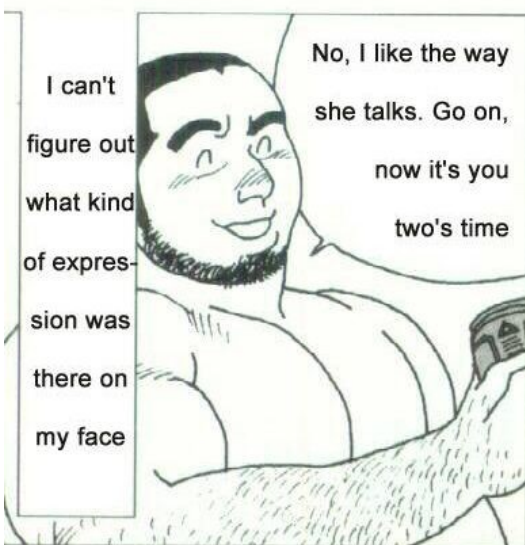
That man looks
strong too



Salut

What should
I say? I am
out of words
... ..

Ah, that is
Yuuji



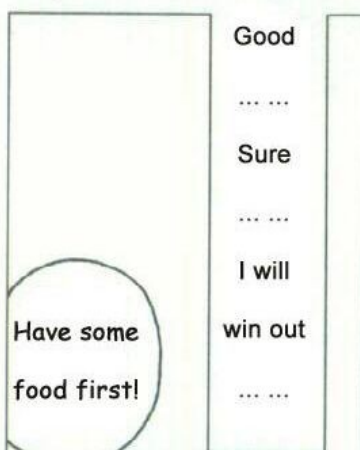
I can't
figure out
what kind
of expres-
sion was
there on
my face

No, I like the way
she talks. Go on,
now it's you
two's time



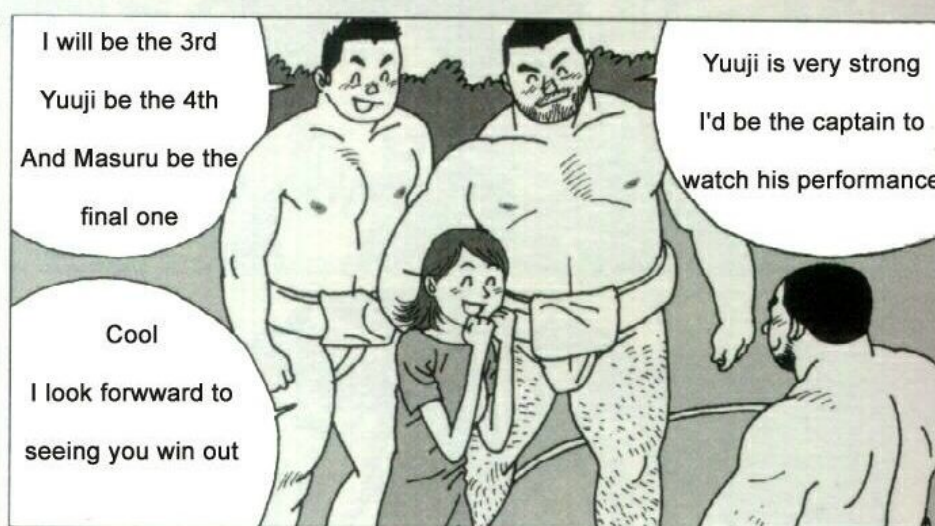
Yuuji, neglect it

Masuru and I
knew each other
when we were
very young



Have some
food first!

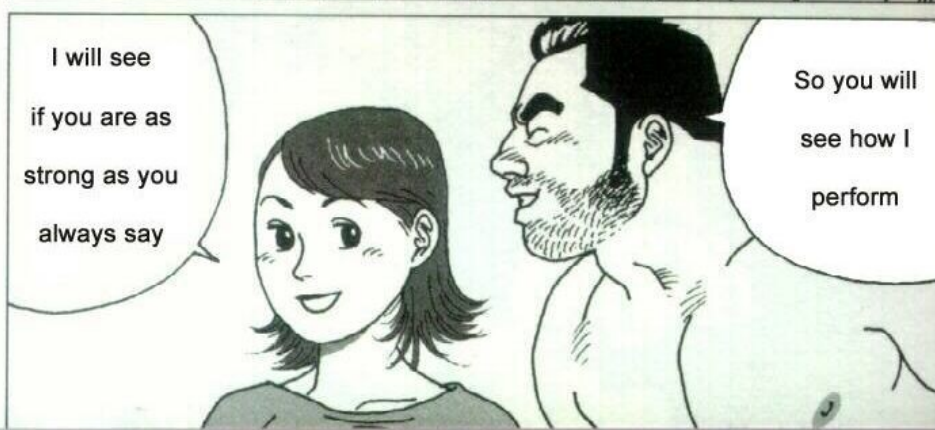
Good
... ..
Sure
... ..
I will
win out
... ..



I will be the 3rd
Yuuji be the 4th
And Masuru be the
final one

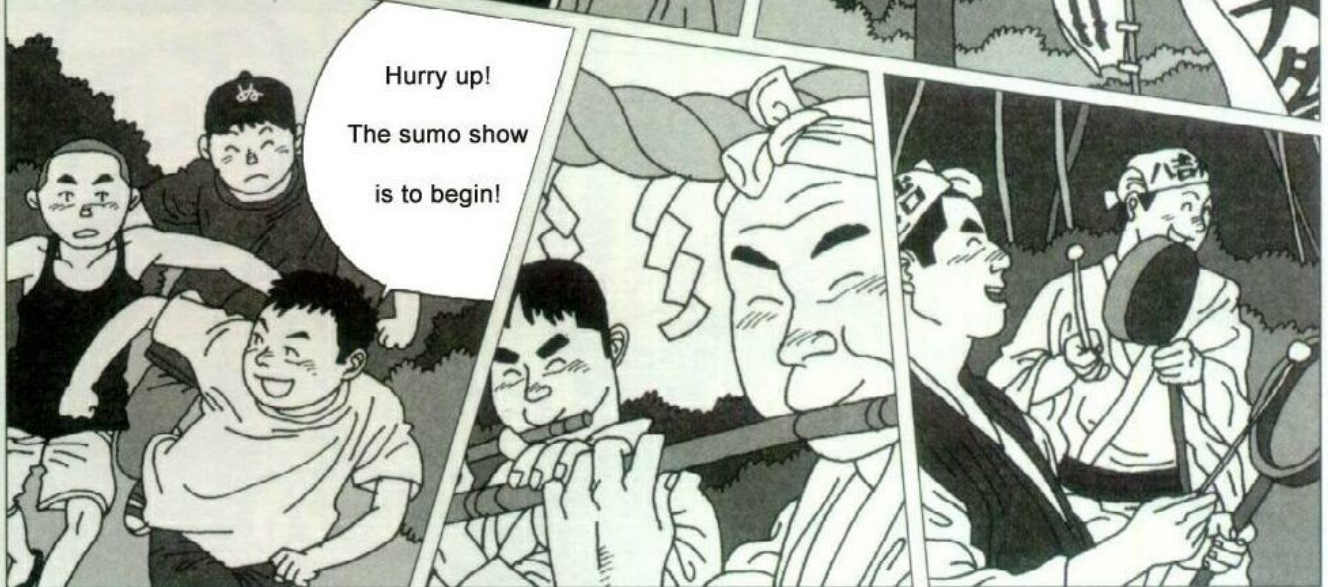
Yuuji is very strong
I'd be the captain to
watch his performance

Cool
I look forward to
seeing you win out



I will see
if you are as
strong as you
always say

So you will
see how I
perform





Yuuji, you
are optimistic

We are
to win!

Let's work
on it!!

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We have to
win out the
next round!

Yuuji, be
serious, okay?



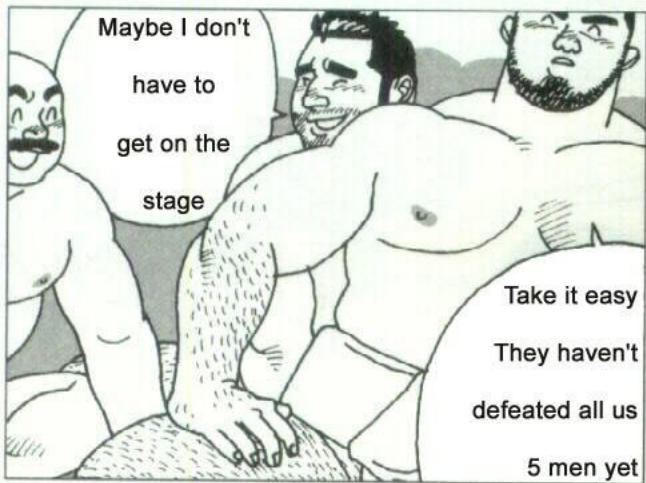
Huya



Wa

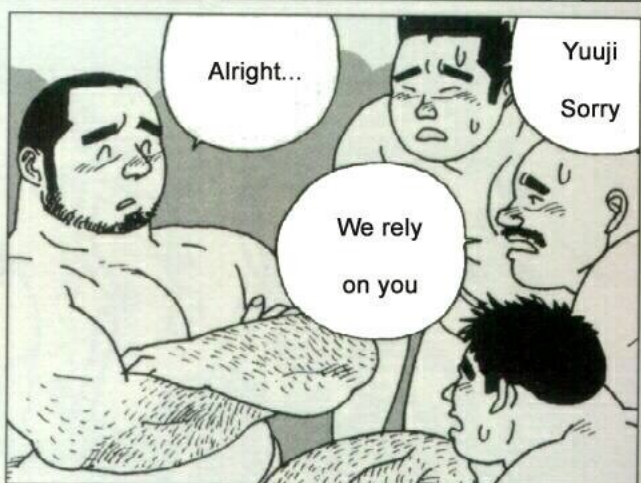


Aa



Maybe I don't
have to
get on the
stage

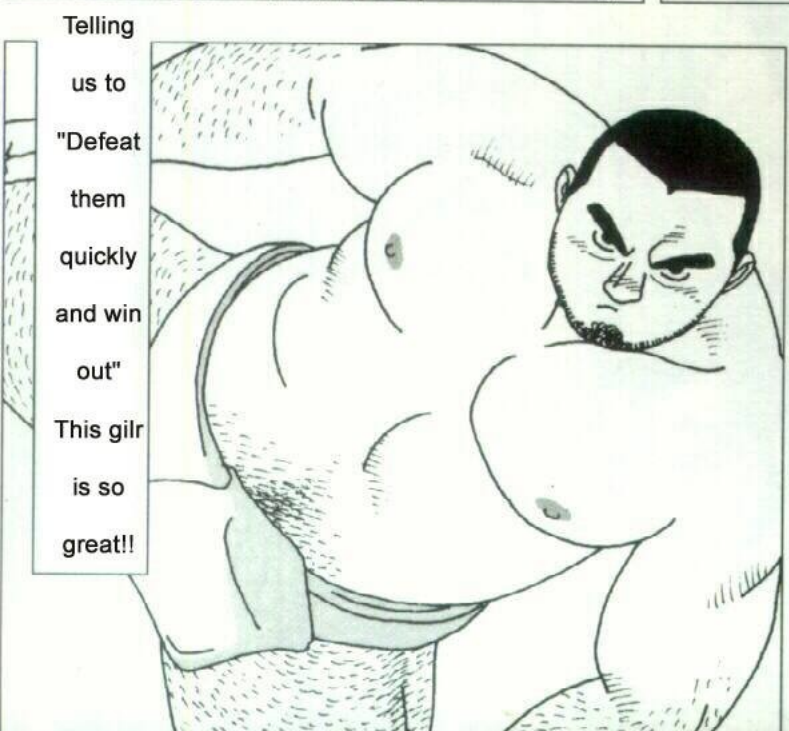
Take it easy
They haven't
defeated all us
5 men yet



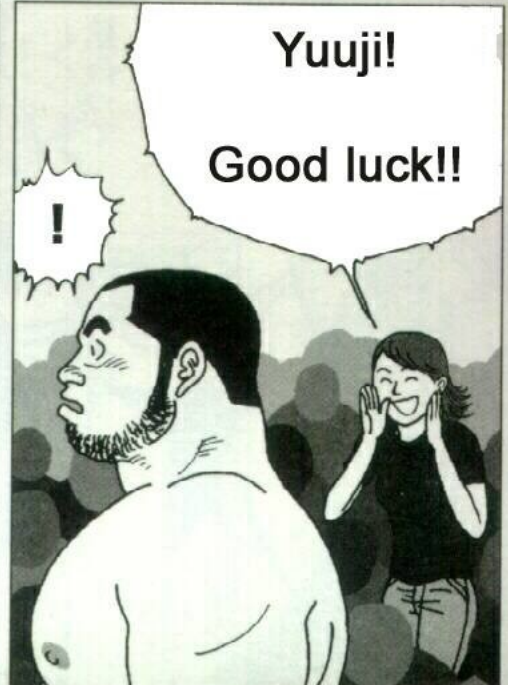
Alright...

Yuuji
Sorry

We rely
on you



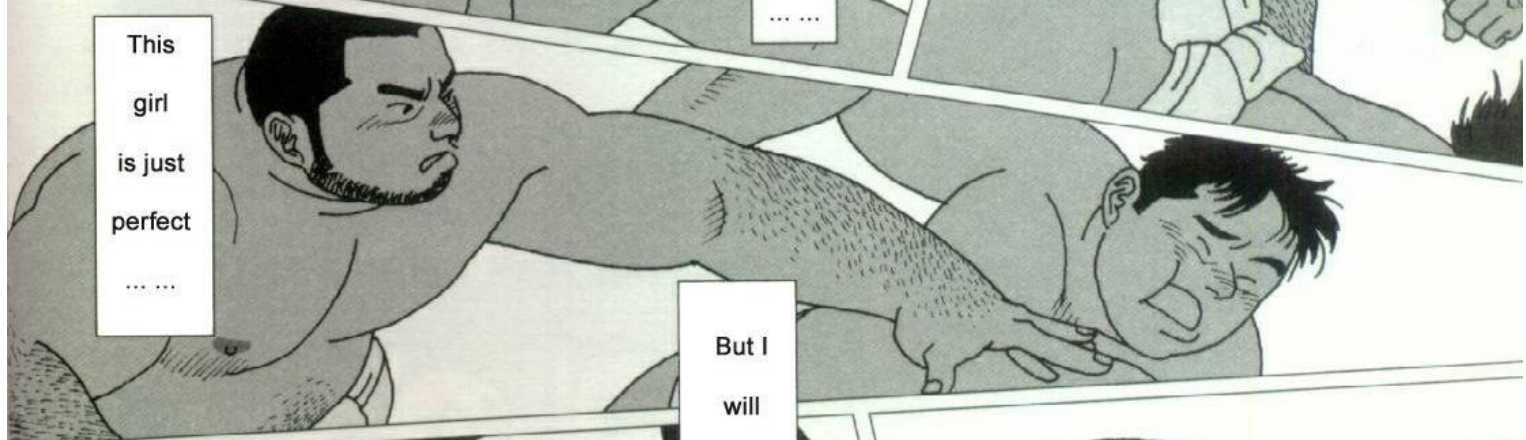
Telling
us to
"Defeat
them
quickly
and win
out"
This girl
is so
great!!



Yuuji!
Good luck!!



I don't
know
why
...



This
girl
is just
perfect
...

But I
will
prove
myself!!



Go!!



Get ready
get ready!



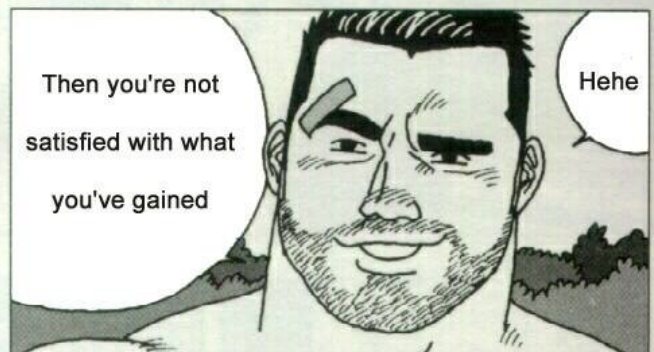
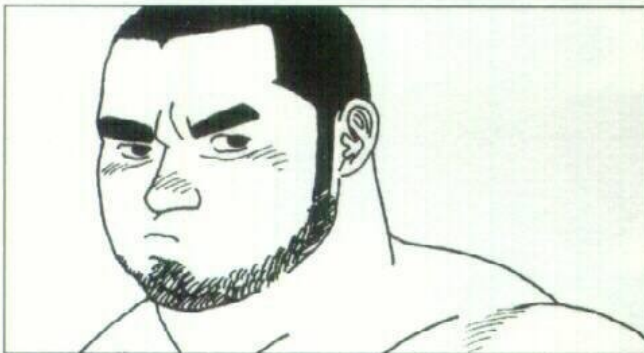
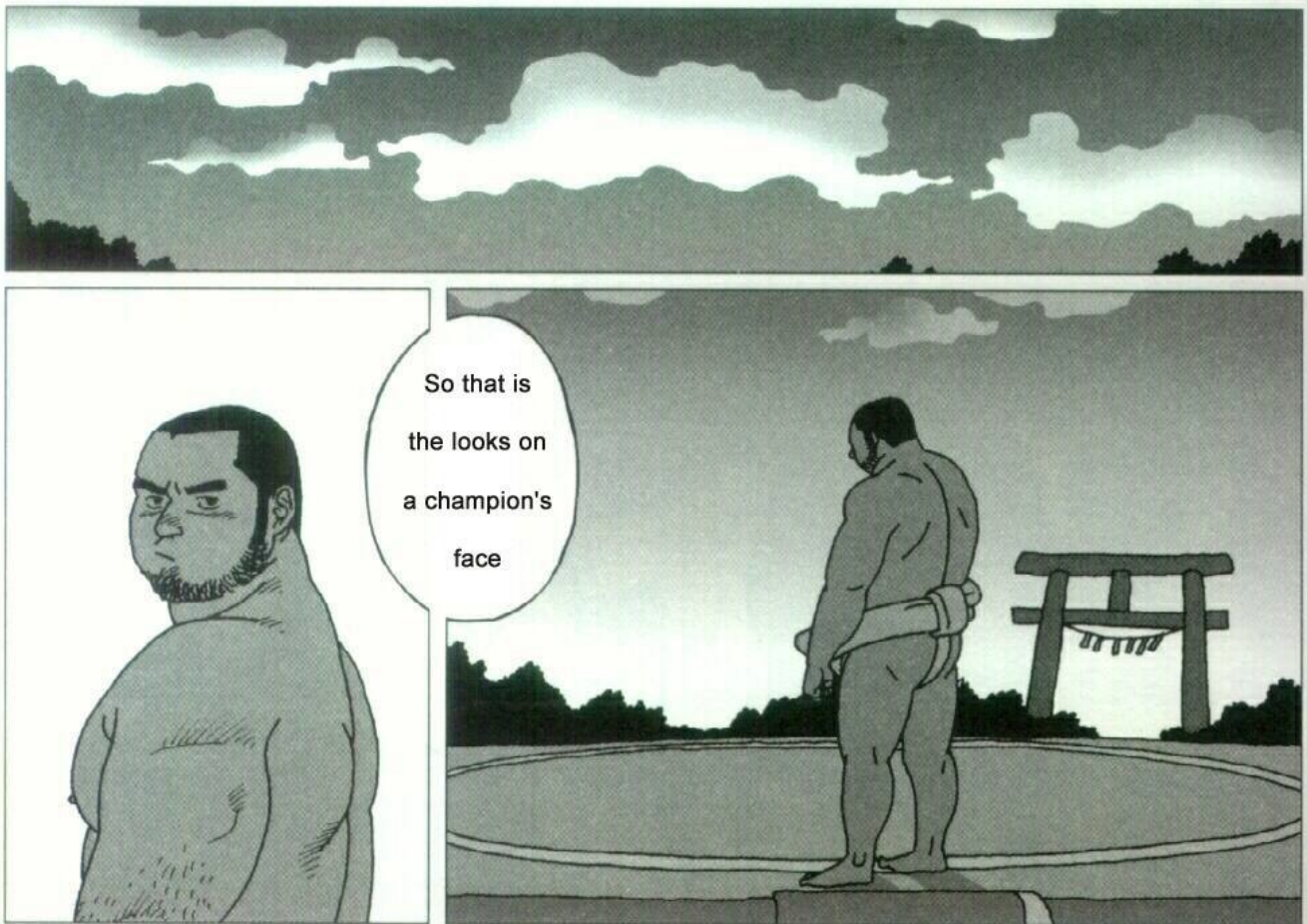
Now is the
last opponent
Take care

He is
strong!
Defeated
5 men!



Behold!



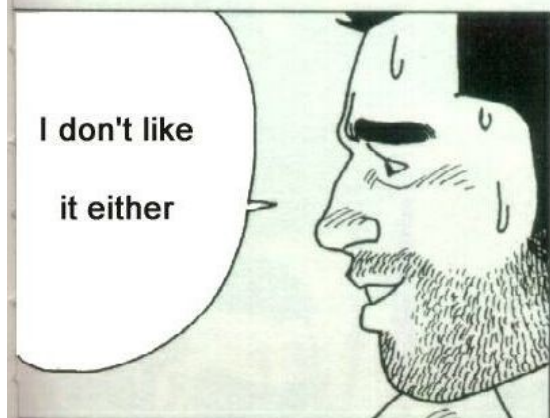




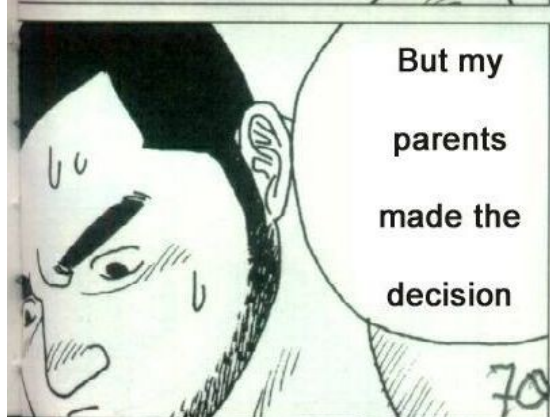
This is what you've got?
To have defeated them all?



That's it!
I hate you!!



I don't like
it either



But my
parents
made the
decision



I am to
get married
next month



Yuuji
I ...

Ha

Ha

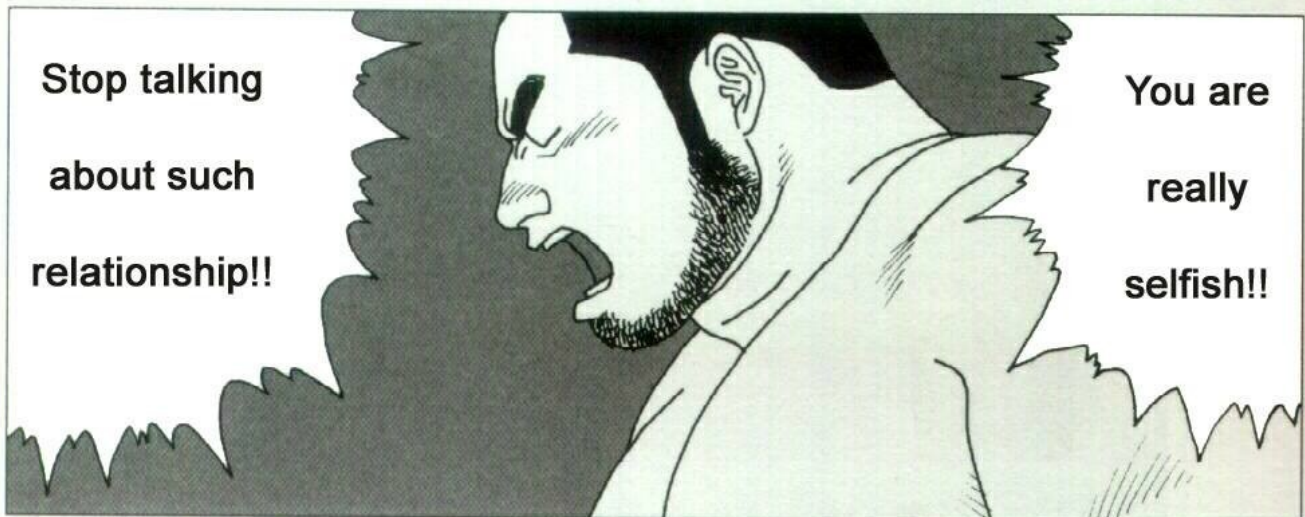
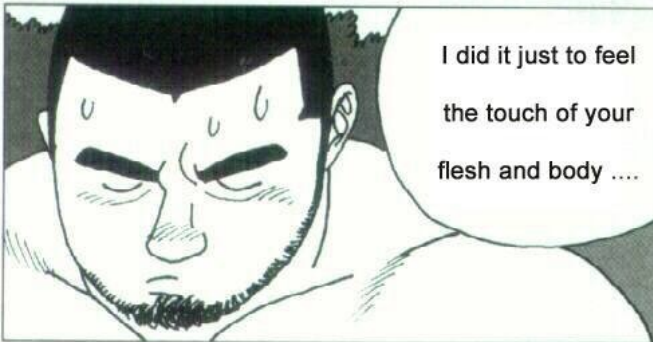
Ha

Ha

Ha

Ha

Ha



... .. what's inside our
sumo loincloth grind
against each other
... .. I can feel the
joy in the pain

Masuru's forceful hit woke me up
... .. his embrace woke me up
... .. finally I realized who I am





Where are you
going? The ceremony
will begin very soon



Is it really good?
To attend such
a ceremony?

But...

Ha

Ha

Ha

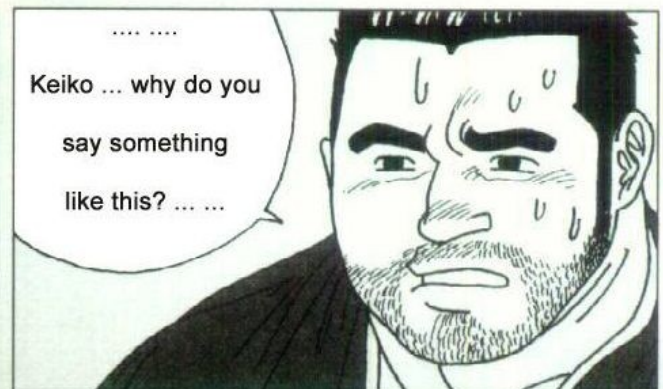
Ha

Ha

Ha



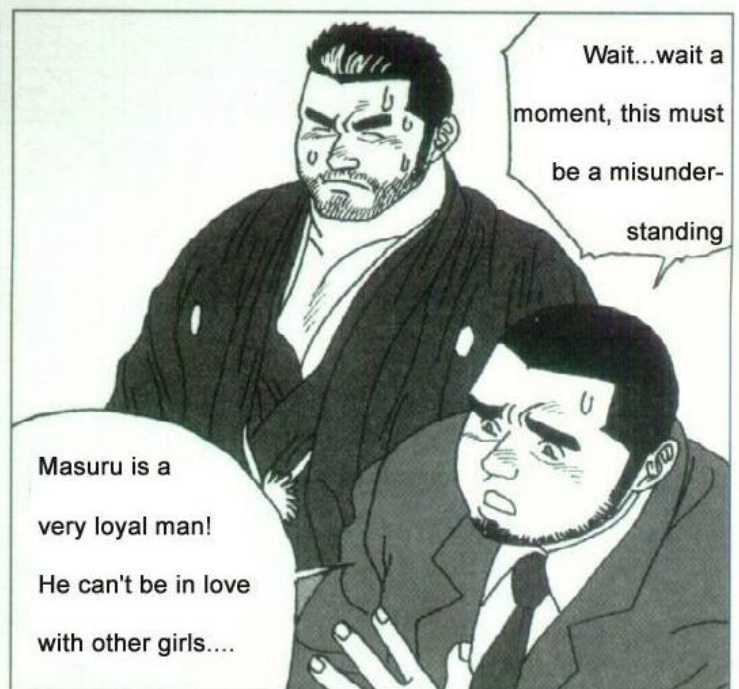
I am not the
type of person to
stay with someone
occupied



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Keiko ... why do you
say something
like this?

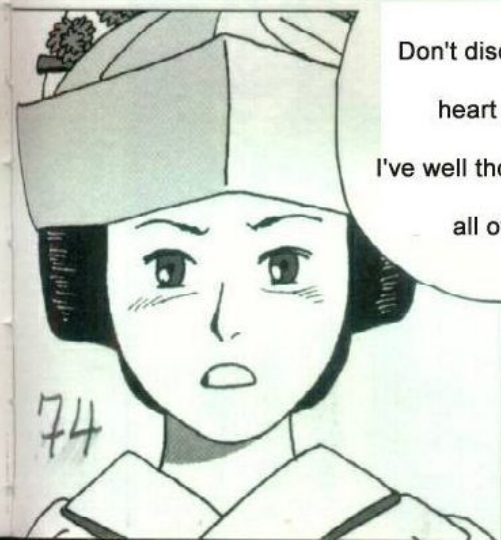


But, what else
conclusion can I
draw seeing
two men hugging
together?

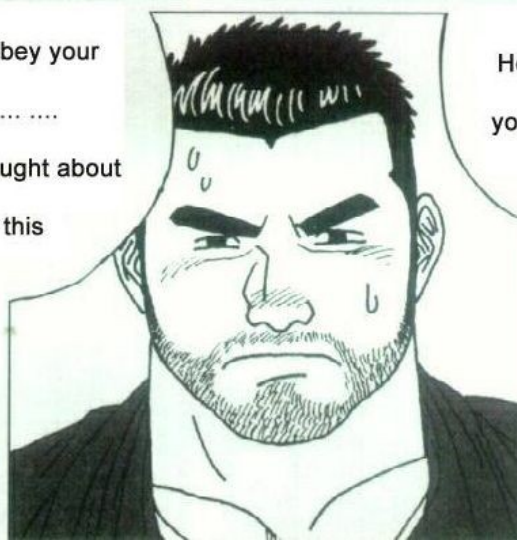


Wait...wait a
moment, this must
be a misunder-
standing

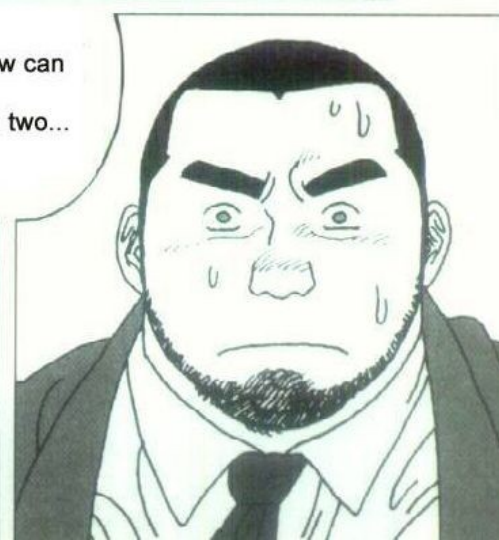
Masuru is a
very loyal man!
He can't be in love
with other girls....

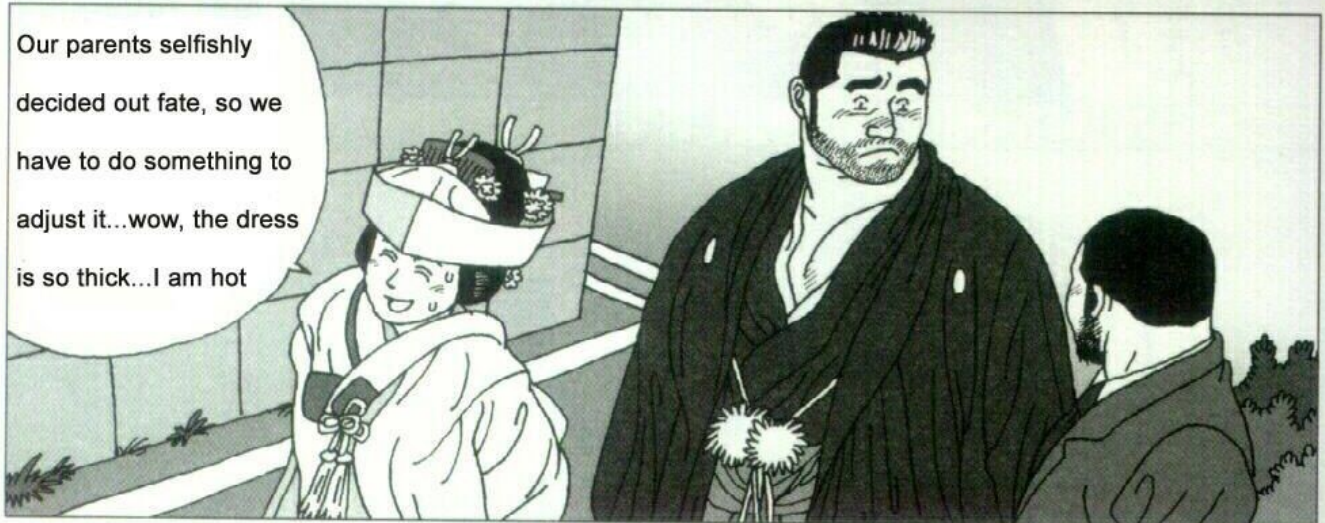
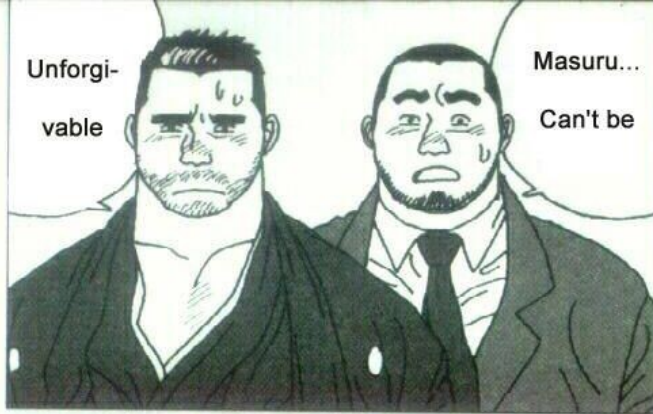


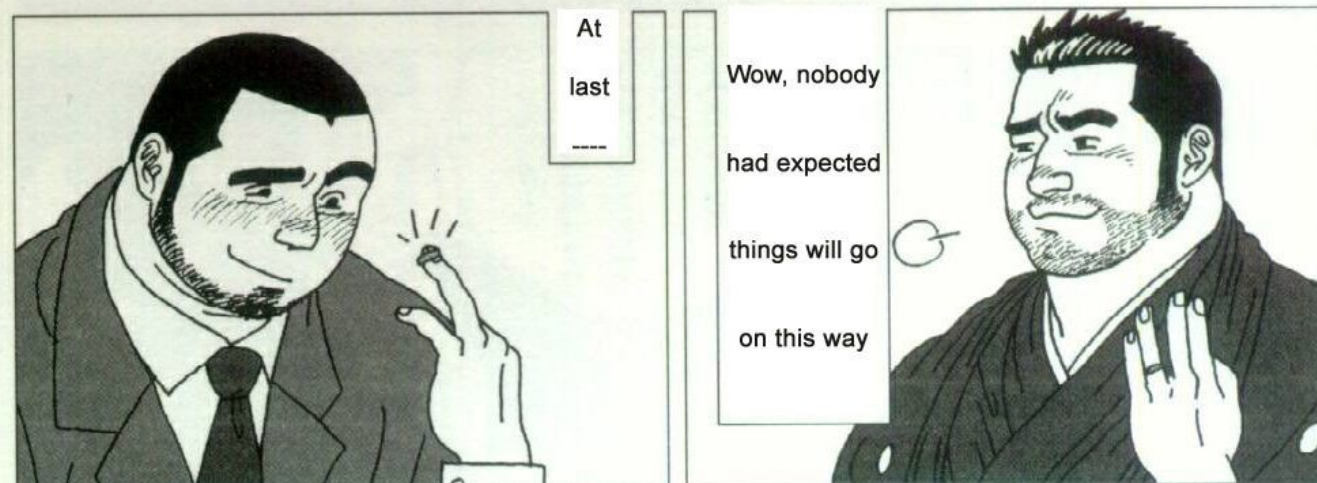
Don't disobey your
heart
I've well thought about
all of this



How can
you two...







One day in the street, Keiko
and her husband meet the
couple, Masuru and Yuuji

