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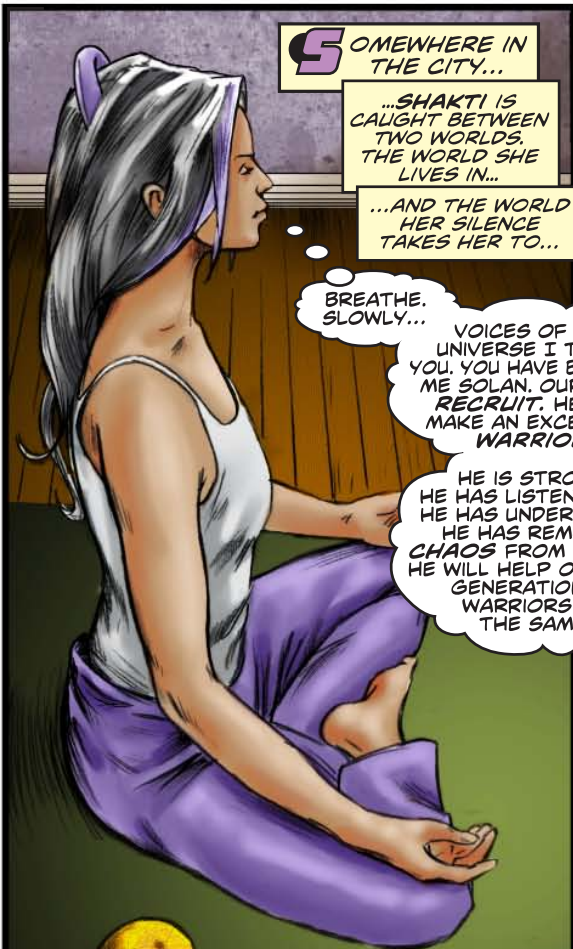
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**S**OMEWHERE IN THE CITY...

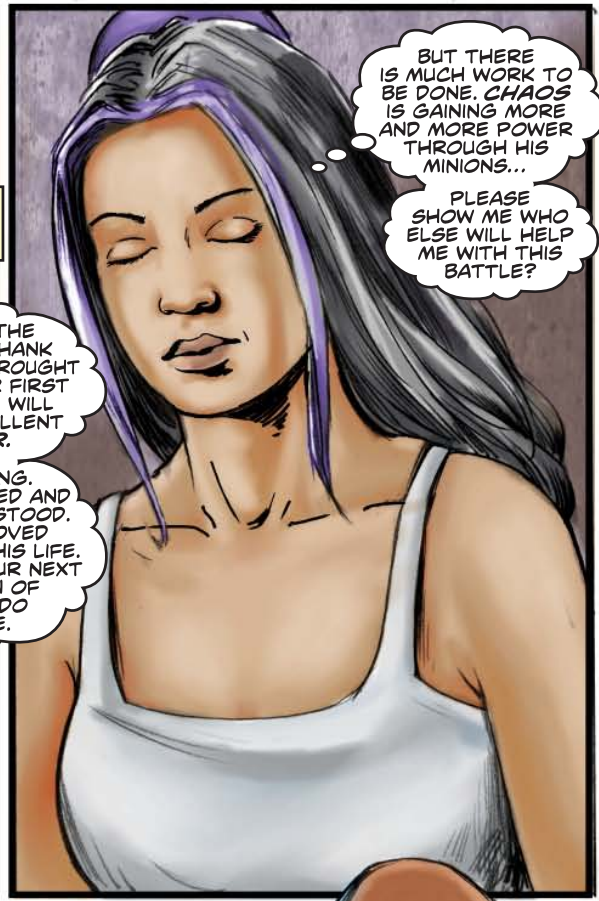
...SHAKTI IS CAUGHT BETWEEN TWO WORLDS. THE WORLD SHE LIVES IN...

...AND THE WORLD HER SILENCE TAKES HER TO...

BREATHE. SLOWLY...

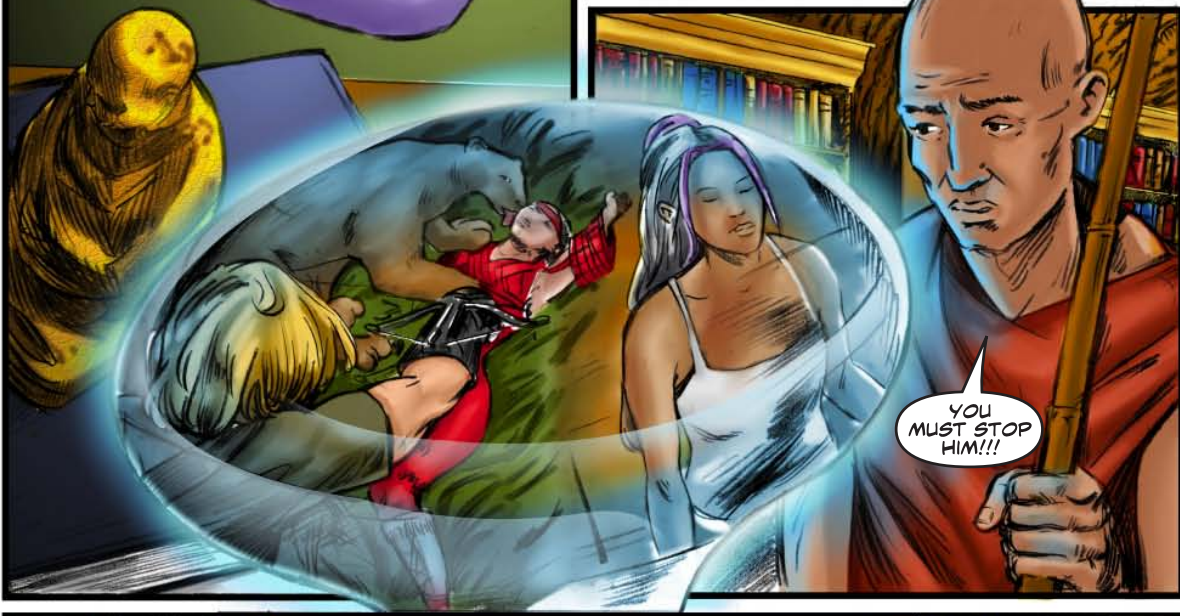
VOICES OF THE UNIVERSE I THANK YOU. YOU HAVE BROUGHT ME SOLAN. OUR FIRST RECRUIT. HE WILL MAKE AN EXCELLENT WARRIOR.

HE IS STRONG. HE HAS LISTENED AND HE HAS UNDERSTOOD. HE HAS REMOVED CHAOS FROM HIS LIFE. HE WILL HELP OUR NEXT GENERATION OF WARRIORS DO THE SAME.



BUT THERE IS MUCH WORK TO BE DONE. CHAOS IS GAINING MORE AND MORE POWER THROUGH HIS MINIONS...

PLEASE SHOW ME WHO ELSE WILL HELP ME WITH THIS BATTLE?



YOU MUST STOP HIM!!!



NO!!!!



MEANWHILE, HUNDREDS OF MILES FROM THE CITY, THE BEAUTIFUL DAUGHTER OF A TRIBAL LEADER EXPLORES DEEP INTO THE WOODS...

HER NAME IS MAYE, AND WHEN THE ANIMALS SPEAK, SHE LISTENS AND UNDERSTANDS.

WHAT IS IT, LITTLE BIRD? WHY DO YOU NEED ME TO FOLLOW YOU?

WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO SHOW ME?

WHAT? WHAT IS THIS NEGATIVE FORCE? WHAT DOES IT WANT FROM ME?

IT IS TRYING TO MAKE ME AFRAID. IT WANTS TO TAKE AWAY MY ENERGY...

NO!! SABLE HELP ME !!!!







NOT FAR AWAY, ANOTHER CHILD OF NATURE SENSES DANGER.

I CAN'T BELIEVE WHAT I'M SEEING. SHE IS MASSIVE...  
WHAT IS SHE DOING?



SHE IS ATTACKING THAT GIRL!!  
I MUST SAVE HER.



WAIT!!! IT'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK!!!

WHAT?!? MY ARROW STOPPED IN MID-AIR?!



YOUR PERCEPTION IS NOT REALITY. LOOK AGAIN. BE MINDFUL. THE COUGAR IS HER FRIEND, SABLE. SHE IS PROTECTING HER.



WHAT? WHO ARE YOU? WHY HAVE YOU COME?

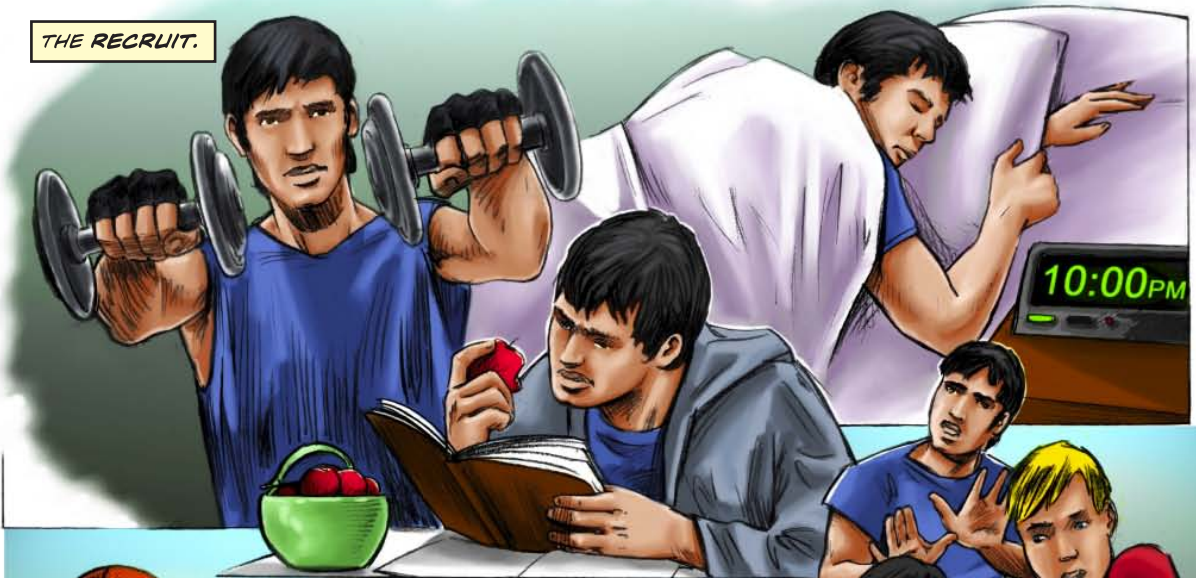
I AM SHAKTI, WARRIOR FOR GOOD. YOU ARE ONE OF MY WARRIORS, ONE DAY YOU WILL COME WITH ME...SO WILL THE GIRL. BUT FOR NOW, TAKE CARE OF THEM.



OH, SABLE. THANK YOU!!



THE RECRUIT.



THE SIDEKICK.



THE HERO.

SHAKTI WAS RIGHT. YOU CAN SEE THE MINIONS WHEN YOU KNOW WHAT TO LOOK FOR. I CAN SEE "BAD ATTITUDE" AROUND THAT YOUNG BOY. HE HAS NO IDEA...







HE IS SUNKAKUCHUN - WHICH MEANS "BROTHER TREE". THEY CALL HIM CHUNE AND THE VOICES OF NATURE SPEAK TO HIM...

THERE IS A CAVE UP AHEAD. WE WILL FIND SHELTER THERE.



THE ANIMALS ARE RESTLESS. THEY SPEAK OF A NEGATIVE FORCE. SABLE ASSURES ME THAT IT IS NOT YOU.

SO WHO ARE YOU? WHY HAVE YOU COME?



MY NAME IS CHUNE, BROTHER TO THE FOREST. I FOLLOW THE VOICES OF NATURE.

AND WHAT HAVE THE VOICES TOLD YOU?



THEY SPEAK OF A NEGATIVE FORCE THAT IS THREATENING OUR WORLD. IT IS HARD TO DETECT -- EVEN HARDER TO FIGHT. IF LEFT UNCHALLENGED IT WILL HAVE A DEVASTATING IMPACT ON THE WORLD AND FUTURE GENERATIONS.

HIS NAME IS CHAOS AND HE HAS MANY MINIONS!



YES. I HAVE SEEN THIS FORCE. IT IS POWERFUL.



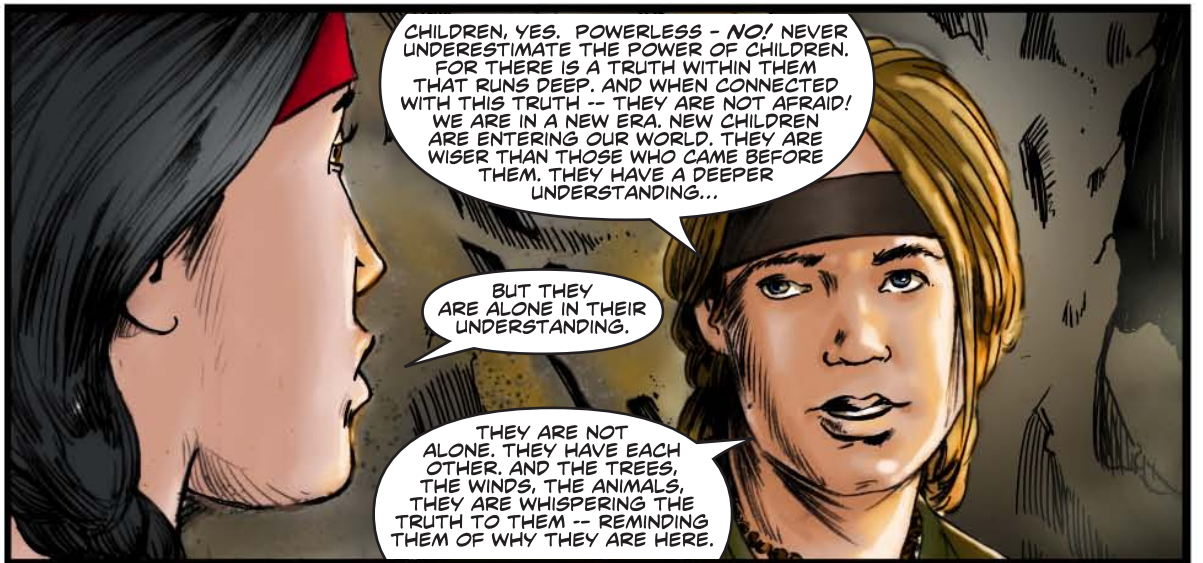
I WAS AFRAID.





FEAR IS BUT ONE OF HIS MINIONS -- GREED, LAZINESS, BAD ATTITUDE, SELFISHNESS -- ARE OTHERS. THEY ARE ATTACKING OUR CHILDREN AND TAKING THEIR ENERGY. THE CHILDREN DO NOT UNDERSTAND.

I AM AFRAID FOR THE CHILDREN THEY ARE POWERLESS AGAINST HIS FORCE...



CHILDREN, YES. POWERLESS - NO! NEVER UNDERESTIMATE THE POWER OF CHILDREN. FOR THERE IS A TRUTH WITHIN THEM THAT RUNS DEEP. AND WHEN CONNECTED WITH THIS TRUTH -- THEY ARE NOT AFRAID! WE ARE IN A NEW ERA. NEW CHILDREN ARE ENTERING OUR WORLD. THEY ARE WISER THAN THOSE WHO CAME BEFORE THEM. THEY HAVE A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING...

BUT THEY ARE ALONE IN THEIR UNDERSTANDING.

THEY ARE NOT ALONE. THEY HAVE EACH OTHER, AND THE TREES, THE WINDS, THE ANIMALS. THEY ARE WHISPERING THE TRUTH TO THEM -- REMINDING THEM OF WHY THEY ARE HERE.



YOU ARE AN ANIMAL WHISPERER, I HAVE SEEN THE EAGLE ON YOUR SHOULDER. YOU WHISPER TO THE CHILDREN WHAT THE ANIMALS ARE THERE TO TEACH THEM.





I TOO AM A WHISPERER. I WHISPER THE WISDOM OF NATURE AND I TELL YOU THIS: THE ANIMALS ARE EXCITED AGAIN WITH THIS NEW GENERATION OF CHILDREN. FOR MANY YEARS THE ANIMALS AND THE FOREST HAD GONE QUIET. NOT BECAUSE THERE WAS NOTHING TO SAY...



...THEY STOPPED SPEAKING BECAUSE ADULTS HAD STOPPED LISTENING. THESE CHILDREN ARE LISTENING AGAIN. AND THIS IS CAUSING A GREAT EXCITEMENT IN THE FOREST.

YES. SABLE HAS TOLD ME THIS.

WE MUST HELP THE CHILDREN UNDERSTAND THEIR ROLE. IT IS CHILDREN WHO WILL SAVE OUR WORLD.



THEY WILL MAKE A DIFFERENCE AND THE TIMING HAS TO BE NOW.

HOW DO YOU KNOW OF ALL THESE THINGS THAT YOU SPEAK? HOW HAVE YOU SEEN THE FUTURE?

SHE HAS SHOWED ME.

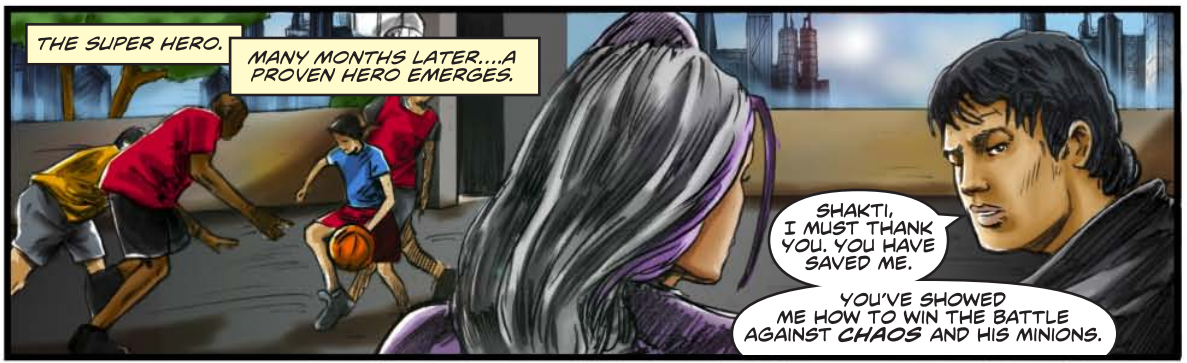
WHO IS THIS "SHE" YOU SPEAK OF?



HER NAME IS SHAKTI... WARRIOR FOR GOOD.

SHE IS FIGHTING THIS WAR AGAINST CHAOS AND HIS MINIONS. I AM ONE OF HER WARRIORS...AND YOU ARE, TOO. REST NOW. I WILL EXPLAIN MORE LATER.





THE SUPER HERO.

MANY MONTHS LATER...A PROVEN HERO EMERGES.

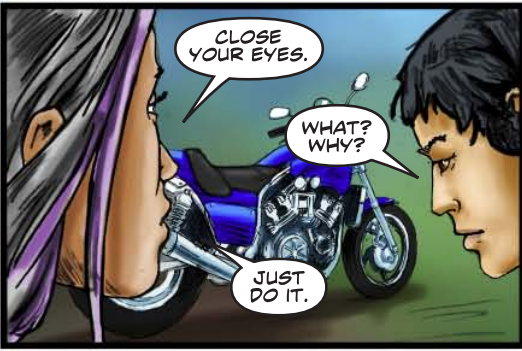
SHAKTI, I MUST THANK YOU. YOU HAVE SAVED ME.

YOU'VE SHOWED ME HOW TO WIN THE BATTLE AGAINST CHAOS AND HIS MINIONS.



NO, SEAN, IT IS YOU THAT HAVE SAVED YOURSELF. IT IS YOU WHO FOUGHT THE BATTLE. I ONLY MADE YOU AWARE OF YOUR CHOICES.

YOU HAVE PROVEN YOUR SUPERHUMAN POWERS. YOU HAVE CHOSEN POWERFULLY.



CLOSE YOUR EYES.

WHAT? WHY?

JUST DO IT.



READY? OPEN YOUR EYES!



WHAT THE...? I CAN'T BELIEVE IT... WHAT IS THIS?



BUT...BUT THEY TOLD ME I SHOULD NEVER RIDE AGAIN!

BEFORE YOU RODE ONLY FOR YOURSELF. ON THIS BIKE YOU RIDE FOR OTHERS.

THIS BIKE SERVES ONE PURPOSE...TO TRAVEL AT THE SPEED OF SOUND TO HELP THOSE IN NEED AS THEY BATTLE AGAINST CHAOS.



WHY ME? WHY NOW?

BECAUSE TODAY, SEAN, YOU'VE BECOME A SUPER HERO.

I HAVE? AM I READY?

YOU ARE, AND YOU WILL NEED A SUPER HERO NAME THAT BEFITS YOUR POWER AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS.



... "SOL" LIKE THE SUN. HE SHALL BE CALLED "SOLAN".

YES. SOLAN. YOU ARE POWERFUL...LIKE THE SUN.



YES... THAT FEELS RIGHT. SOLAN!!