

RAVANA'S CURSE: THE GOLDEN ECHO



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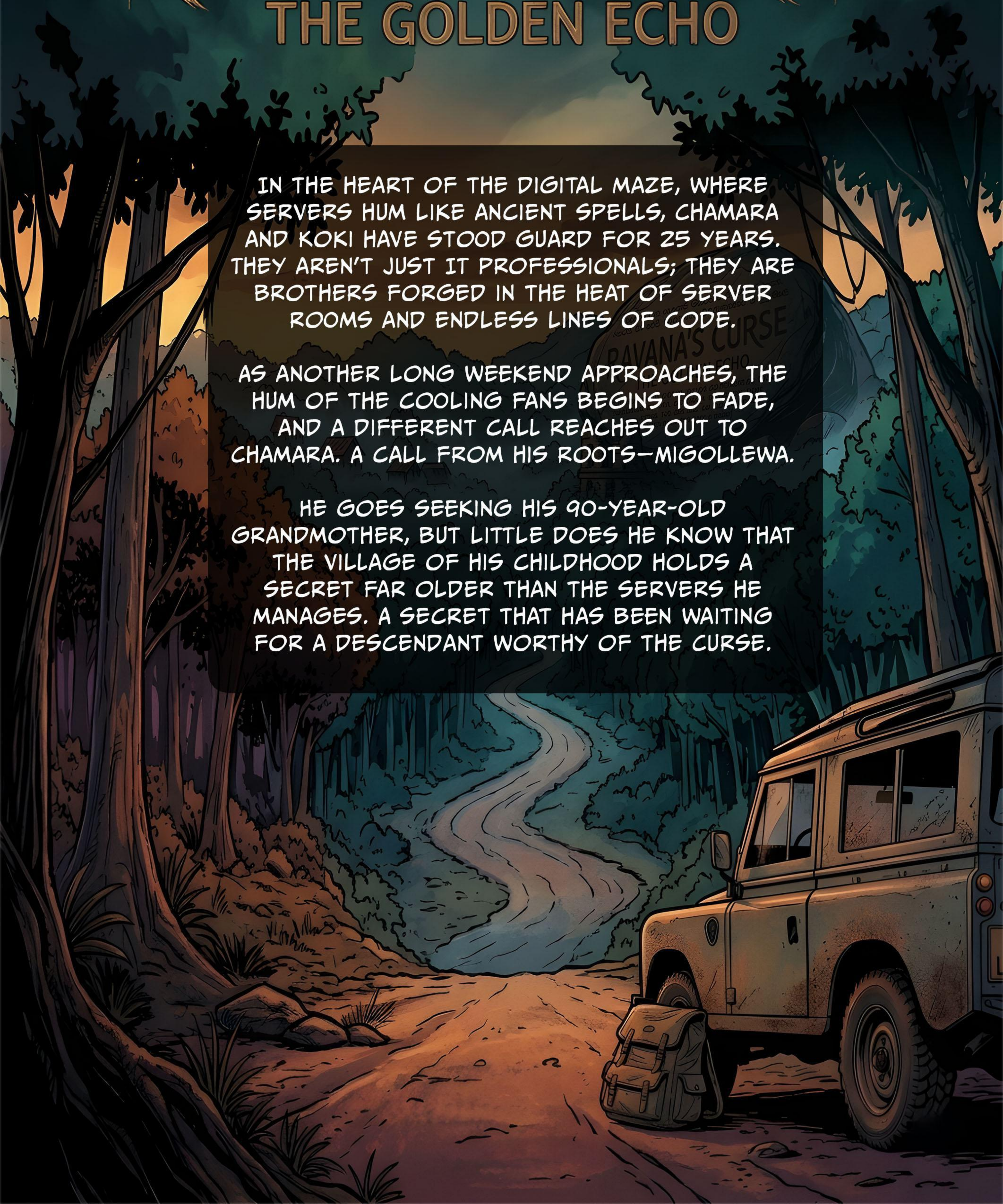
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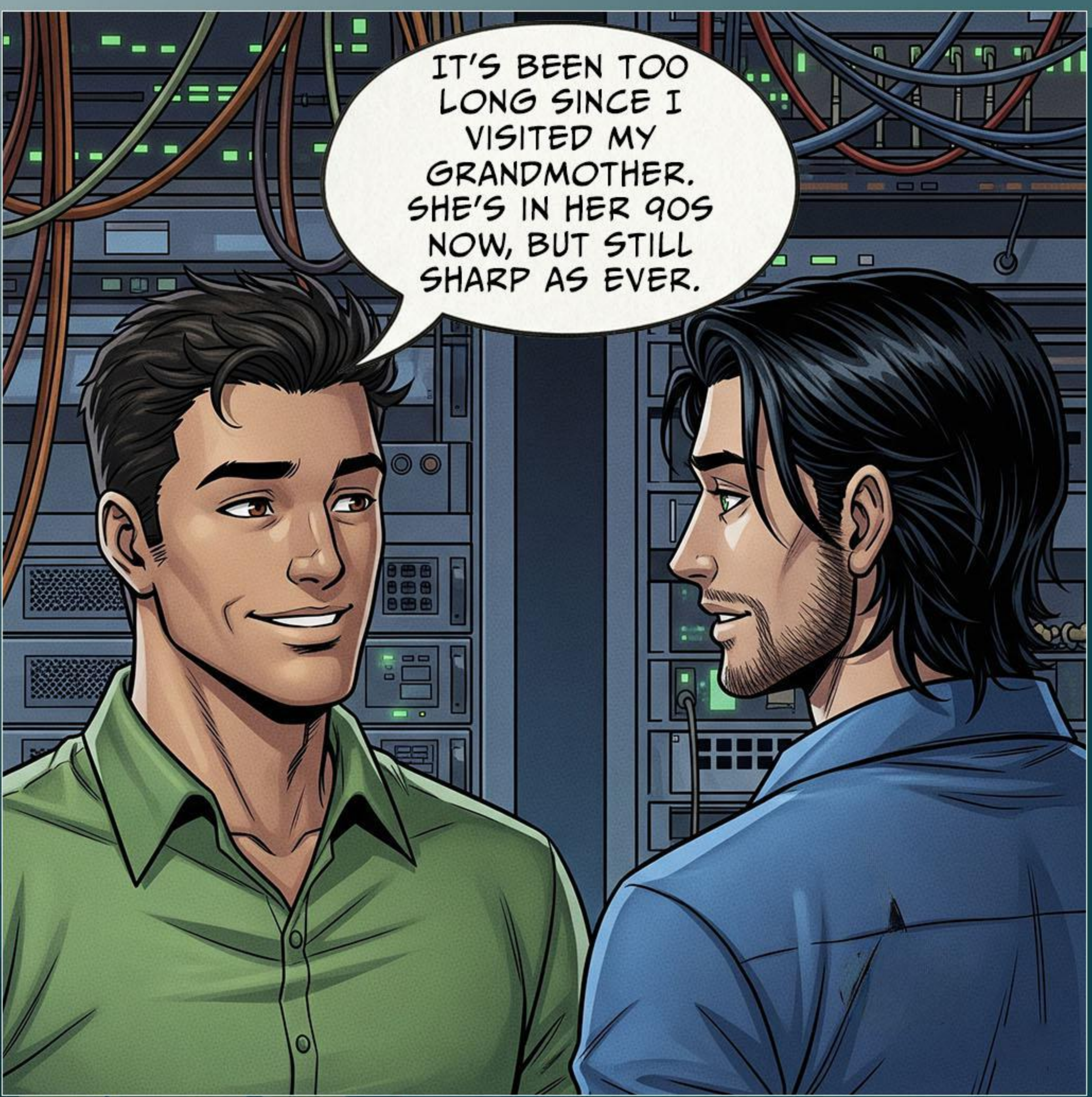
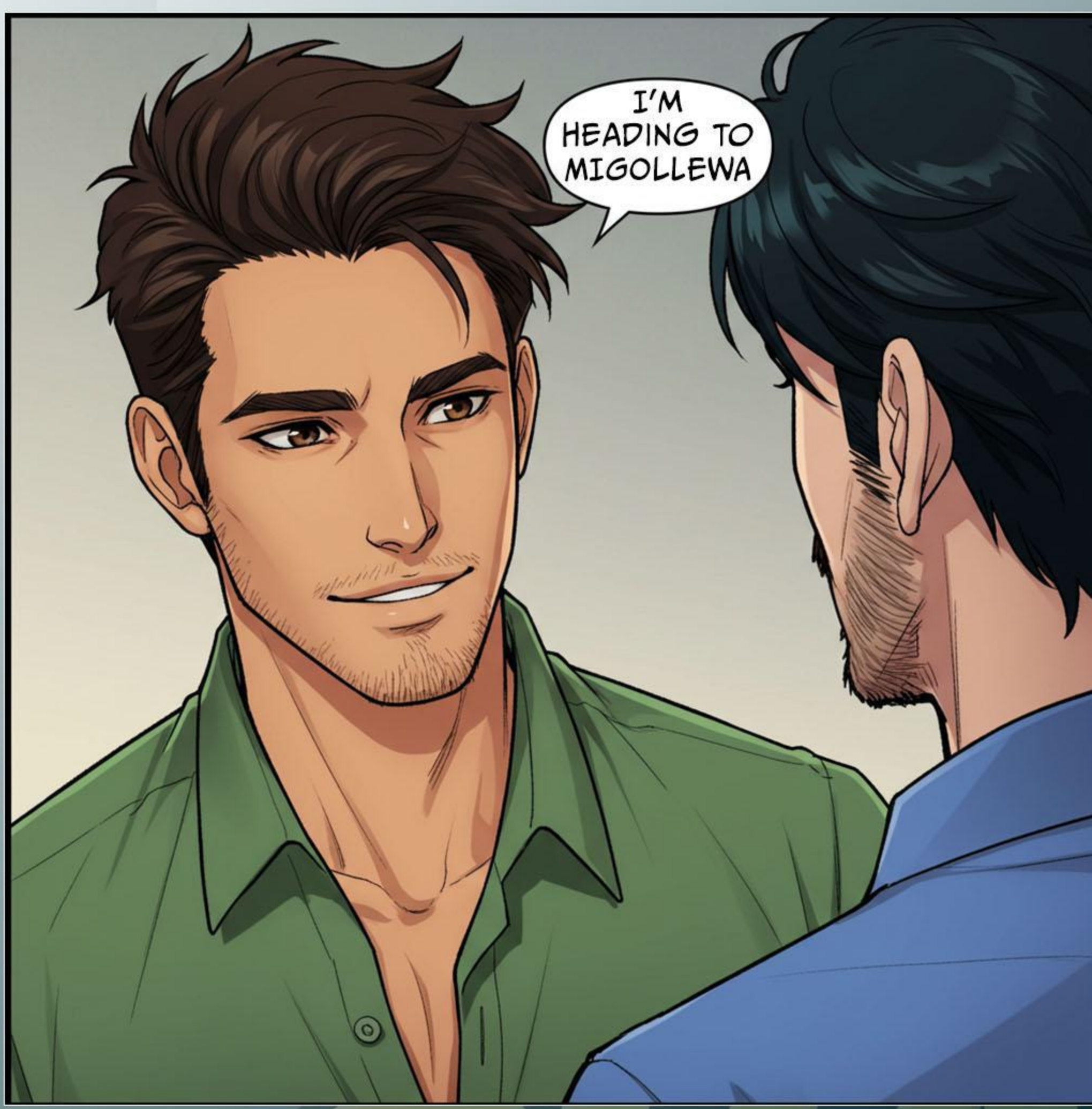
THE GOLDEN ECHO

IN THE HEART OF THE DIGITAL MAZE, WHERE SERVERS HUM LIKE ANCIENT SPELLS, CHAMARA AND KOKI HAVE STOOD GUARD FOR 25 YEARS. THEY AREN'T JUST IT PROFESSIONALS; THEY ARE BROTHERS FORGED IN THE HEAT OF SERVER ROOMS AND ENDLESS LINES OF CODE.

AS ANOTHER LONG WEEKEND APPROACHES, THE HUM OF THE COOLING FANS BEGINS TO FADE, AND A DIFFERENT CALL REACHES OUT TO CHAMARA. A CALL FROM HIS ROOTS—MIGOLLEWA.

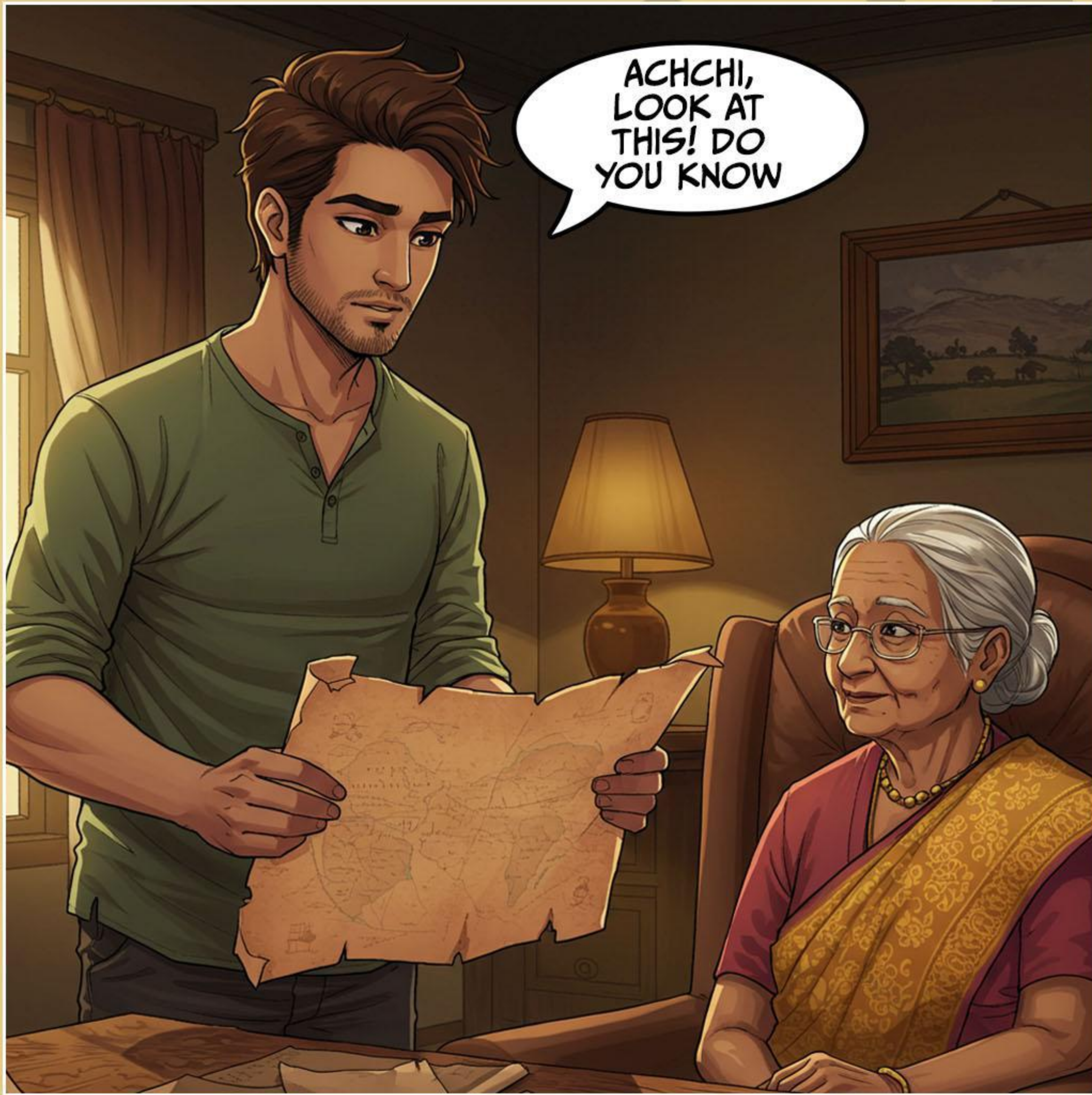
HE GOES SEEKING HIS 90-YEAR-OLD GRANDMOTHER, BUT LITTLE DOES HE KNOW THAT THE VILLAGE OF HIS CHILDHOOD HOLDS A SECRET FAR OLDER THAN THE SERVERS HE MANAGES. A SECRET THAT HAS BEEN WAITING FOR A DESCENDANT WORTHY OF THE CURSE.





"THE CITY'S HUM FADES, REPLACED BY THE RHYTHM OF THE WINDING ROADS. CHAMARA'S JOURNEY TO MIGOLLEWA IS NOT JUST A FAMILY VISIT; IT IS A STEP DEEPER INTO HIS FAMILY'S FORGOTTEN HISTORY. AFTER A LONG BUS RIDE, HE IS EMBRACED BY THE WARMTH OF HIS 90-YEAR-OLD GRANDMOTHER. BUT LATER THAT AFTERNOON, WHILE SIFTING THROUGH HIS LATE GRANDFATHER'S ANCIENT BELONGINGS, A SINGLE BOOK CATCHES HIS EYE. A BOOK THAT HAS REMAINED SILENT FOR CENTURIES..."





ACHCHI,
LOOK AT
THIS! DO
YOU KNOW



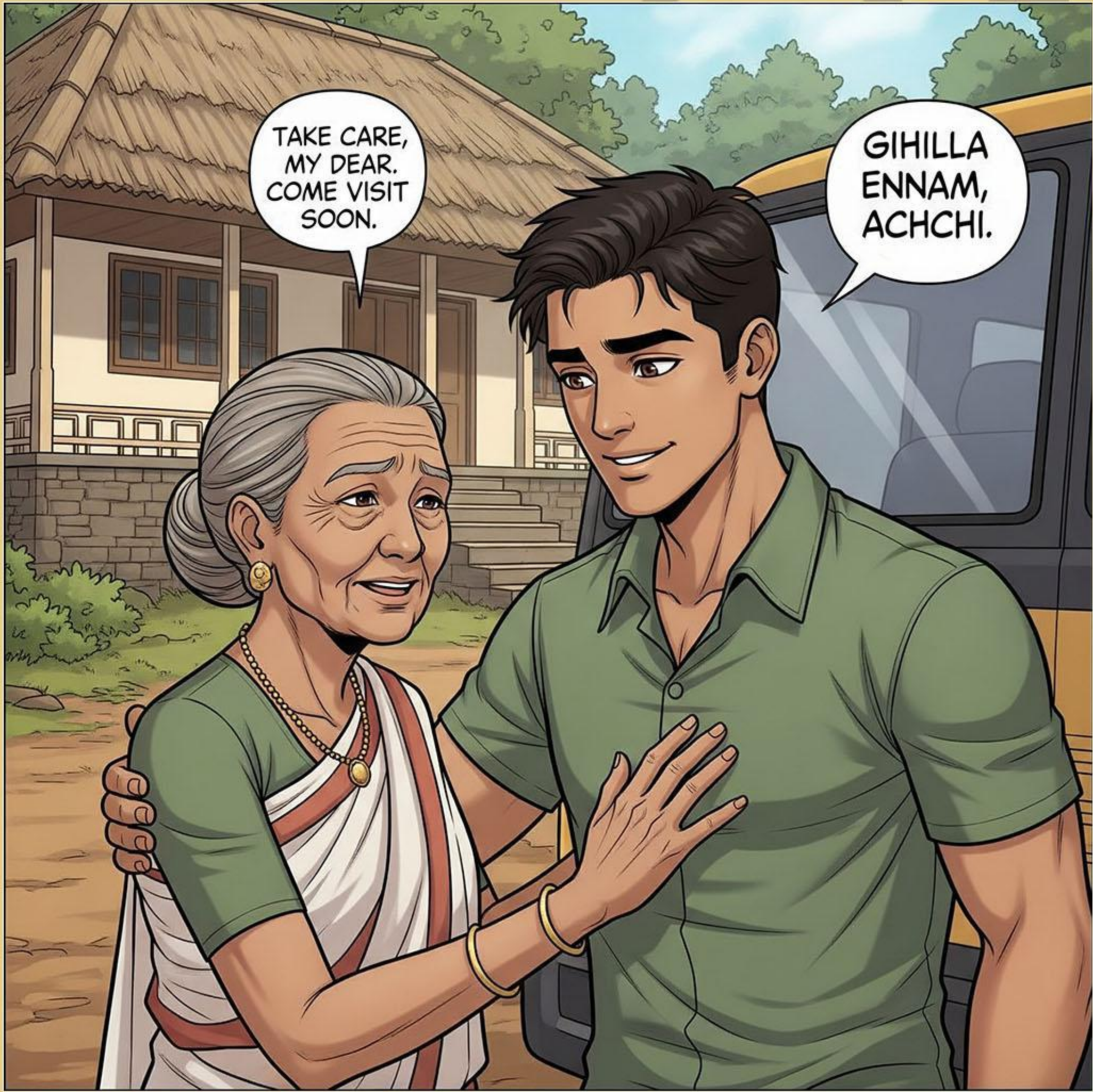
OH, THAT? YES, I
REMEMBER. IT
BELONGED TO
YOUR
GRANDFATHER. IT
WAS HIS GREATEST
TREASURE.



HE SPENT HIS WHOLE LIFE
STUDYING IT. HE WAS CONVINCED
IT WAS ANCIENT—DATING BACK
TO KING RAVANA'S TIME! HE
NEVER UNLOCKED ITS SECRET...
BUT HE NEVER GAVE UP HOPE.



WHAT IF HE WAS
RIGHT? WHAT IF IT'S
MORE THAN AN
HEIRLOOM... A
LEGEND WAITING TO
BE REAWAKENED?



TAKE CARE, MY DEAR. COME VISIT SOON.

GIHILLA ENNAM, ACHCHI.



'FOR NEARLY A WEEK, THE ANCIENT PARCHMENT LAY TUCKED AWAY, REFUSING TO BE FORGOTTEN...'



OH! I FORGOT



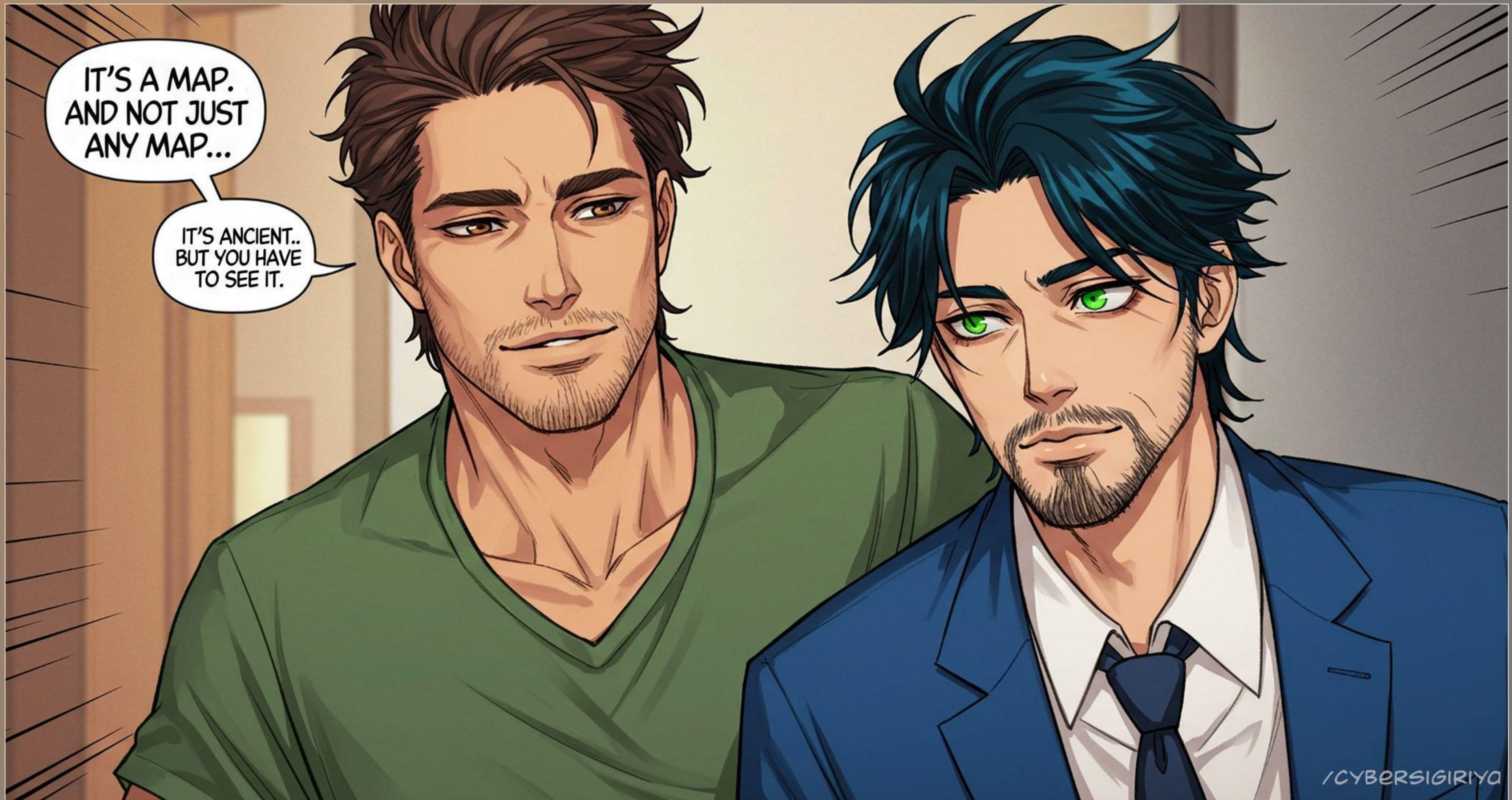
KOKI... WE NEED TO TALK.



KOKI, YOU'RE NOT GOING TO BELIEVE THIS... BUT WHILE I WAS AT ACHIE'S HOUSE... I FOUND SOMETHING.



FOUND SOMETHING? WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT, YOU'RE MAKING ME NERVOUS.



IT'S A MAP. AND NOT JUST ANY MAP...

IT'S ANCIENT.. BUT YOU HAVE TO SEE IT.





WHAT IS THIS CHAM..



IT'S ANCIENT. MY GRANDFATHER BELIEVED IT WAS FROM SOMEWHERE BETWEEN 2554 AND 2517 BC.



HE STUDIED IT FOR YEARS, BUT HE NEVER UNLOCKED ITS SECRET. BUT I THINK... I THINK THERE'S MORE TO IT THAN HE EVER KNEW!





WHAT DO YO MEAN,, MORE TO IT!..?



I'VE BEEN STUDYING THESE MARKINGS CLOSELY... I THINK THEY'RE NOT JUST DRAWINGS. I THINK THEY'RE INSTRUCTIONS.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR WHAT?



I DON'T KNOW YET! BUT LOOK AT THIS.



...POINTING TO ANOTHER SERIES OF SYMBOLS THAT LOOKED ALMOST LIKE CELESTIAL ALIGNMENTS. AND THESE LINES... THEY DON'T SEEM RANDOM.



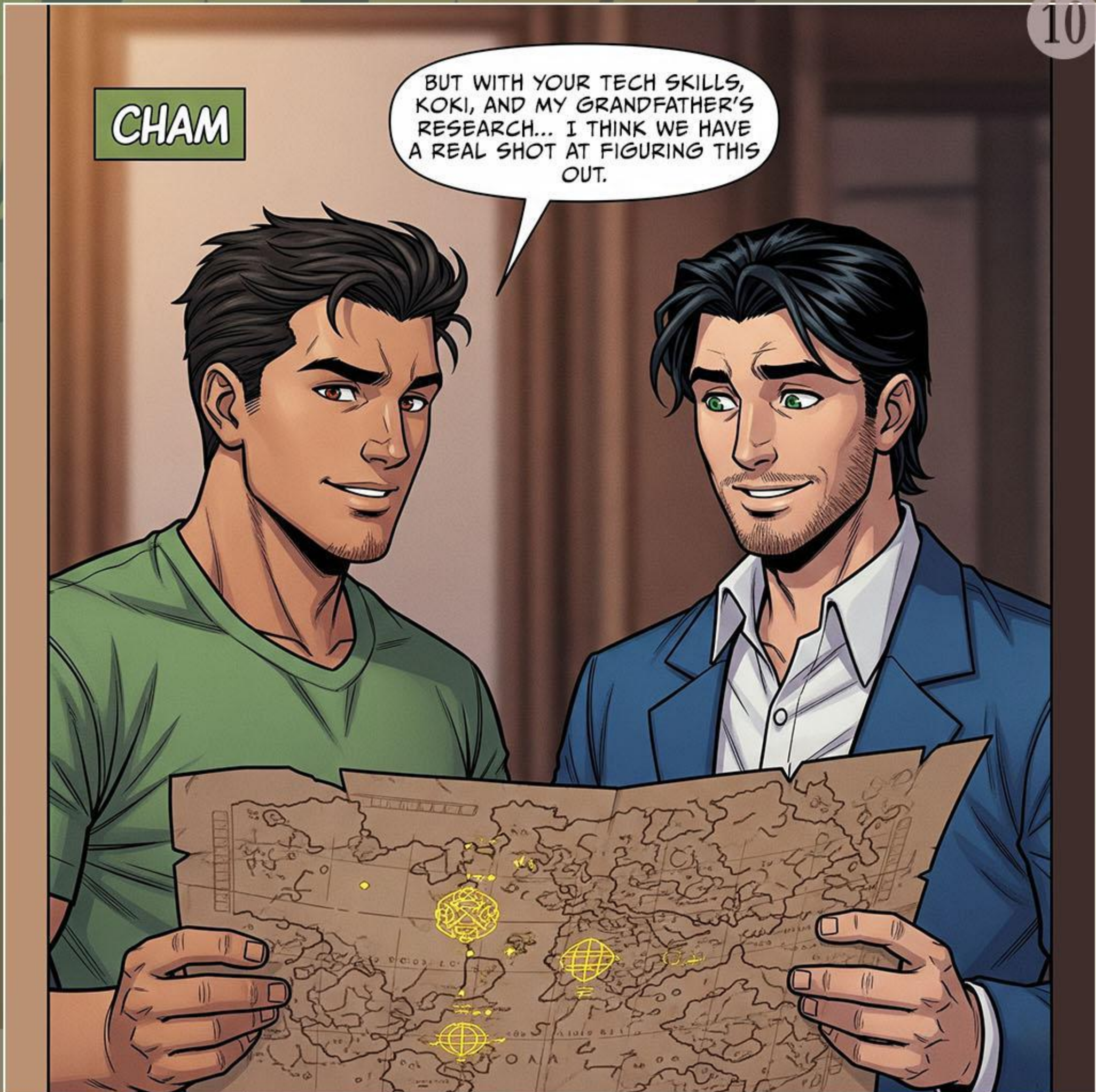
CHAM
WHAT WHAT IF THIS MAP ISN'T JUST SHOWING A PLACE, BUT A SERINA SEQUENCE? PATH?



A PATH TO WHAT!



THAT'S WHAT WE NEED TO FIND OUT. MY GRANDFATHER ALWAYS BELIEVED IT WAS CONNECTED TO SOME OLD LEGENDS ABOUT HIDDEN KNOWLEDGE, BUT HE NEVER HAD THE TOOLS OR THE TIME TO DECIPHER THE MORE COMPLEX SYMBOLS.



CHAM

BUT WITH YOUR TECH SKILLS, KOKI, AND MY GRANDFATHER'S RESEARCH... I THINK WE HAVE A REAL SHOT AT FIGURING THIS OUT.



ALRIGHT, YOU'VE GOT ME. THIS SOUNDS LIKE AN ADVENTURE.



THIS IS UNBELEEVABLE.



BUT I STILL CAN'T TELL WHAT IT LEADS TO.



'LATE INTO THE NIGHT, HE SIFTED THROUGH RECORDS, CROSS-REFERENCED OLD TEXTS... YET, THE ANSWER REMAINED MYSTERIOUS





I THINK I KNOW WHERE THIS MAP IS POINTING!

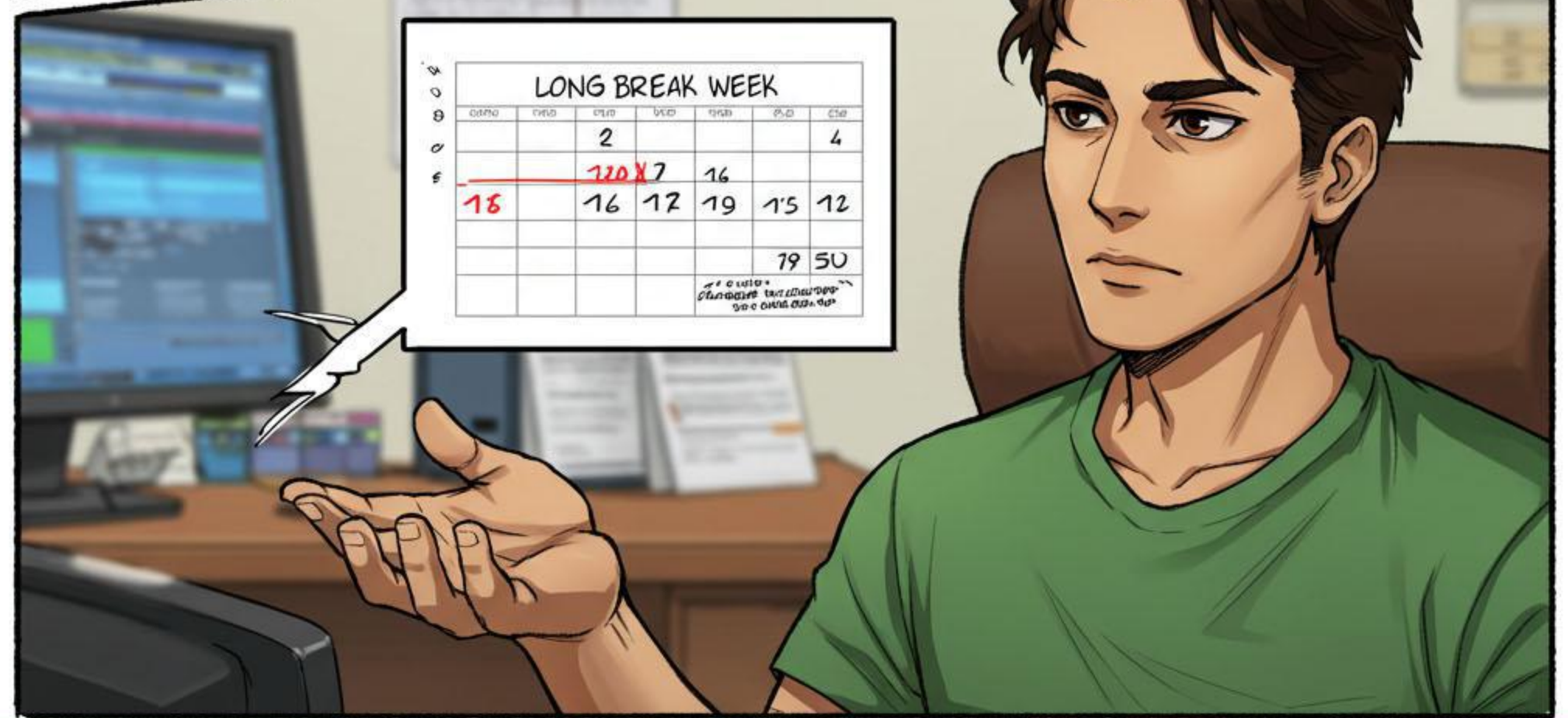
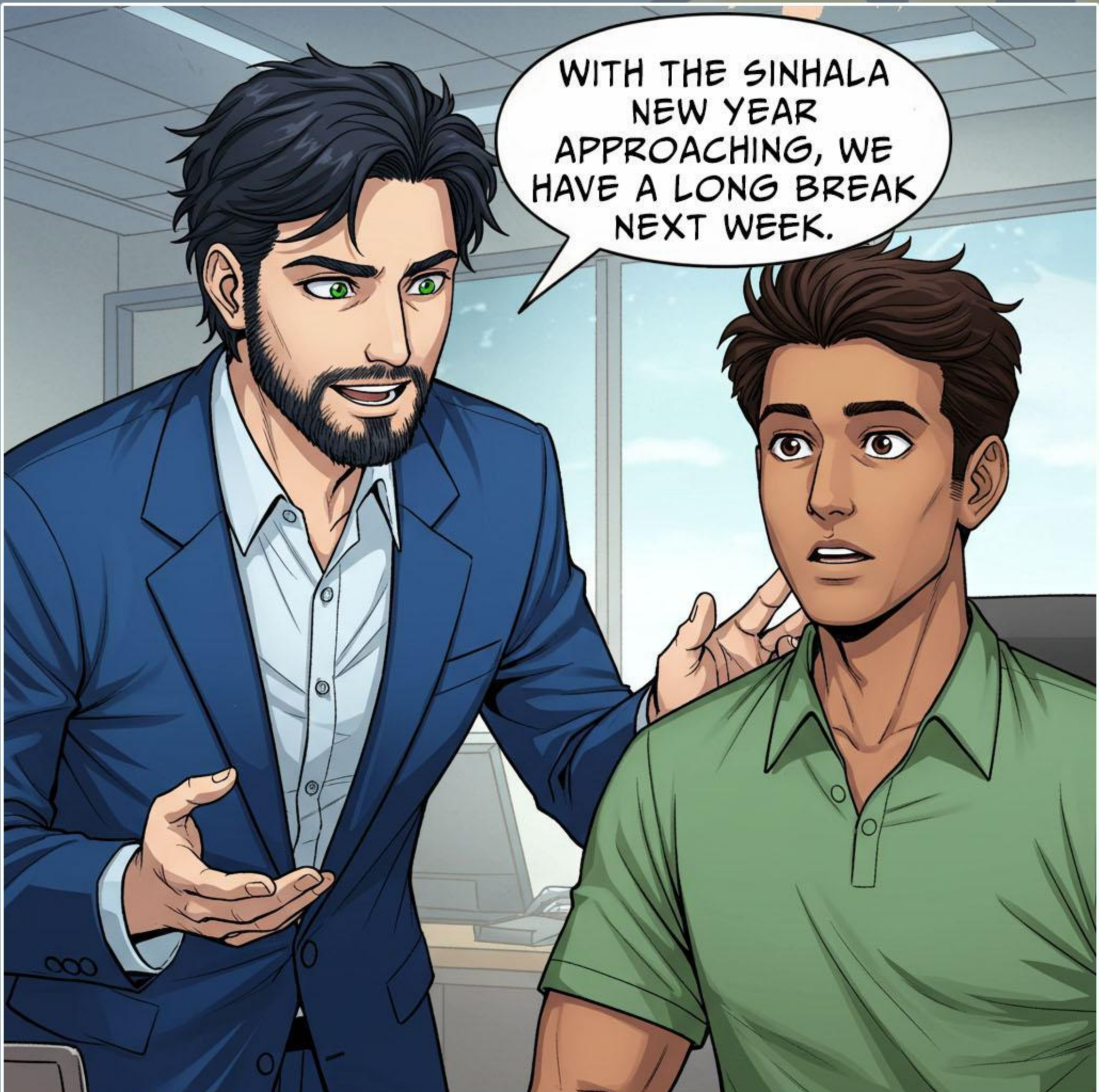


AND YOU WON'T BELIEVE WHERE IT LEADS..

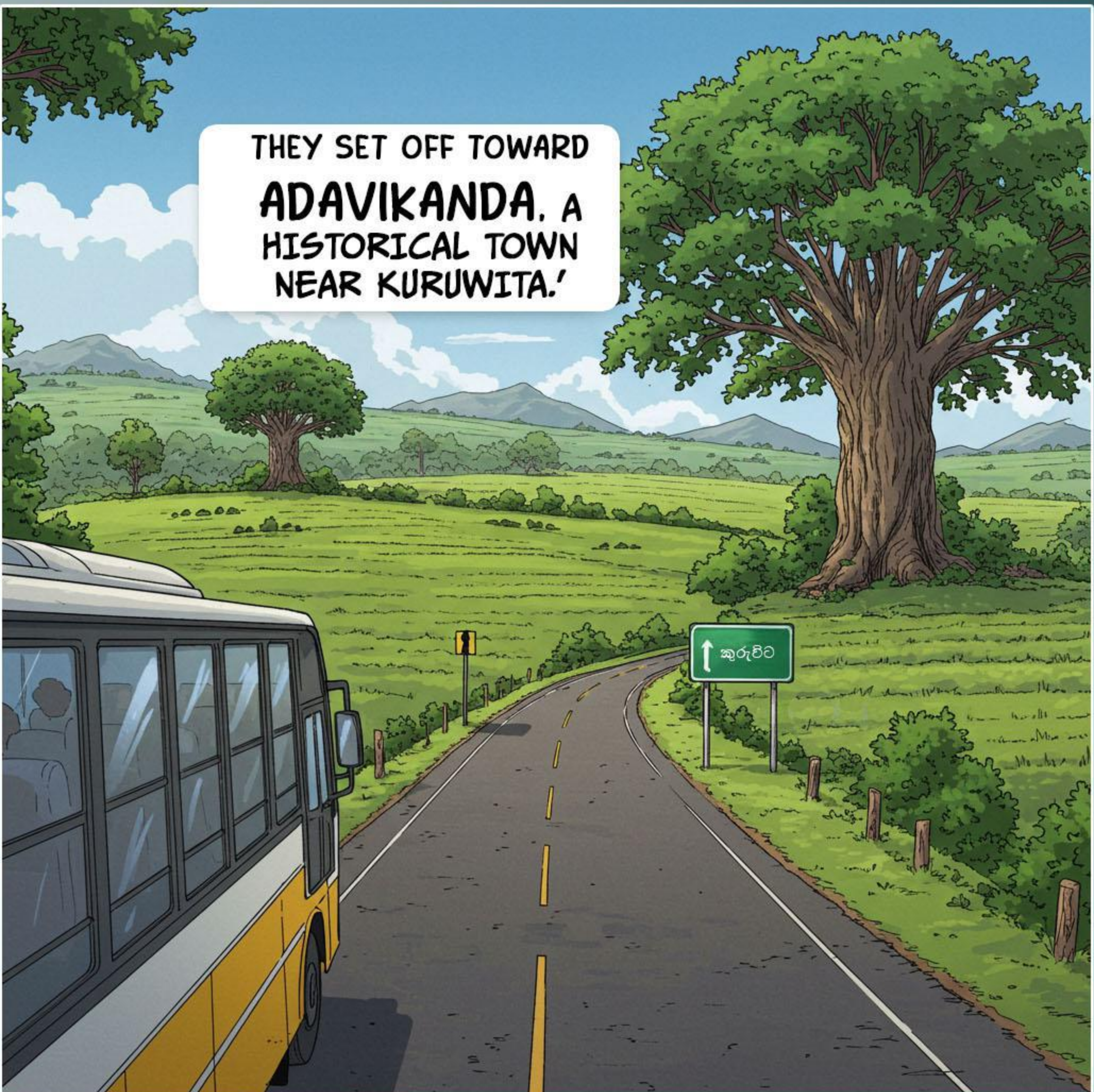


AFTER DAYS OF MERTICLOUS STUDY... THE MAP IS UNDENIABLY LINKED TO THE SIRIPADA MOUNTAINS.





'PACKING THEIR ESSENTIALS, THE ADVENTURE TRULY BEGAN...'



THEY SET OFF TOWARD **ADAVIKANDA**, A HISTORICAL TOWN NEAR KURUWITA!



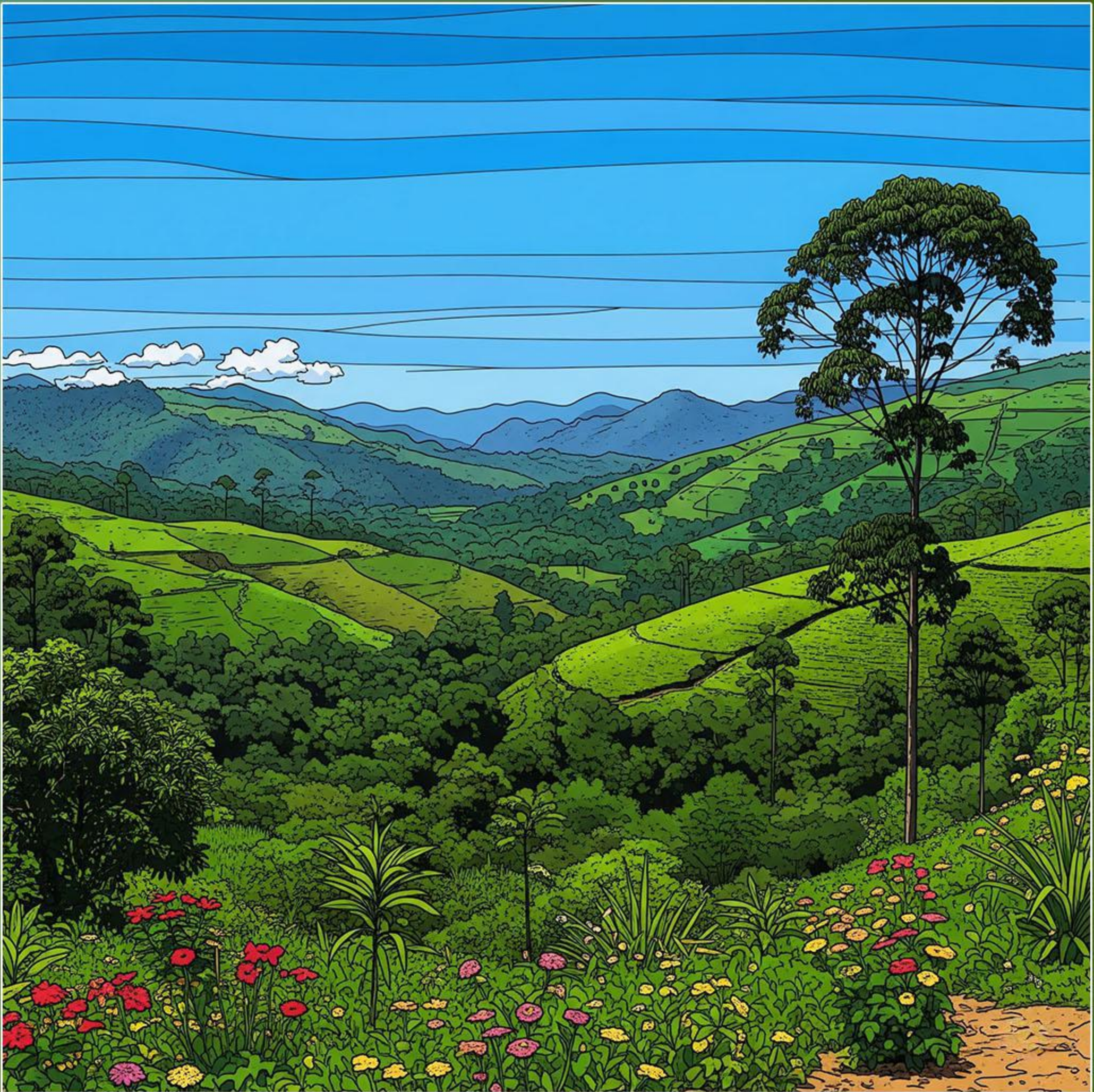
BUDDHIKA'S PLACE IS A PERFECT BASE FOR THE JOURNEY.



ADAVIKANDA '...WHERE CHAM'S OLD FRIEND BUDDHIKA LIVED!'



The next morning, the excitement was palpable.



LEGENDARY
KURUWITA
ERATHNA
SIRIPADA
FOOTPATH



GOOD LUCK,
MY FRIENDS!
BE SAFE.

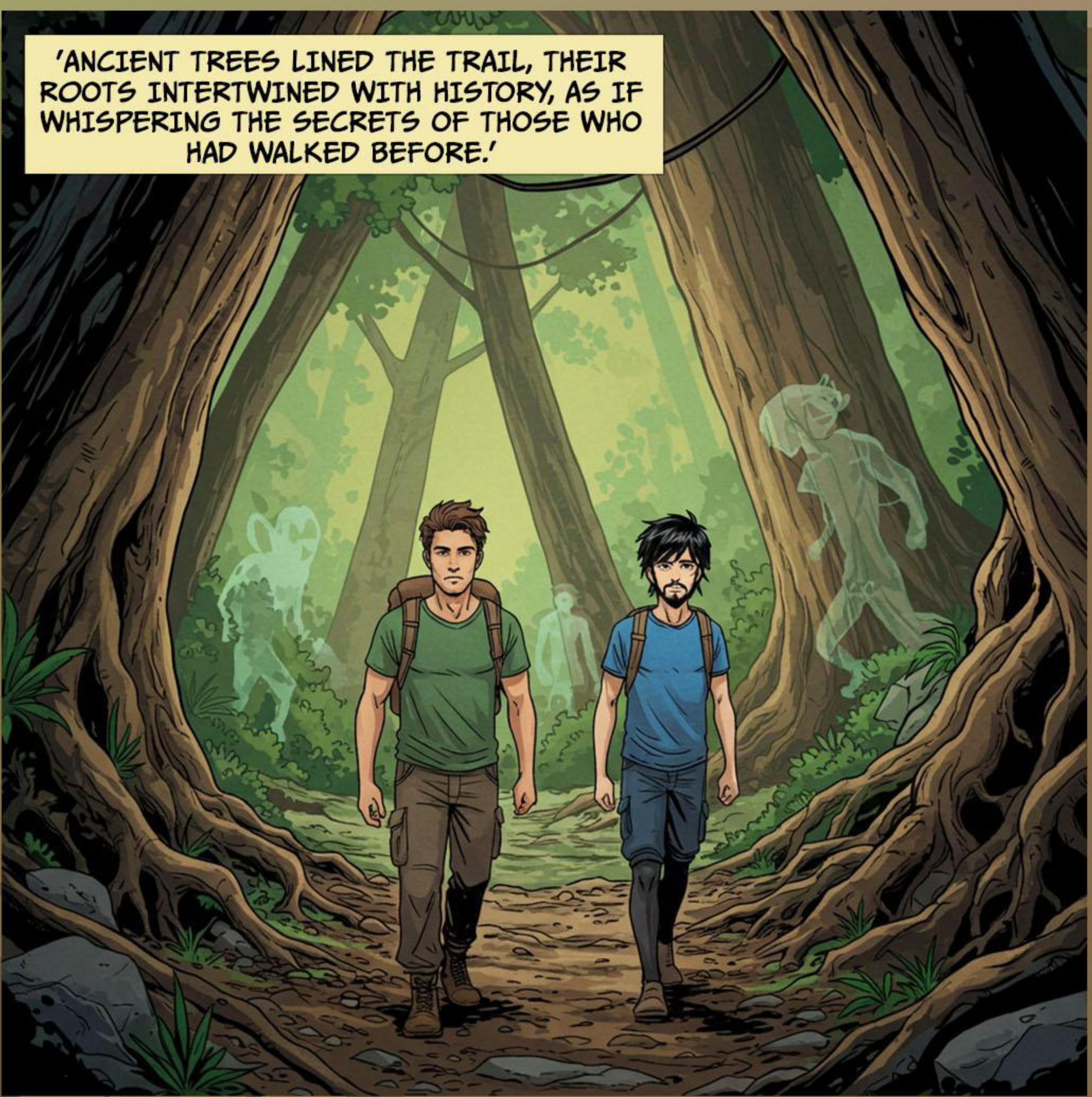
'AND SO, UNDER THE CRISP
MORNING SKY, THE TWO
FRIENDS EMBARKED ON THEIR
EXPEDITION...



'ANCIENT TREES LINED THE TRAIL, THEIR
ROOTS INTERTWINED WITH HISTORY, AS IF
WHISPERING THE SECRETS OF THOSE WHO
HAD WALKED BEFORE.'



...STEPPING ONTO THE
LEGENDARY KURUWITA
ERATHNA SIRIPADA
FOOTPATH.





CHAM

Their journey had truly begin.

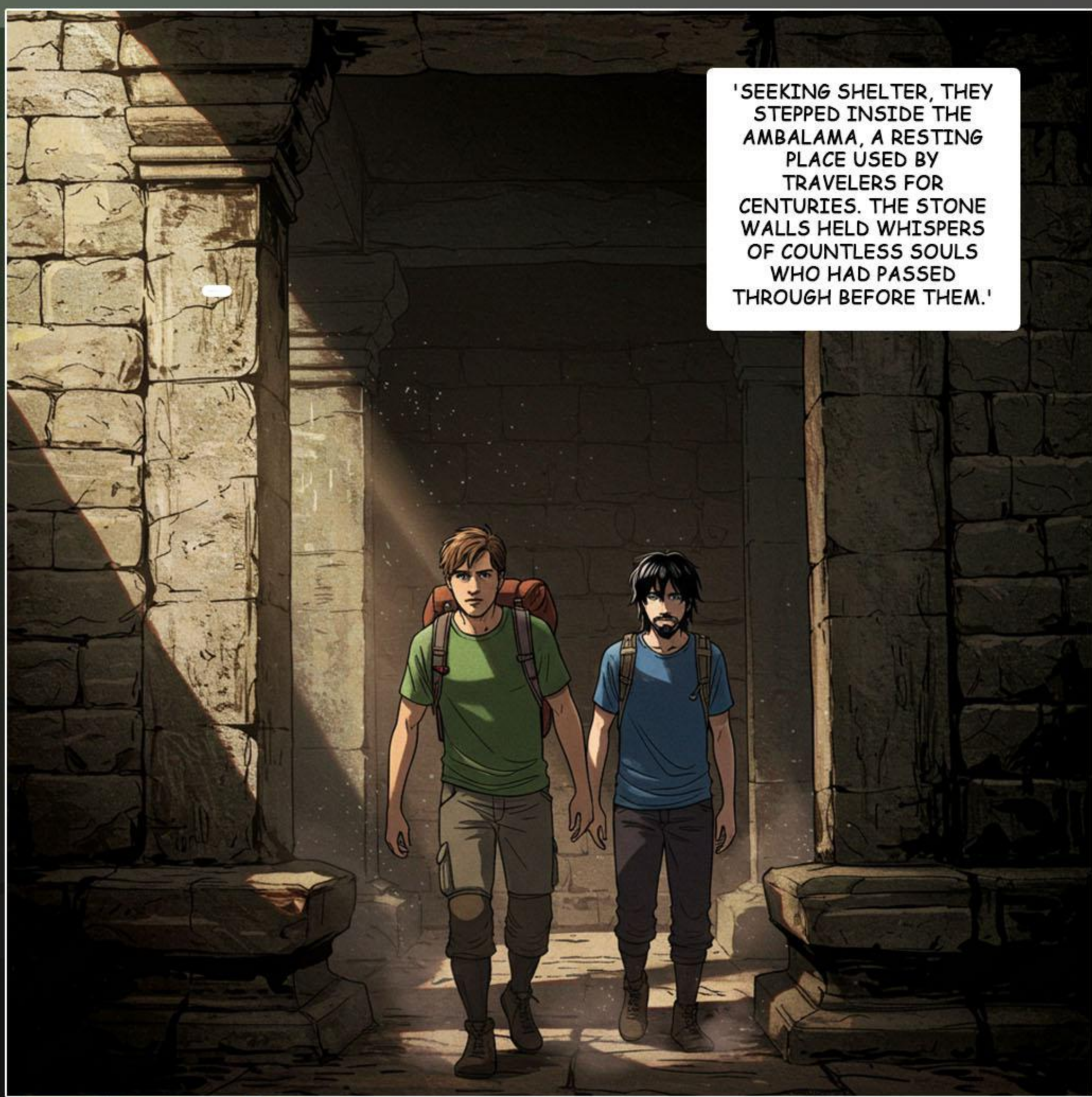
AFTER TRAKING FOR NEARLY AN HOUR AND A HALF, CHAM AND KOKI FINALLY ARRIVED AT WARNAGALA AMBALAMA...



WARNAGALA AMBALAMA.



...A FORGOTTEN YET HISTORICAL LANDMARK NESTLED DEEP WITHIN THE MOUNTAINOUS TERRAIN.



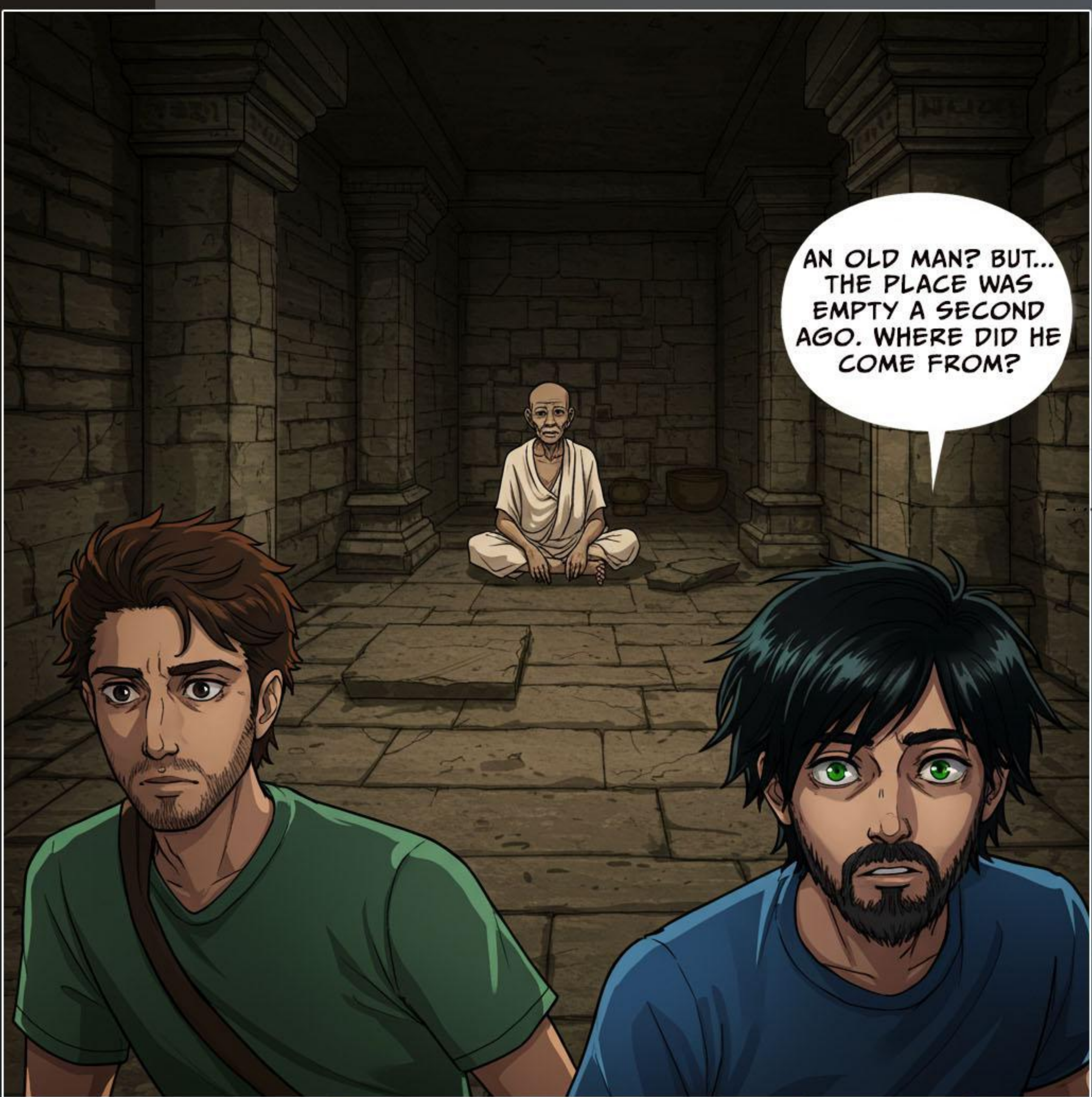
'SEEKING SHELTER, THEY STEPPED INSIDE THE AMBALAMA, A RESTING PLACE USED BY TRAVELERS FOR CENTURIES. THE STONE WALLS HELD WHISPERS OF COUNTLESS SOULS WHO HAD PASSED THROUGH BEFORE THEM.'



STILL CAN'T MATCH THESE. THEY DON'T MAKE ANY SENSE WITH THE TRAILS WE'VE FOLLOWED.



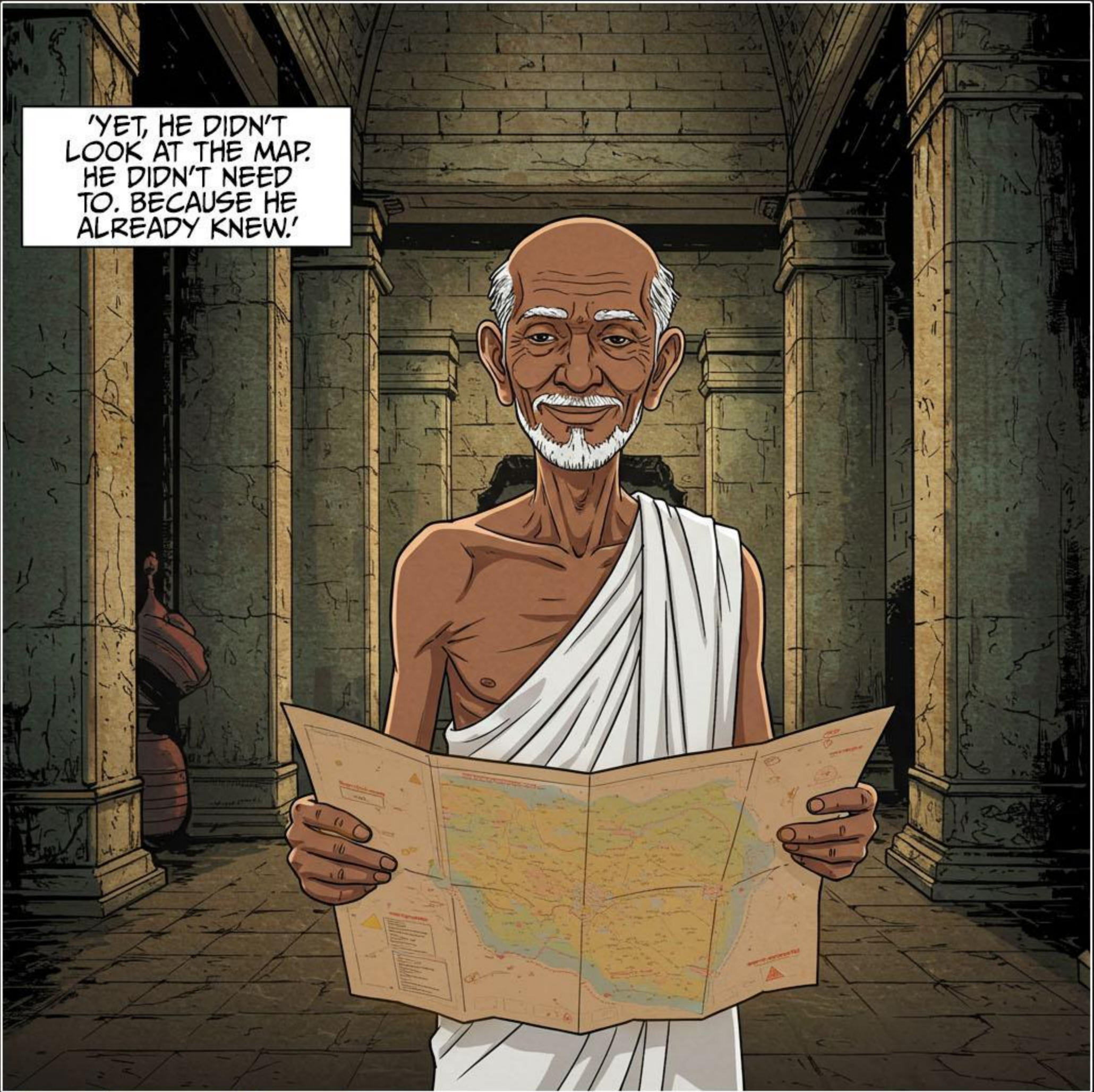
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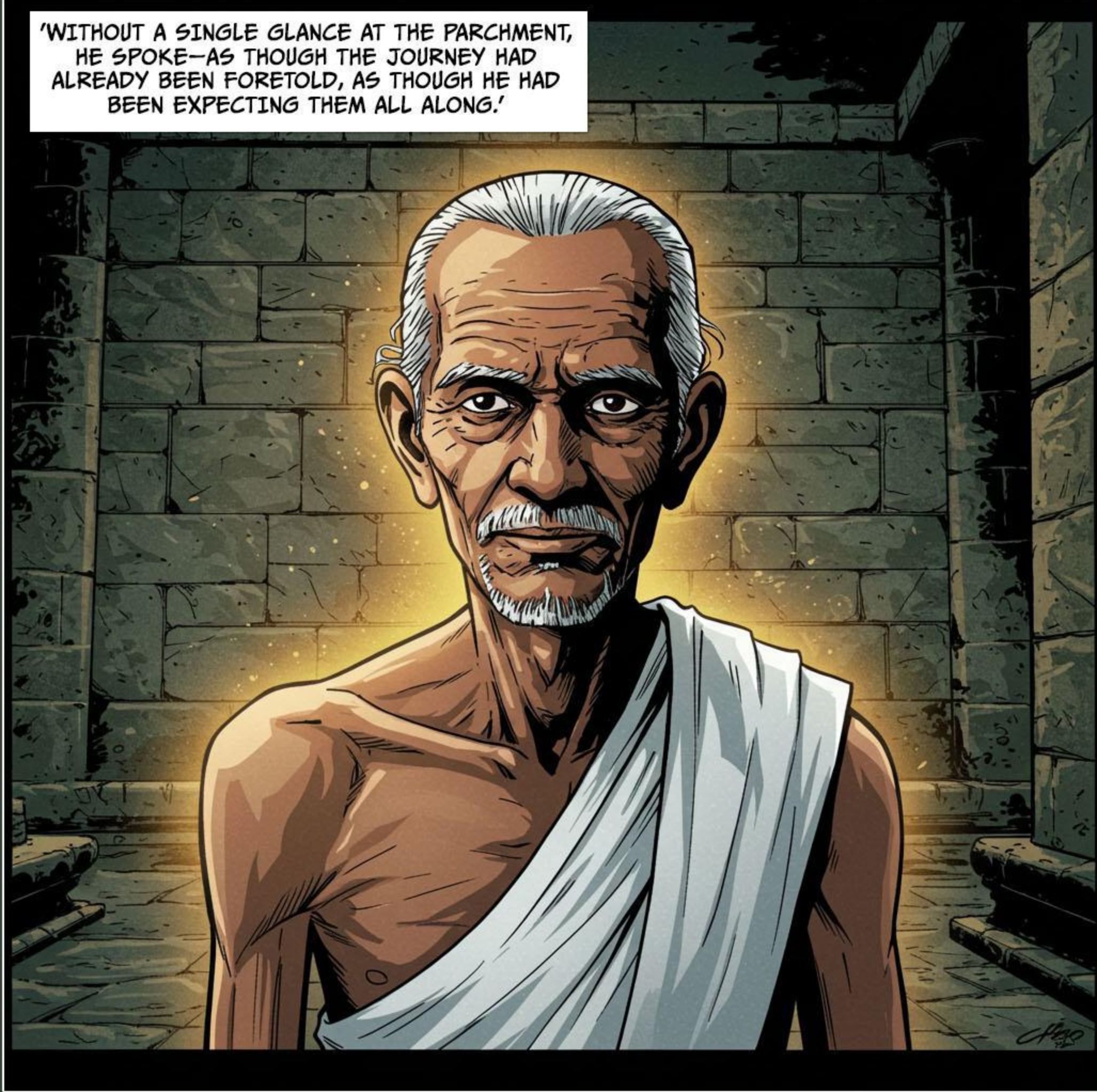
AN OLD MAN? BUT... THE PLACE WAS EMPTY A SECOND AGO. WHERE DID HE COME FROM?



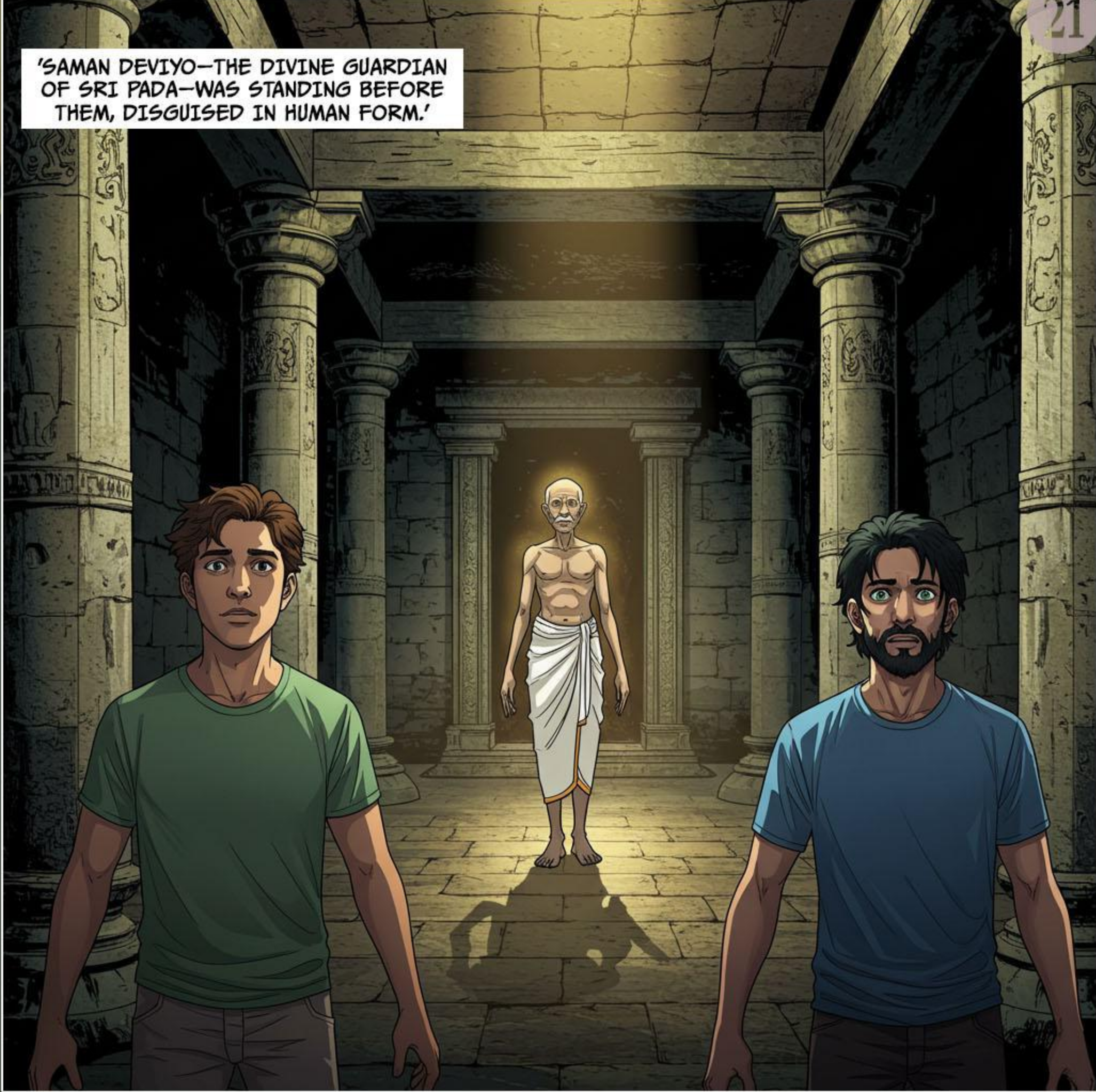
'LET'S TALK TO HIM.



'WITHOUT A SINGLE GLANCE AT THE PARCHMENT, HE SPOKE—AS THOUGH THE JOURNEY HAD ALREADY BEEN FORETOLD, AS THOUGH HE HAD BEEN EXPECTING THEM ALL ALONG.'



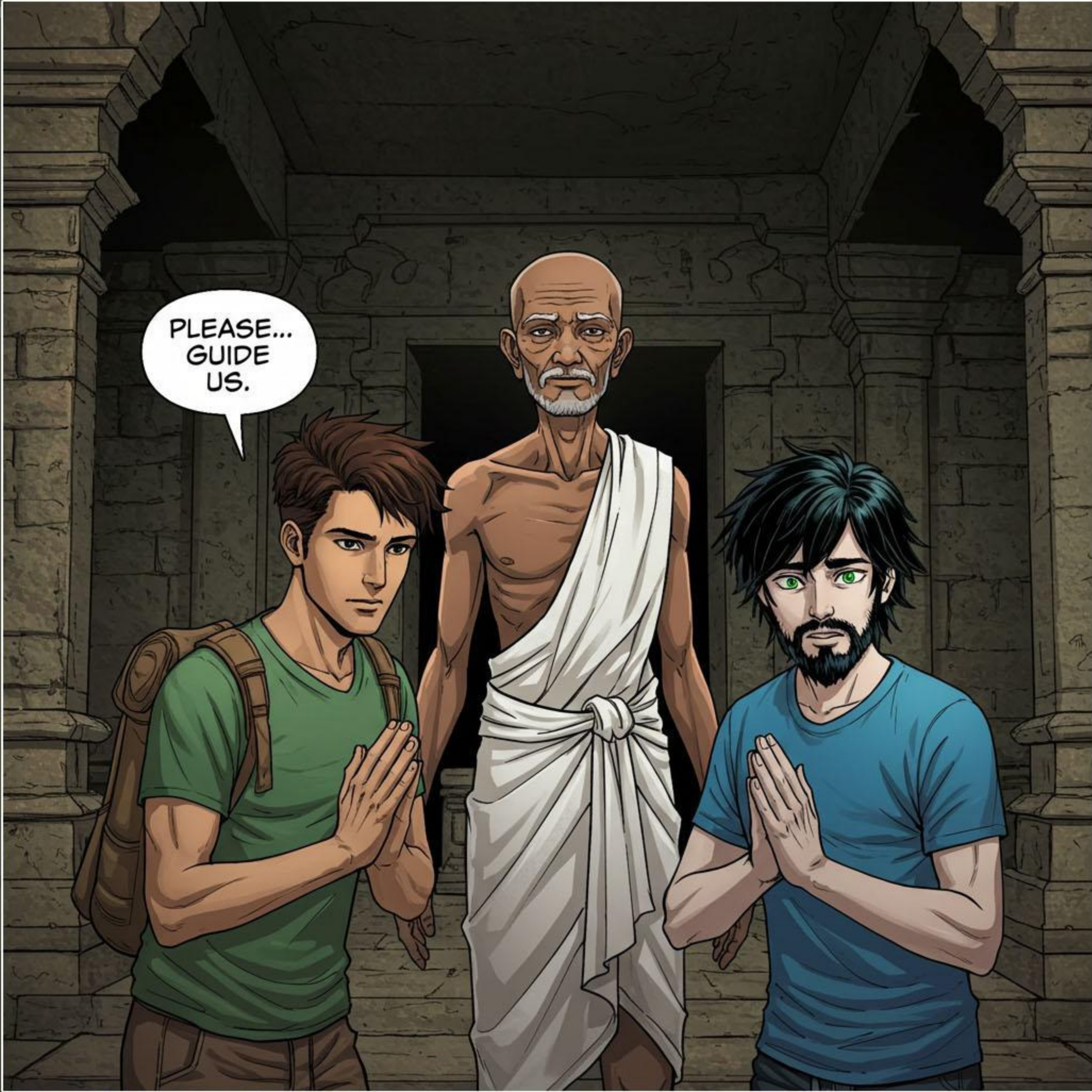
'SAMAN DEVIYO—THE DIVINE GUARDIAN OF SRI PADA—WAS STANDING BEFORE THEM, DISGUISED IN HUMAN FORM.'



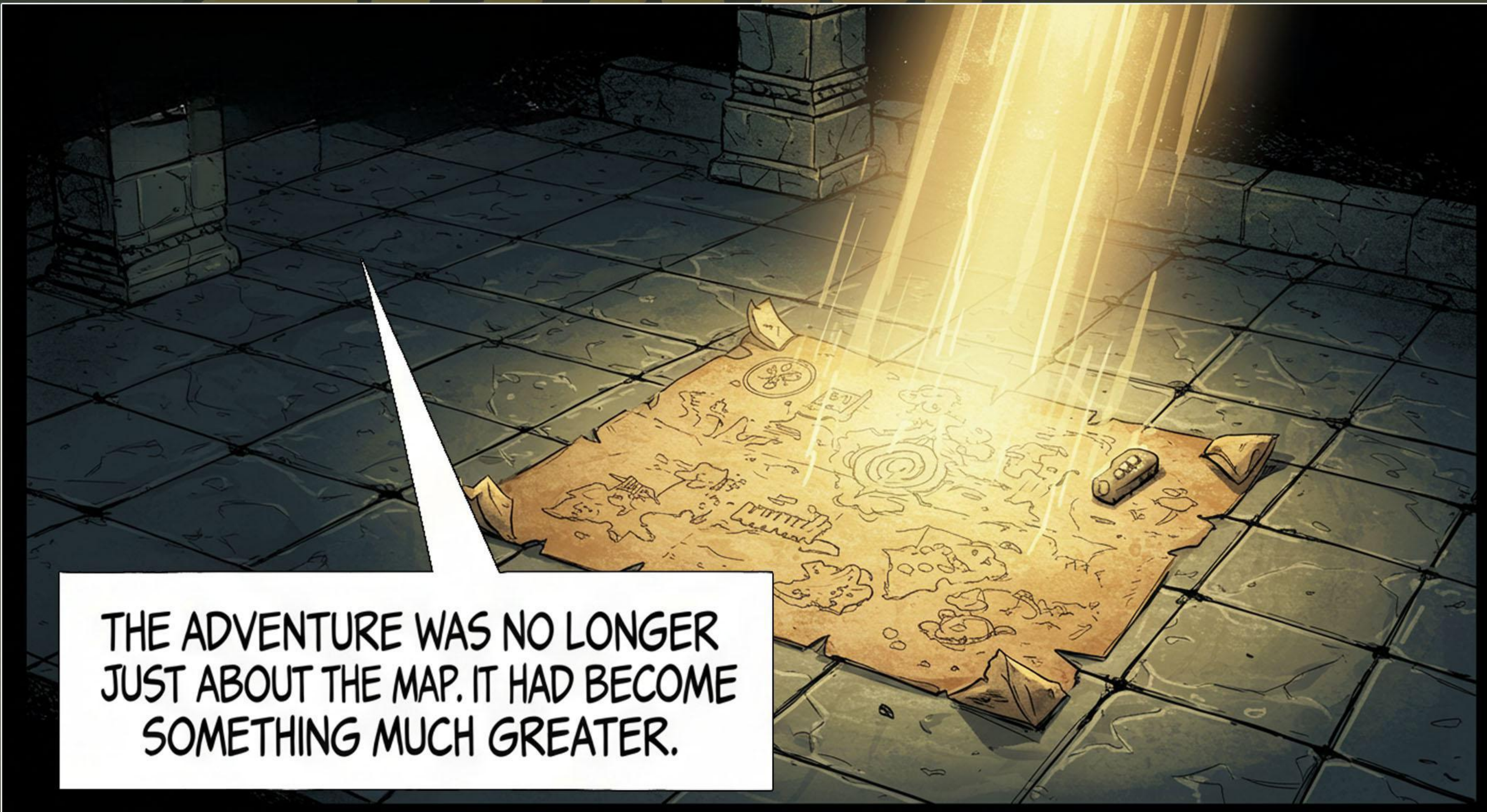
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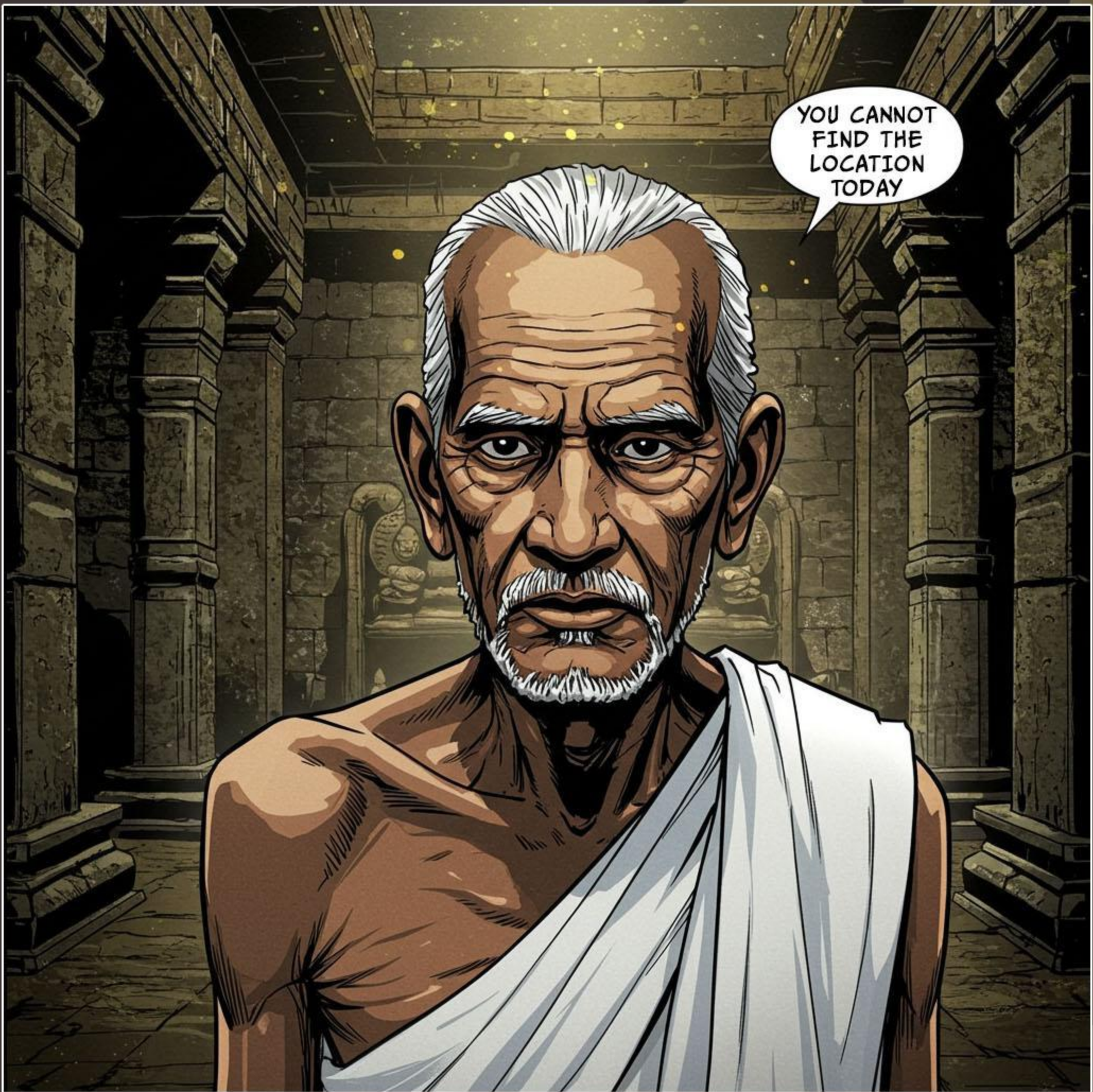


PLEASE... GUIDE US.



THE ADVENTURE WAS NO LONGER JUST ABOUT THE MAP. IT HAD BECOME SOMETHING MUCH GREATER.

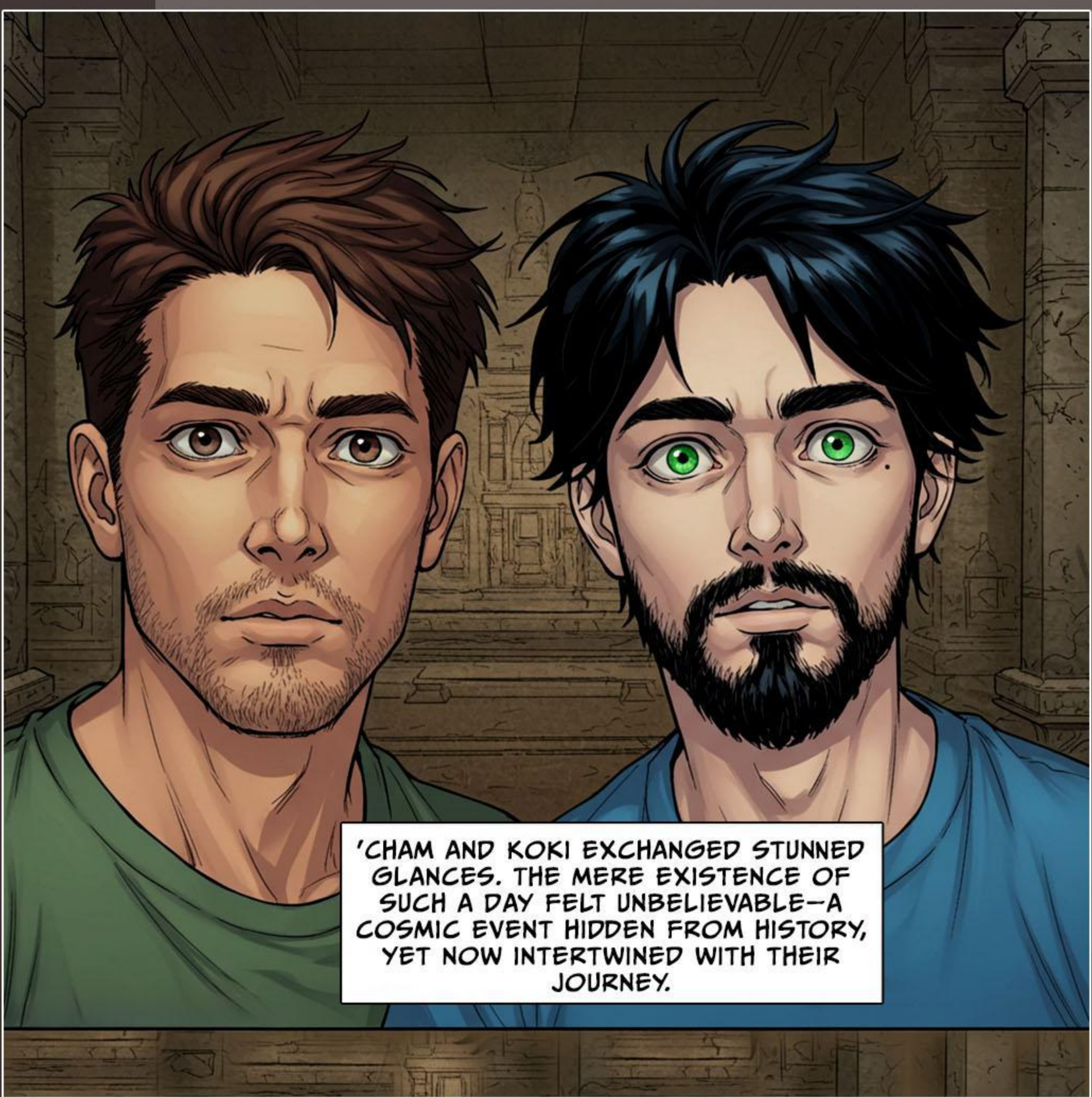




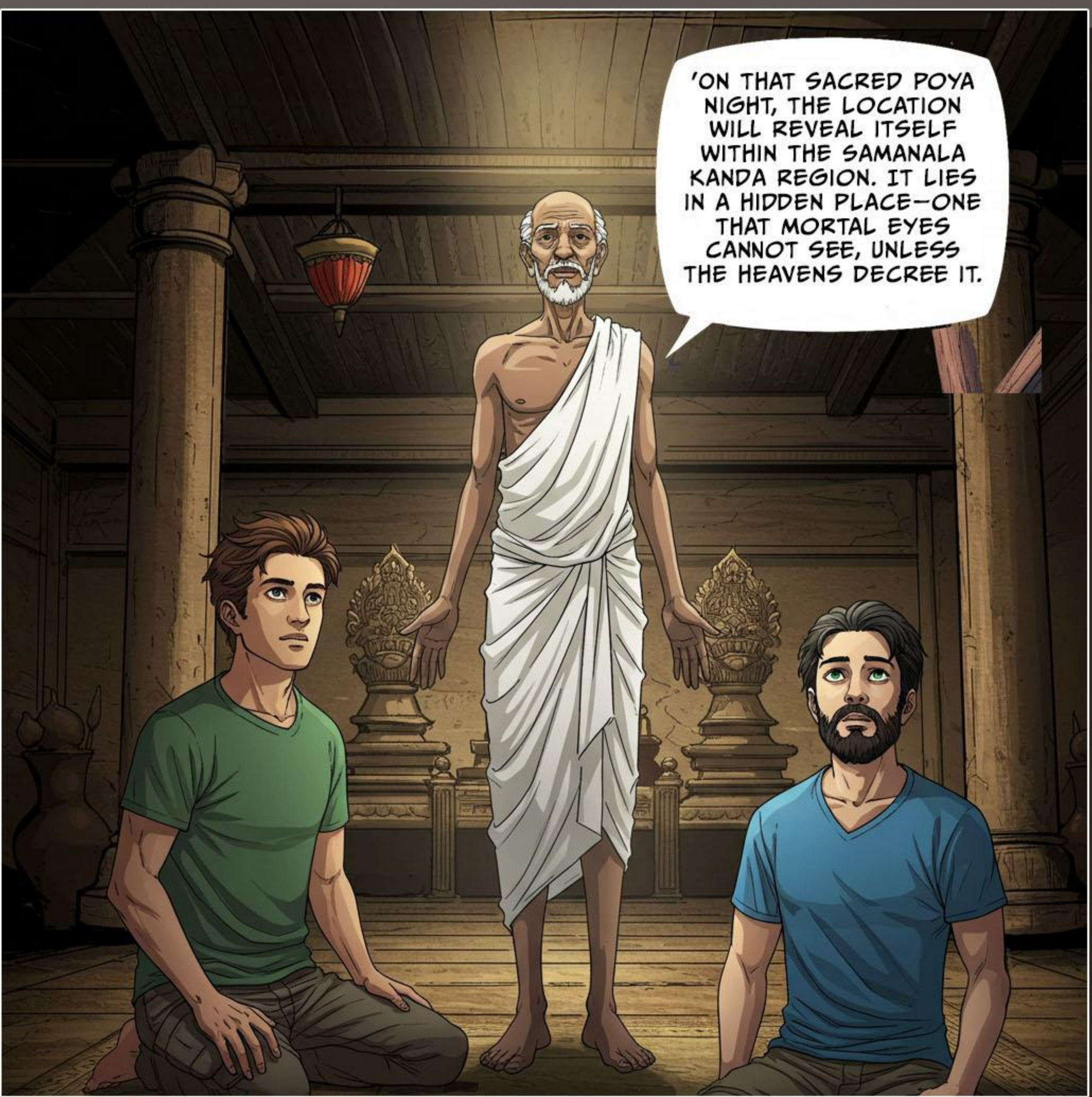
YOU CANNOT FIND THE LOCATION TODAY



'IT WILL ONLY APPEAR ON A SPECIAL FULL MOON POYA DAY THAT OCCURS ONCE EVERY 2,000 YEARS. YOU MUST WAIT FOR THAT DAY.



'CHAM AND KOKI EXCHANGED STUNNED GLANCES. THE MERE EXISTENCE OF SUCH A DAY FELT UNBELIEVABLE—A COSMIC EVENT HIDDEN FROM HISTORY, YET NOW INTERTWINED WITH THEIR JOURNEY.



'ON THAT SACRED POYA NIGHT, THE LOCATION WILL REVEAL ITSELF WITHIN THE SAMANALA KANDA REGION. IT LIES IN A HIDDEN PLACE—ONE THAT MORTAL EYES CANNOT SEE, UNLESS THE HEAVENS DECREE IT.



YOU WERE CHOSEN FOR THIS JOURNEY-- NOT BY CHANCE, BUT BY THE GODS THEMSELVES.



DESTINY?



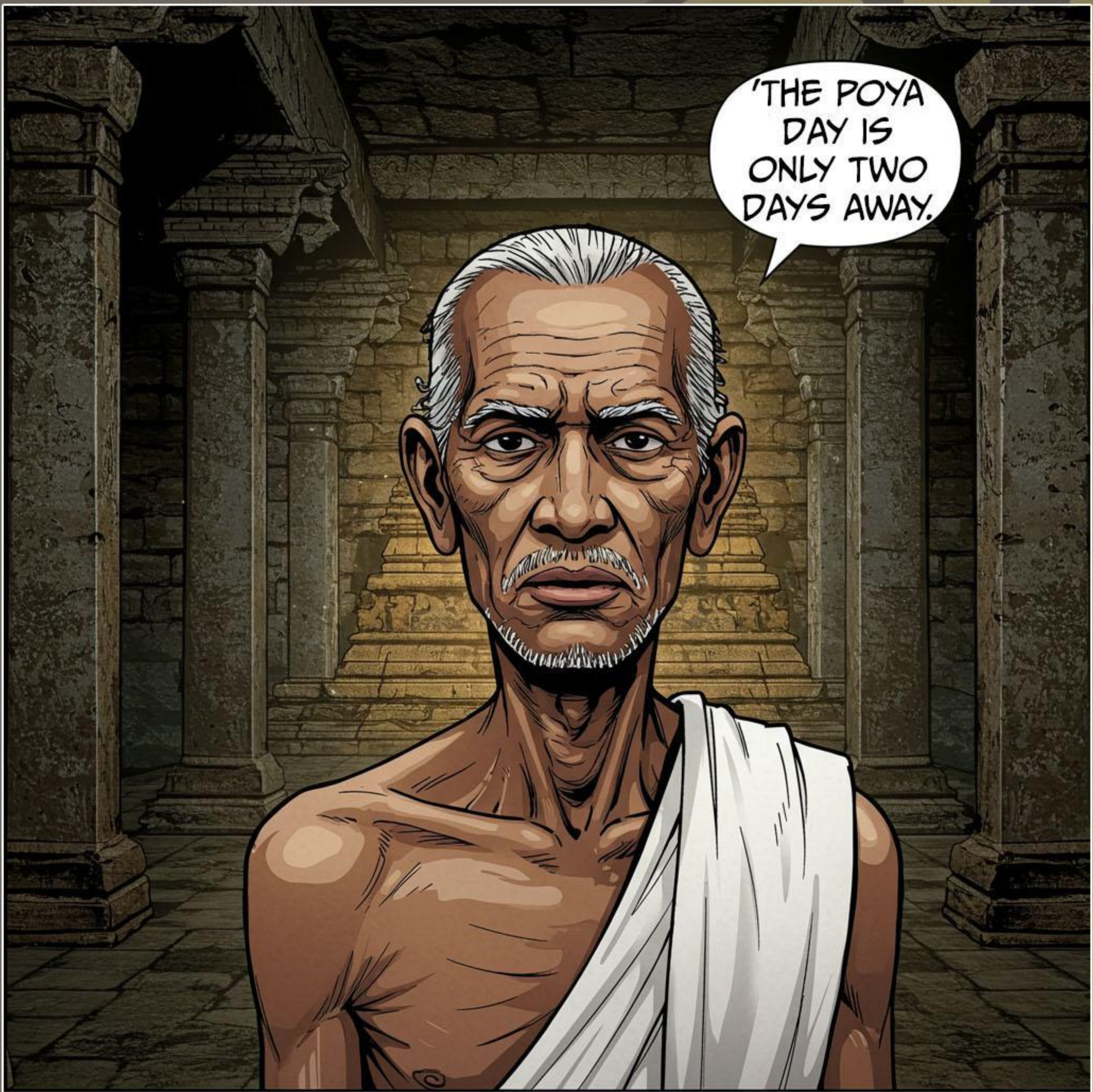
'DESTINY. IT WAS NO LONGER JUST AN ADVENTURE--IT WAS A CALLING.'



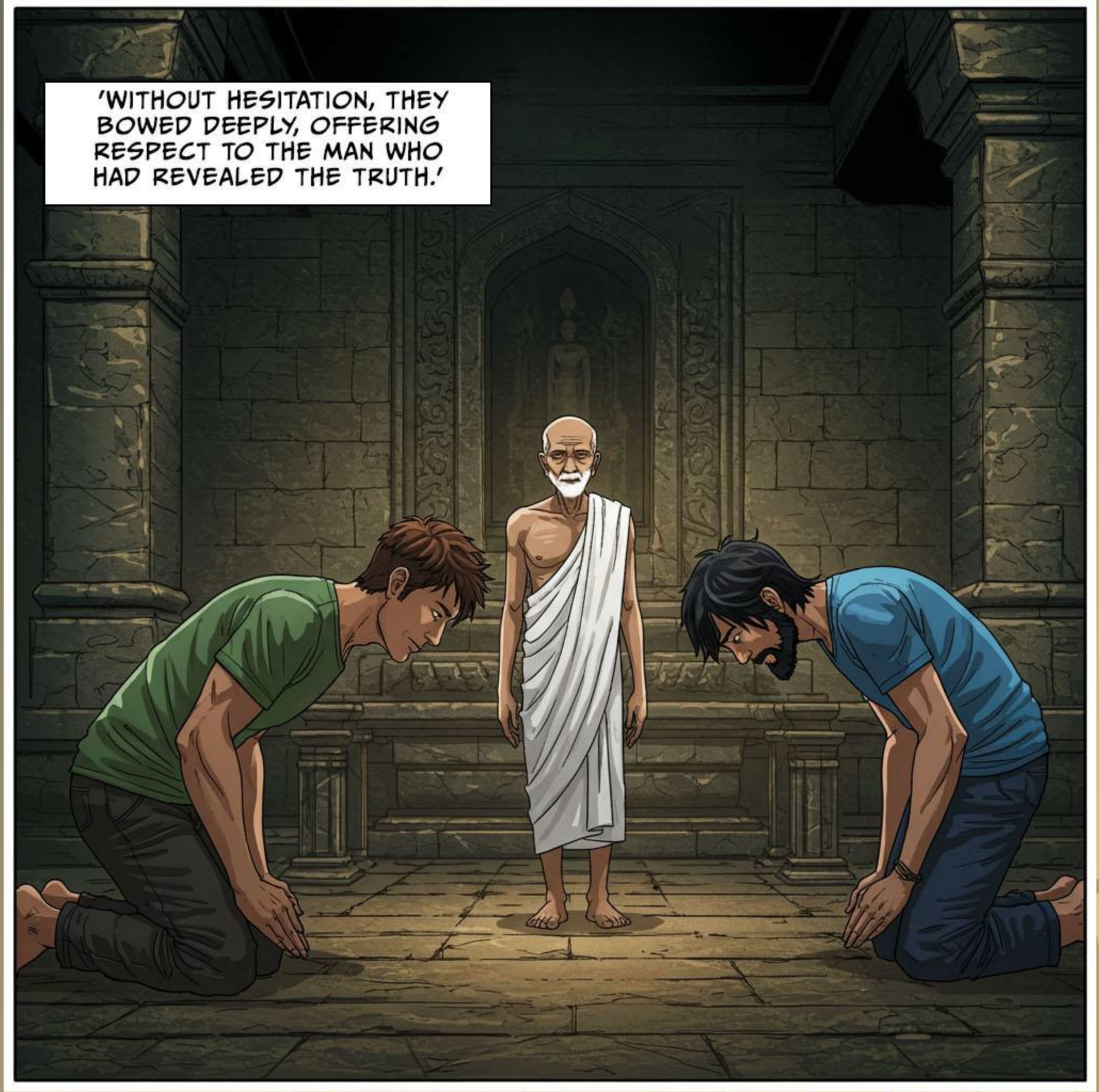
'ONCE YOU ARRIVE, YOU MUST LEAVE WITHIN FIVE DAYS. IF YOU FAIL TO RETURN, THE PATH WILL CLOSE, AND YOU MAY BE LOST--FOREVER.'



'SILENCE HUNG IN THE AIR LIKE A HEAVY FOG. THE REALITY OF THEIR MISSION SANK IN.'



'THE POYA DAY IS ONLY TWO DAYS AWAY.'



'WITHOUT HESITATION, THEY BOWED DEEPLY, OFFERING RESPECT TO THE MAN WHO HAD REVEALED THE TRUTH.'



WALKING TOWARDS THE ENTRANCE. THEIR POSTURE SHOWS THAT THE 'WEIGHT OF THE MOMENT SETTLED UPON THEM,

'BUT THEN-KOKI HESITATED'



'A STRANGE FEELING GNAWED AT HIS THOUGHTS. HE TURNED BACK. AND THE OLD MAN WAS GONE. VANISHED INTO THE MIST.'



THAT WASN'T JUST A MAN. WE WERE IN THE PRESENCE OF SOMETHING... ANCIENT.



THEIR JOURNEY HAD TRULY BEGUN.'



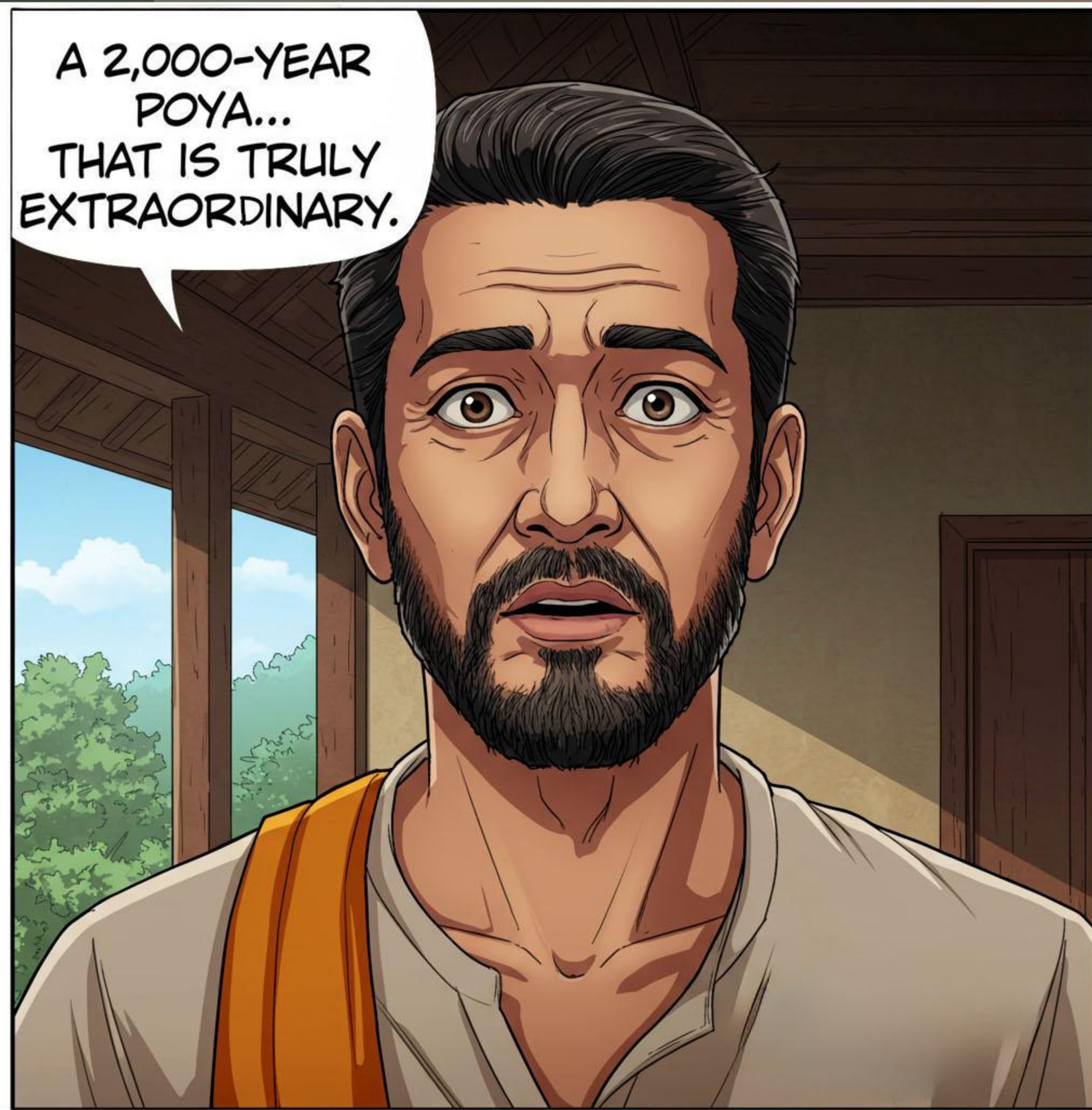


I STILL CAN'T BELIEVE.... WHAT JUST HAPPENED..



TWO DAYS LATER.

HE SAID THE LOCATION WILL ONLY APPEAR ON A SPECIAL POYA DAY... ONE THAT HAPPENS ONCE EVERY 2,000 YEARS.

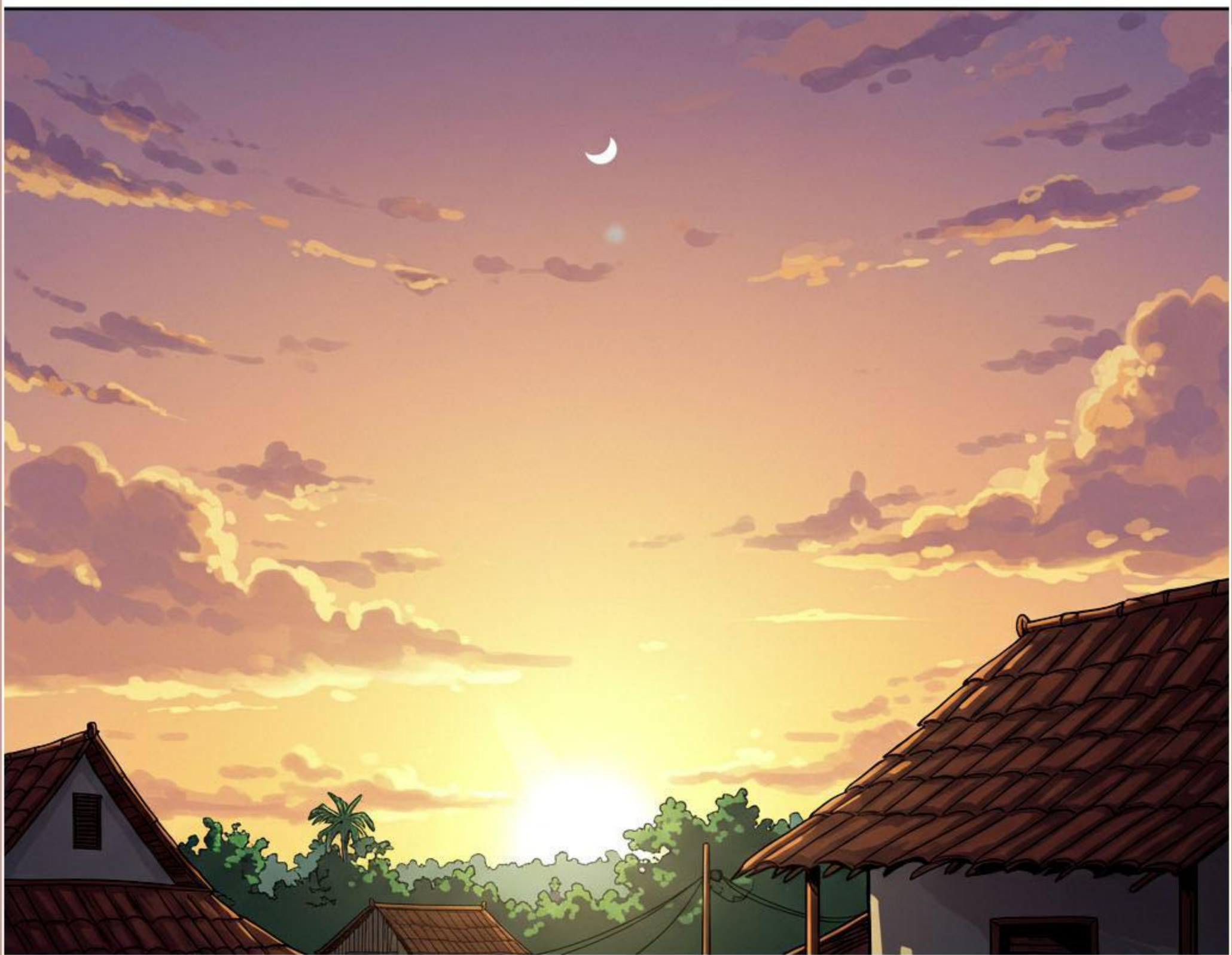


A 2,000-YEAR POYA... THAT IS TRULY EXTRAORDINARY.



THIS IS MORE THAN JUST AN ADVENTURE, ISN'T IT? MUCH MORE.

'THEN CAME THE SPECIAL POYA DAY—THE ONE THAT ONLY ARRIVED ONCE EVERY 2,000



'EVERYTHING CHECKED? THIS IS IT, CHAM. WE NEED TO BE READY FOR TONIGHT.'



GOOD LUCK, MY FRIENDS. MAY THE HEAVENS GUIDE YOU.



THEIR MINDS 'RACING WITH ANTICIPATION,' AS THEY FOLLOW THE 'PRECISE PATH THE OLD MAN HAD GIVEN THEM.'





'FOR FOUR HOURS, THEY TREKED DEEP INTO THE SIRIPADA JUNGLE, EACH STEP TAKING THEM FURTHER INTO UNKNOWN TERRITORY.'



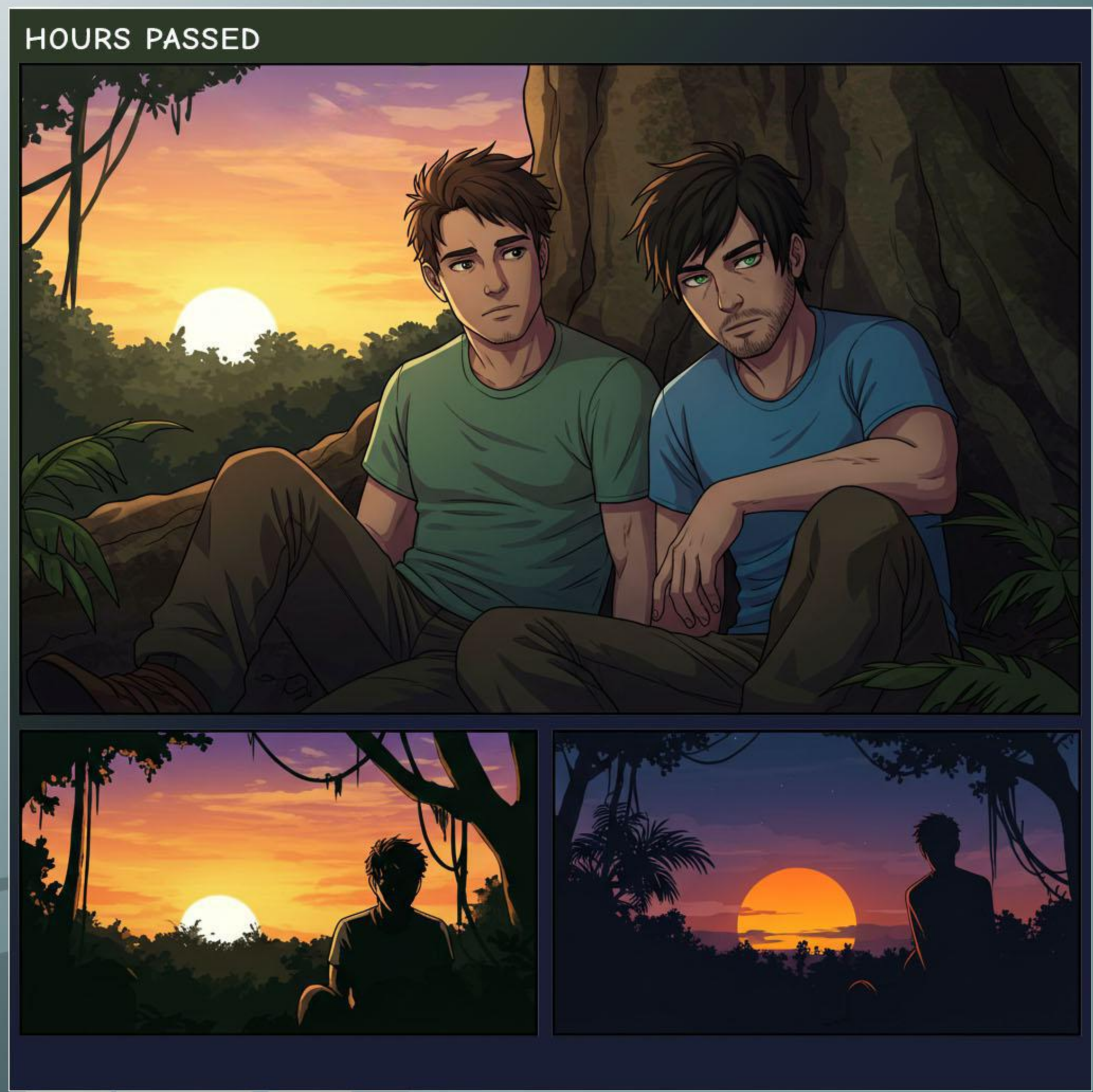
CHAM

THERE'S A STRANGE QUIET OUT HERE... LIKE THE LAND KNOWS SOMETHING'S ABOUT TO HAPPEN.

KOKI

AT LAST, THEY ARRIVED.





THE DARKNESS CREPT IN, DRAPING THE LAND IN EERIE SILENCE.





**WHOOOM!
SHIMMER!**



WHAT...
IS THAT.



IS THAT THE
DOORWAY
TO RAVANA'S
CAVE?

THE
LEGENDS...
THEY WERE
REAL.



LET'S GO!



'BUT CHAM HESITATED. THE DOORWAY PULSED, EMITTING STRANGE NOISES—WHISPERS, DISTANT ECHOES, SOMETHING ALIVE YET UNSEEN.



THEN, TOGETHER, THEY STEPPED INSIDE.



WHOOSH!



THIS ISN'T SRI PADA ANYMORE. WE'VE STEPPED OUT OF TIME.

IN AN INSTANT, THE WORLD SHIFTED.



DID YOU FEEL THAT?.. WE'RE NOT ALONE..



LOOK AT THIS! THE PATH WE'RE WALKING... IT MATCHES!



THIS ISN'T COINCIDENCE... IT'S FATE.



'THE FURTHER THEY VENTURED, THE MORE SURREAL THE LANDSCAPE BECAME. TOWERING MOUNTAINS STRETCHED TOWARD THE HEAVENS, THEIR PEAKS HIDDEN IN MIST. CASCADING WATERFALLS CRASHED INTO EMERALD POOLS, THEIR ECHOES BLENDING WITH THE WHISPER OF THE FOREST '

THE MAP HIGHLIGHTS THREE LOCATIONS. LET'S START WITH THIS ONE.

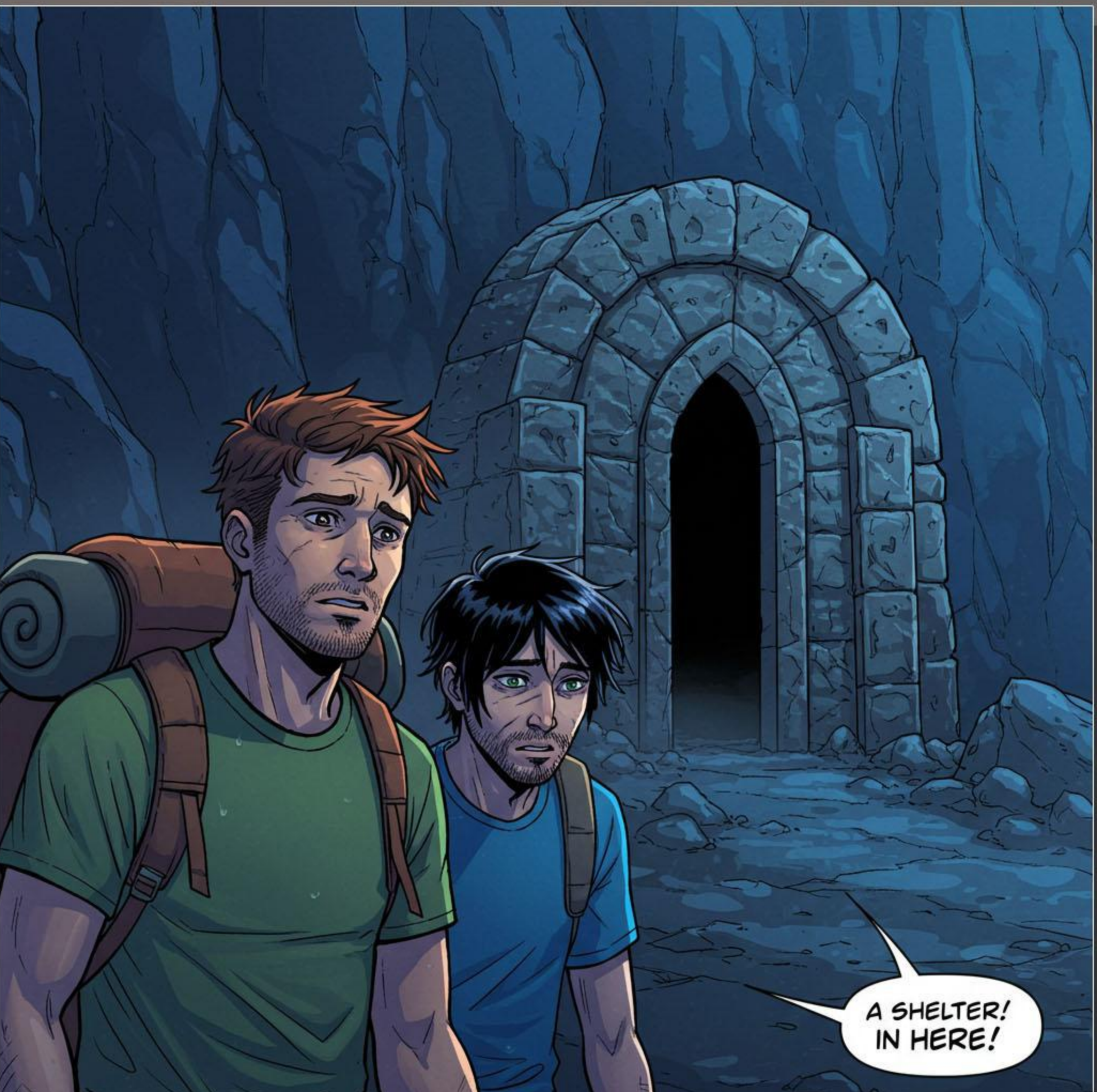


'EVERY STEP WAS CAUTIOUS. EVERY RUSTLING LEAF, EVERY DISTANT HOWL-IT ALL KEPT THEM ON EDGE'

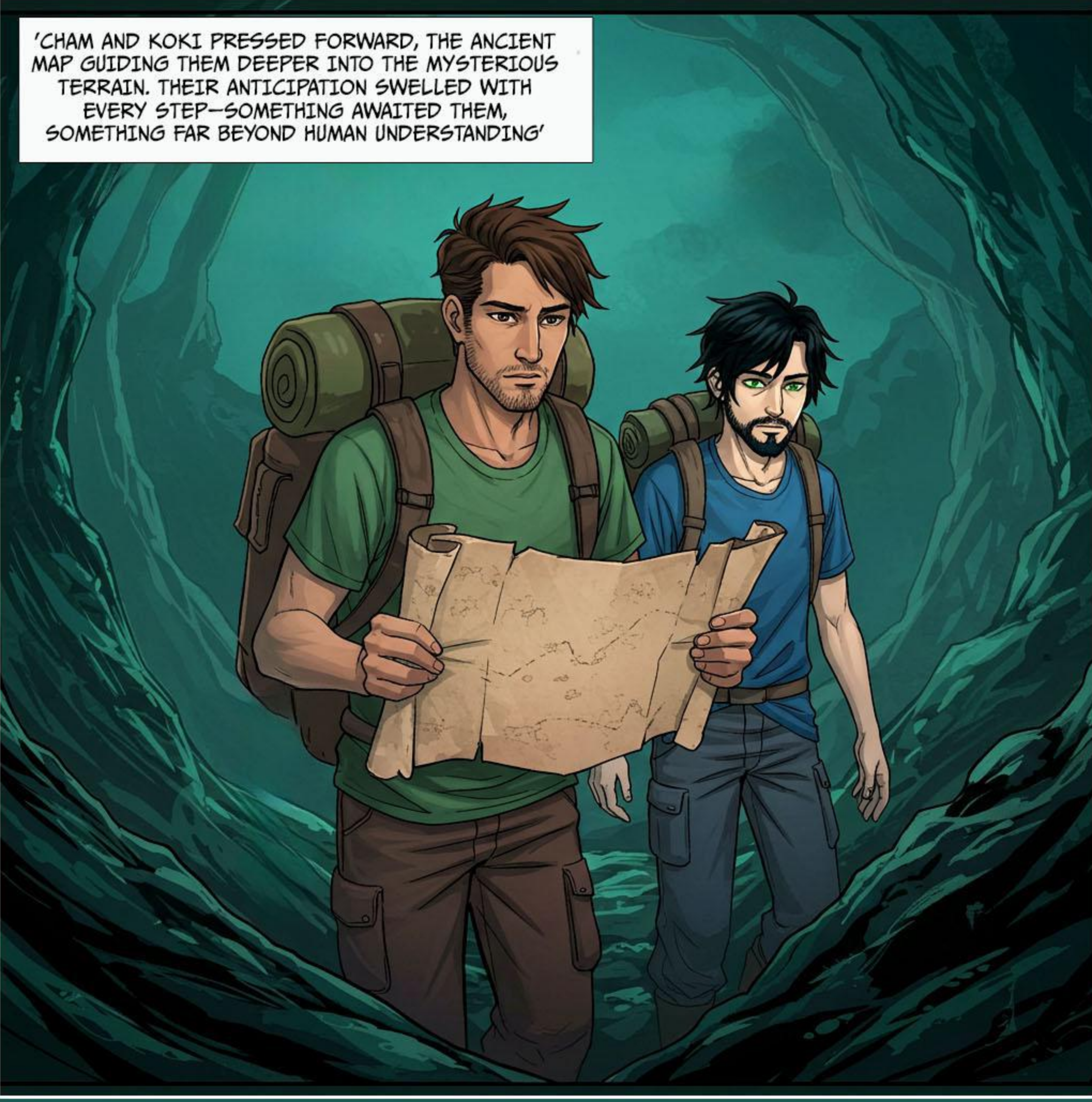


DON'T LOOK BACK, KOKI! RUN!





'CHAM AND KOKI PRESSED FORWARD, THE ANCIENT MAP GUIDING THEM DEEPER INTO THE MYSTERIOUS TERRAIN. THEIR ANTICIPATION SWELLED WITH EVERY STEP—SOMETHING AWAITED THEM, SOMETHING FAR BEYOND HUMAN UNDERSTANDING'



THE EERIE TWILIGHT LIGHTING PERSISTS, CASTING LONG, STRANGE SHADOWS. KOKI HOLDS THE ANCIENT MAP, ITS SUBTLE GLOW GUIDING THEM FORWARD



WHOA!



WHAT THE HELL IS THAT?



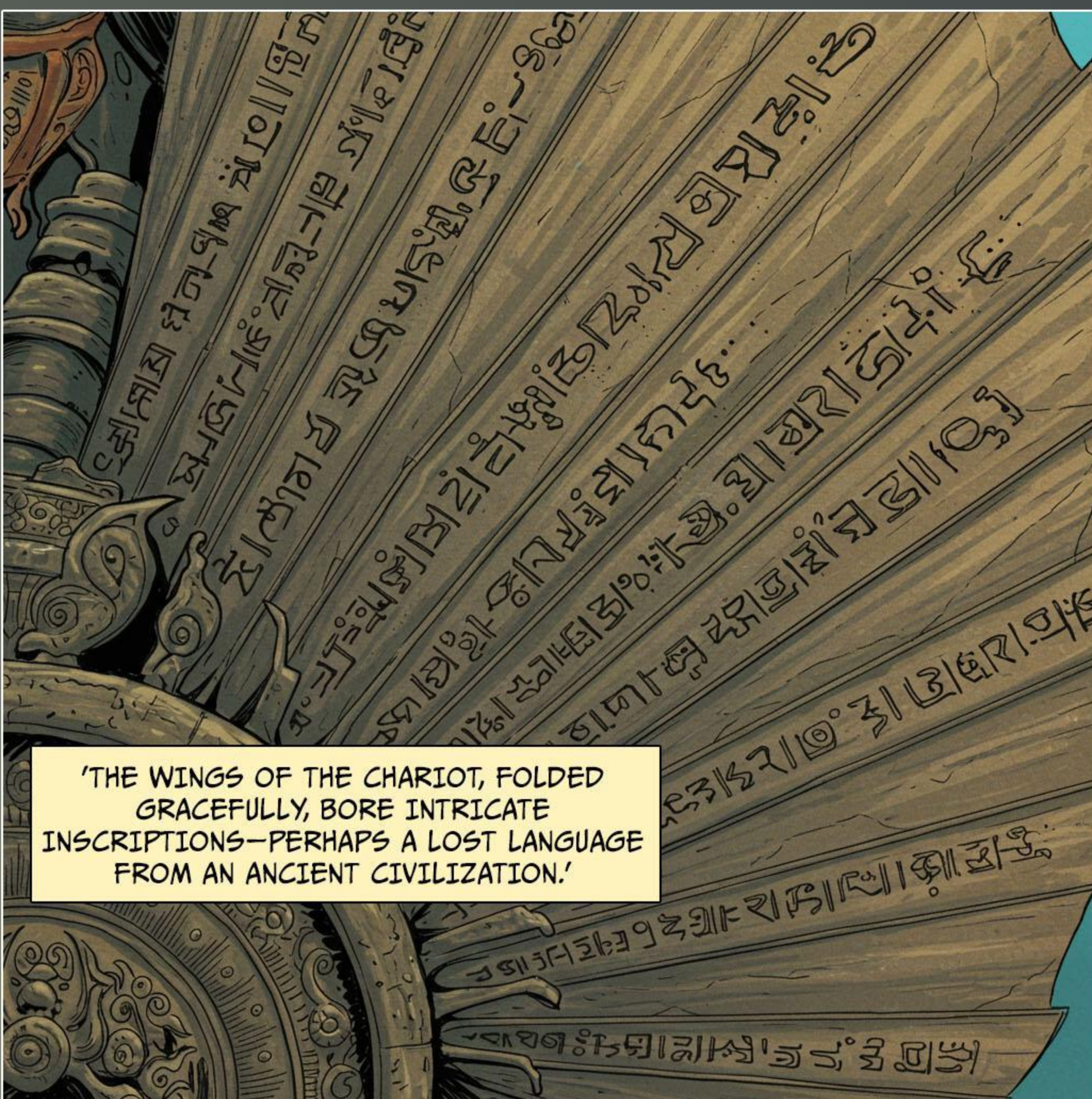
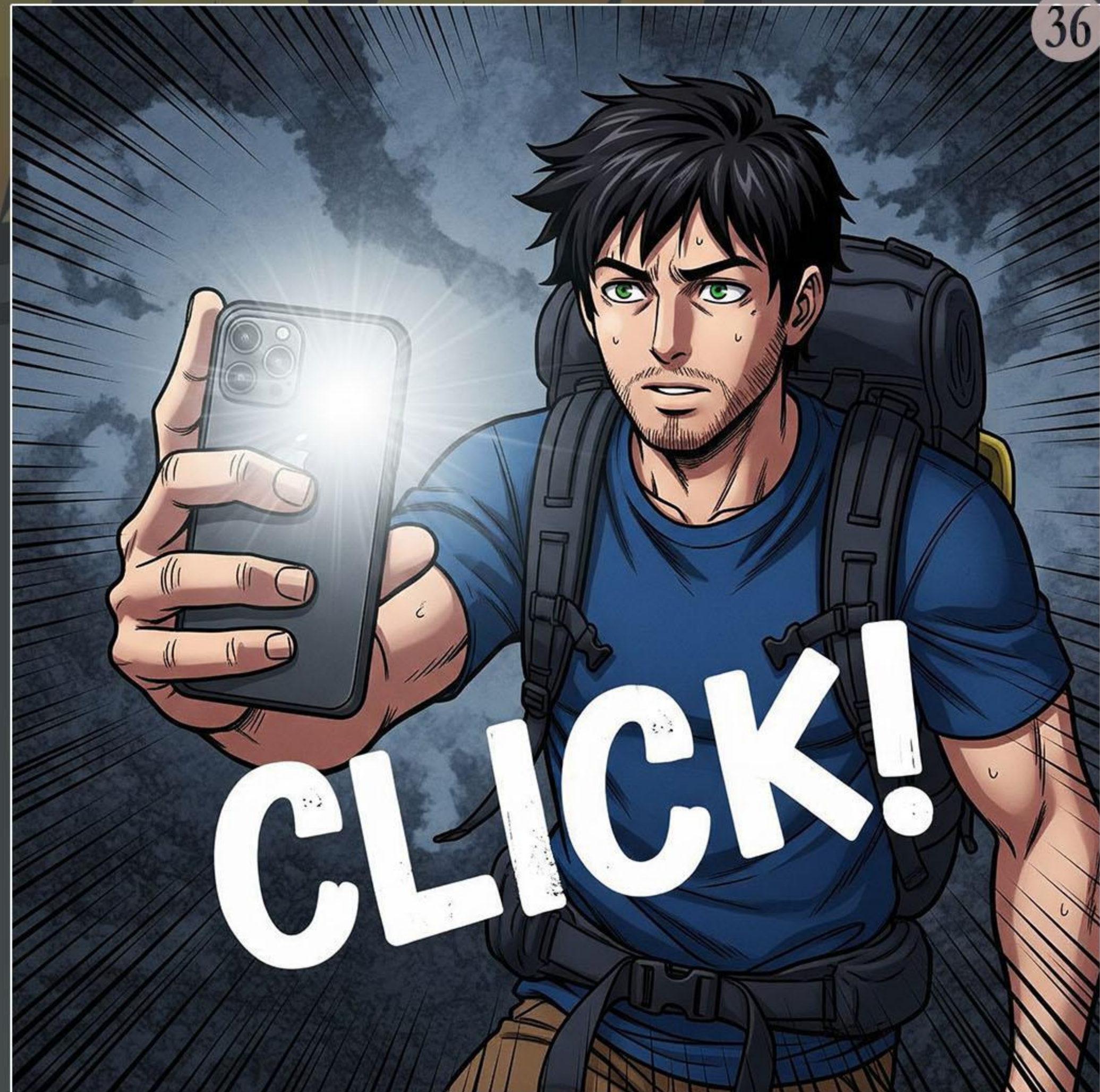
I KNOW WHAT THIS IS! IT'S THE -PUSHPAKA VIMANA!



PUSHPAKA VIMANA! RAVANA'S FLYING CHARIOT?



ACCORDING TO LEGEND, THE PUSHPAKA VIMANA WAS AN AERIAL CHARIOT OF UNPARALLELED GRANDEUR, ONCE BELONGING TO RAVANA, THE MYTHICAL KING OF LANKA. AFTER RAVANA'S DEFEAT AT THE HANDS OF LORD RAMA, ITS FATE WAS LOST TO TIME—UNTIL NOW.



LEGENDARY ABILITIES OF THE PUSHPAKA VIMANA

CORE LEGENDARY ABILITIES

1. **INSTANTANEOUS FLIGHT**
COULD TRAVEL VAST DISTANCES AT THE SPEED OF THOUGHT (PILOTED BY RAVANA). DESCRIBED AS "MOVING WHEREVER THE MIND GOES" (ज्ञानयानम् JNANA-YANAM).
2. **MASSIVE CAPACITY**
SPACIOUS ENOUGH TO CARRY RAVANA'S ARMY (E.G., DURING THE ABDUCTION OF SITA). OFTEN DEPICTED WITH MULTIPLE CHAMBERS, AKIN TO A FLYING PALACE.
3. **DIVINE CRAFTSMANSHIP**
BUILT BY VISHVAKARMA (THE CELESTIAL ARCHITECT) FOR KUBERA (GOD OF WEALTH), LATER STOLEN BY RAVANA. ADORNED WITH GOLD, SILVER, AND PRECIOUS GEMS, RESEMBLING A "FLOWERY AERIAL CAR" (PUSHPAKA = "FLOWERY").
4. **SELF-NAVIGATING**
RESPONDED TO THE PILOT'S MENTAL COMMANDS (NO PHYSICAL CONTROLS). DESCRIBED IN THE RAMAYANA: "IT MOVED ACCORDING TO THE WILL OF ITS MASTER."

EXPANDED/MODERN INTERPRETATIONS

- IN CONTEMPORARY RETELLINGS AND POP CULTURE, THE VIMANA IS OFTEN DEPICTED WITH ADDITIONAL ABILITIES, SUCH AS:
- ADVANCED WEAPONRY:** ENERGY BEAMS, FORCE FIELDS, OR PROJECTILE SYSTEMS (NOT EXPLICITLY IN ANCIENT TEXTS, BUT INFERRED FROM ITS DIVINE ORIGIN).
- INVISIBILITY/CLOAKING:** SOME VERSIONS SUGGEST IT COULD EVADE DETECTION.
- INTERDIMENSIONAL TRAVEL:** ASSOCIATED WITH TRAVERSING COSMIC REALMS (LINKED TO HINDU COSMOLOGY).



THINK WE SHOULD... CHECK INSIDE?



'INCREDIBLE... IT'S LIKE STEPPING BACK IN TIME.'



IMAGINE WHO TRAVELED IN THIS... WHAT THEY SAW.



'AS THE NIGHT DEEPENED, THEY SAT WITHIN THE CHARIOT, DISCUSSING THE ASTONISHING IMPLICATIONS OF THEIR DISCOVERY. THEY HAD FOUND A LEGENDARY SANCTUARY FOR THE NIGHT.'



'THIS WAS NO ORDINARY ADVENTURE ANYMORE—THEY WERE STEPPING INTO SOMETHING FAR GREATER THAN THEMSELVES. AND WHATEVER SECRETS LAY AHEAD, THEY WOULD HAVE A NIGHT WITHIN A LEGEND TO PREPARE.'



'WITH THE FIRST LIGHT, THEY WOULD CONTINUE THEIR JOURNEY, THEIR MINDS FILLED WITH THE WONDER OF THE NIGHT SPENT WITHIN RAVANA'S FLYING CHARIOT.'



FIRST DISCOVERY DONE. TIME FOR THE NEXT



THE SECOND LOCATION IS DEEPER IN. KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR HIGH CLIFFS



HOURS PASSED. THEY TREKKED DEEPER, THEIR DETERMINATION



THEN--THEY SAW IT. NESTLED WITHIN RUGGED CLIFFS STOOD AN ANCIENT TOMB...



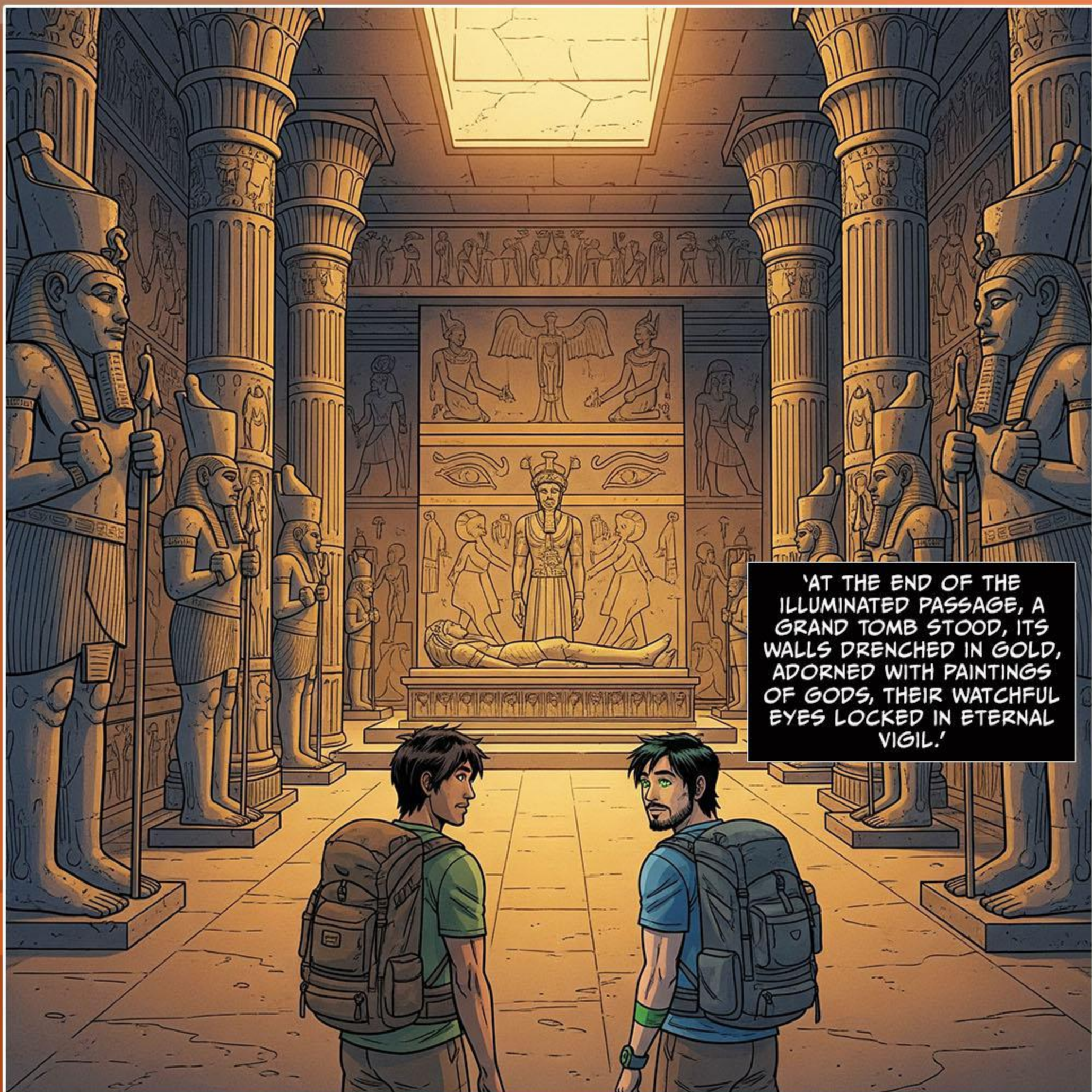
THIS PLACE... IT FEELS ANCIENT BEYOND MEASURE.



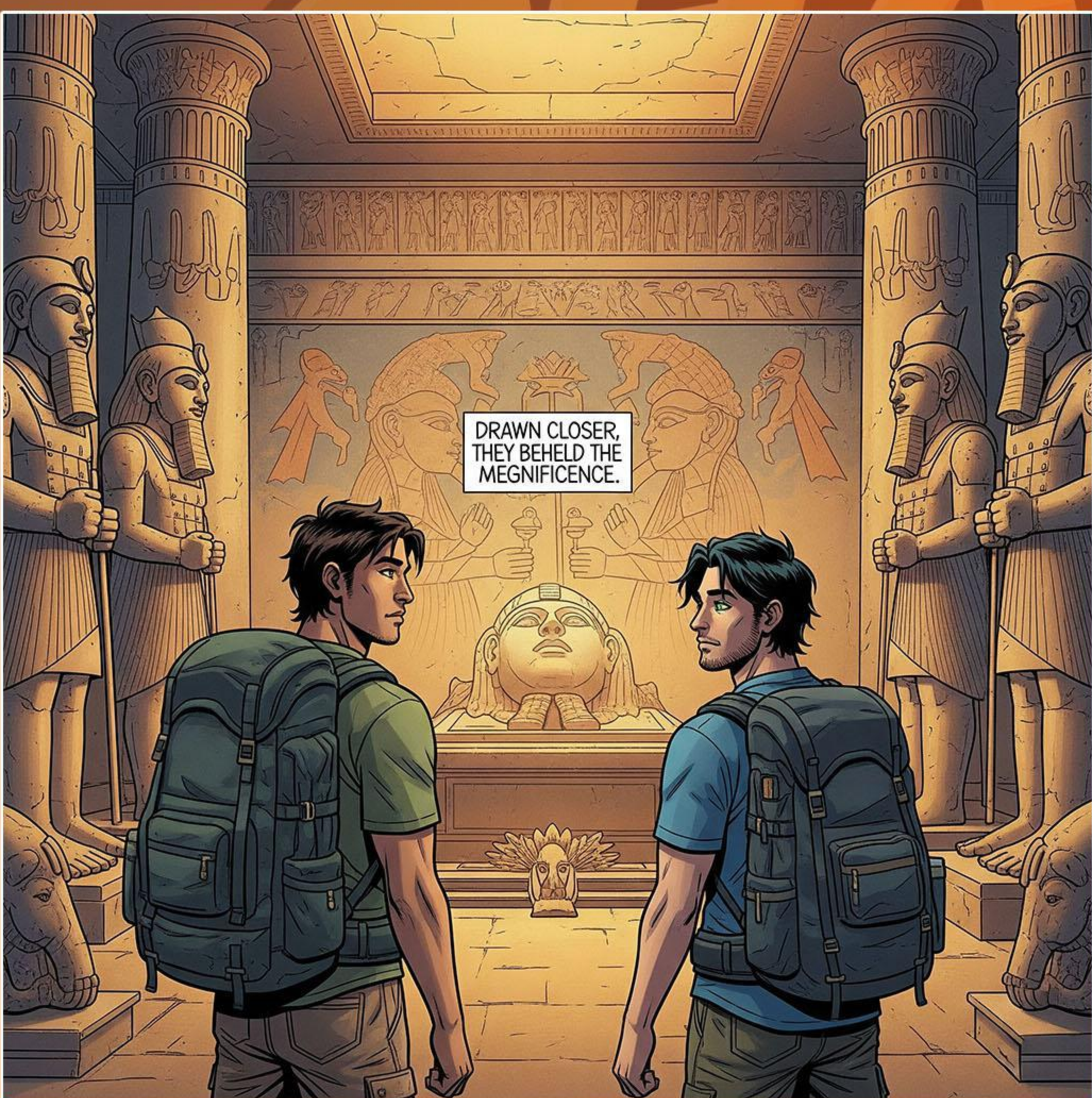
WITH CAUTIOUS STEPS, THEY ENTERED THE DARKENED CHAMBER.



FLICKER!



AT THE END OF THE ILLUMINATED PASSAGE, A GRAND TOMB STOOD, ITS WALLS DRENCHED IN GOLD, ADORNED WITH PAINTINGS OF GODS, THEIR WATCHFUL EYES LOCKED IN ETERNAL VIGIL.



DRAWN CLOSER, THEY BEHELD THE MEGNIFICENCE.

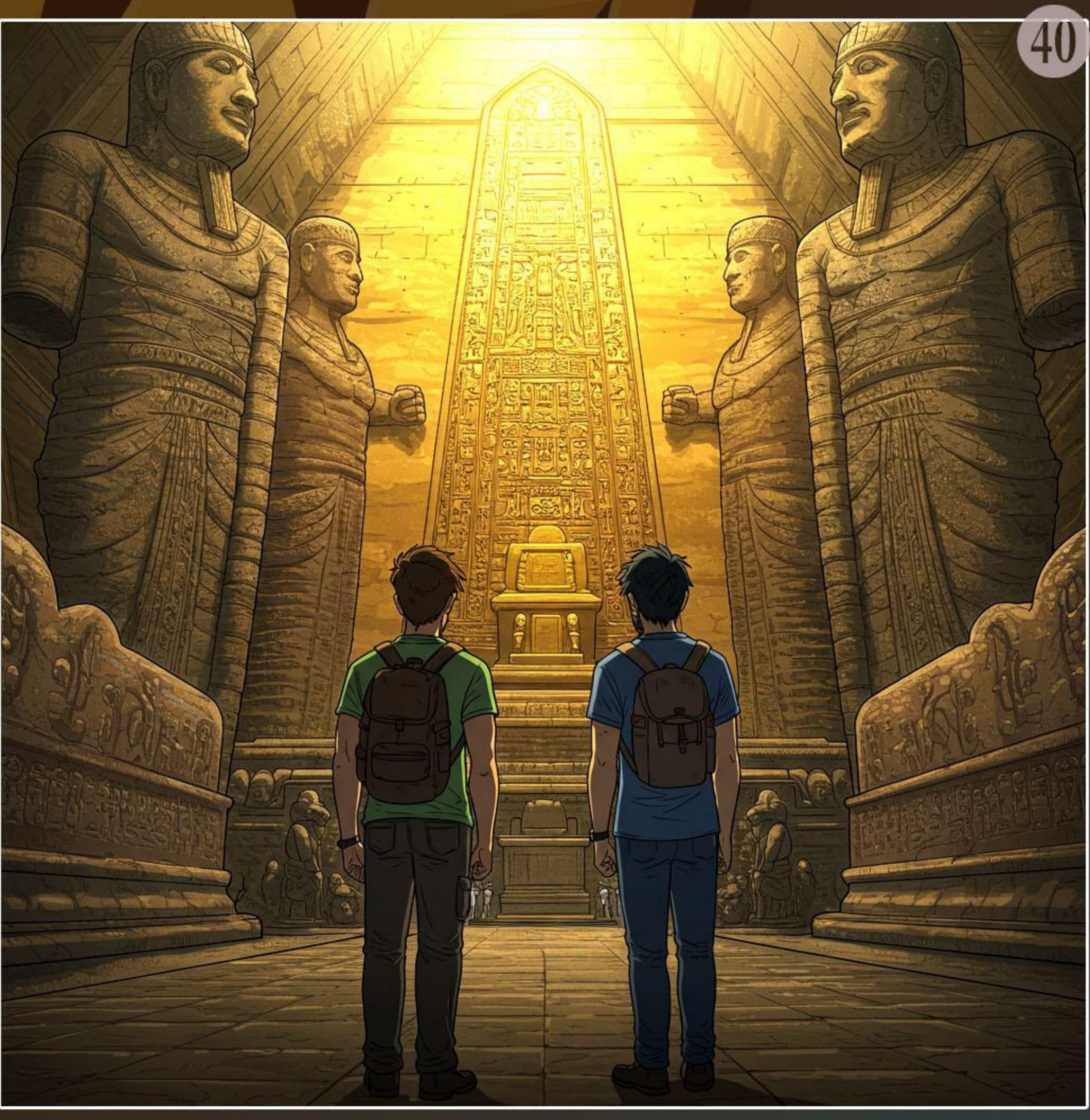
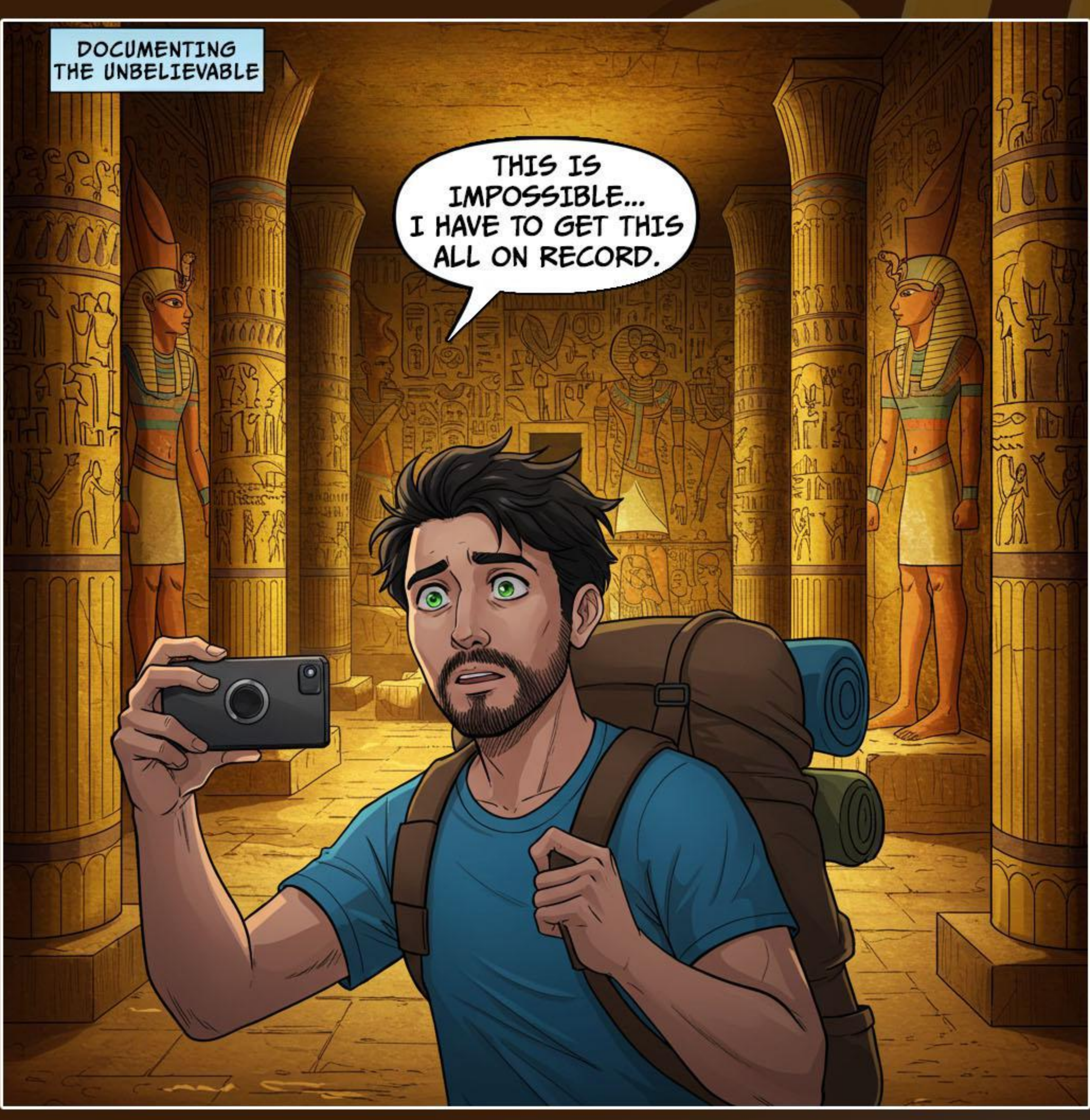


DID WE JUST FIND RAVANA'S BURIAL SITE?

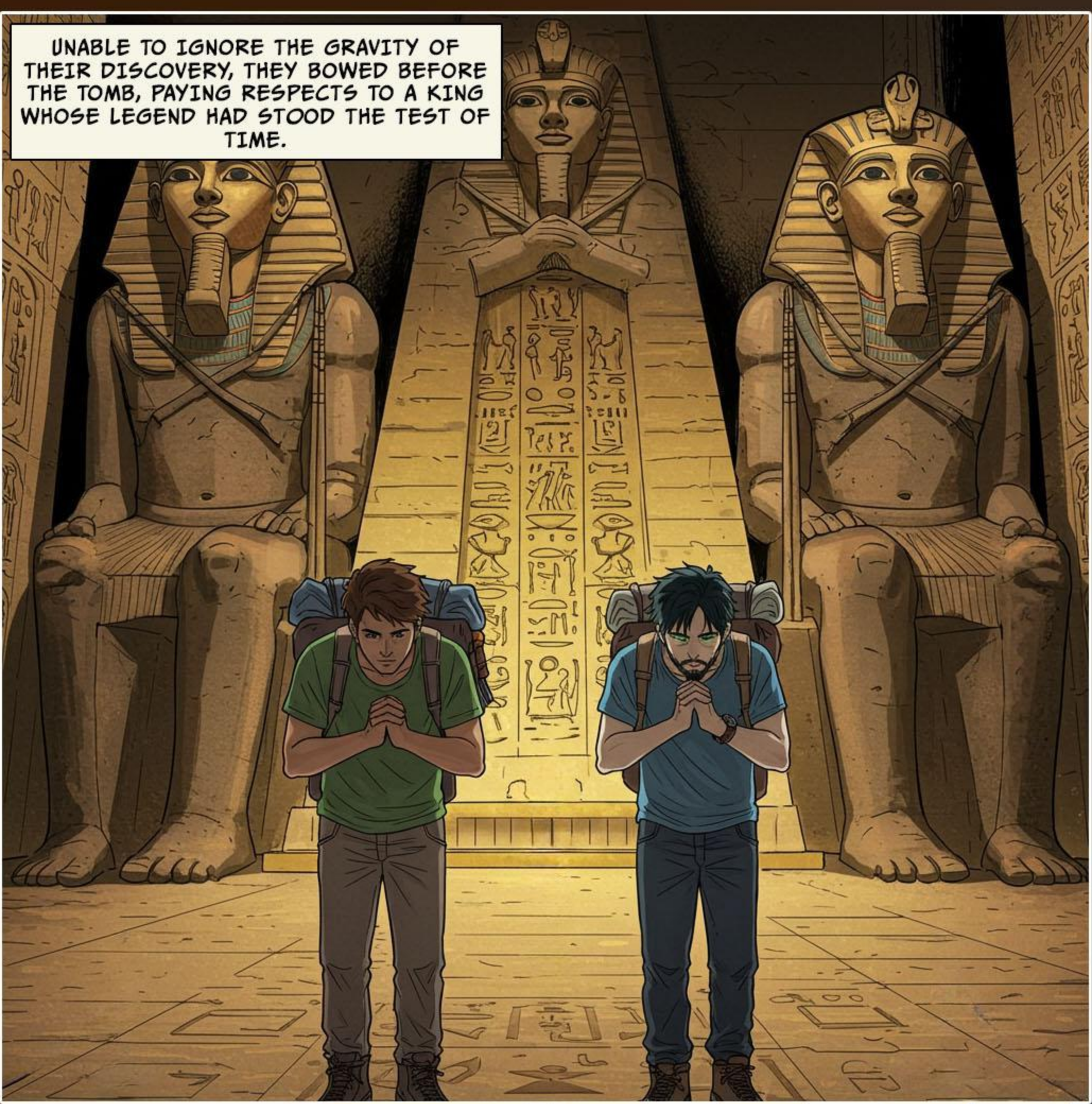
YES.

DOCUMENTING THE UNBELIEVABLE

THIS IS IMPOSSIBLE... I HAVE TO GET THIS ALL ON RECORD.



UNABLE TO IGNORE THE GRAVITY OF THEIR DISCOVERY, THEY BOWED BEFORE THE TOMB, PAYING RESPECTS TO A KING WHOSE LEGEND HAD STOOD THE TEST OF TIME.



THIS ISN'T JUST A STORY ANYMORE... IT'S REAL.



AS NIGHT APPROACHED, THEY LEFT THE TOMB, THEIR MINDS SWIRLING WITH THE ENORMITY OF WHAT THEY HAD UNCOVERED



THIS WAS NO ORDINARY EXPEDITION—THIS WAS SOMETHING FAR GREATER. AND WHATEVER SECRETS LAY AHEAD, WE ARE JUST GETTING STARTED





THIS PATH... IT'S BRUTAL.



WE'RE CLOSE. THE MAP'S REACTING.



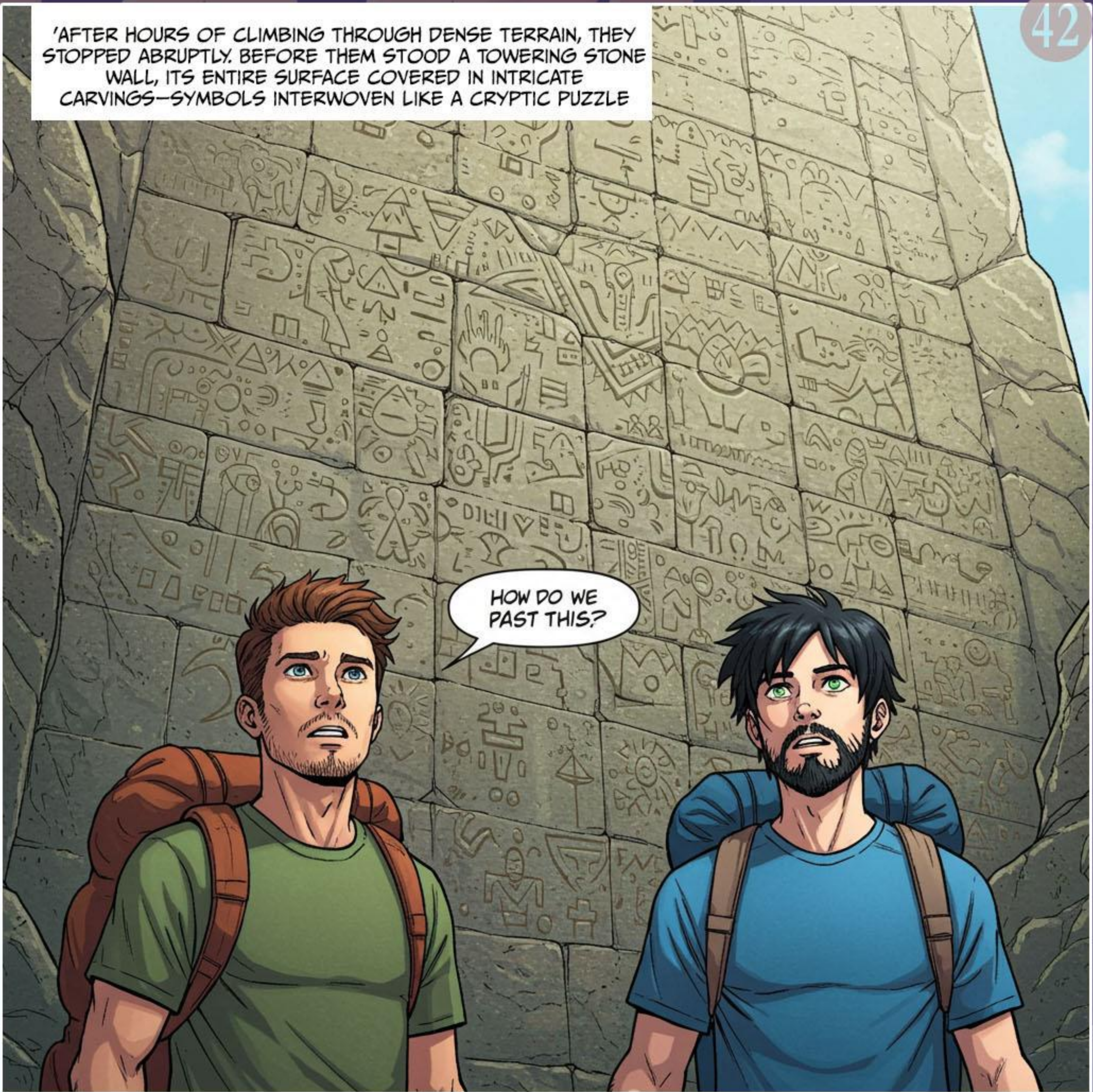
THE WEATHER'S TURNING! OR IS IT... THIS PLACE REACTING TO US?



AFTER HOURS OF RELENTLESS ASCENT, THEY REACHED THE SUMMIT—THE FINAL OBJECTIVE LAY BEFORE THEM, CLOAKED IN MYSTERY, PULSATING WITH AN UNSEEN POWER.



THIS IS IT...
KOKI...
THE LAST ONE..



'AFTER HOURS OF CLIMBING THROUGH DENSE TERRAIN, THEY STOPPED ABRUPTLY. BEFORE THEM STOOD A TOWERING STONE WALL, ITS ENTIRE SURFACE COVERED IN INTRICATE CARVINGS—SYMBOLS INTERWOVEN LIKE A CRYPTIC PUZZLE

HOW DO WE
PAST THIS?

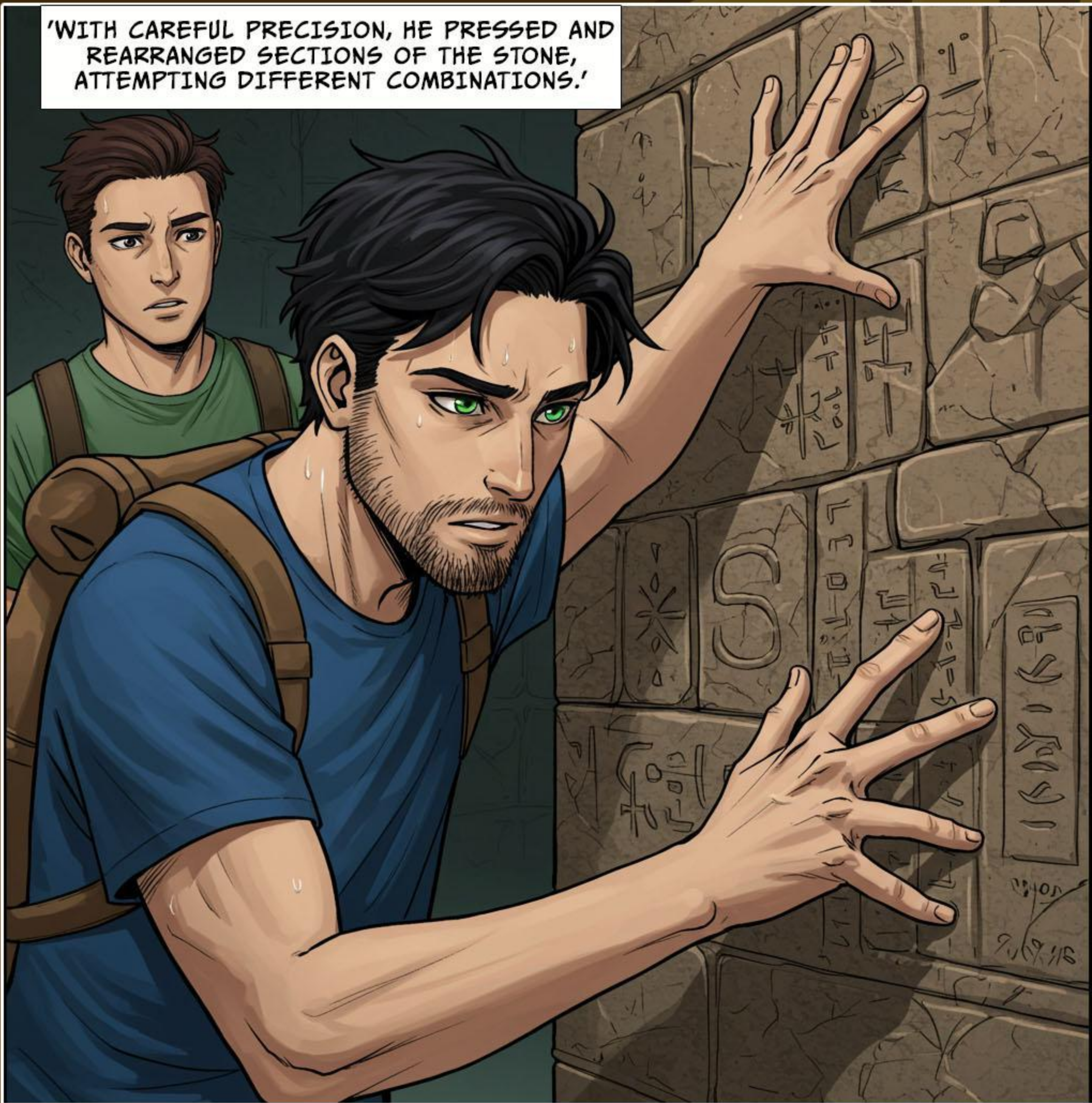


TAP... TAP...



THIS ISN'T
JUST
DECORATION
IT'S THE KEY!

'WITH CAREFUL PRECISION, HE PRESSED AND REARRANGED SECTIONS OF THE STONE, ATTEMPTING DIFFERENT COMBINATIONS.'



**SCRAPE...
GRIND...**



KRRRSHHHH!



WHOA...
IT WORKED?





WHAT IS THIS PLACE...? IT'S ENORMOUS.



LIGHT... COMING THROUGH.



THIS MUST BE RAVANA'S TREASURE! HE HID IT HERE!



IT SEEMS SO

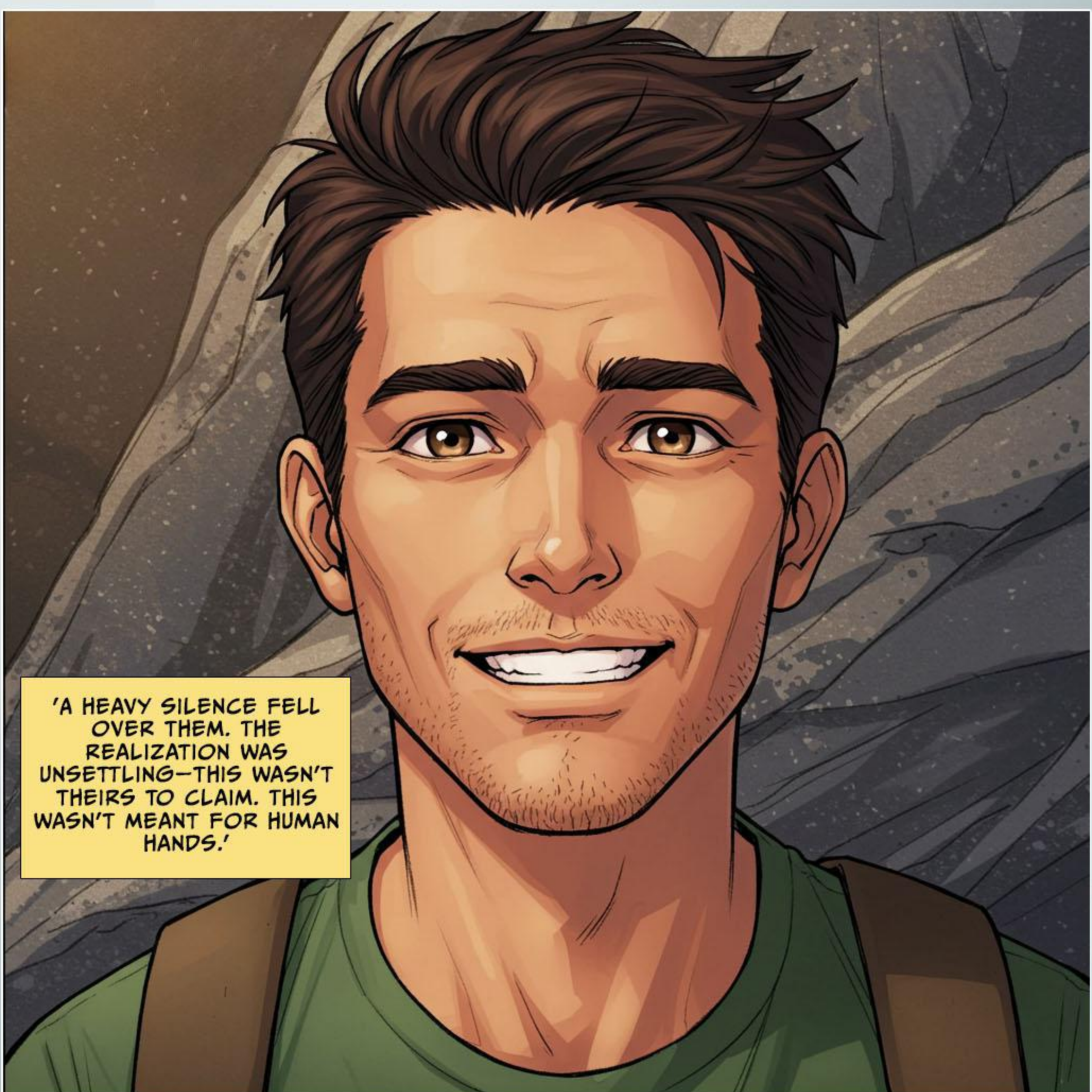




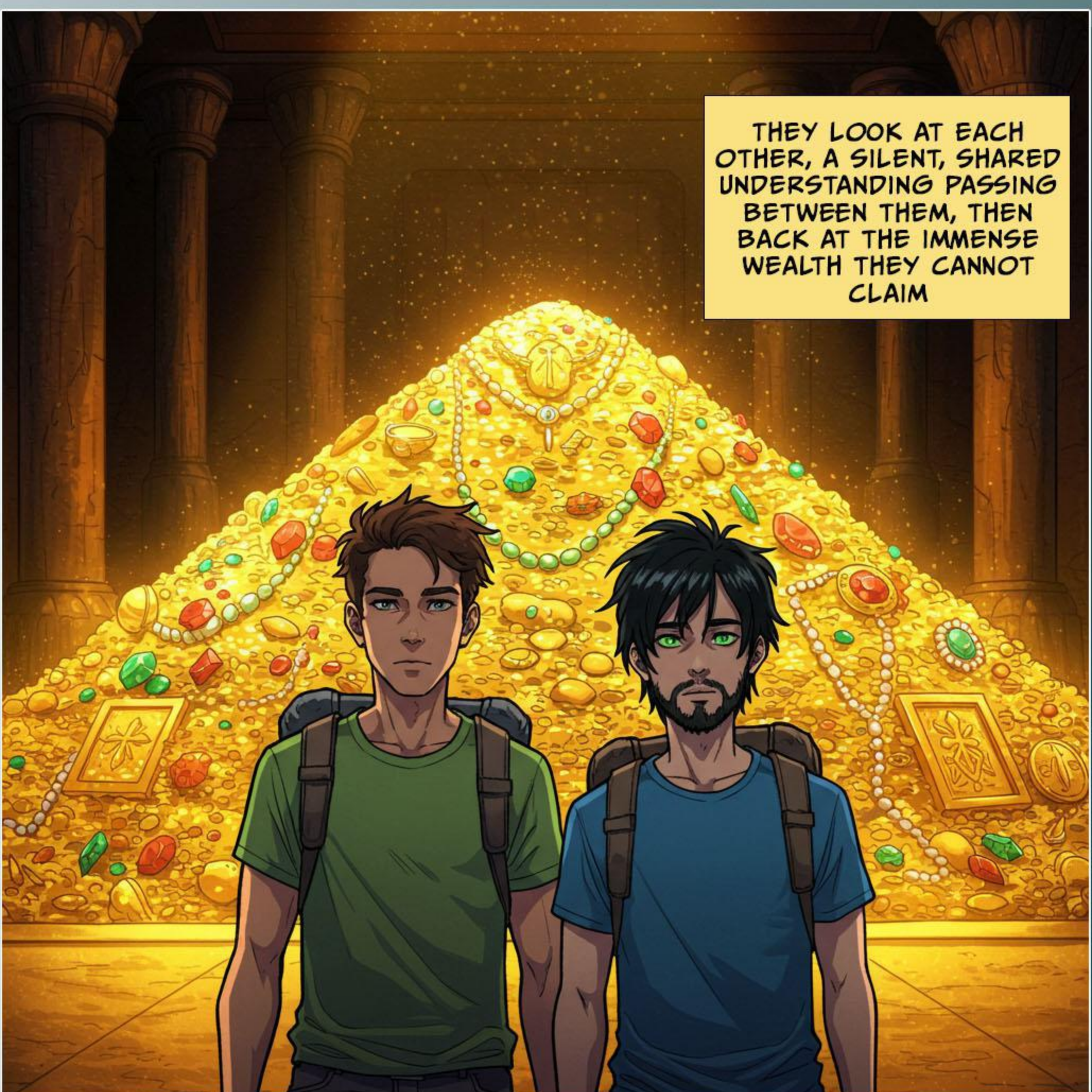
WE'RE RICH NOW!!



NO. THIS IS CURSED TREASURE—NO ONE CAN TAKE IT.



'A HEAVY SILENCE FELL OVER THEM. THE REALIZATION WAS UNSETTLING—THIS WASN'T THEIRS TO CLAIM. THIS WASN'T MEANT FOR HUMAN HANDS.'



THEY LOOK AT EACH OTHER, A SILENT, SHARED UNDERSTANDING PASSING BETWEEN THEM, THEN BACK AT THE IMMENSE WEALTH THEY CANNOT CLAIM



WITH GREAT EFFORT, THEY SEALED THE CHAMBER ONCE MORE.



GRUNGE!! GRUBBY? THUD?!

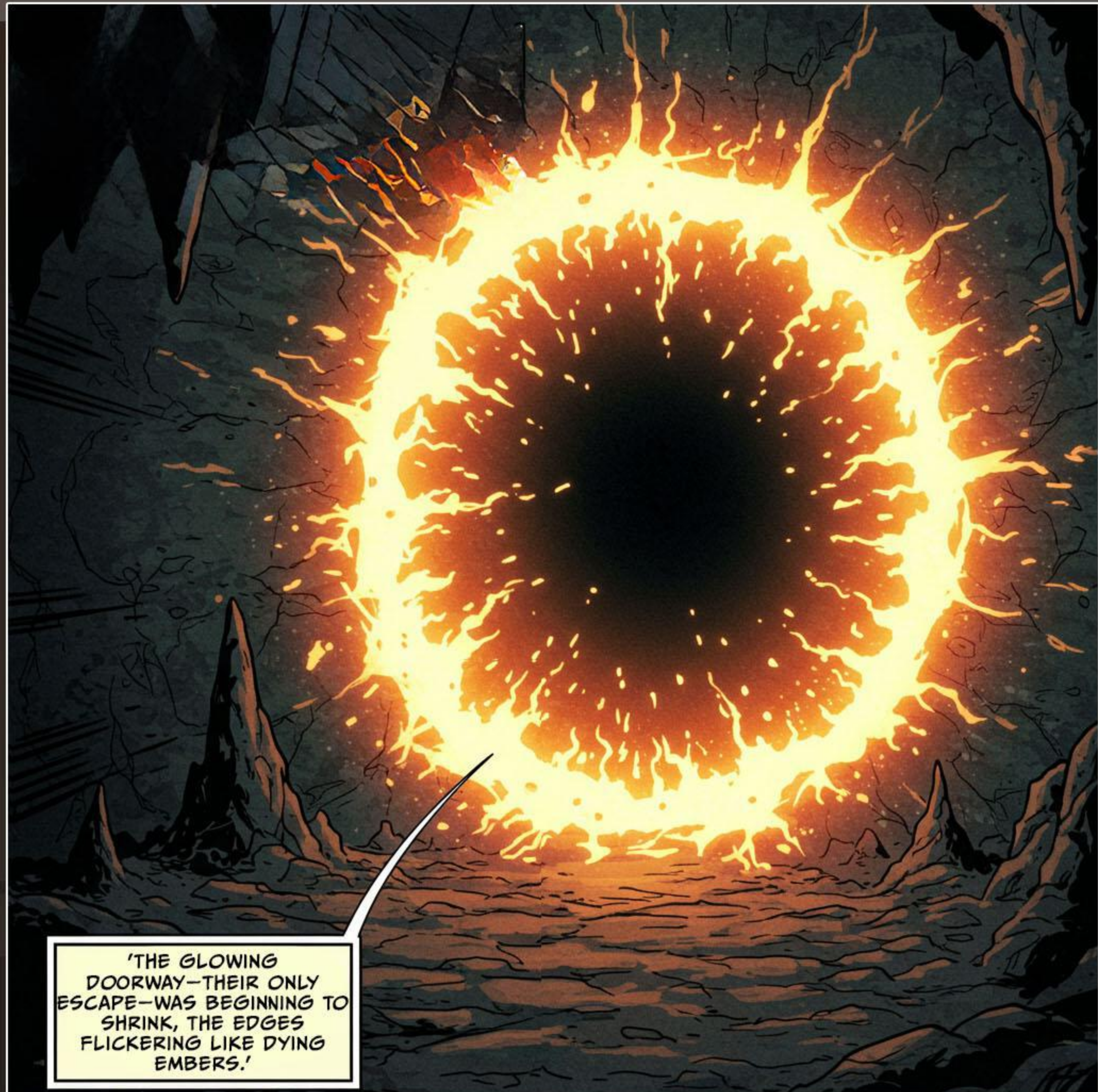
'AND THEN, THEY TURNED BACK—KNOWING THEY HAD UNCOVERED EVERY HIDDEN TRUTH THE MAP HAD LED THEM TO.'



'TIME WAS RUNNING OUT.'



THE PORTAL.. IT'S SHRINKIN



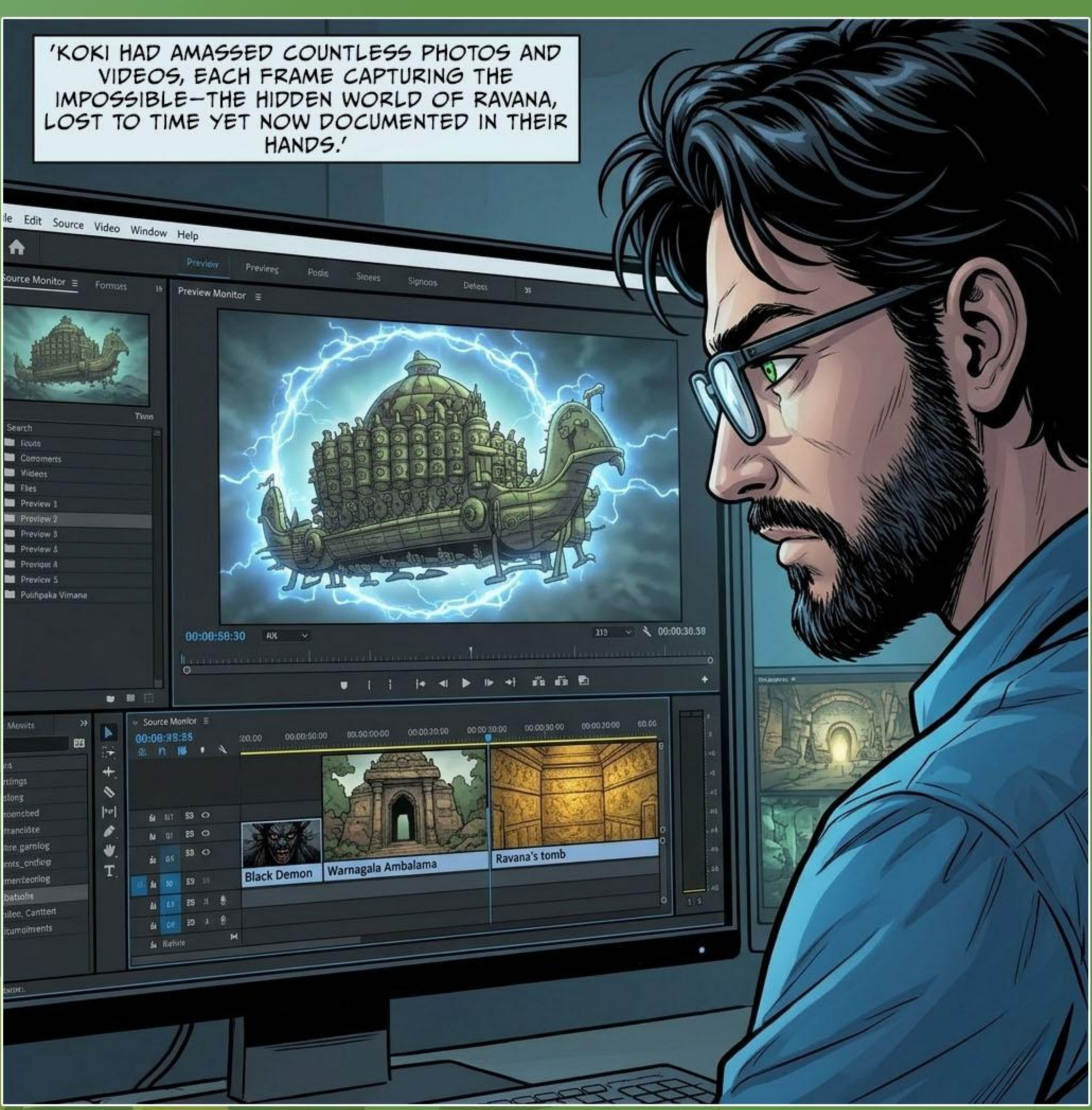
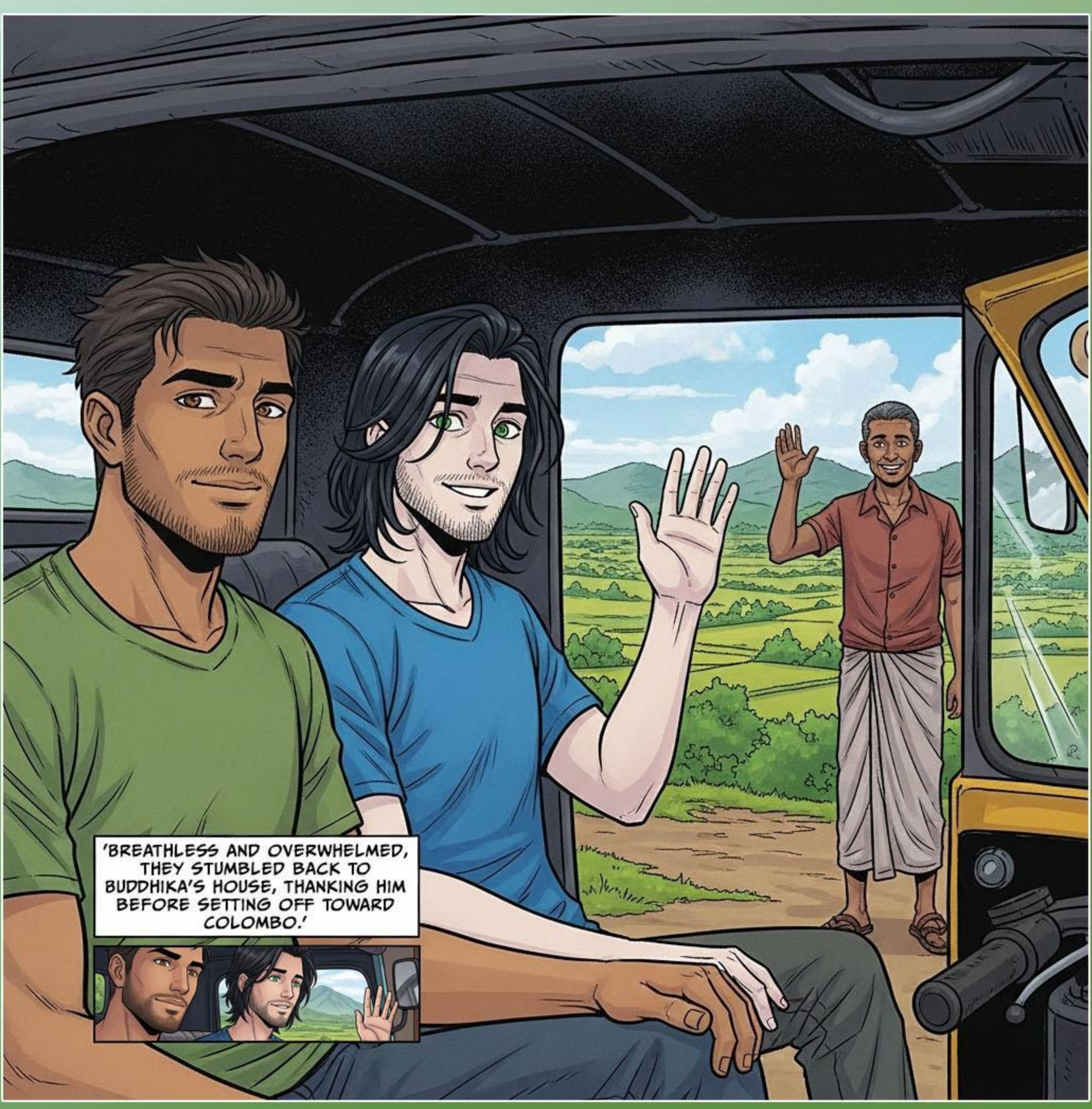
'THE GLOWING DOORWAY—THEIR ONLY ESCAPE—WAS BEGINNING TO SHRINK, THE EDGES FLICKERING LIKE DYING EMBERS.'



WHOOOSH!



'THE PORTAL COLLAPSED INWARD—JUST AS THEY LEAPED THROUGH. THE WORLD SHIFTED.'



BUT ONE NIGHT,
ALONE IN HIS ROOM,
CHAM FELT UNEASY.



**RUSTLE...
RUSTLE...
RUSTLE...**



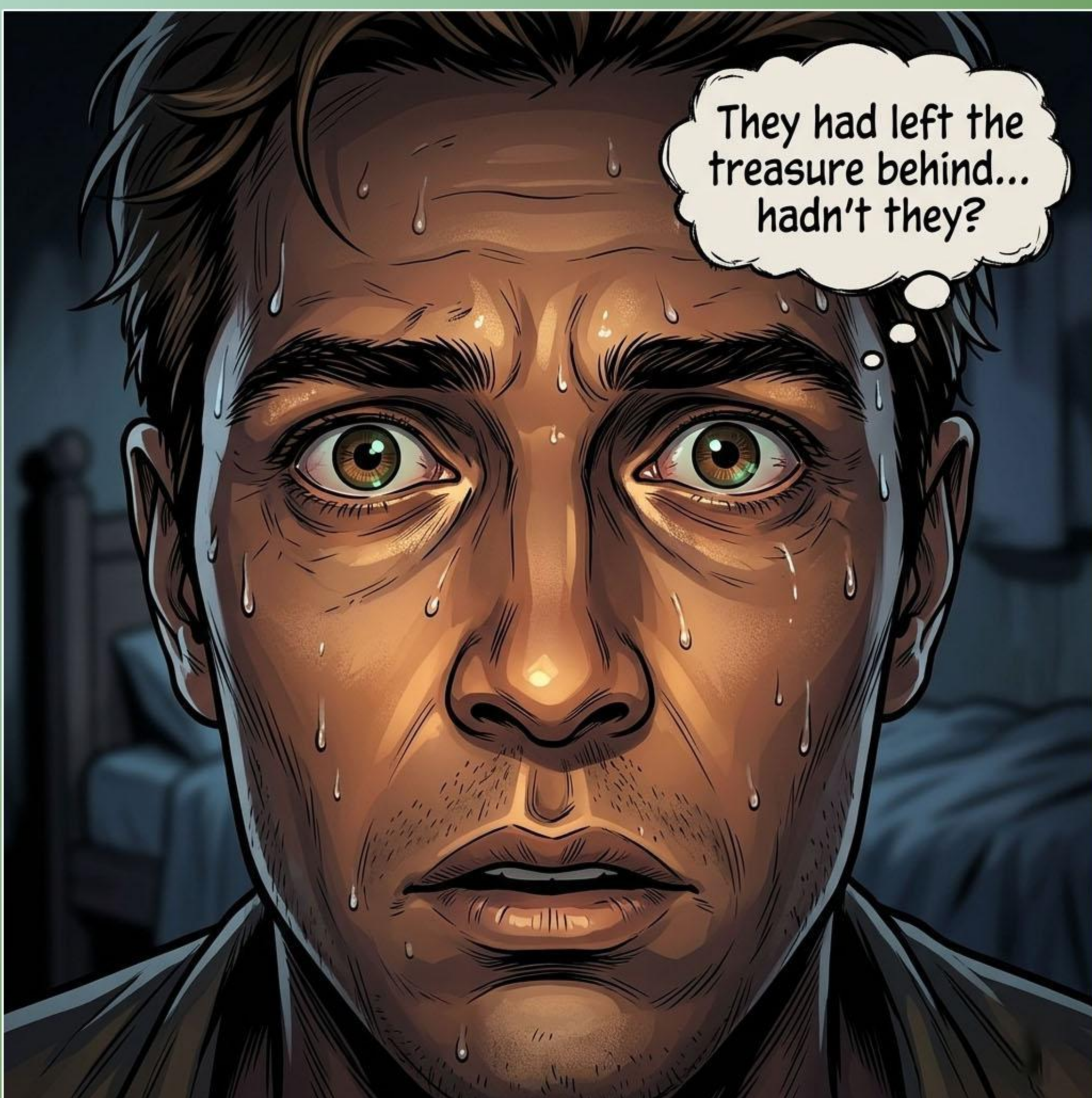
And then, he froze.



A small bag. One he hadn't
remembered packing.
Inside—three gold coins.



They had left the
treasure behind...
hadn't they?



A cold realization crept
over him. The legend
wasn't over. Not yet.



TO BE CONTINUED...

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SAMARAWICKRAMA

**A treasure worth dying for.
A curse that never forgets.**

WHEN CHAM AND HIS TEAM VENTURED INTO THE FORGOTTEN DEPTHS OF THE 85 AXIS, THEY THOUGHT THEY WERE SEARCHING FOR HISTORY. WHAT THEY FOUND WAS THE LEGENDARY TREASURE OF KING RAVANA—AND A DARKNESS THAT HAD BEEN WAITING FOR CENTURIES. THEY ESCAPED THE CAVE, BUT DID THEY ESCAPE THE CURSE? BACK IN THE CITY, CHAM REALIZES THAT SOME SECRETS

