

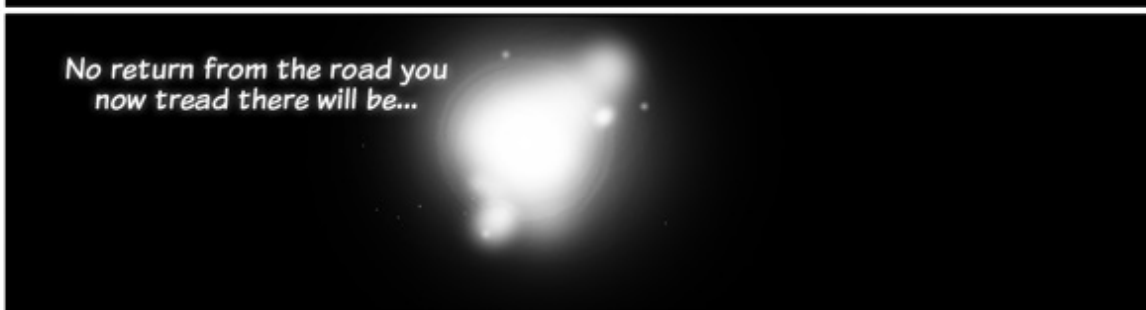
SONIC THE HEDGEHOG SEASON 3



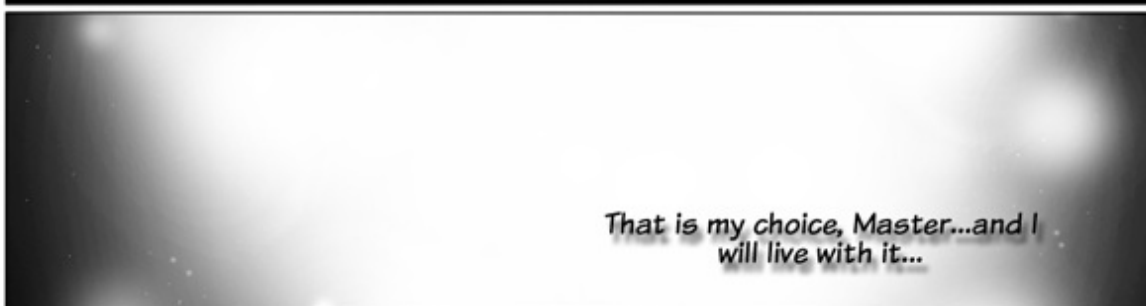
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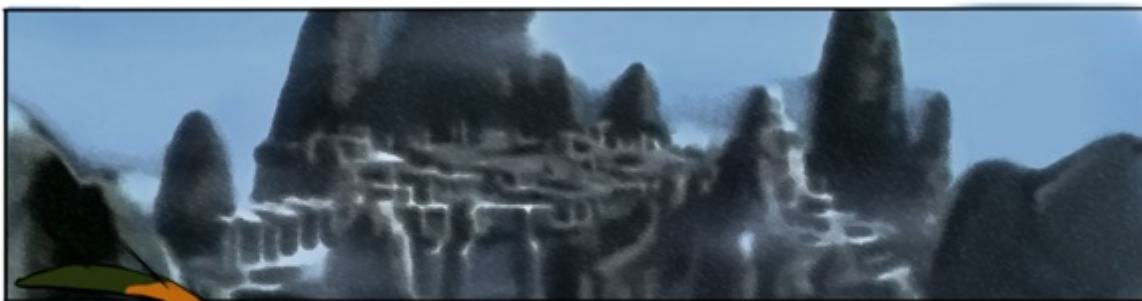


No return from the road you
now tread there will be...



That is my choice, Master...and I
will live with it...



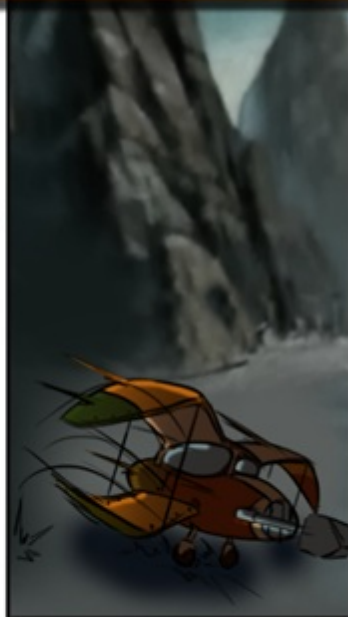


The Hunt Begins, Part One: Return to Maga

WHOOOSH

Remind me,
why'd we let
Sugah-Hog fly
the plane
again?

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Perfect
landing!

Whew...

Define
"perfect"...



This place looks way past cool, you guys! Why couldn't I come here with you last time?

Because it is being a most dangerous of places...

Not so dangerous we couldn't snatch up the Secret Scrolls 'n' walk away in one piece, Sugah-Ant!

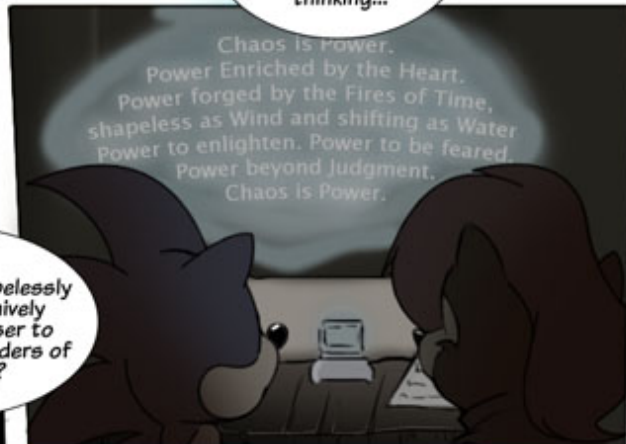


You really think this place can help us figure out the riddle that weirdo "Guardian" stuck us with, Sal?

I'm not positive, Sonic, but something Naugus said the last time we saw him in Robotropolis got me thinking...



-Or forge on, hopelessly alone, while Snively draws ever closer to claiming the wonders of this world?



Chaos is Power.
Power Enriched by the Heart.
Power forged by the Fires of Time,
shapeless as Wind and shifting as Water
Power to enlighten. Power to be feared.
Power beyond Judgment.
Chaos is Power.

It was that word he used, "wonders", which struck me...

The Guardian's scroll talks about seven different kinds of power which stem from this "Chaos", while the Secret Scrolls described the seven wonders of Mobius.



I think there's a connection, and as the place that housed the Secret Scrolls, Maga seems the best place to start looking for it.



Bit of a long-shot, don't ya think, Sal?









This baby goes down for miles from what I saw of it last time.



I juiced a good length 'n' didn't even come close to the bottom.

If something is messin' with the wind-tunnel, I don't think we'll be able to spot it all the way up here.



You are meaning to have us go inside zis thing?

What if ze winds start up again?



No need to get your toupee in a twist, 'Twan. There are lil alcoves all along the tunnel.

If the winds come back, we can hide in 'em 'til it's safe to go again.

Then let's get a move-on. The sooner we find out what caused the winds to stop, the better.



Can't help but notice you're particularly gung-ho 'bout all this, Sally-girl. You sure you're doin' alright...?

I'll be fine, Bunnie. I just...have to keep moving, that's all.

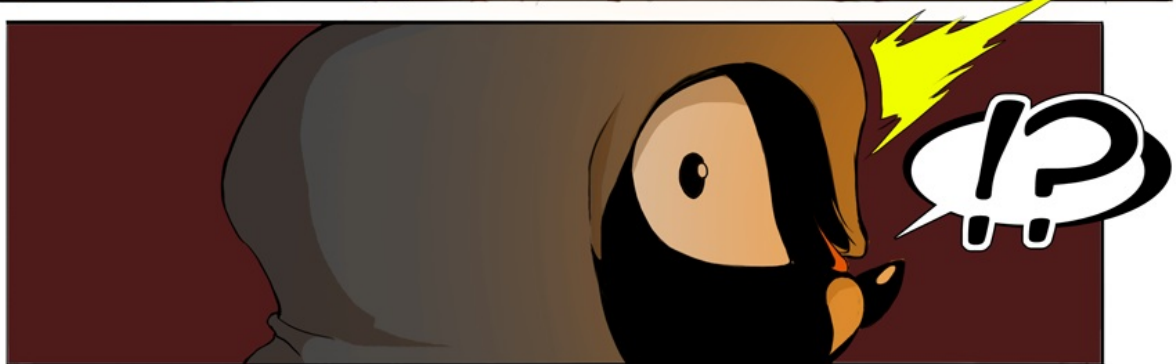


That's what's got me worried...

Eventually...



Oh thank ze goodyness, ze end is almost in sight!





SO YOU'RE
THE ONE SCREWING
UP THE WIND
TUNNEL!

MR. GUARDIAN!

I HAVEN'T
"SCREWED UP"
ANYTHING.

I SIMPLY PUT
THE WIND TUNNEL
TO REST SO I COULD
EXAMINE ITS
HEART...



WELL AIN'T
THAT A NIFTY
TRICK?



SO...THAT
CRYSTAL IS WHAT
GENERATES THE WINDS
FROM THE TUNNEL?



I AM NOT
SURE I AM INCLINED
TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION,
PRINCESS.

SO FAR YOU'VE
GIVEN ME NO REASON
TO DISTRUST YOU-

BUT AFTER
OUR PREVIOUS ENCOUNTER
I DECIDED TO INVESTIGATE
WHAT OTHER FORCES YOUR
TEAM HAS TRIFLED WITH
OTHER THAN THE DEEP
POWER STONES...

AND THE
RESULTS HAVE SO
FAR BEEN MOST
UNNERVING.



THE CITY OF
MAGA IS ONLY MY LATEST
STOP; THE FLOATING ISLAND,
THE FORBIDDEN ZONE, DROOD
HENSE...ALL OF THEM TOUCHED
BY YOUR PRESENCE.



SO?



I TOLD YOU BEFORE:
INTERFERING
WITH POWERS OF
THIS MAGNITUDE HAS
CONSEQUENCES.

YOUR
ACTIONS MAY
WELL HAVE PUT
THIS WHOLE
PLANET IN
JEOPARDY.



WATCH IT,
BLD!
WE'VE BEEN
BUSTIN' OUR BUTTS
TRYIN' TO SAVE
THIS PLANET!
WHERE
HAVE YOU BEEN
HIDING ALL THAT
TIME?

YOUR
MOTIVES ARE
IRRELEVANT.
WHY YOU
WANT TO USE
THESE POWERS DOES
NOT CHANGE THE RISK
POSED BY USING
THEM.



LOOK,
MR. GUARDIAN,
YOU SAVED MY LIFE IN
ROBOTROPOLIS, SO I
KNOW YOU'RE NOT
A BAD GUY.

BUT I
THINK YOU NEED TO
GIVE US A CHANCE HERE.
WE'RE ONLY TRYIN'
TO DO THE RIGHT
THING.



YOU
HEARD HIM,
BIG GUY:

"THE RIGHT THING"
DOESN'T ADD UP TO
MUCH IN HIS
BOOK.



WHAT'RE
YOU DOIN',
SALLY-GIRL?

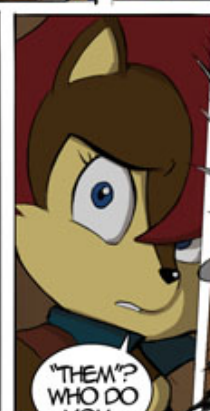
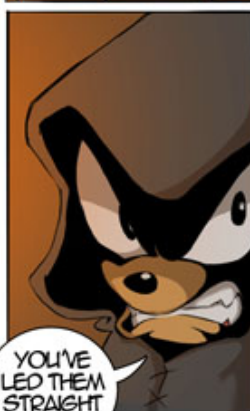
WE'VE
KINDA GOT STUFF
TO DEAL WITH
HERE....

I KNOW,

BUT SINCE
THIS "GUARDIAN" DOESN'T
SEEM TO WANT TO SHARE WHAT
HE KNOWS ABOUT THAT CRYSTAL,
I'M HOPING THE SYMBOLS ON
THESE WALLS CAN DO
THE JOB FOR US.



TRANSLATING...





SO THIS IS
WHERE THE WIND TUNNEL
LEADS...

I TOLD YOU
MY TRACKING SPELL WAS
FLAWLESS!



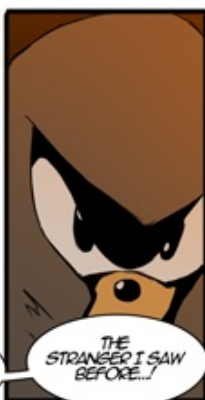
OH GREAT!
WHAT'RE THESE 'JOKERS' DOIN'
HERE?

FOLLOWING
YOUR TRAIL, NO
DOUBT!

NOW'S
REALLY NOT THE
TIME, BOYS!



YOU...!



THE
STRANGER I SAW
BEFORE...!



EYES
ON THE PRIZE,
NAUGUS!

I WANT
THAT CRYSTAL
BEFORE WE WORRY
ABOUT ANOTHER NEW
PEST!

DON'T
PRESUME TO LECTURE
ME WHILE YOU USE THIS
REMOTE-CONTROLLED DOLL
TO TAG ALONG WHILE COW-
ERING BEHIND IN
ROBOTROPOLIS...!



WE'VE GOT
TO DISTRACT THEM SOMEHOW,
GET TO SOMEWHERE MORE
OPEN...!

NO!

THE WIND
CRYSTAL MUST BE
PROTECTED AT ALL
COSTS!

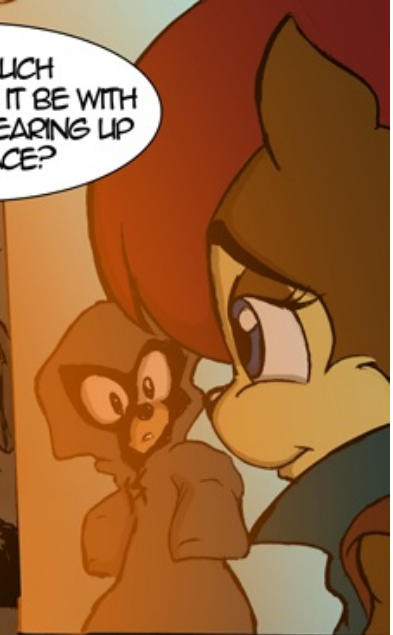


VEEEEEEEEEEE





YOU CAN
TAKE THE CRYSTAL WITH YOU.
I PROMISE, WE WON'T LET THEM
GET THEIR HANDS
ON IT.



-HOW MUCH
SAFER COULD IT BE WITH
THOSE TWO TEARING UP
THIS PLACE?

AND BESIDES-

CRASH



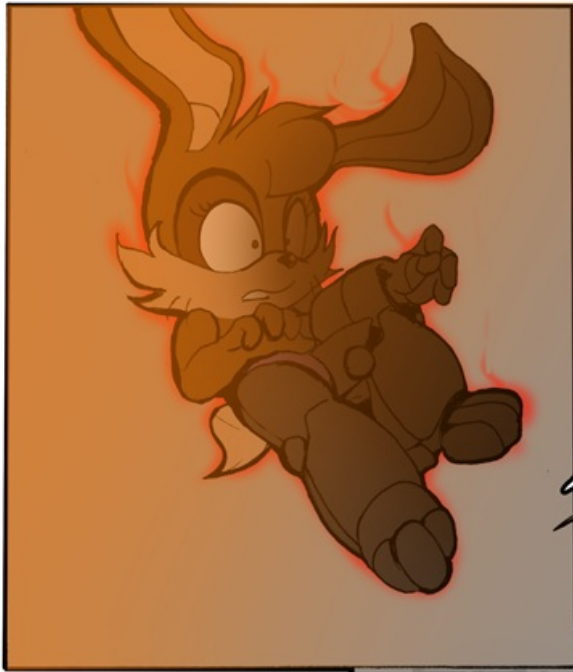
WHATEVER
WE'RE DOING, THE
SOONER THE
BETTER!



VERY WELL...
JUST THIS
ONCE...



NO!
YOU WILL
NOT DENY ME
MY DESTINY!

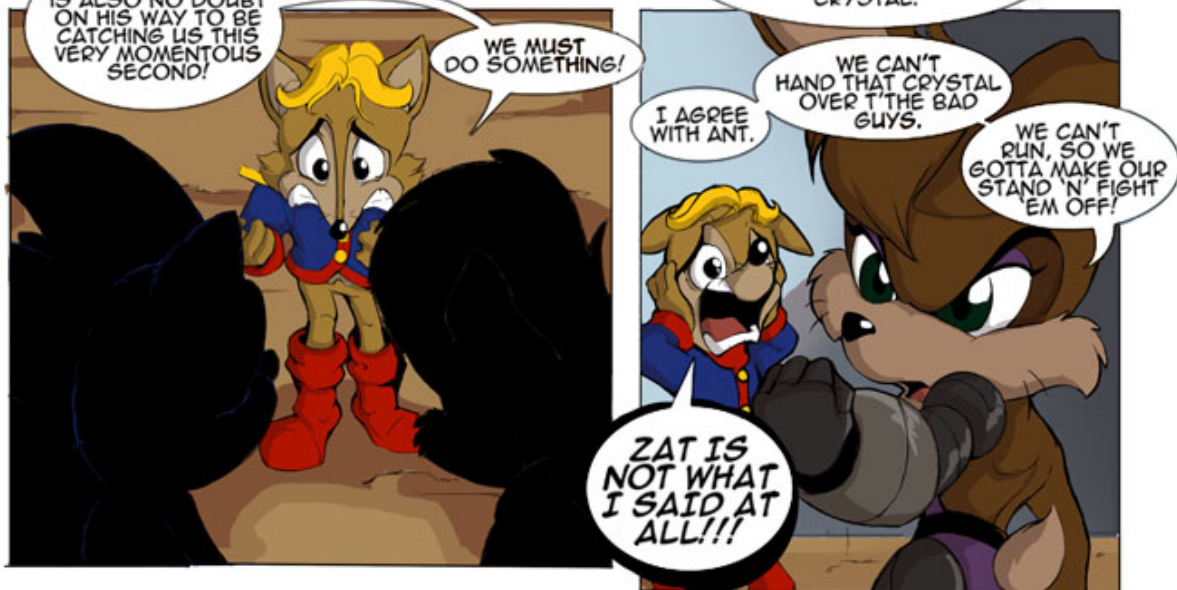


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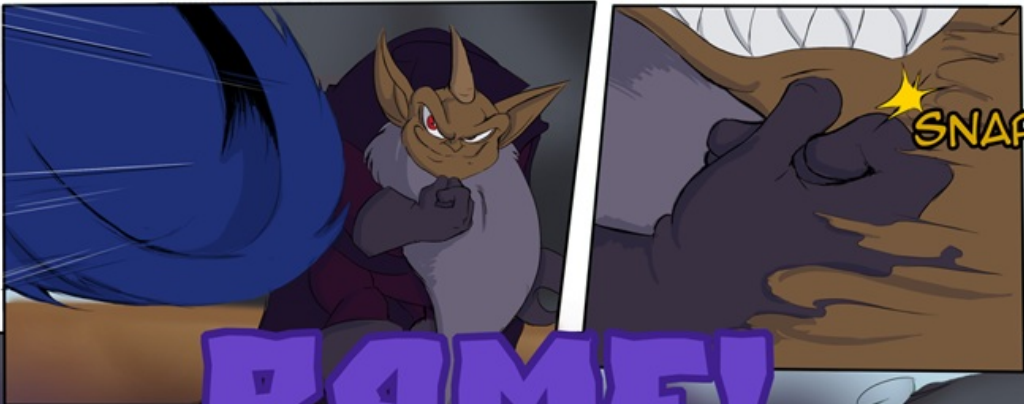










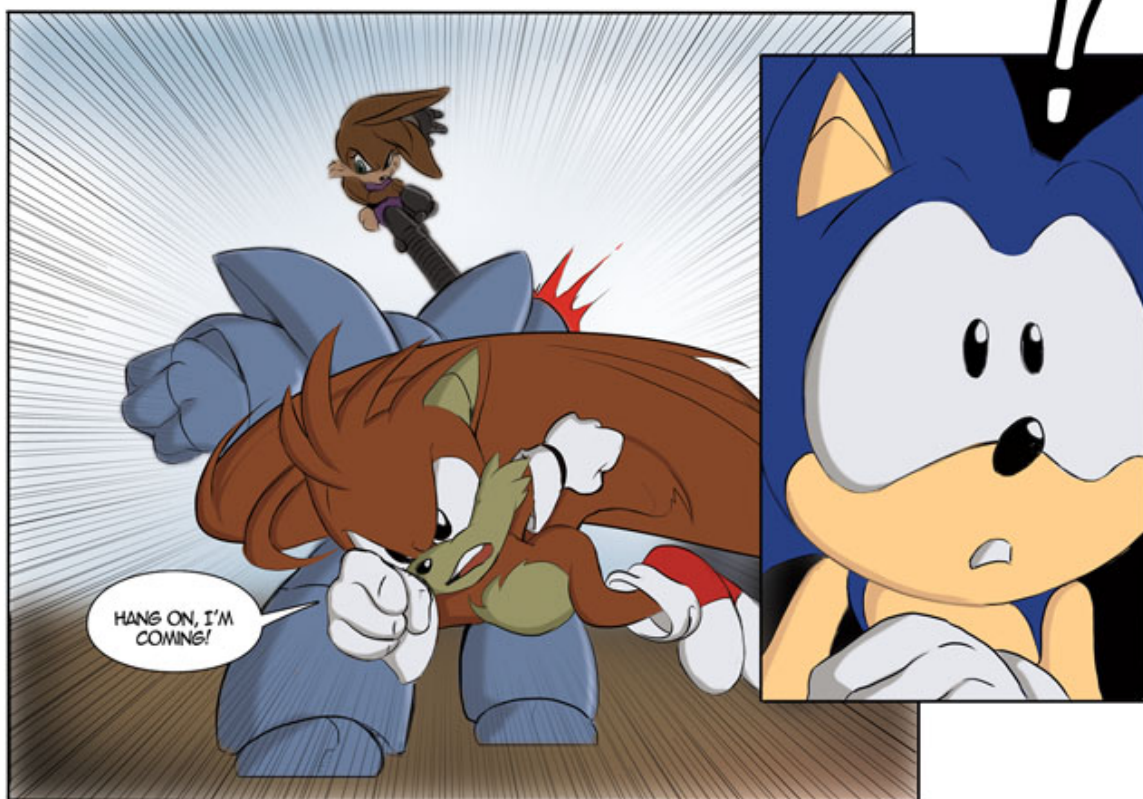


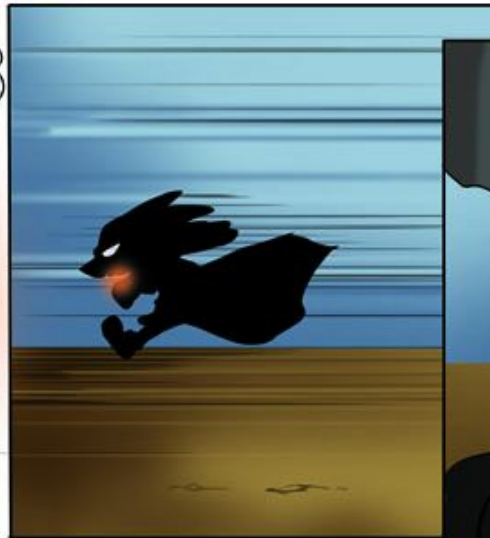


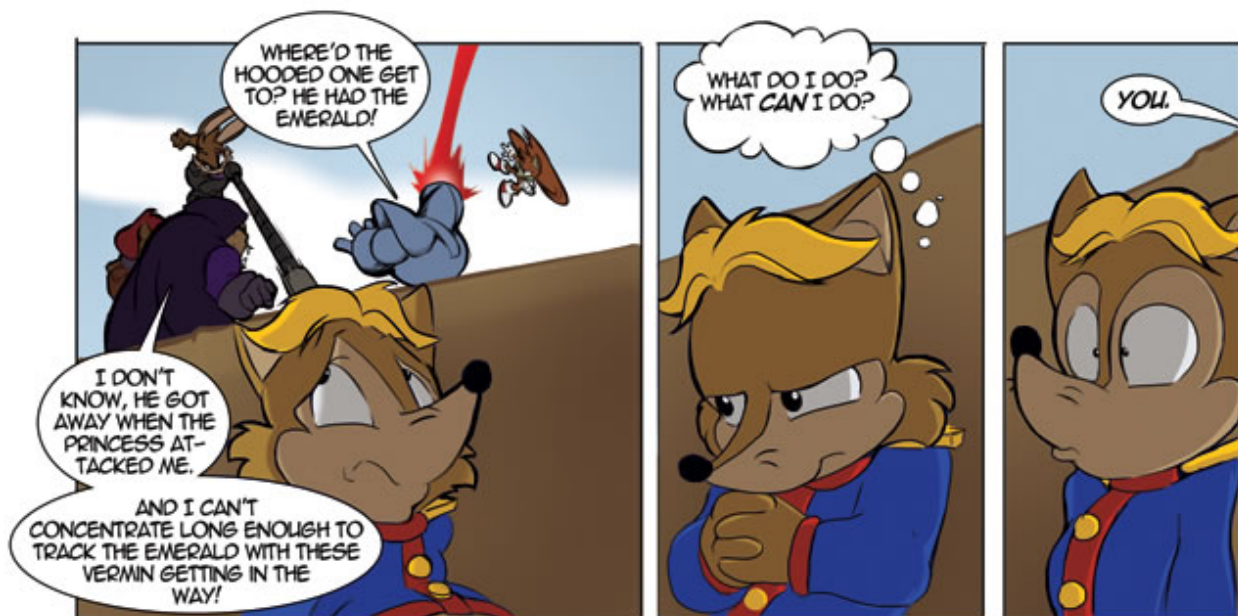






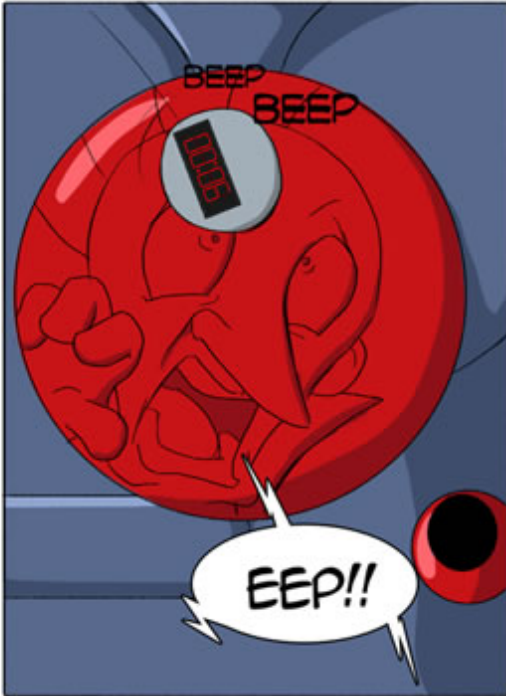
















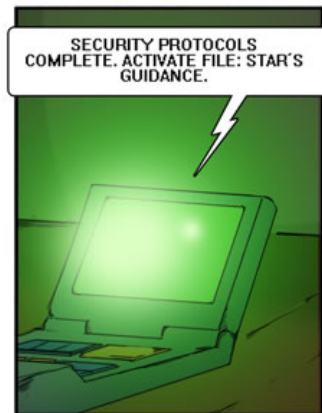






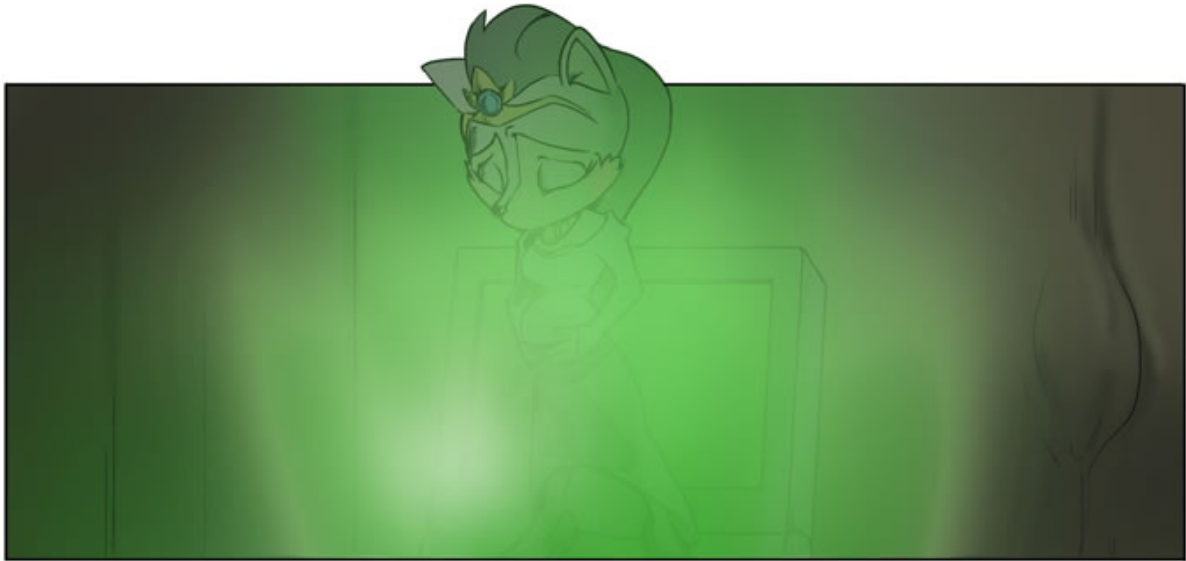
...NO.





STAR'S GUIDANCE? I'VE NEVER SEEN THAT FILE BEFORE...





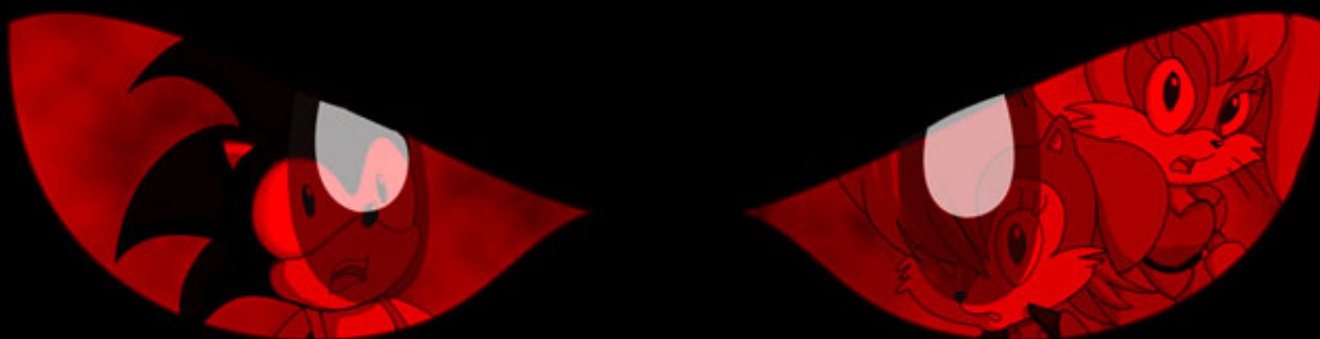
HELLO,
MY DEAREST
DAUGHTER.

I AM QUEEN
NICOLE ACORN, AND IF
YOU ARE SEEING THIS
MESSAGE, IT MEANS
THE TIME HAS COME
FOR YOU TO LEARN A
VERY IMPORTANT
TRUTH.



M...MOTHER...?

TO BE CONTINUED



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WHAT COLOR IS MY HEART?

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
SEASON

