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MIFUNE AND  
HANZOU MEET IN  
A FLASH! WHAT  
LIES IN THEIR  
PAST?

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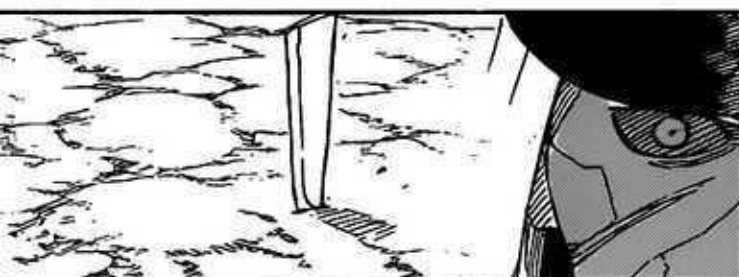
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THEN YOU  
MAY HAVE  
FORGOTTEN  
WHAT YOU SAID  
AFTER YOU  
CLEAVED MY  
FLESH, AS  
WELL...

SO YOU'VE  
FORGOTTEN  
ME...



# Naruto

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TO  
KILL  
ME?

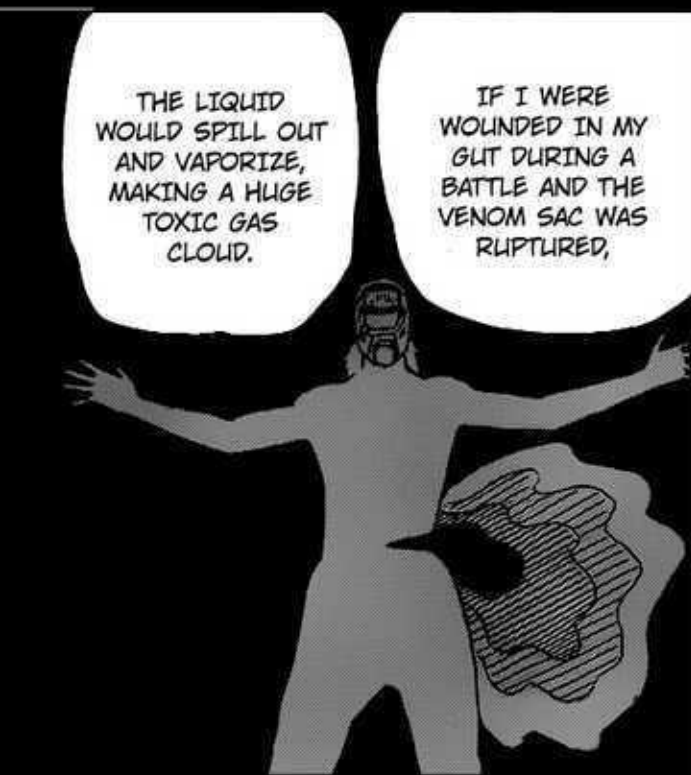
THEN WHY...  
DIDN'T YOU  
TAKE YOUR  
MASK OFF...

THEY WERE  
TERRIFIED OF  
ME...A KID.

TO KEEP  
PEOPLE  
AROUND ME  
SAFE, I HAD  
TO START  
BREATHING  
THROUGH  
THIS MASK.



I CAN  
ENVENOMATE  
NEARBY PEOPLE  
JUST BY **BREATH-  
ING** ON THEM.



THE LIQUID  
WOULD SPILL OUT  
AND VAPORIZE,  
MAKING A HUGE  
TOXIC GAS  
CLOUD.

IF I WERE  
WOUNDED IN MY  
GUT DURING A  
BATTLE AND THE  
VENOM SAC WAS  
RUPTURED,



YOU  
SEE, THE  
MASK  
ALSO

I'VE  
DONE THAT  
TOO, BUT IT  
CARRIES A  
RISK.

PROTECTS  
ME FROM  
POISON.



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IT WOULDN'T BE  
ENOUGH TO KILL  
ME, BUT IT'D GIVE  
MY ENEMY AN  
OPENING.

EVEN WITH  
MY SUBSTANTIAL  
RESISTANCE TO  
POISONS, BREATHING  
SOMETHING LIKE THAT  
WOULD STOP ME IN  
MY TRACKS.





IT ENDS  
WHEN THEY  
LOSE THEIR  
FAITH.



EVEN IF  
YOU DIE  
HERE, IT  
DOESN'T  
MEAN YOU  
WERE DULL,  
LIKE YOUR  
SWORD.

THAT'S  
ANOTHER  
PROBLEM.

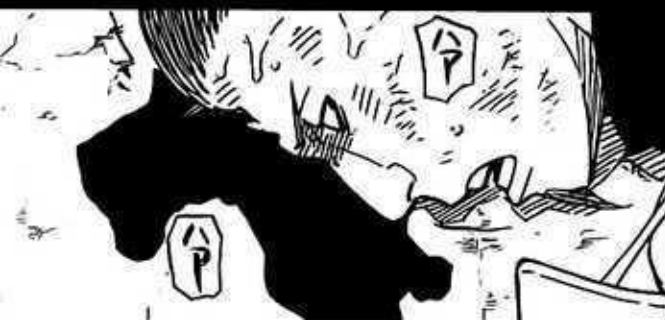
YOU CAN'T JUDGE  
SOMETHING LIKE  
THAT WITH YOUR  
EYES.



BUT  
YOU STOOD  
BEFORE ME  
TO PROTECT  
THEM.

NO, I'D CALL YOUR  
COMRADES WHO  
HAD NO INTENTION  
TO FIGHT FROM  
THE START "DULL  
BLADES."

IF YOU  
WERE, YOU'D HAVE  
SCAMPERED OFF  
IN FEAR OF MY  
NAME.







BUT YOU  
CAN TELL BY  
FIGHTING  
THEM.

AND I  
HAVEN'T FOUGHT  
SOMEONE LIKE  
YOU IN QUITE  
A WHILE.

LIKE I  
SAID, YOU  
CAN'T TELL IF  
A PERSON'S  
GOT FAITH  
JUST FROM  
LOOKING  
AT THEM.

!?

SO I'LL  
SAVE YOU...  
THIS TIME.

ALTHOUGH  
TAKING THE  
ANTIDOTE  
DOESN'T  
GUARANTEE  
YOU WON'T  
DIE.

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I'LL  
TEST MY  
FAITH ON  
YOU...

I HAVE FAITH  
MYSELF...

IT'S A DIFFICULT  
THING, TO PIERCE  
SOMEONE'S  
FAITH.

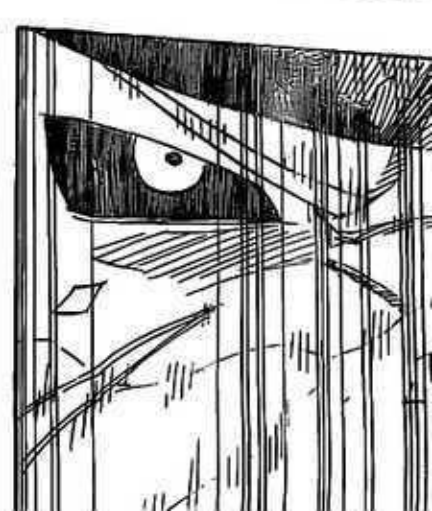
THAT I'LL BE  
ABLE TO BRING  
PEACE TO THE  
WORLD.









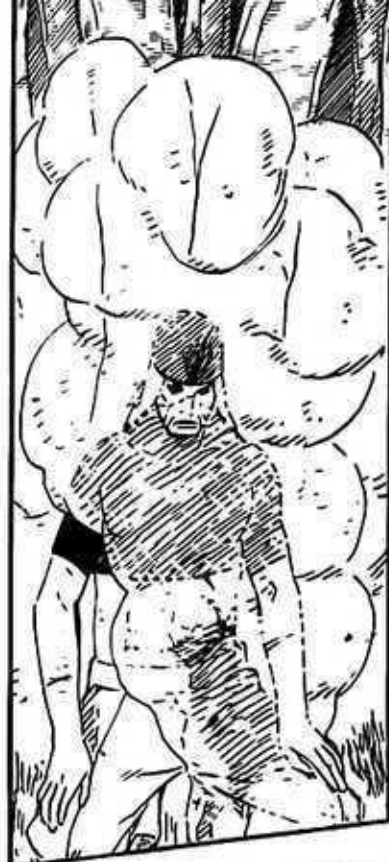






USING  
OTHERS  
AS PUPPETS  
TO DO HIS  
WORK.

HANZOU-DONO  
WOULD NEVER  
SUCCUMB TO A  
COWARD WHO  
HIDES IN THE  
PROTECTION  
OF SHADOWS,



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YOU RISKED  
YOURSELF AND  
REGAINED YOUR  
FAITH...

YOU  
WERE NO  
DULL BLADE,  
MY FRIEND.



HE JUST  
FROZE!!

WHAT  
?!





HERE HE  
COMES!

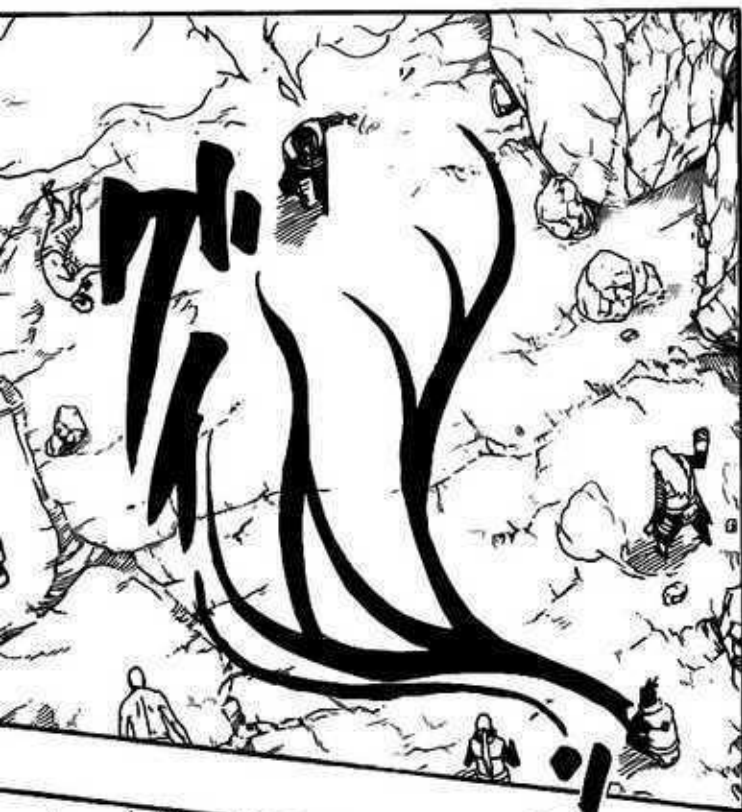


YOU'RE TOO  
SLOW, CHOUJI!  
GET YOUR HEAD  
ON STRAIGHT!



UGH!





SHIKAMARU,  
USE THE  
SHADOW  
MIMIC TO  
BRING ME  
OVER TO  
CHOJI!



SHADOW  
MIMIC  
TECHNIQUE!

ONE  
STEP  
AHEAD  
OF YOU!



GOOD!

NOW,  
CHOJI!





I CAN'T  
BEAT  
UP OUR  
SENSEI!

I CAN'T  
DO IT!



CHAG!



CHOUJI!



GET OUT  
OF THE  
WAY!

WIND  
ELEMENT —  
DUST STORM  
TECHNIQUE!

CHOUJI'S  
EMOTIONS  
HAVE LEAD HIM  
ASTRAY...!!

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