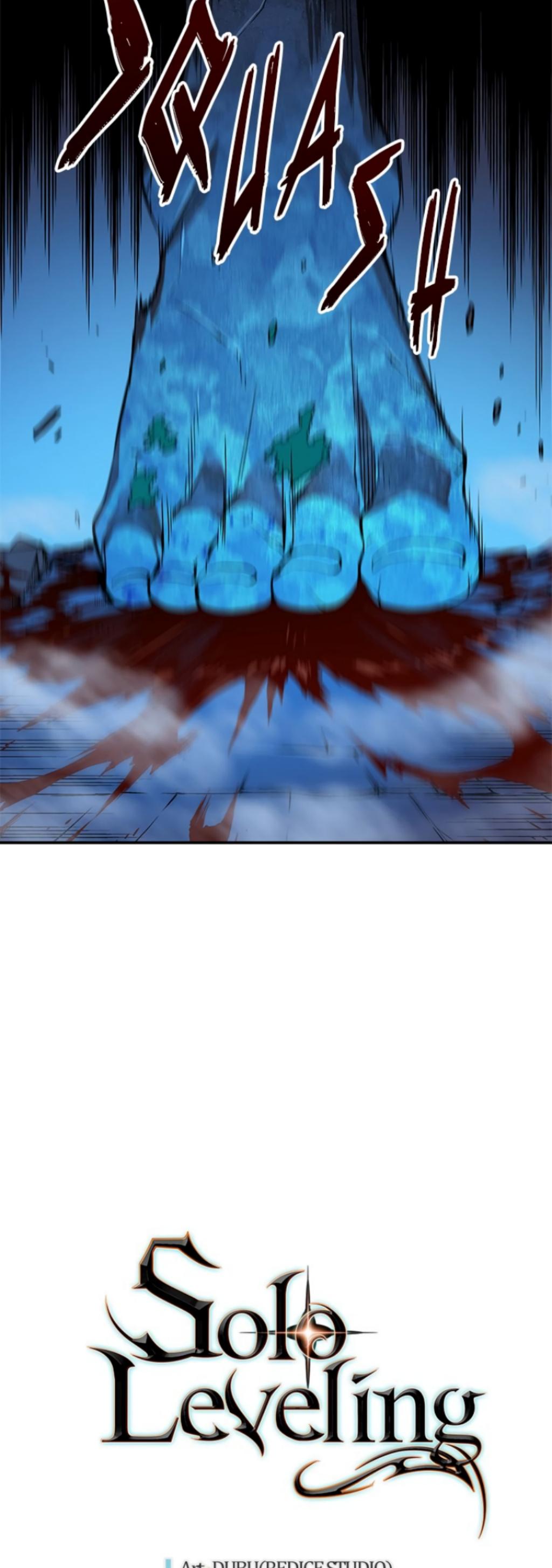




I RISE WITH YOU,  
LORD, AND WALK  
WITH THEE.





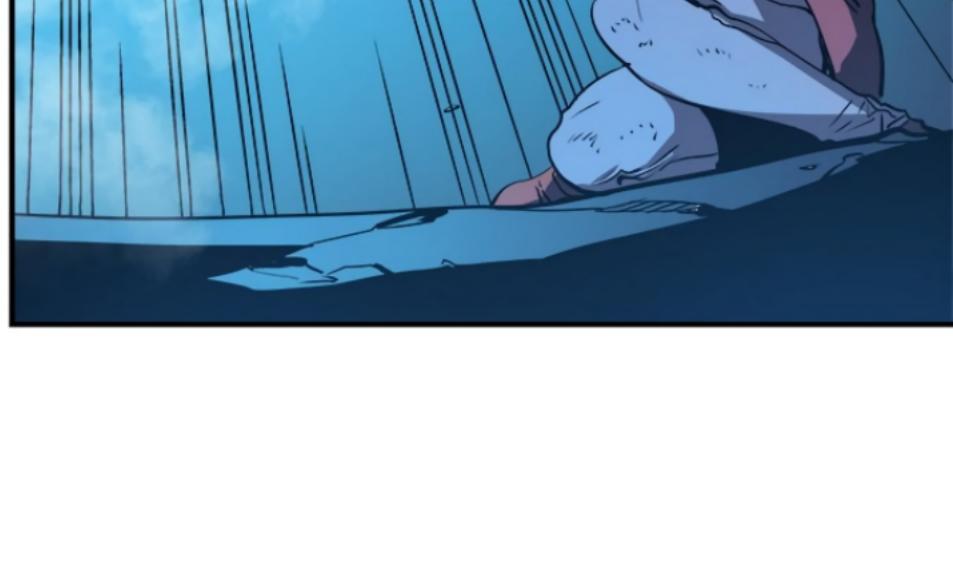
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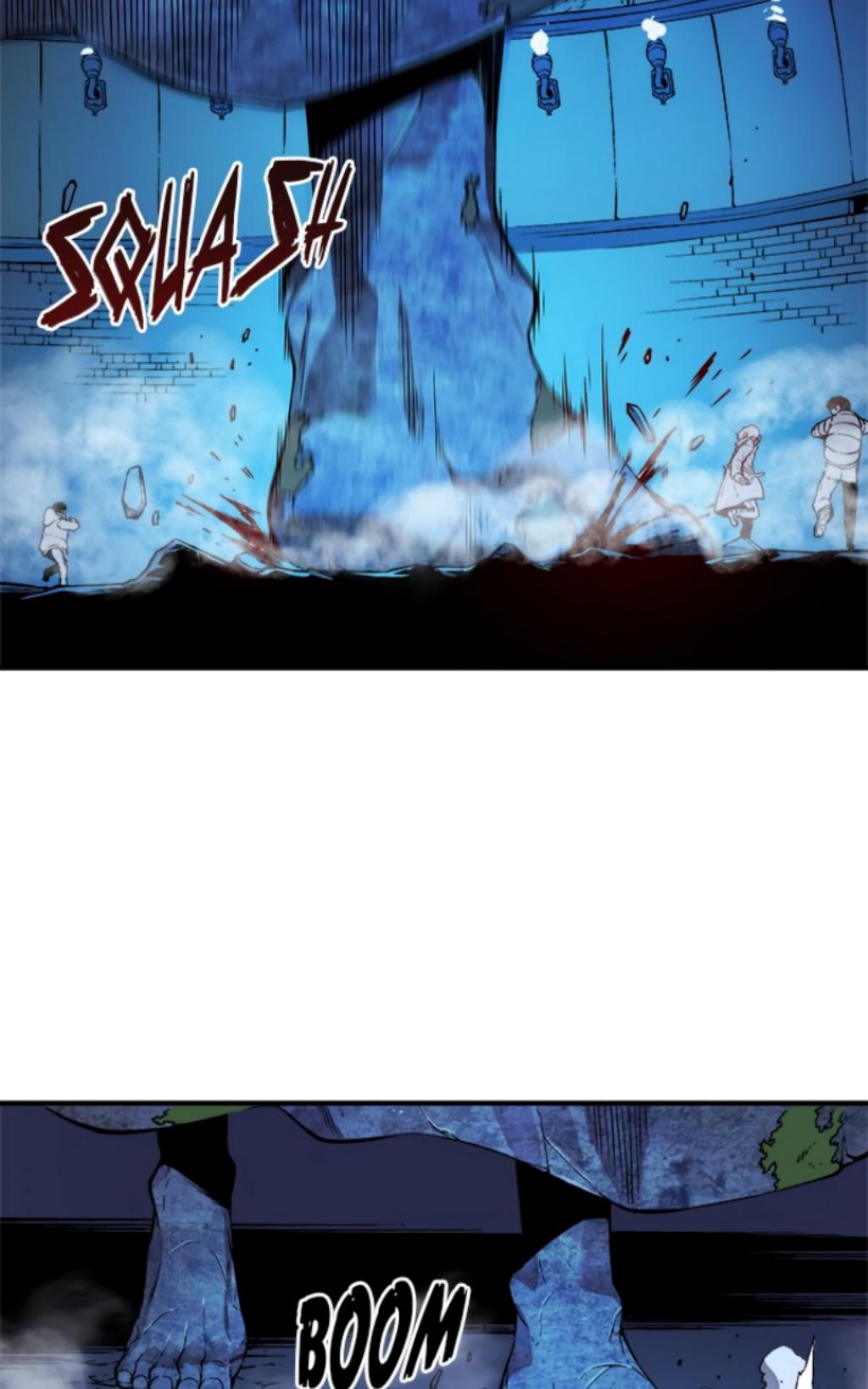
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I CAN'T  
DIE HERE! NOT  
LIKE THIS!

WHY NOT QUIT  
THAT DANGEROUS  
JOB AND GET A  
NORMAL ONE  
INSTEAD?

WE HAVE  
TWO KIDS  
NOW.

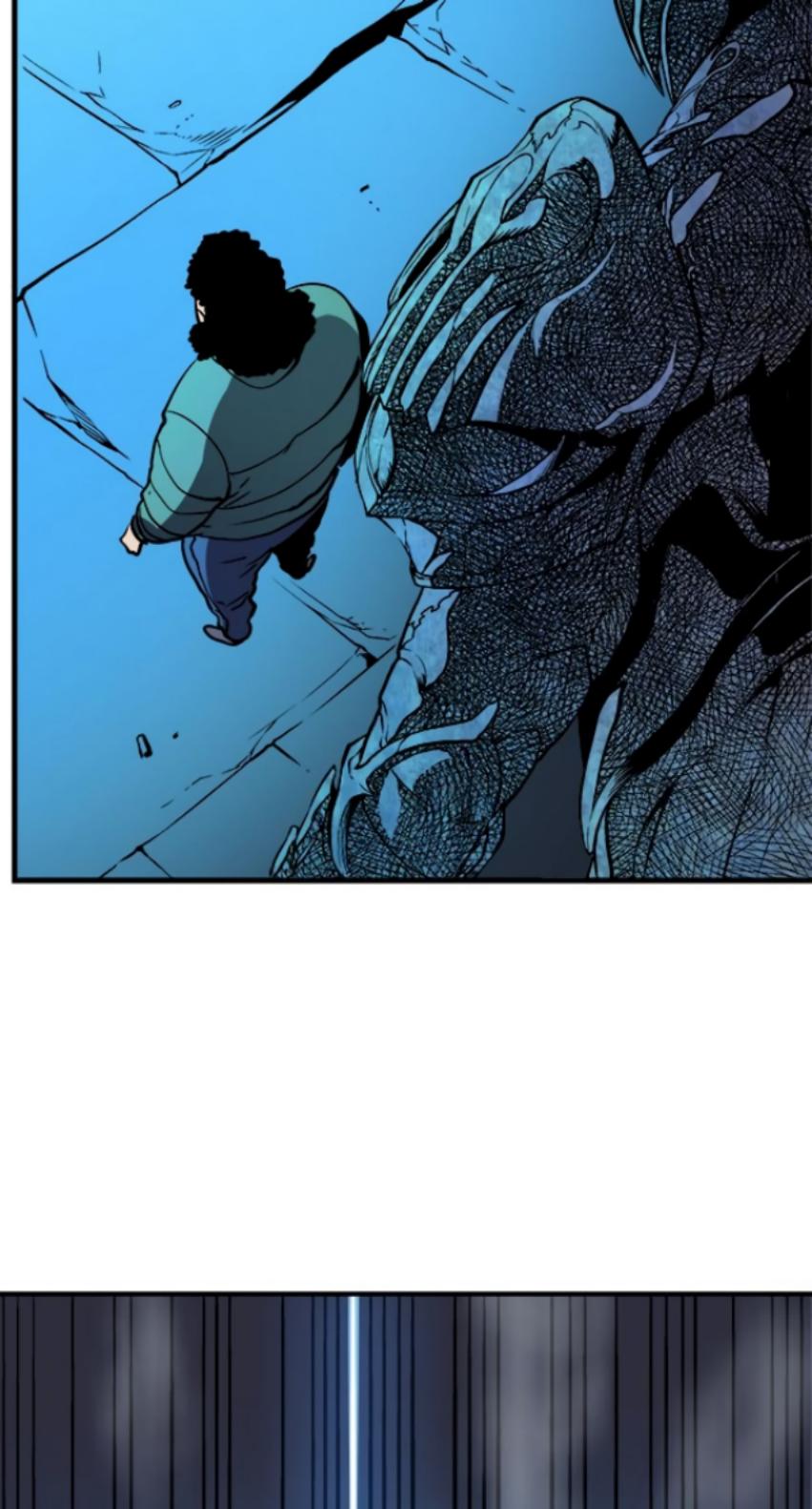
NAH, I GOTTA  
MAKE AS MUCH  
MONEY AS  
I CAN...

I'VE JUST  
MADE UP MY MIND  
TO PROVIDE FOR  
MY FAMILY...!!

THIS SHOULD  
BE FAR ENOUGH,  
RIGHT?

PARK!  
BEHIND  
YOU!!

LOOK  
BEHIND YOU!!





CLANK

SPLURRY

THOU SHALL  
PRAISE GOD.

THOU SHALL  
PRAISE GOD.

THOU SHALL...  
PRAISE GOD.

THERE'S NO  
WAY WE COULD  
PRAISE THAT  
THING!



IT'S THE **DEVIL!**

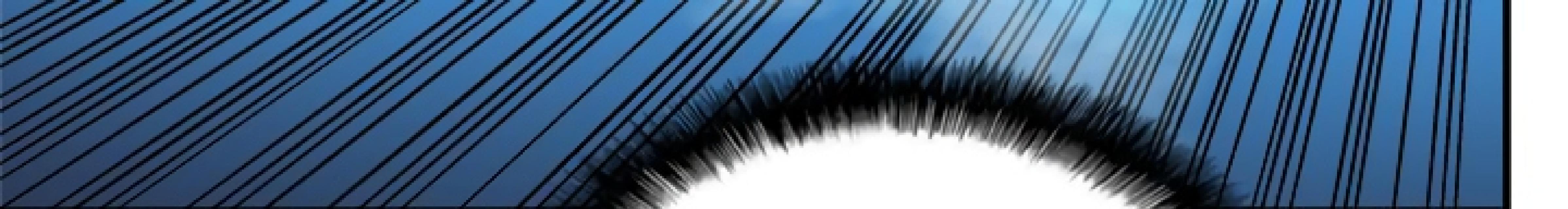
A close-up of a massive, multi-armed stone statue of a deity, with intricate carvings and a stern expression. The statue is set against a dark, atmospheric background.

A stone statue is shown in mid-air, having just performed a powerful slash attack. The word "SLASH" is written in a bold, white, jagged font. Other stone statues are visible in the background, some appearing to move or attack.

A stone statue is shown in mid-air, having just performed a powerful stab attack. The word "STAB" is written in a bold, white, jagged font. Other stone statues are visible in the background, some appearing to move or attack.

AGH!

A stone statue is shown in mid-air, having just performed a powerful swing attack. The word "SWING" is written in a bold, white, jagged font. Other stone statues are visible in the background, some appearing to move or attack.



THEY'RE  
ARMED WITH  
AXES, SPEARS,  
SWORDS...

...HAMMERS, IRON  
MACES, BOWS, AND  
INSTRUMENTS...

MY ARM!

SLASH

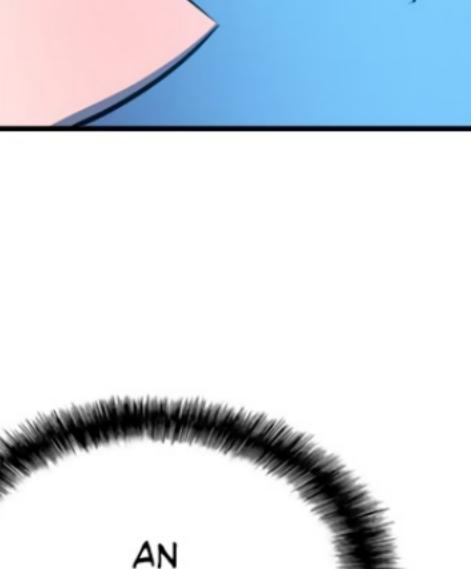
MY ARM!

WE CAN'T GO NEAR  
THEM, OR RUN AWAY!  
WHAT DO WE DO?

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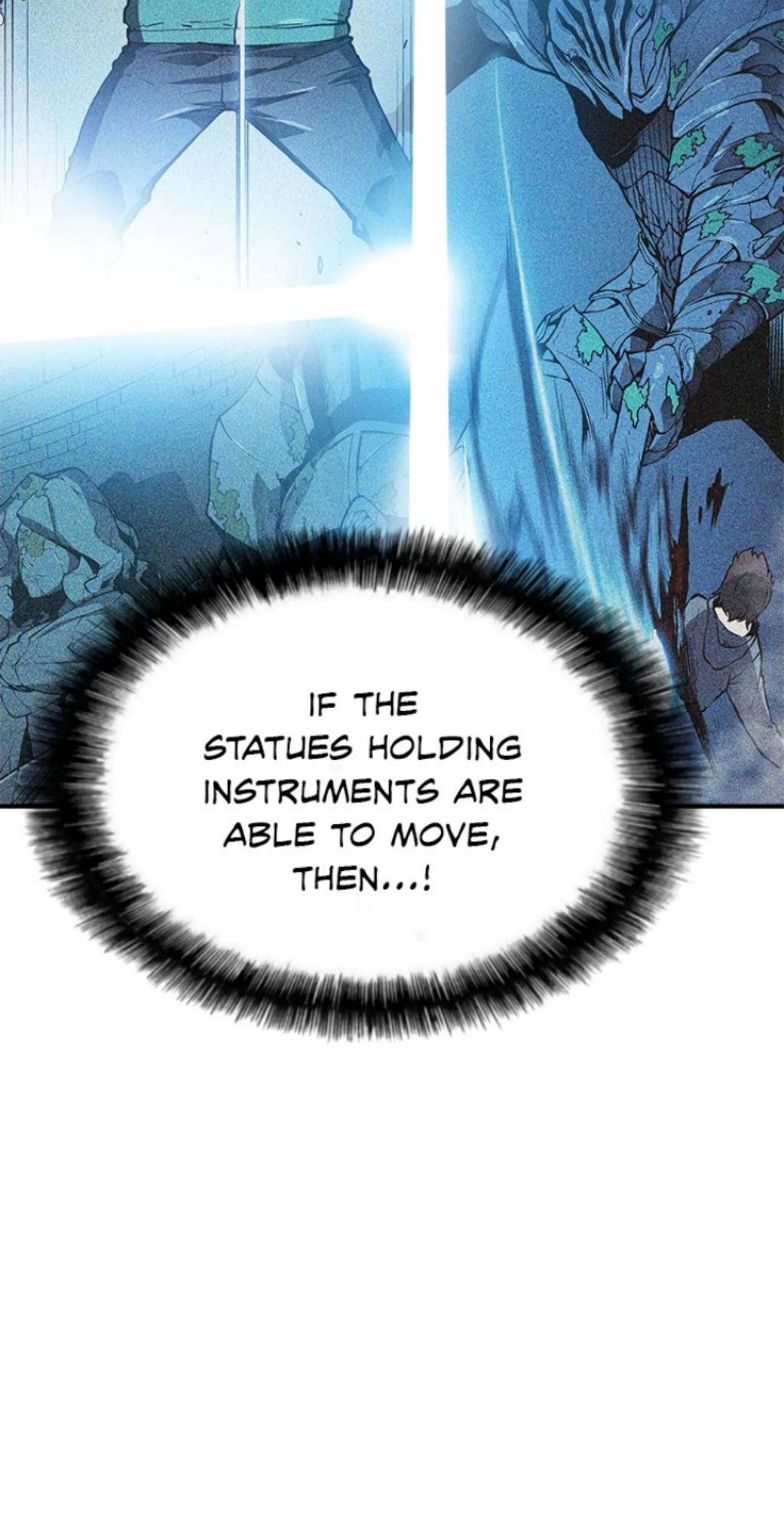
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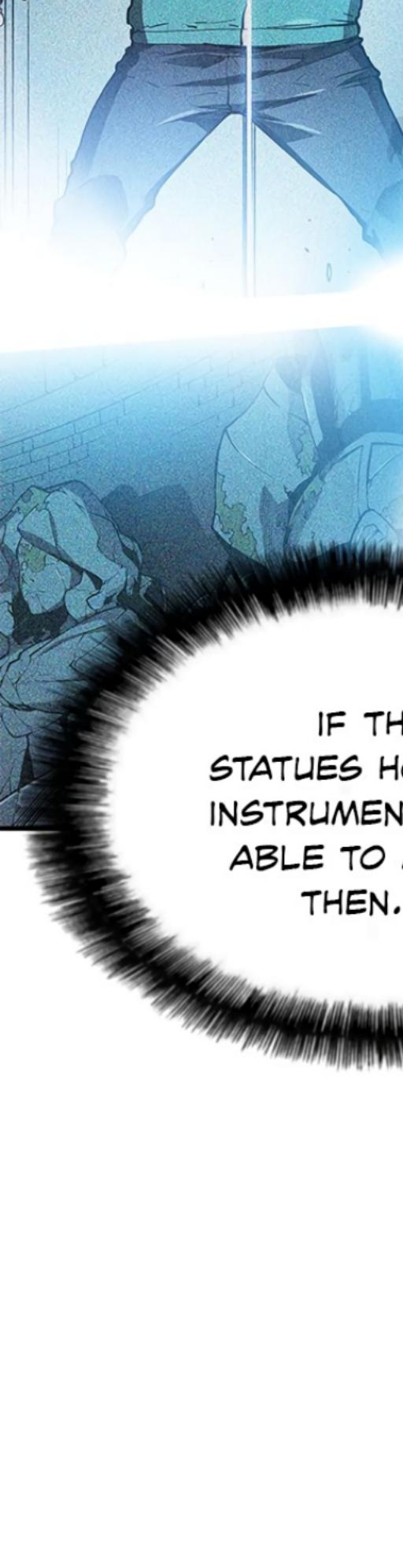




CAN THEY  
ATTACK WITH  
INSTRUMENTS,  
TOO?



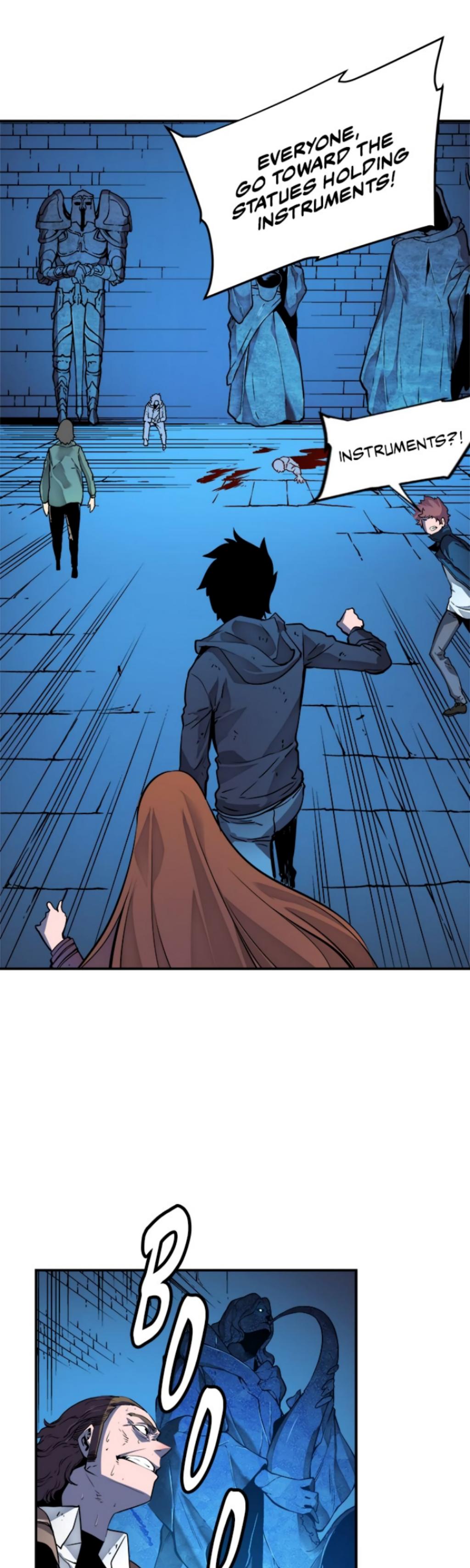
THE STONE STATUES  
WILL STRIKE US IF WE  
GO NEAR THEM.



ONCE WE  
APPROACH, THEY  
CARRY OUT A SET  
OF ACTIONS.

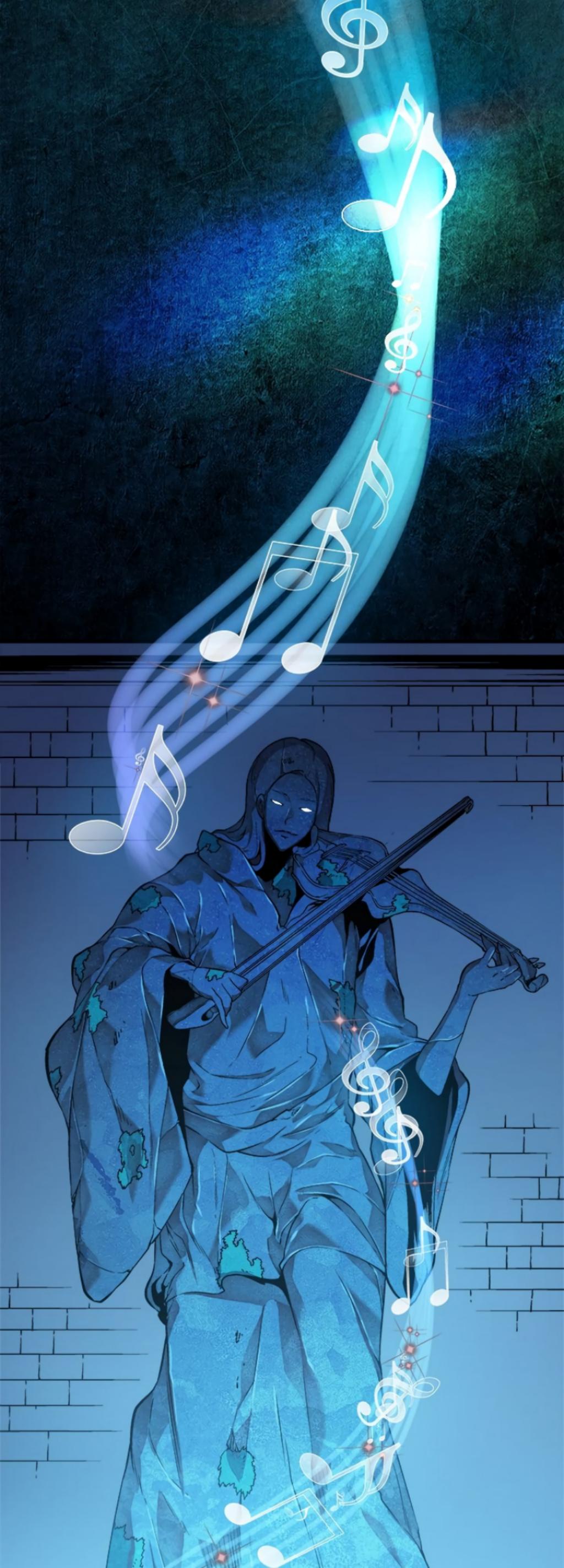


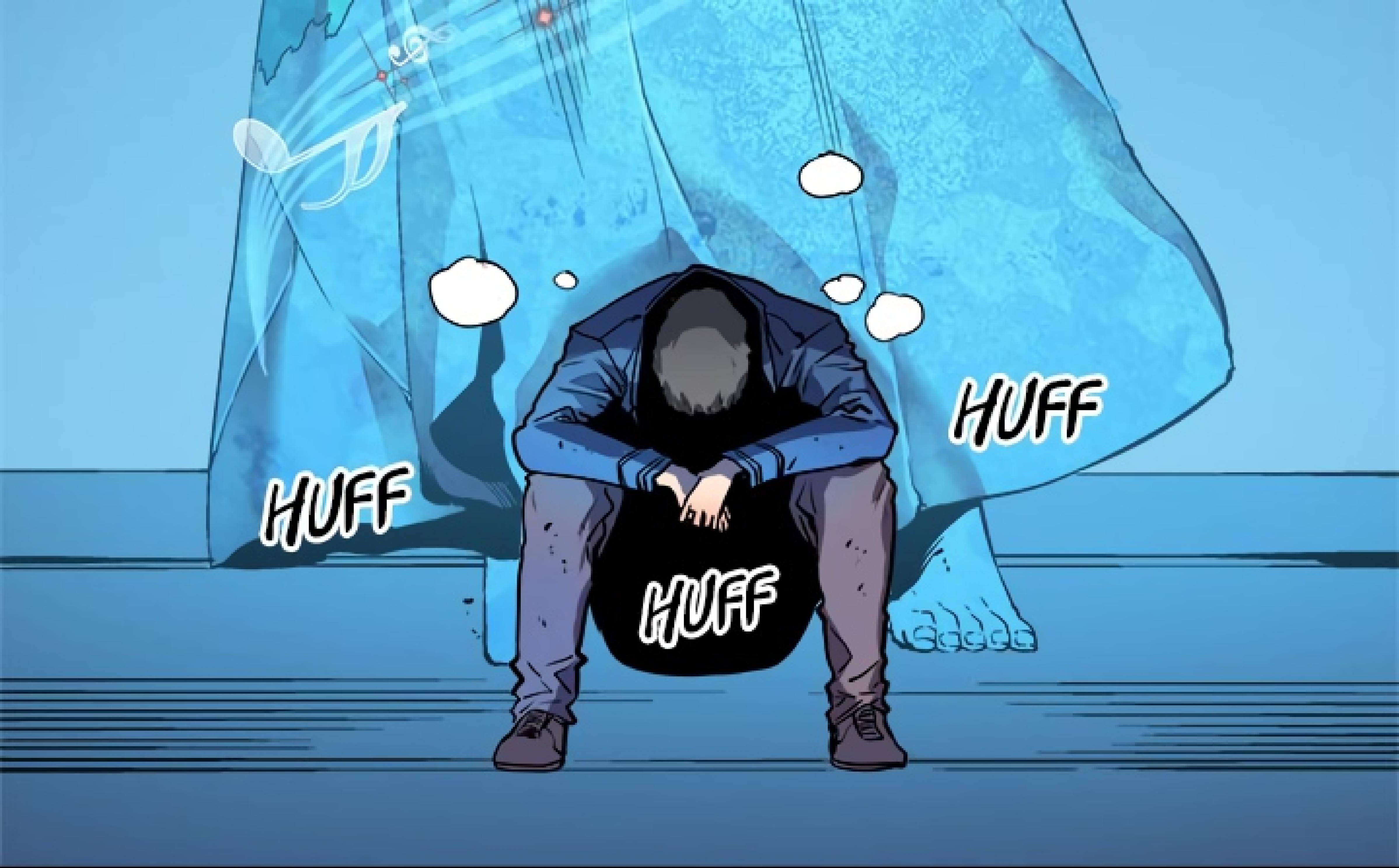
IF THE  
STATUES HOLDING  
INSTRUMENTS ARE  
ABLE TO MOVE,  
THEN...

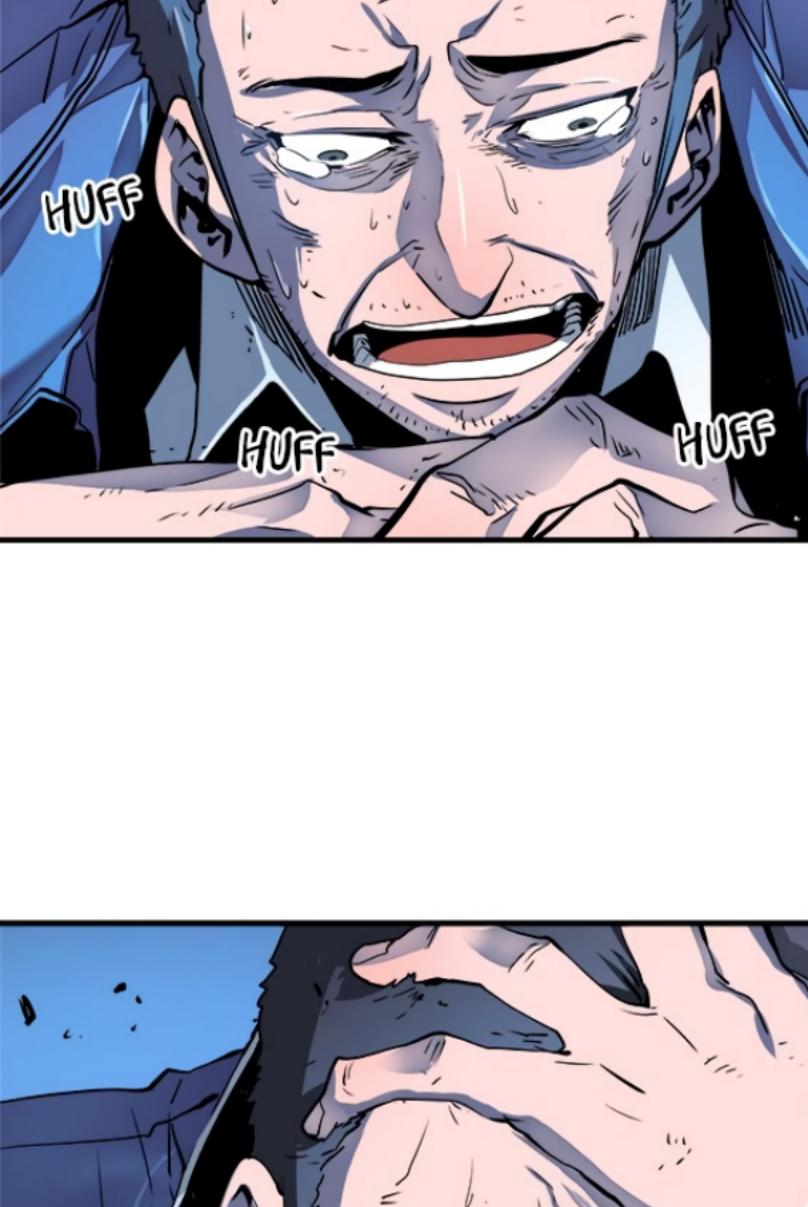


SLIPPING JACK

THE STATUES HOLD INSTRUMENTS WON'T ATTACK US! FIND THE ONES HOLDING INSTRUMENTS!

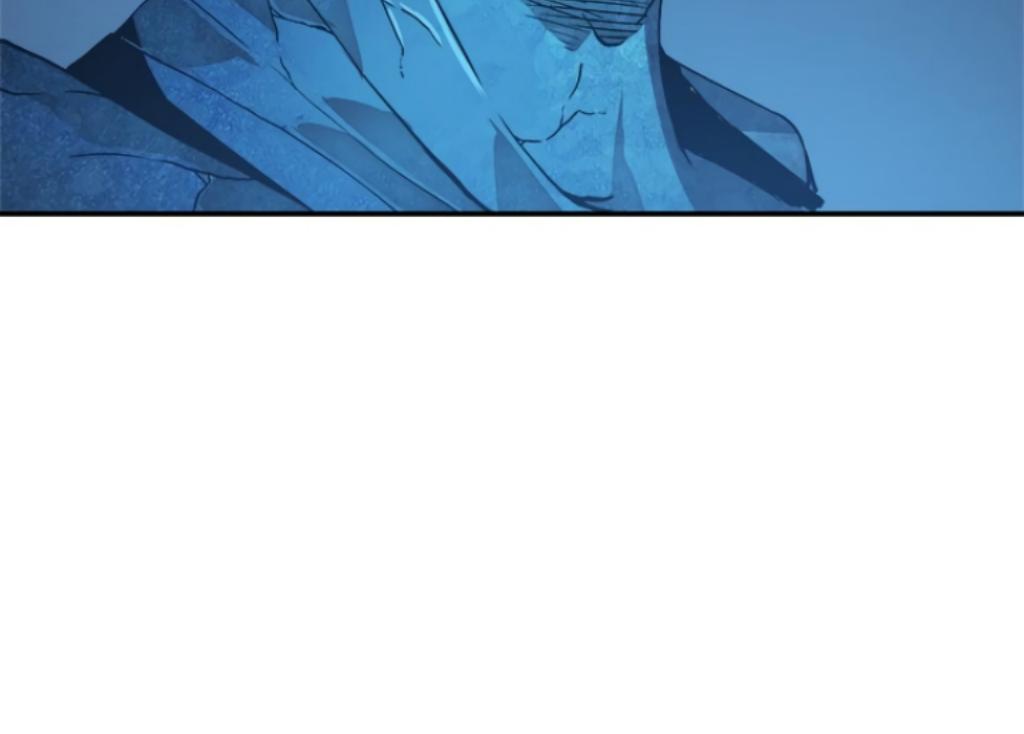
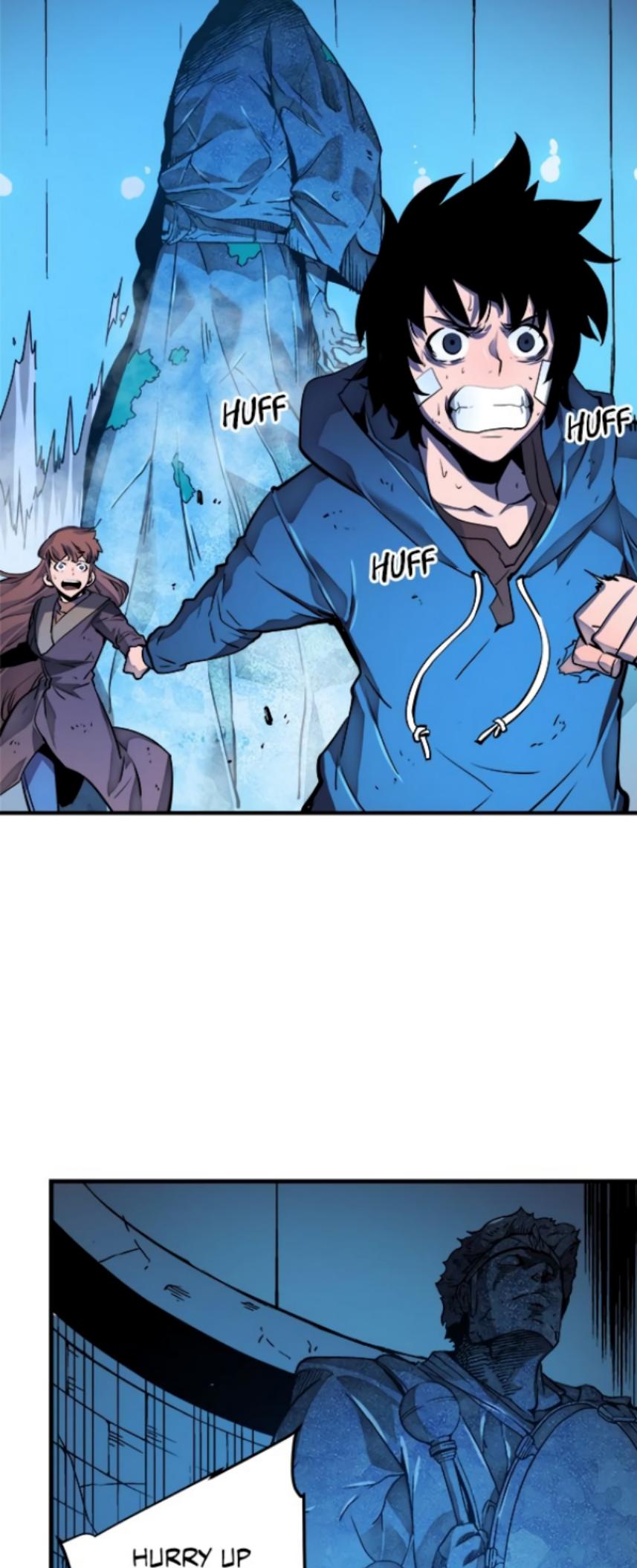






URGH...







WHY WON'T  
IT PLAY...

WAIT, IS IT BECAUSE  
JOOHEE AND I ARE BOTH  
STANDING UNDER THE  
SAME STATUE?

HAA

JINWOO...

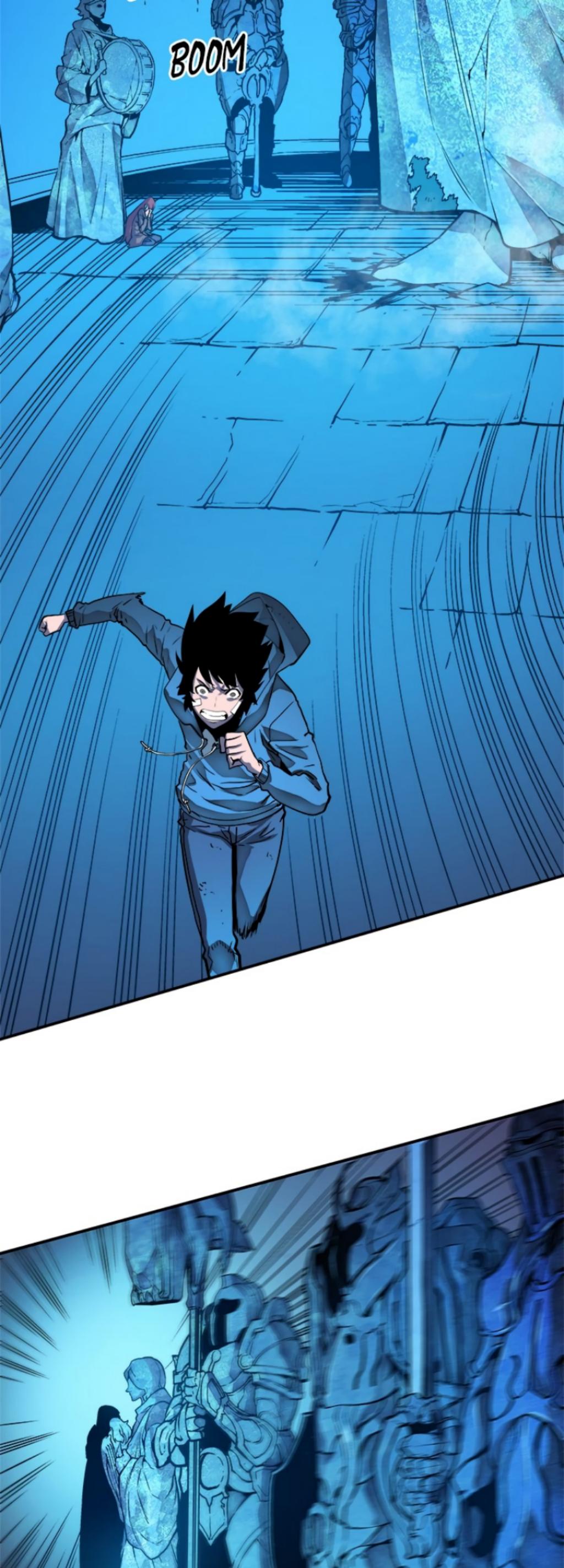
STAY THERE! YOU'LL  
BE SAFE IF YOU STAY  
THERE!

JINWOO!!

GLANCE

BOOM

**BOOM**



**JUST A LITTLE  
FURTHER!**



**JUST A LITTLE  
FURTHER...!!**







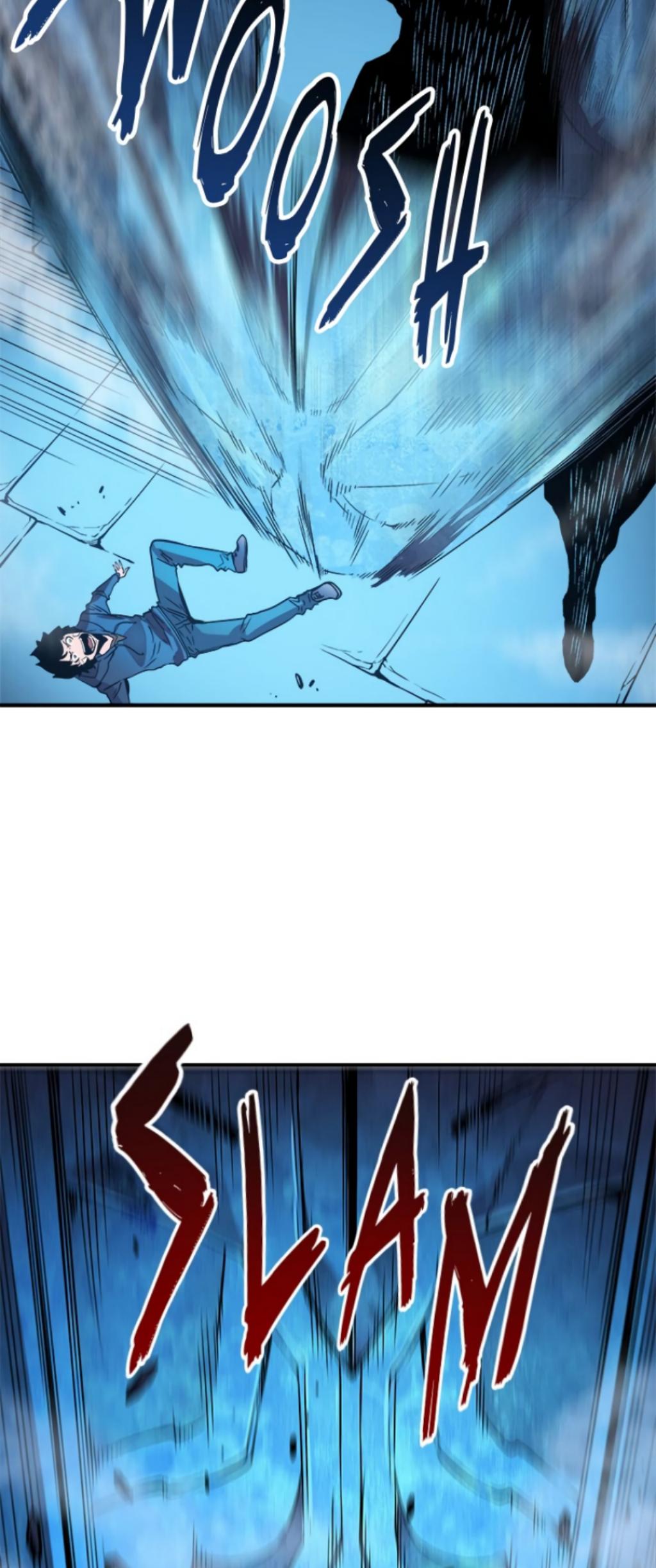
YOU'RE  
GOING THE  
WRONG  
WAY!

GASP





THAT'S NOT AN  
INSTRUMENT... IT'S  
A SHIELD...

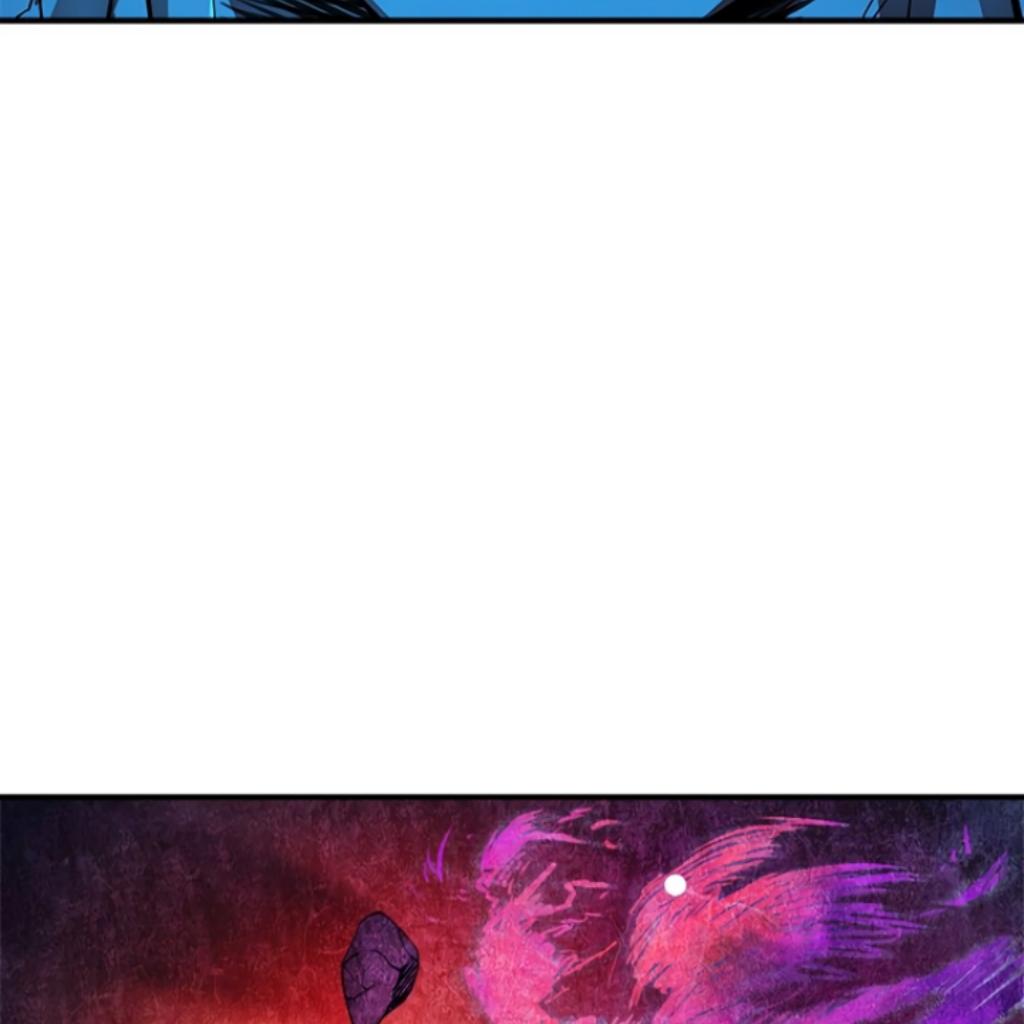
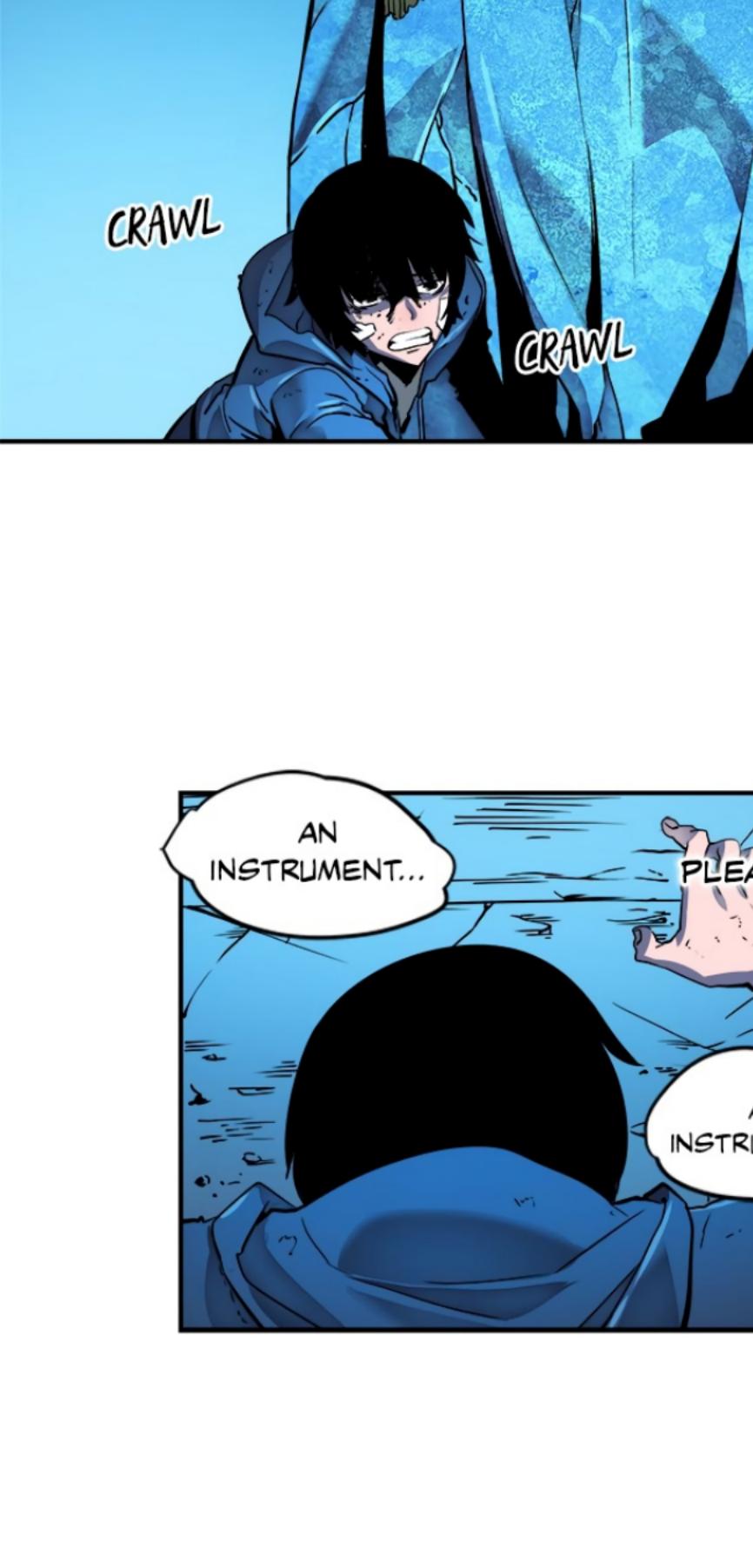


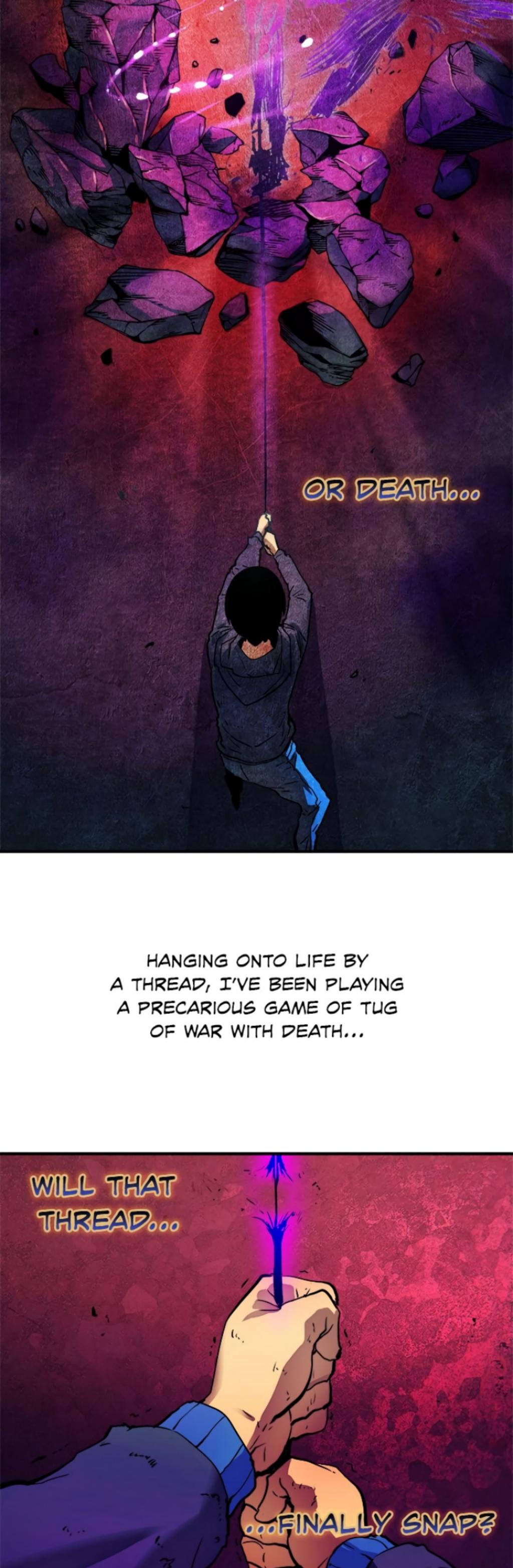
SLAM

KYAAAAA,  
JINWOO!



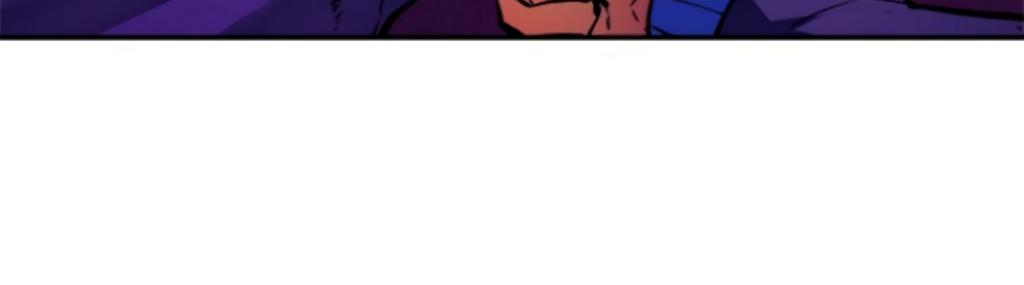






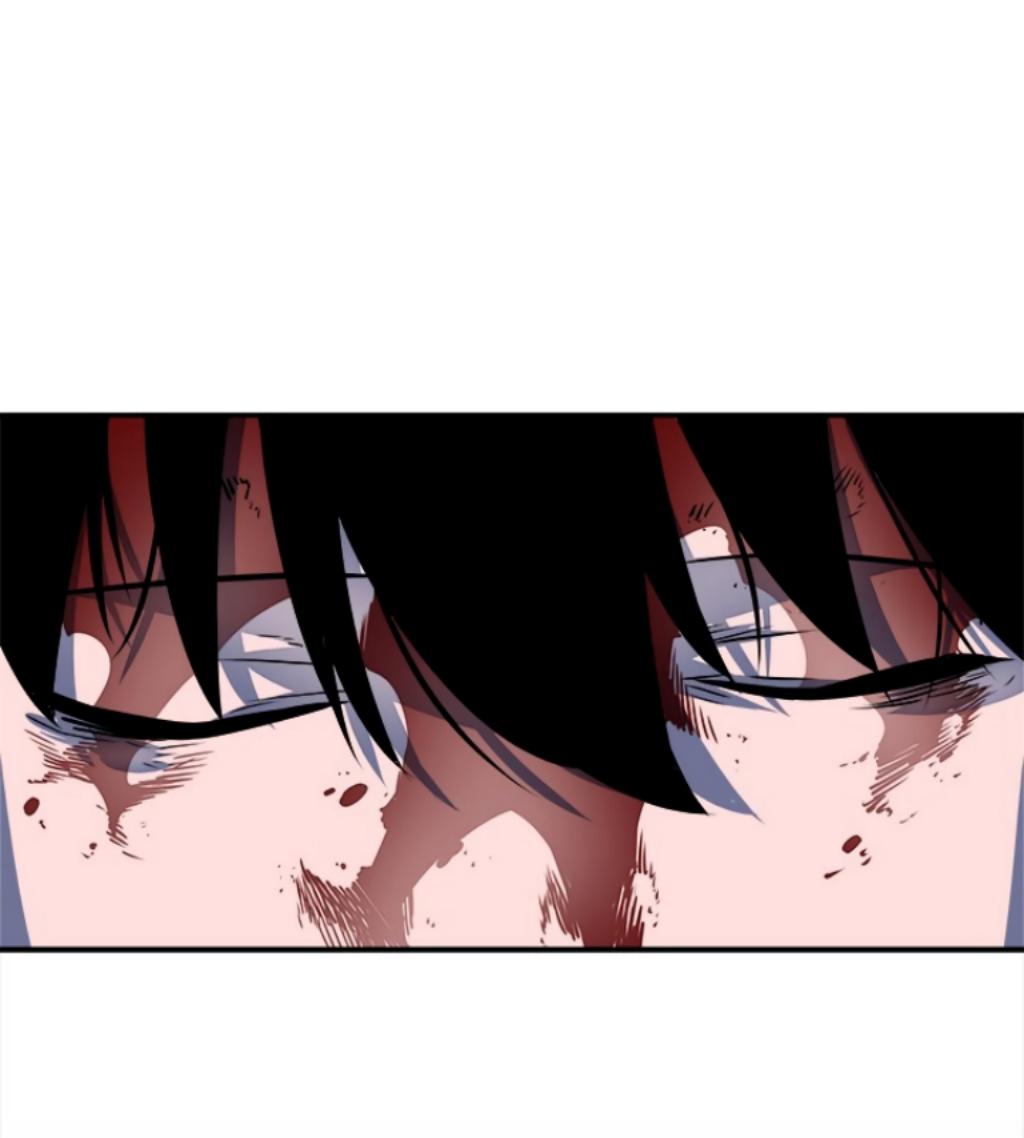
OR DEATH...

HANGING ONTO LIFE BY  
A THREAD, I'VE BEEN PLAYING  
A PRECARIOUS GAME OF TUG  
OF WAR WITH DEATH...



WILL THAT  
THREAD...

...FINALLY SNAP?

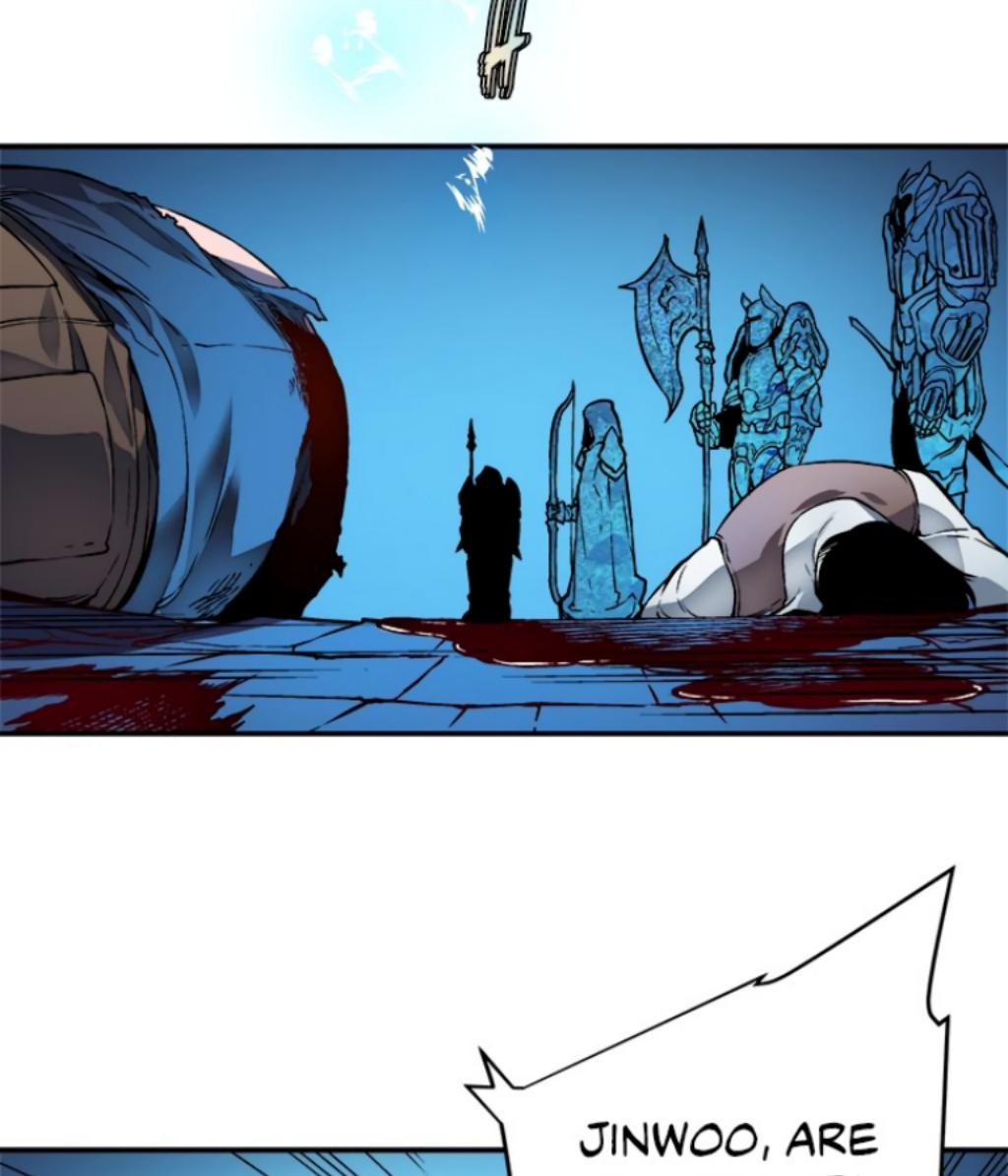
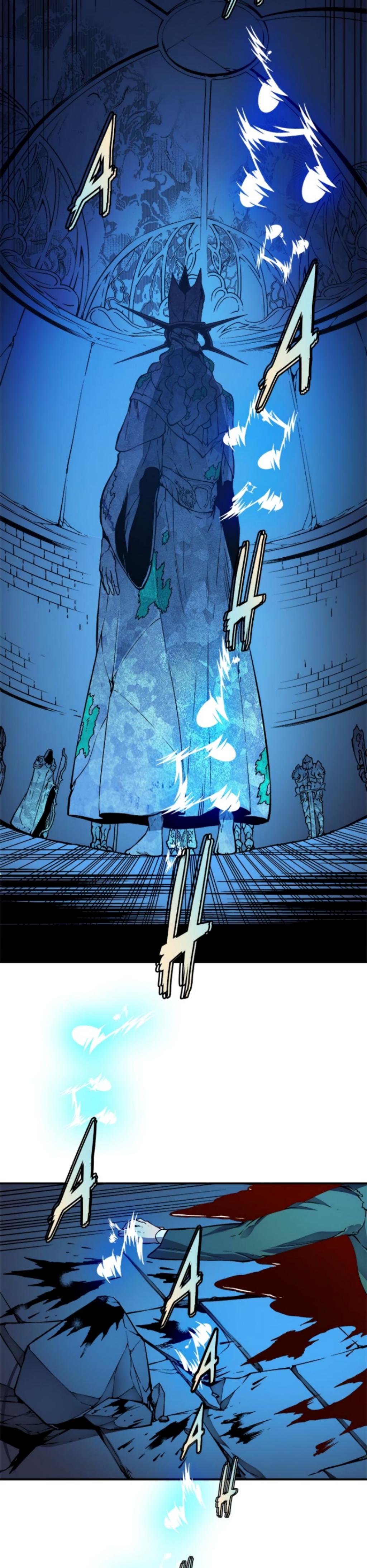


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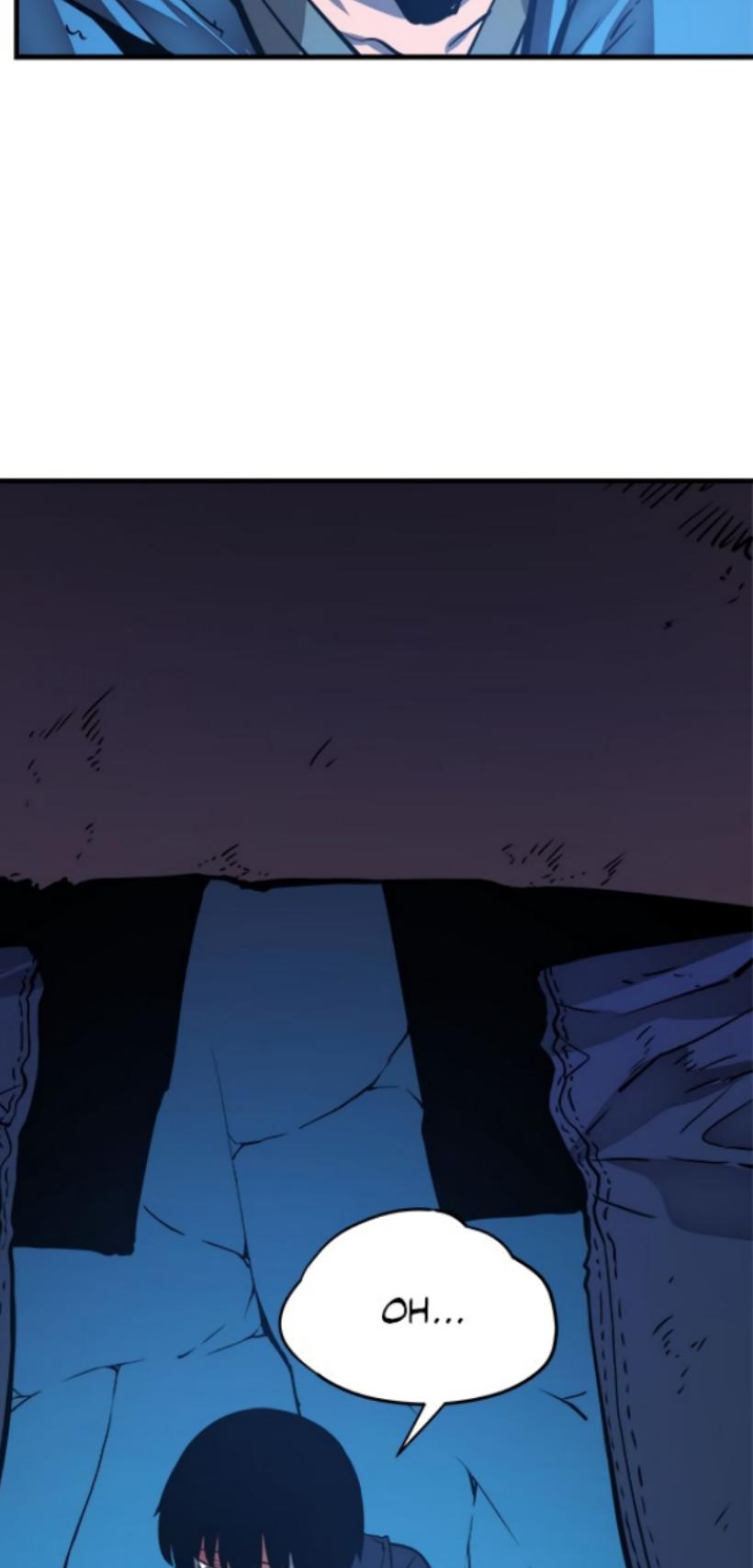


YES... MORE  
OR LESS...

OH, MY GOD...  
JINWOO...



WHAT'S  
WRONG?



OH...





YOUR

LEG...!!

To Be Continued...



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