



No Longer A Heroine!

STORY AND ART BY
MAENGGI KI

I WANT TO SHINE

IT'S A LITTLE
QUIET HERE IN THE
MARIGOLD HIGH
SECTION.

LISA EONNI
ISN'T HERE.
AND NEITHER IS
DOWON OPPA.





DO YOU KNOW
WHO'S WON THE
BEST ACTOR AWARD,
DIRECTOR?

OF COURSE
I DON'T.

OH, COME ON.
HAVEN'T YOU HEARD

ANY SPOILERS? DON'T
THE HIGHER UPS USUALLY
KNOW BEFOREHAND?



ARE
YOU CURIOUS
WHETHER LISA
GOT IT?

WHAT?
NO, IT'S NOT
ABOUT THAT!

WHY SHOULD
I CARE WHETHER SHE
WINS IT OR NOT?!

I'M CURIOUS
ABOUT THAT!



DON'T GET
YOUR HOPES
UP.

TURN



IT'S THE
BIGGEST AWARD.

THEY WOULDN'T GIVE
IT TO SOMEONE WHO'S
DISAPPEARED AFTER SUCH
A BIG SCANDAL. NOBODY
EVEN KNOWS WHERE
SHE IS.

STEP
STEP



THAT WAS
KINDA COLD...

...

**IT'S
THE MOMENT
WE'VE ALL BEEN
WAITING FOR!**

THE BAEKHA ARTS AWARDS
HAS OFFICIALLY BEGUN!



WHOOOO!

CLAP CLAP CLAP



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AND NOW, FOR
BEST FEMALE NEWCOMER
IN THE MOTION PICTURE
CATEGORY!

THIS AWARD IS
GIVEN TO A RISING STAR
THAT WILL TAKE THE KOREAN
FILM INDUSTRY BY STORM!
THE WINNER IS...

...YEONHUI BAE
FROM TO LOVE AN ENEMY!
CONGRATULATIONS!

Wooooo!

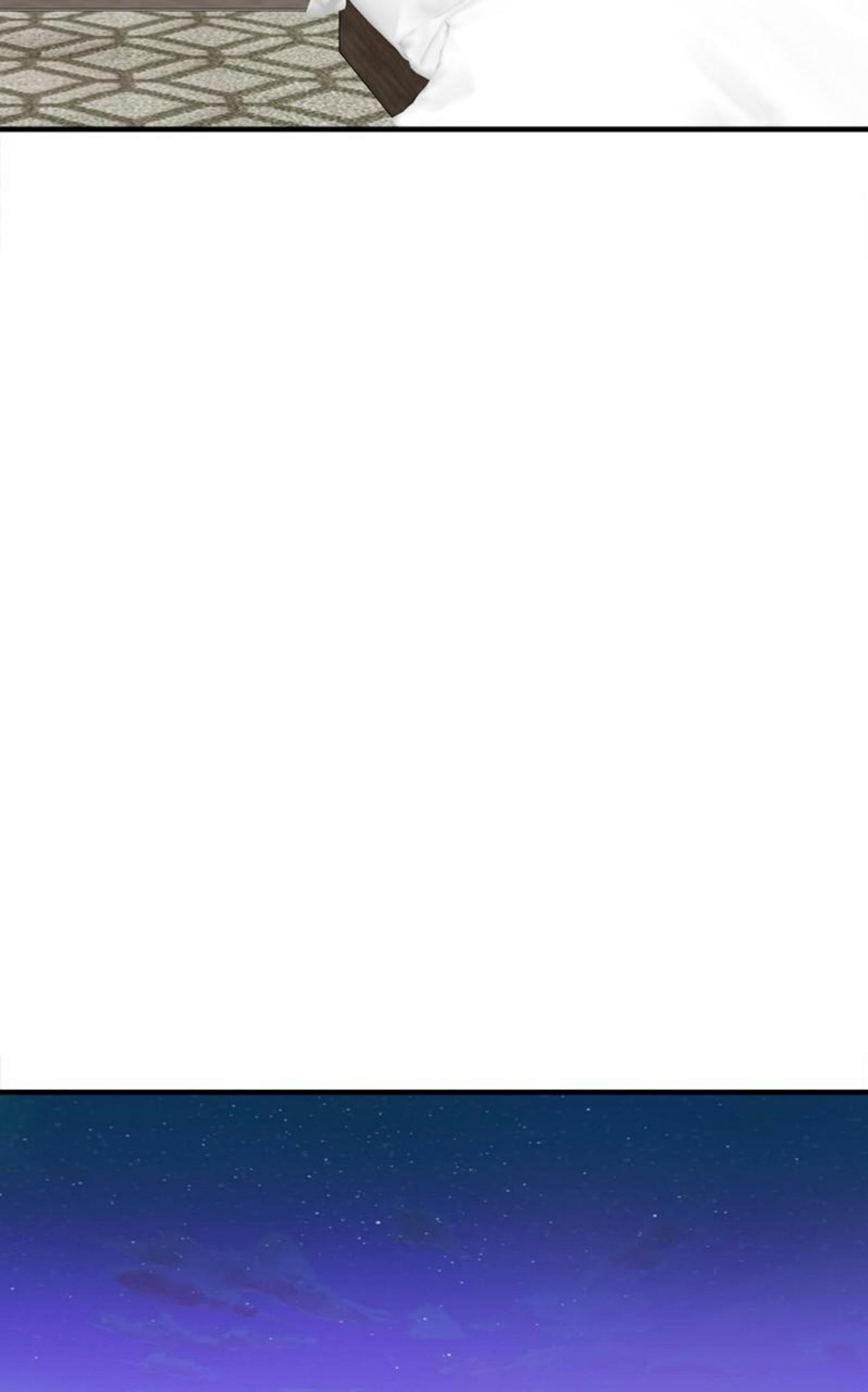
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I TUNED IT
OUT OF RESPECT,
BUT MAYBE I SHOULD
JUST TURN IT
OFF...

GROWL

I'M
HUNGRY...











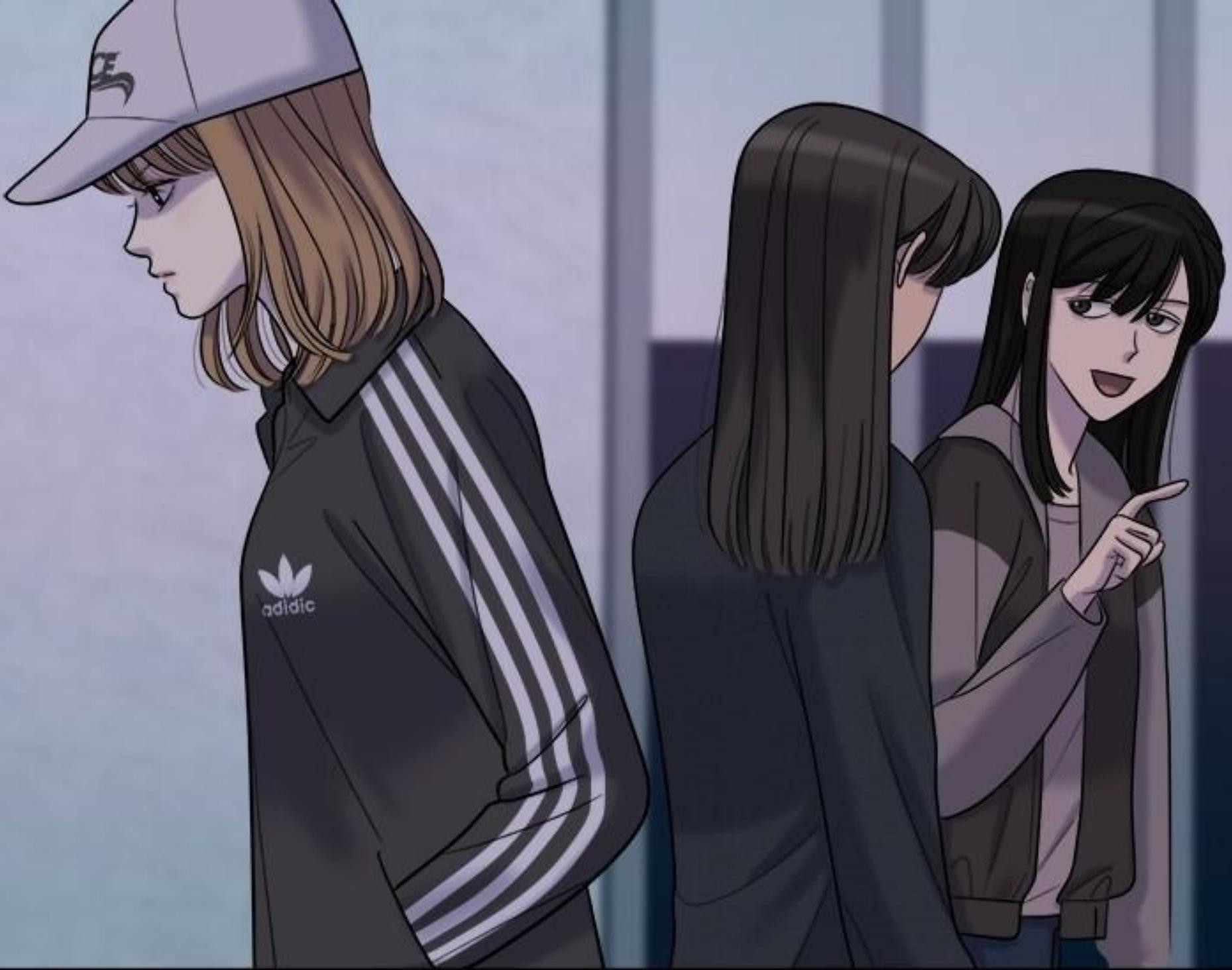
I REMEMBER FEELING LIKE
THIS BACK THEN, TOO.

GOODBYE.





IT FELT LIKE
THE WORLD WOULD
JUST KEEP ON GOING
WITHOUT ME...



...AND THAT MY TIME IN
FRONT OF THE CAMERA HAD
BEEN ONE BIG LIE.

EVERYBODY WOULD
SOON FORGET ME...



THAT'S HOW I FEELT

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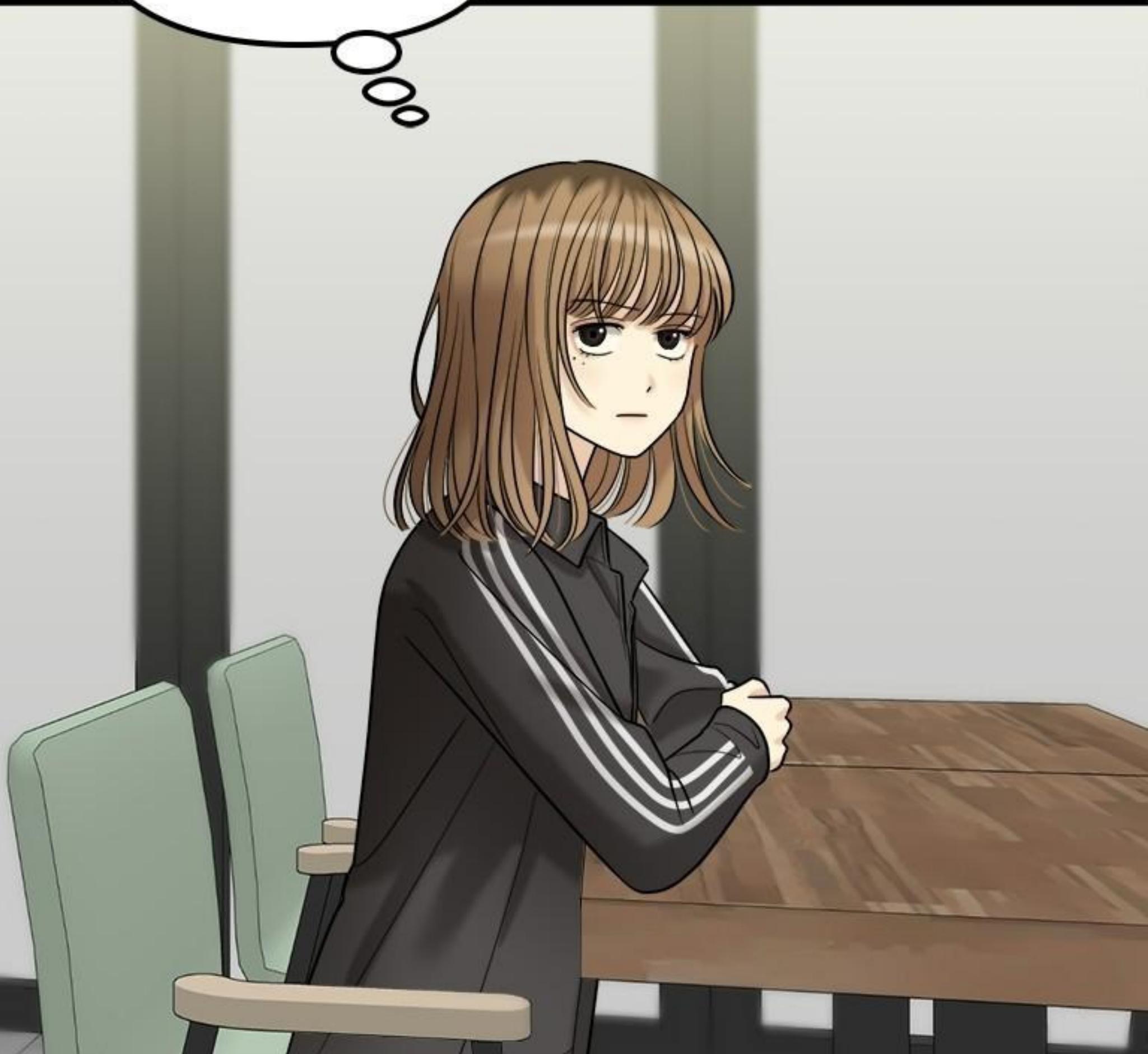
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THE 50TH BAEKHA
ARTS AWARDS...

UGH,

IT'S ON HERE,
TOO...



NEXT,
WE WILL INVITE
MAGNETIC MM AND

HAGYEONG MA AND
ZEYA LEE...

...TO PRESENT THE
BEST DIRECTOR AWARD
FOR THE TELEVISION
CATEGORY!

YAAAY!





Wooow!!

PLEASE GIVE
THEM A WARM ROUND
OF APPLAUSE!

CLAP CLAP CLAP

CLAP CLAP CLAP

WOHOOO!

ZEYA! YOU
AND I WORKED
ON A PROJECT
TOGETHER THIS
YEAR.

IT WAS
SUCH A MEANINGFUL
EXPERIENCE, DON'T
YOU THINK?



YES, ESPECIALLY
FOR ME BECAUSE IT WAS
MY FIRST PROJECT. I'LL
NEVER FORGET IT.

THERE'S STILL A LOT LEFT FOR
ME TO LEARN. WHEN YOU SELECT
PROJECTS, WHAT DO YOU PAY THE
MOST ATTENTION TO?

HMM,
I WOULD SAY...

THE SCRIPT AND
CAST MEMBERS ARE
REALLY IMPORTANT, BUT
THE DIRECTION IS WHAT
MAKES A PROJECT!

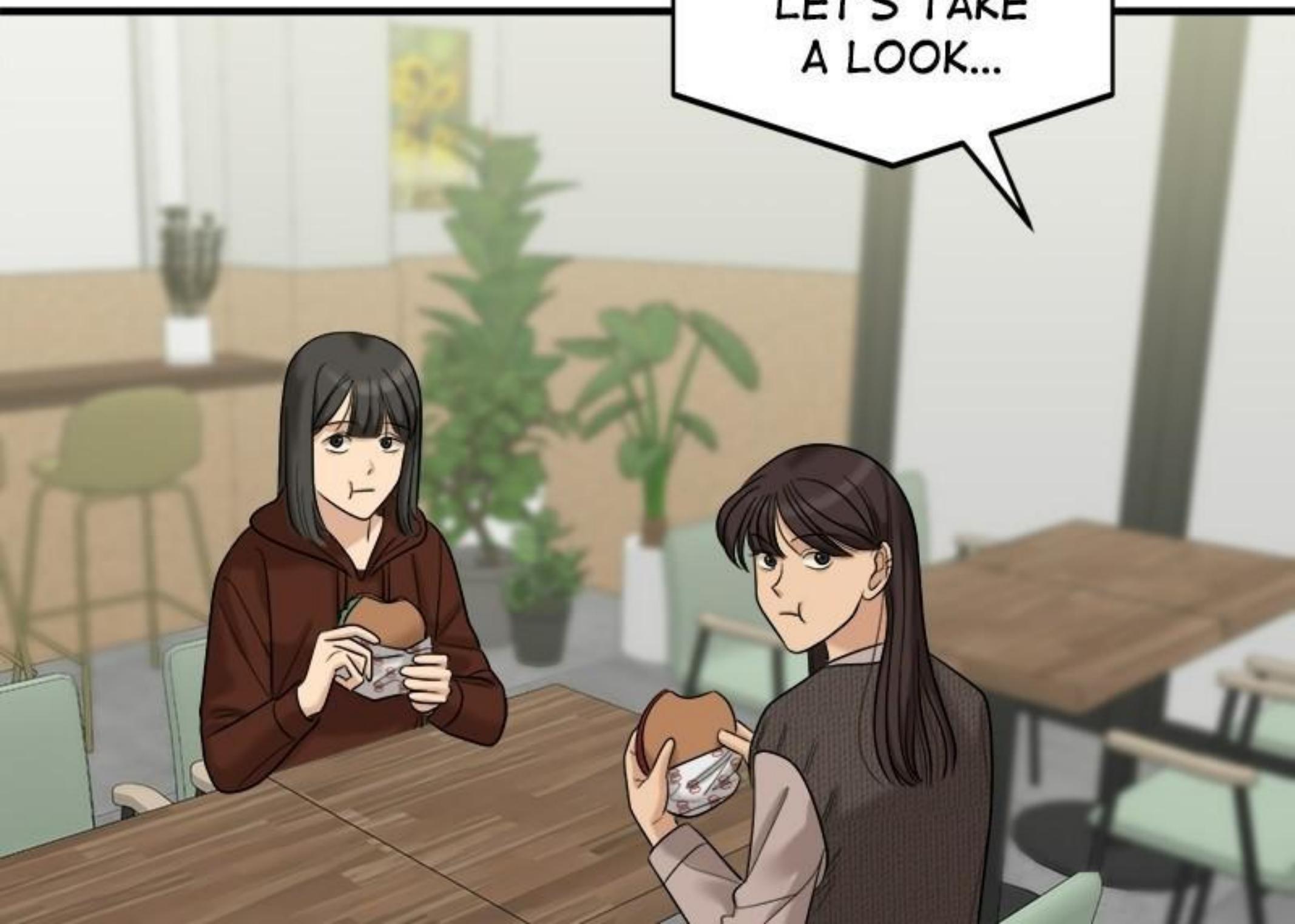
I AGREE.

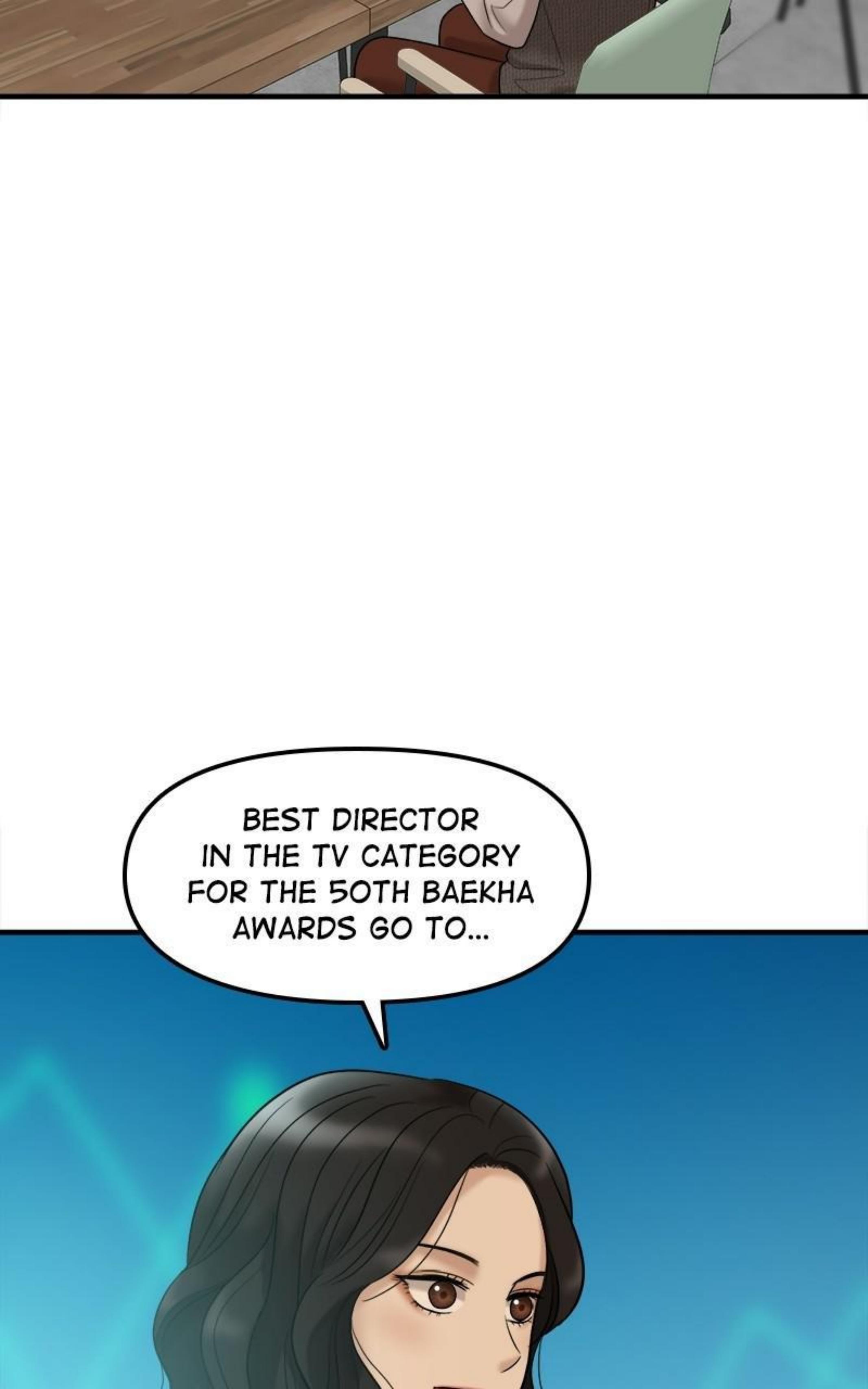
AND THAT'S
WHY WE ARE HERE
TODAY TO CELEBRATE

ALL THESE BRILLIANT
DIRECTORS.

I'M SO
CURIOS WHO
THE CANDIDATES
ARE!

LET'S TAKE
A LOOK...





**BEST DIRECTOR
IN THE TV CATEGORY
FOR THE 50TH BAEKHA
AWARDS GO TO...**



...SOMEONE I'D
LIKE TO PERSONALLY
THANK!

MYEONGIN GONG
FROM MARIGOLD HIGH!

WHOOP!

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP





Wooooo!

CLAP CLAP CLAP

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP



CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

GOOD EVENING,
IT'S AN HONOR TO
BE HERE TONIGHT.





I'M SO GRATEFUL
TO BE RECEIVING SUCH A
PRESTIGIOUS AWARD.

UM, DIRECTOR
GONG, YOU DON'T LOOK
GRATEFUL AT ALL.





I WILL KEEP IT
SHORT.

I GAVE MY ALL
TO THIS PROJECT.
I'D LIKE TO THANK THE
WRITER, THE CAST, AND THE
CREW WHO HAVE PUT IN AN
ENORMOUS AMOUNT
OF WORK...

SHE'S
NOT HERE WITH
US TONIGHT...





...BUT I'D LIKE TO
THANK LISA CHEON FOR SO
BEAUTIFULLY PORTRAYING
GEUMHWA SONG.



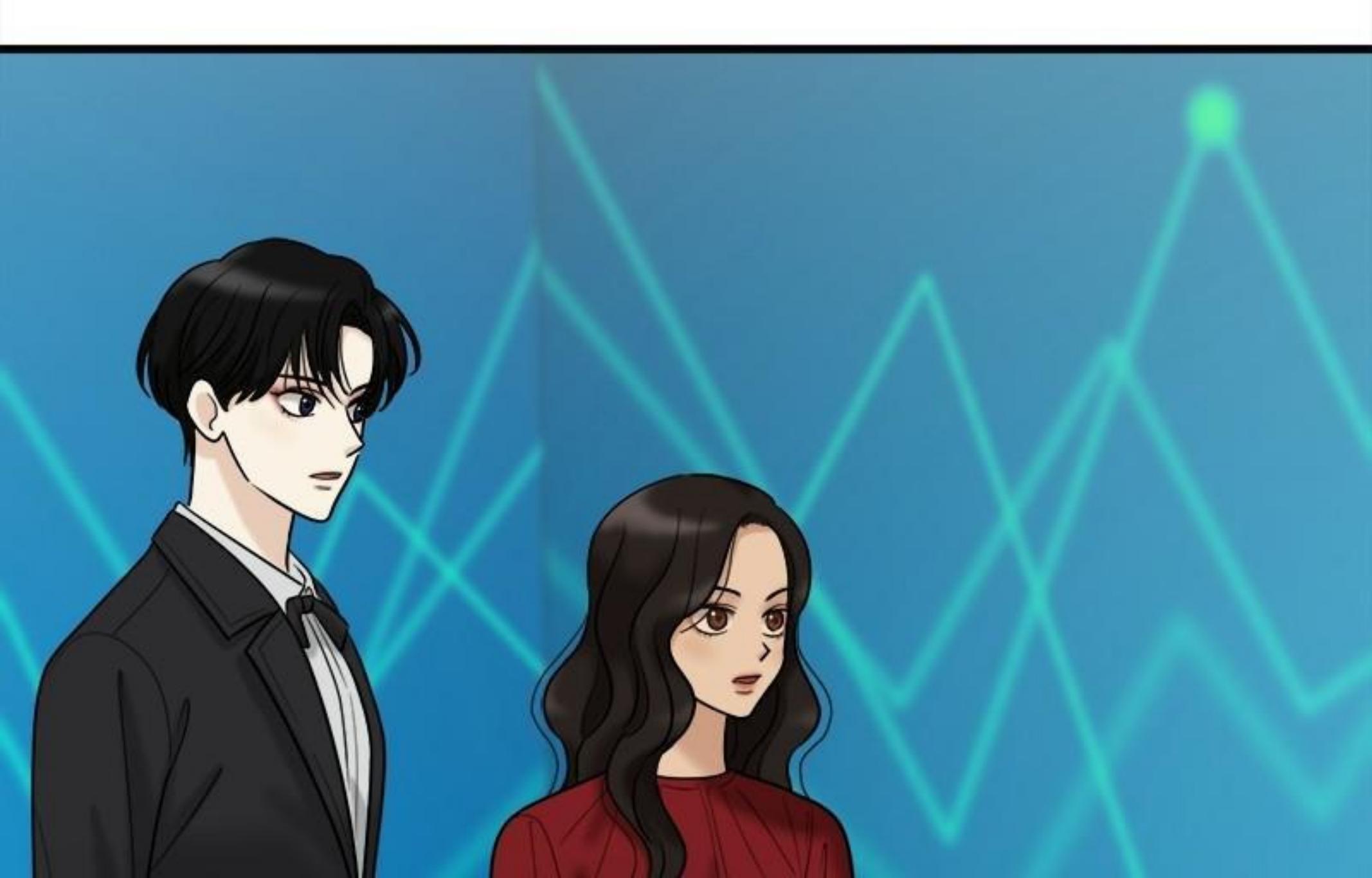
I'VE NEVER
TOLD HER THIS IN
PERSON

PERSON...



...BUT
I'VE ALWAYS FELT

I'VE ALWAYS FELT
FORTUNATE THAT I GOT
TO WORK WITH HER ON
MARIGOLD HIGH.



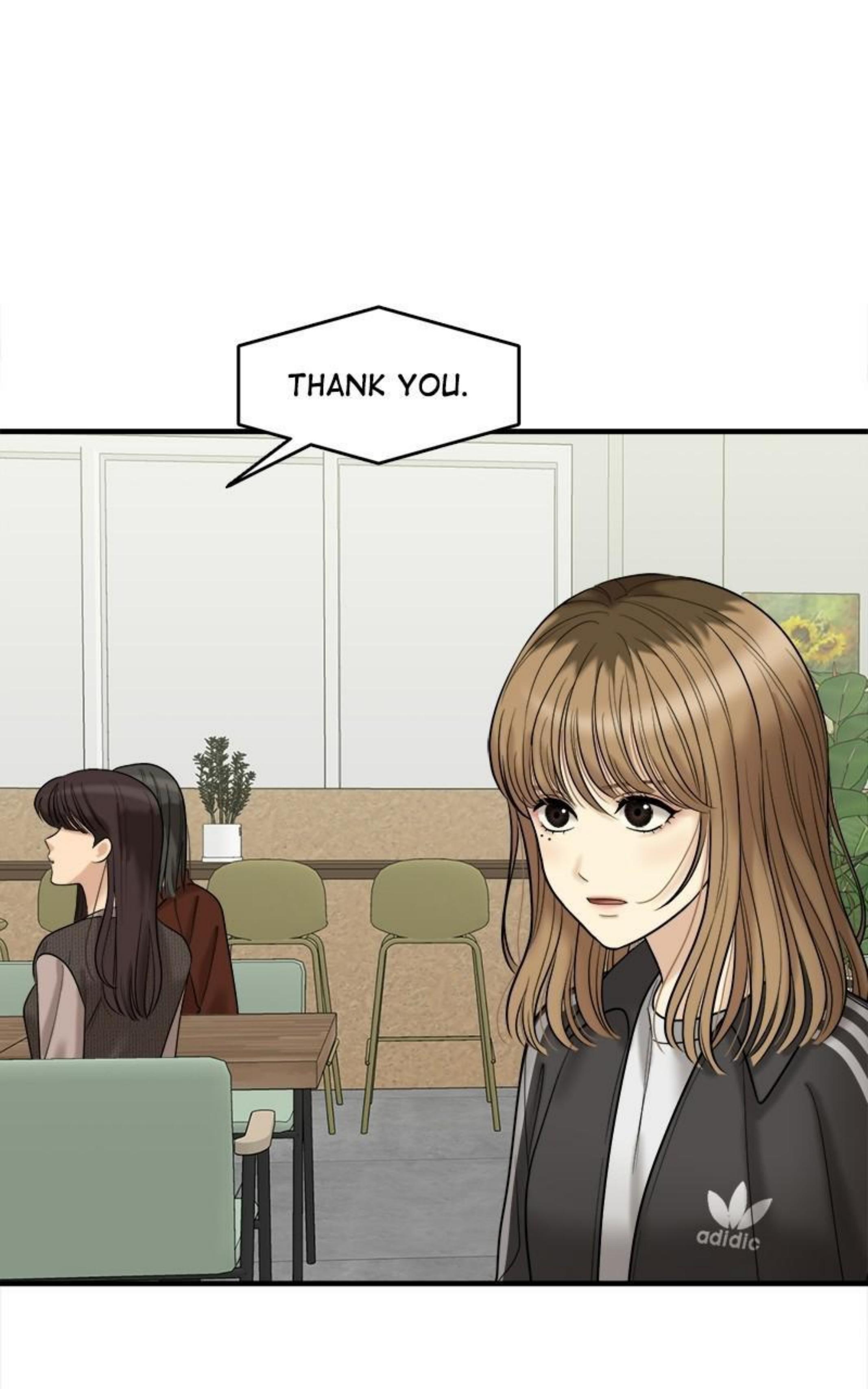


THANK
YOU FOR YOUR
DEDICATION.





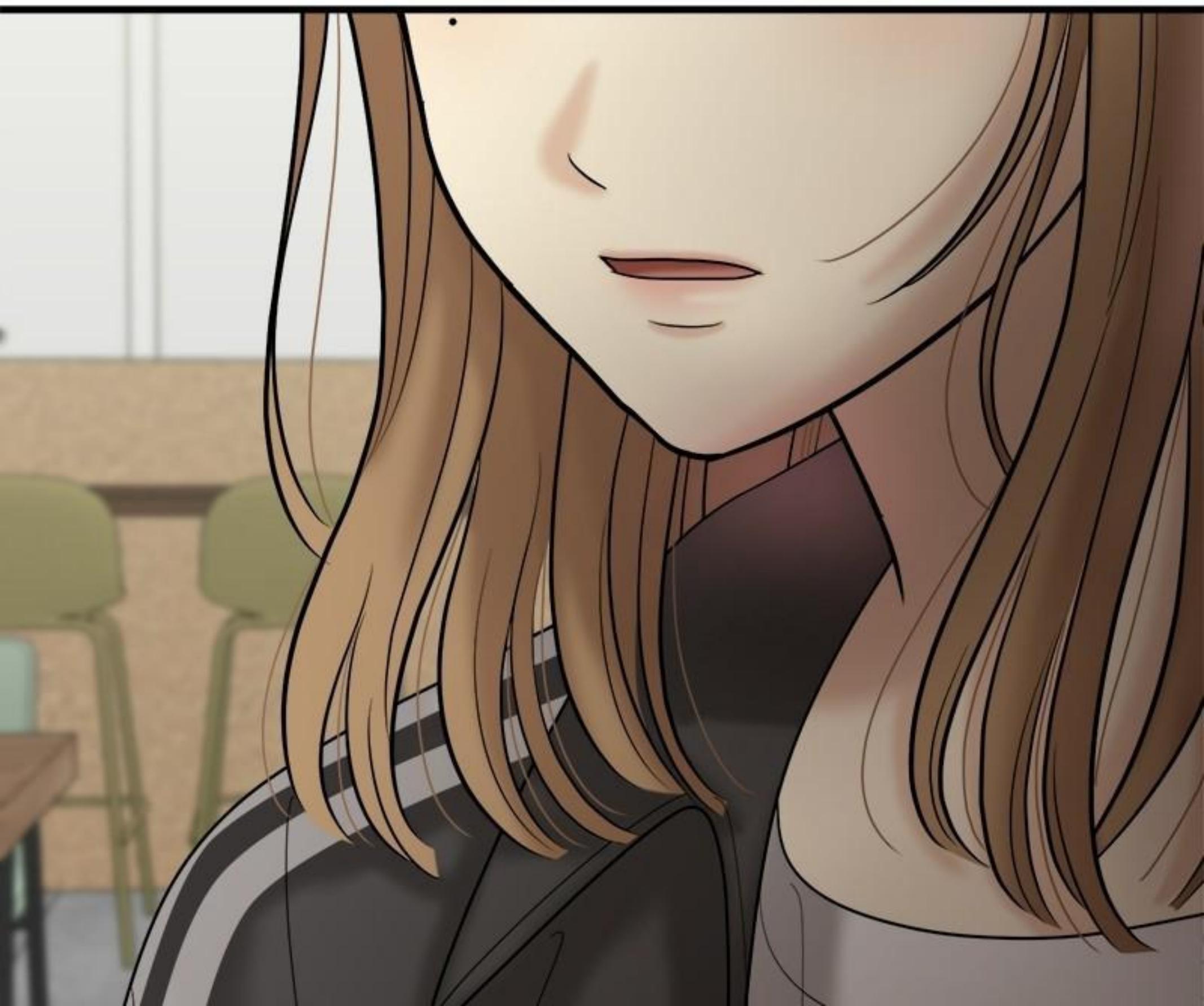
AND I HOPE
WE CAN COLLABORATE
AGAIN SOON.



THANK YOU.

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woohoo!!!



CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

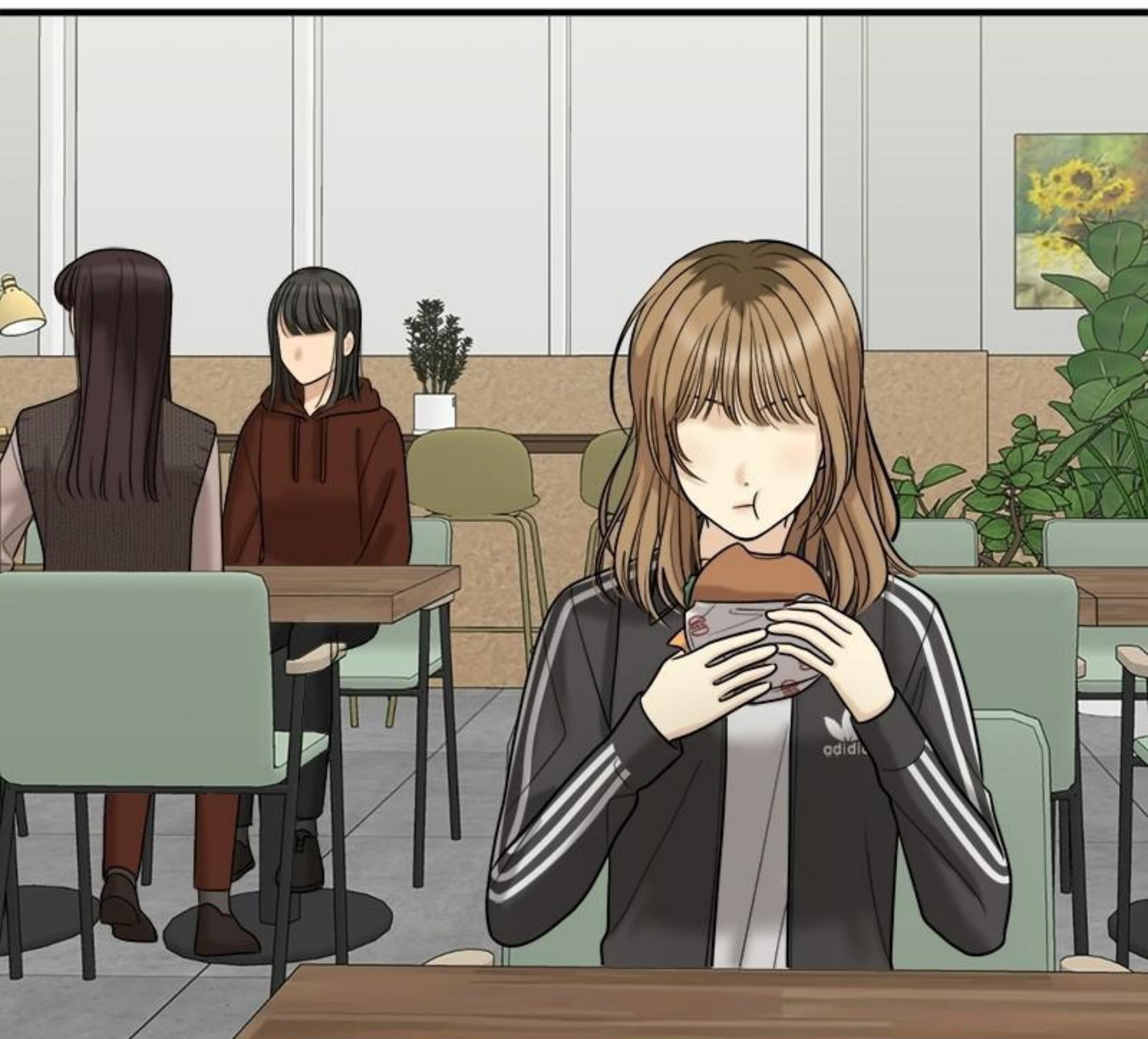
WHAT IS
SHE DOING...?

WHY MENTION
ME WHEN SHE'S
THE ONE ACCEPTING
THE AWARD?

AND THE NEXT
CATEGORY IS...



ONE
MAENG MAENG
BURGER SET!



NEXT UP IS...

THE MALE
BEST NEWCOMER AWARD.
I KNOW HOW NERVOUS THE
NOMINEES MUST BE RIGHT NOW
AS THE RECIPIENT OF THIS
AWARD LAST YEAR.





SO
I'LL BE QUICK
ABOUT IT!



THE BEST MALE
NEWCOMER IN THE
TV CATEGORY FOR THIS
YEAR'S BAEKHA AWARDS
GOES TO...

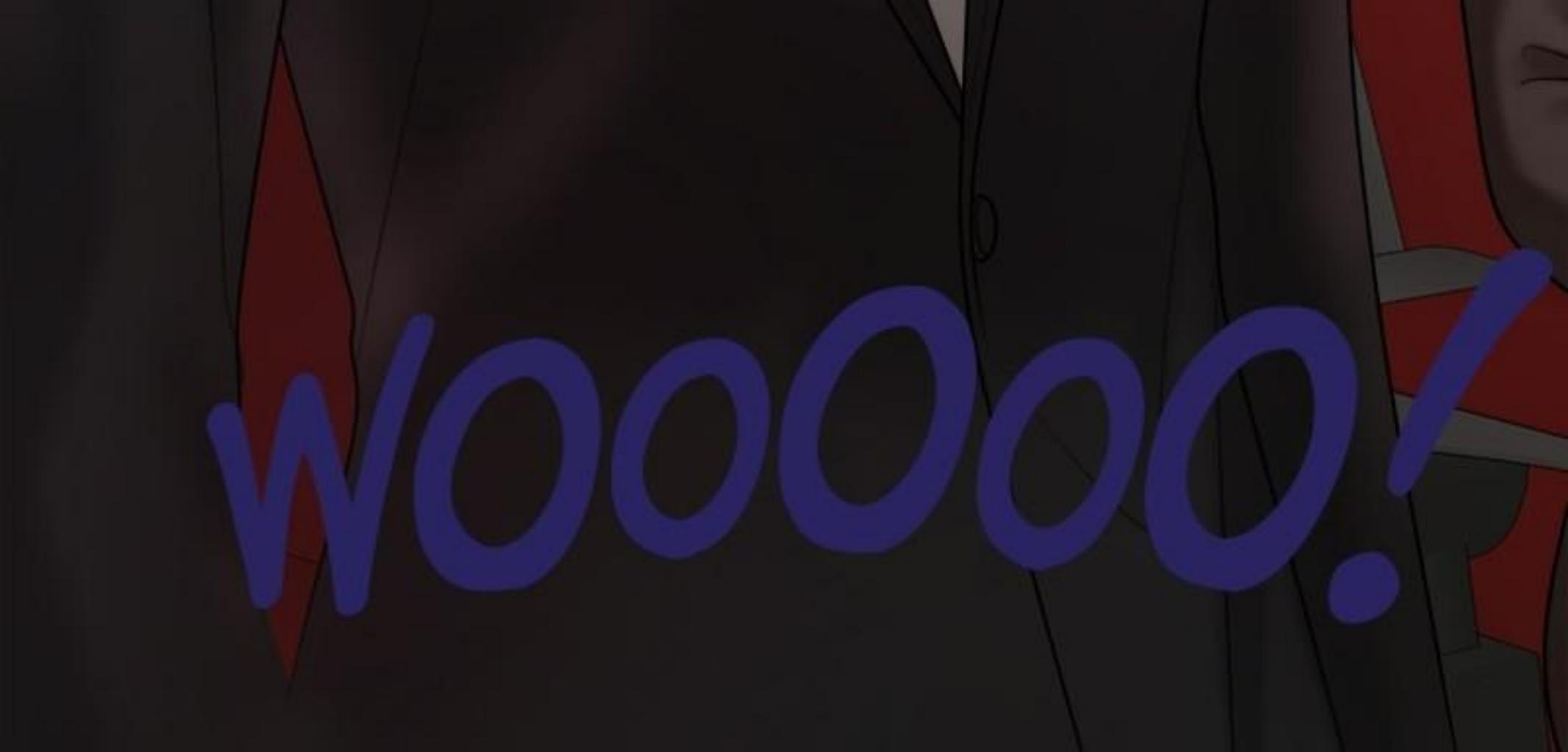


...ZEYA LEE
FROM MARIGOLD HIGH!
CONGRATULATIONS!

AAAHAAA!!!

GASP!



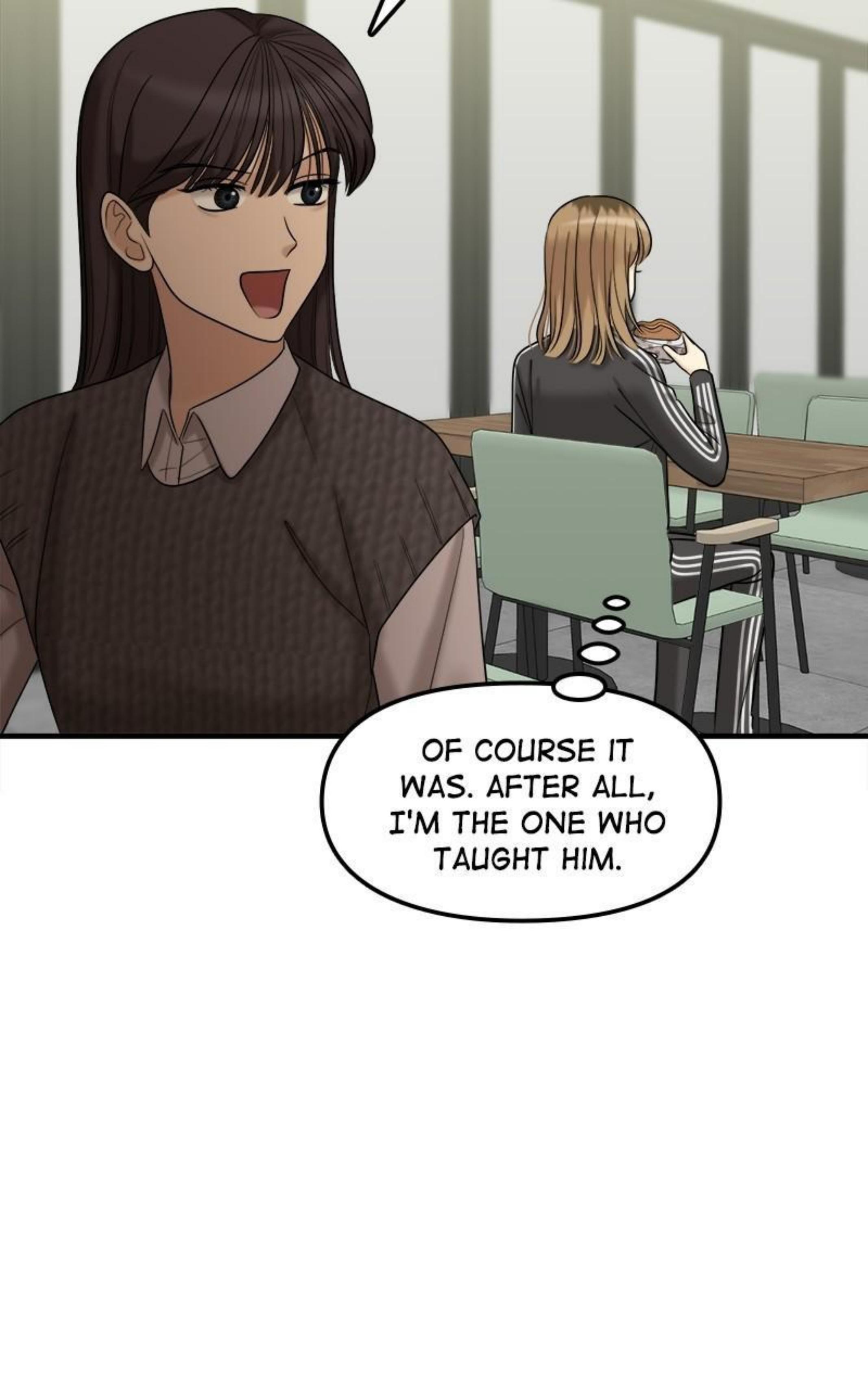


WOOOO!

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

IT WAS
DEFINITELY
GOING TO BE HIM
THIS YEAR.



OF COURSE IT
WAS. AFTER ALL,
I'M THE ONE WHO
TAUGHT HIM.



UM... UH...

PHEW... UH...

F-FIRST, I'D
LIKE TO SAY WHAT
AN HONOR IT IS TO

BE RECEIVING THIS
AWARD...

I'M NOT SURE
IF I'M WORTHY
OF IT.

HE LOOKS
REALLY NERVOUS...
IT'S KINDA CUTE.





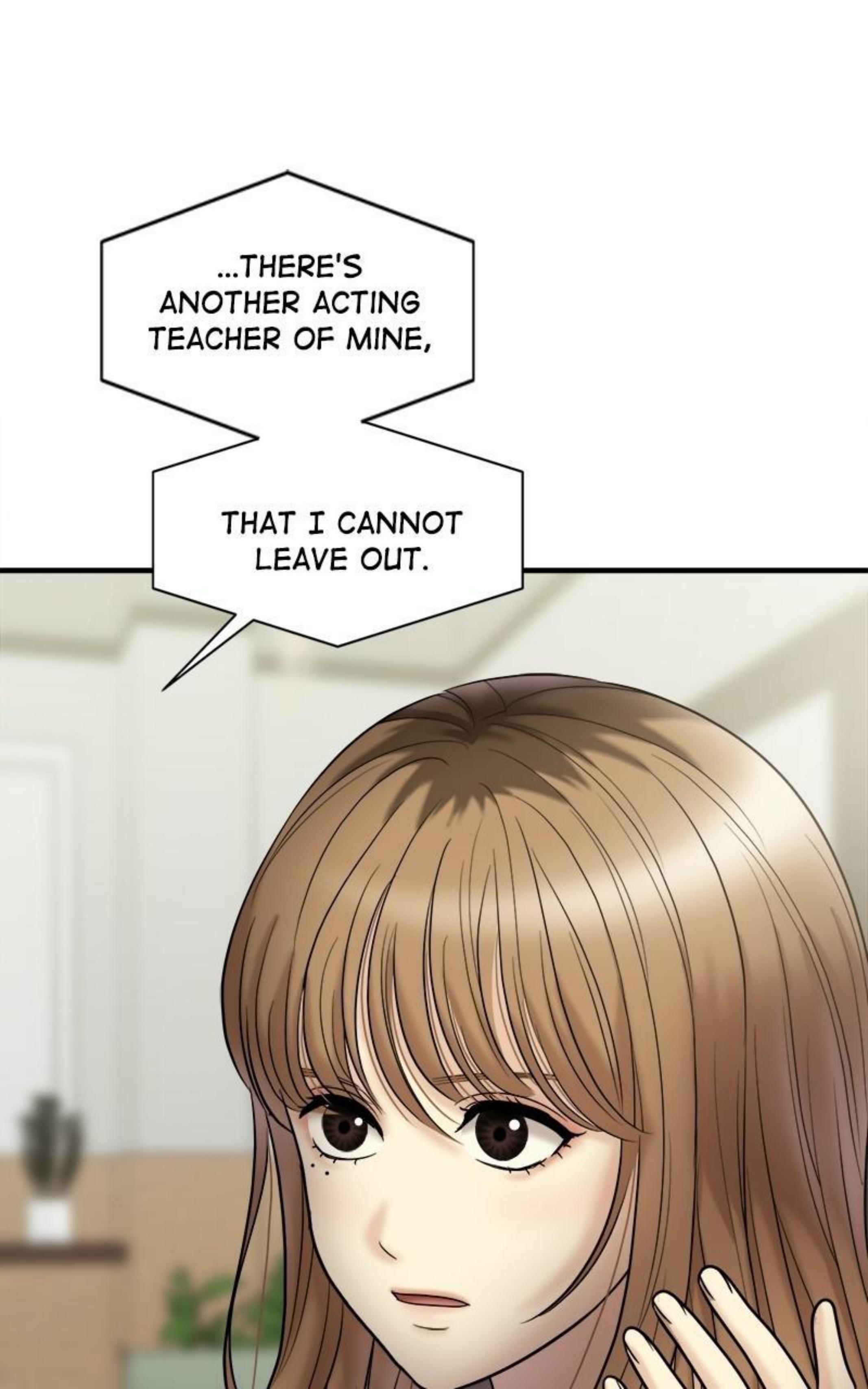
I'VE RECEIVED
AN AWARD THAT COMES
BY ONLY ONCE IN A
LIFETIME.

I'M SO THANKFUL
TO MY FAMILY WHO HAVE
ALWAYS SUPPORTED ME.
I LOVE YOU ALL.

AND I'D LIKE
TO THANK DIRECTOR
MYEONGIN GONG, WRITER
SEJEONG SEO...



...
AND...



...THERE'S
ANOTHER ACTING
TEACHER OF MINE,

THAT I CANNOT
LEAVE OUT.



SHE'S SOMEONE
I RESPECT DEEPLY.



LISA CHEON

LISA CHEUN
SEONBAENIM...

...WITHOUT YOUR HELP,
I NEVER WOULD'VE...

A close-up illustration of a woman's face. She has large, expressive brown eyes with dark pupils and white highlights. Her hair is brown and appears to be styled in a layered cut. She has a slight smile and is looking directly at the viewer. The background is a soft, out-of-focus yellow and green.

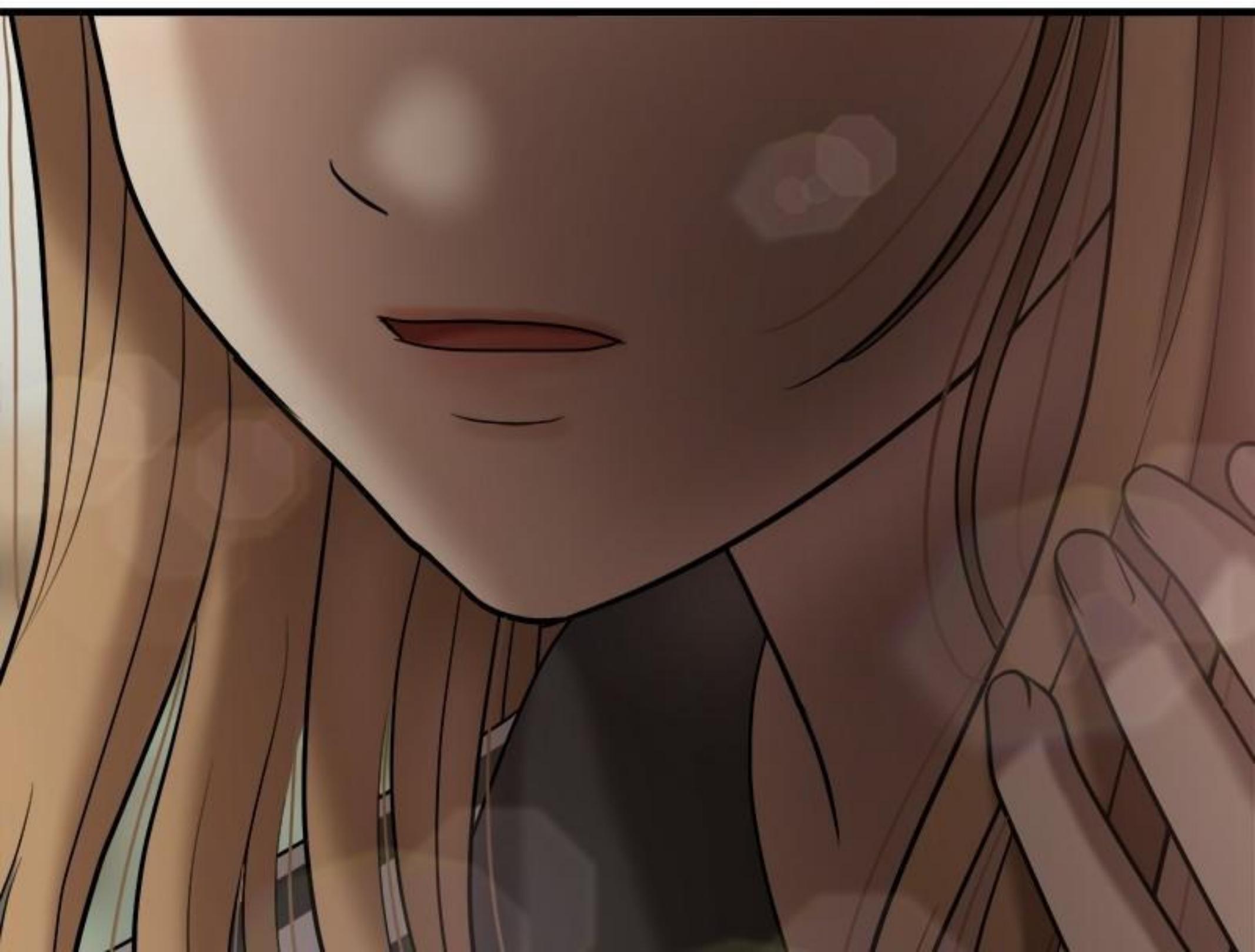
...I
NEVER WOULD'VE
BEEN ABLE TO ACT
THE WAY I DID.



THANK YOU
SO MUCH...

AND
I JUST WANT TO
SAY THAT YOU SHINE
THE MOST WHEN
YOU'RE ACTING.







BA-BUMP

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP



CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

BA-BUMP



BA-DUM

BA-DUM

BA-DUM

AW,
IT'S KIND SWEET...
THEY ALL MENTIONED
LISA CHEON.

IT'S
AMAZING,
ISN'T IT?

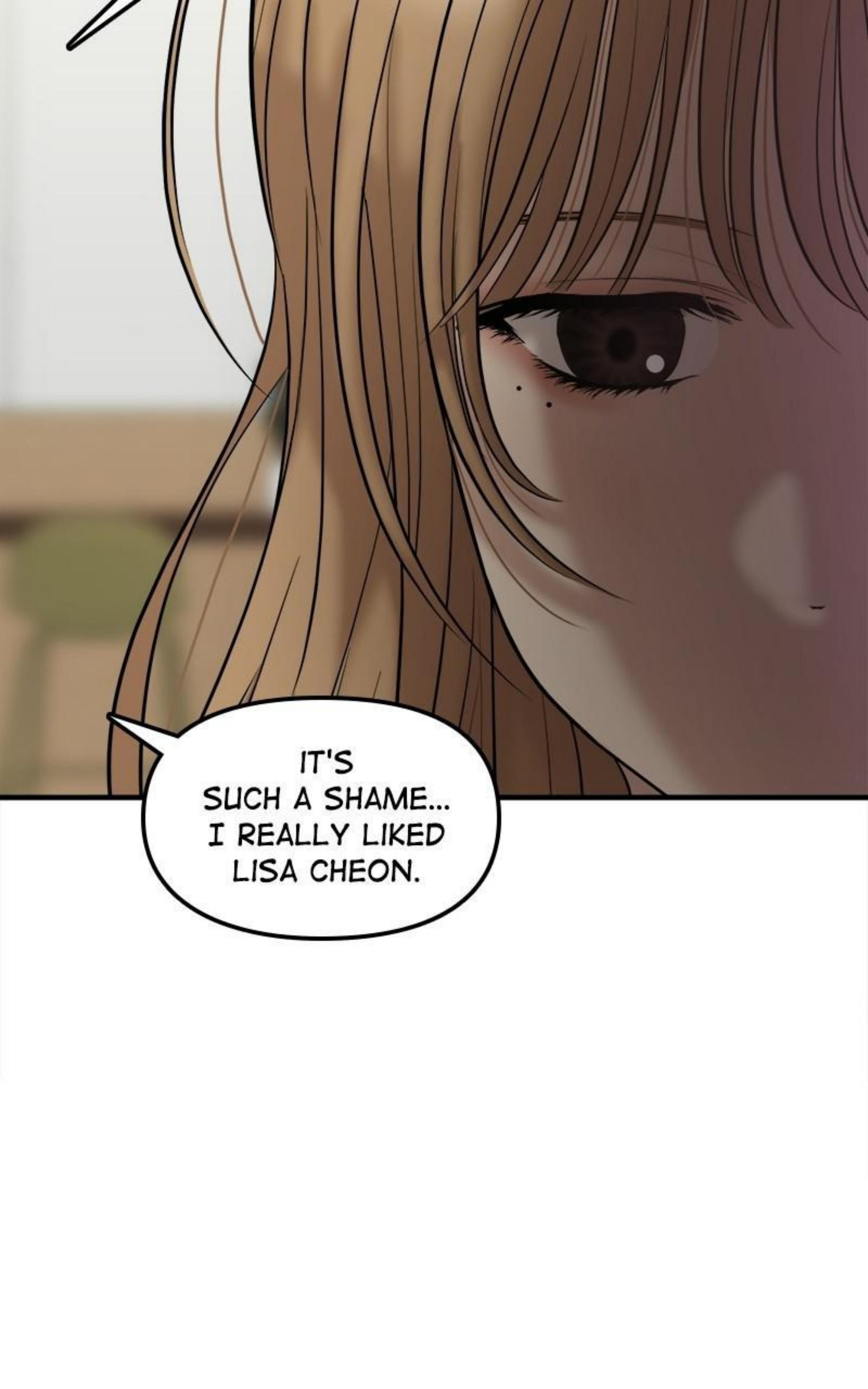




WHEN SHE FIRST MADE
HER COMEBACK, PEOPLE
WERE WONDERING HOW FAR
SHE'D MAKE IT, GIVEN ALL
THE RUMORS THAT WERE
GOING AROUND...

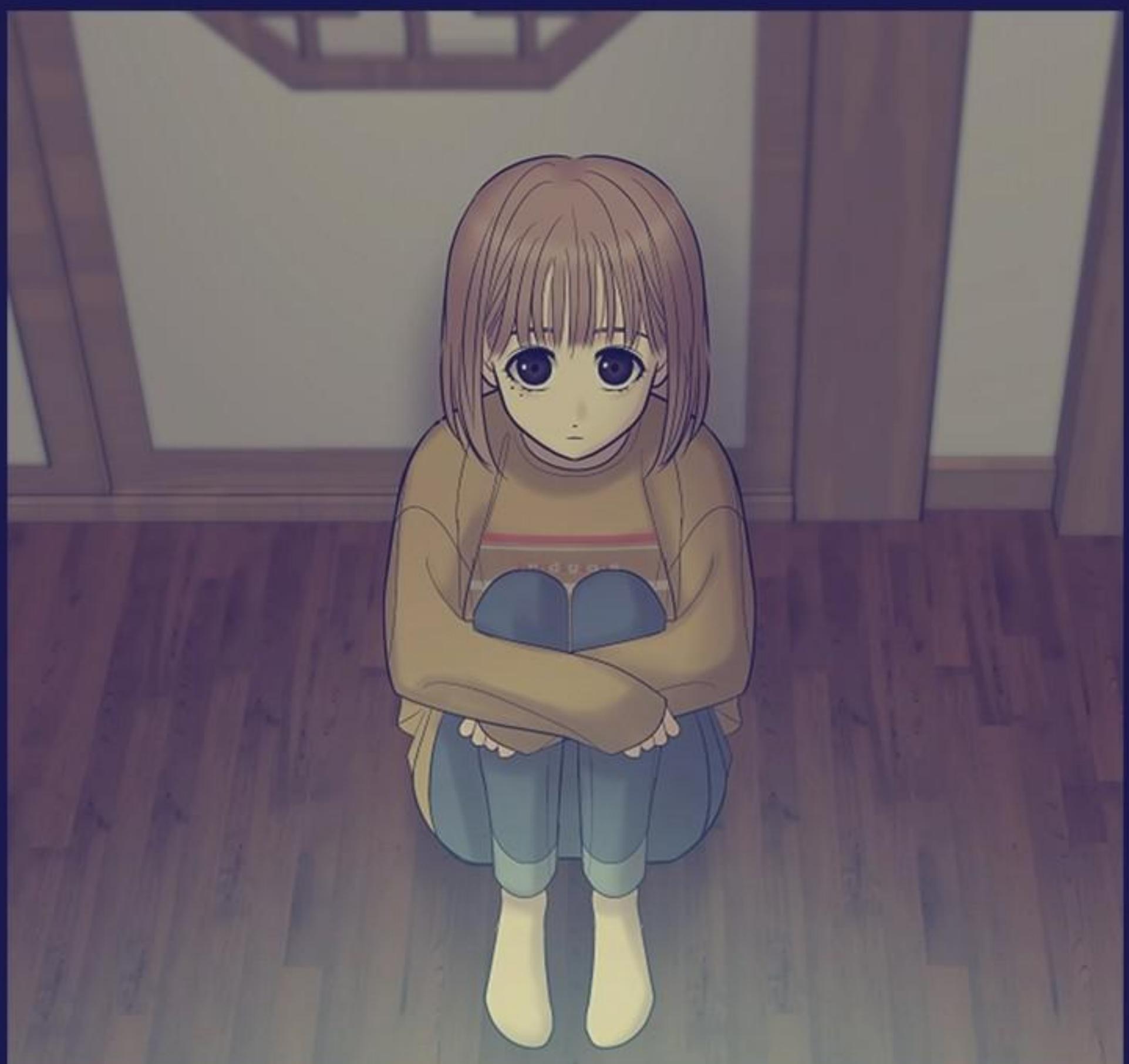
BA-BUMP

...BUT NONE OF
THAT MATTERED
BECAUSE SHE'S
SO TALENTED.

A close-up illustration of a woman's face, focusing on her right eye and hair. She has long, dark brown hair with highlights and is wearing a light-colored headband. A white speech bubble is positioned in front of her hair, containing text.

IT'S
SUCH A SHAME...
I REALLY LIKED
LISA CHEON.

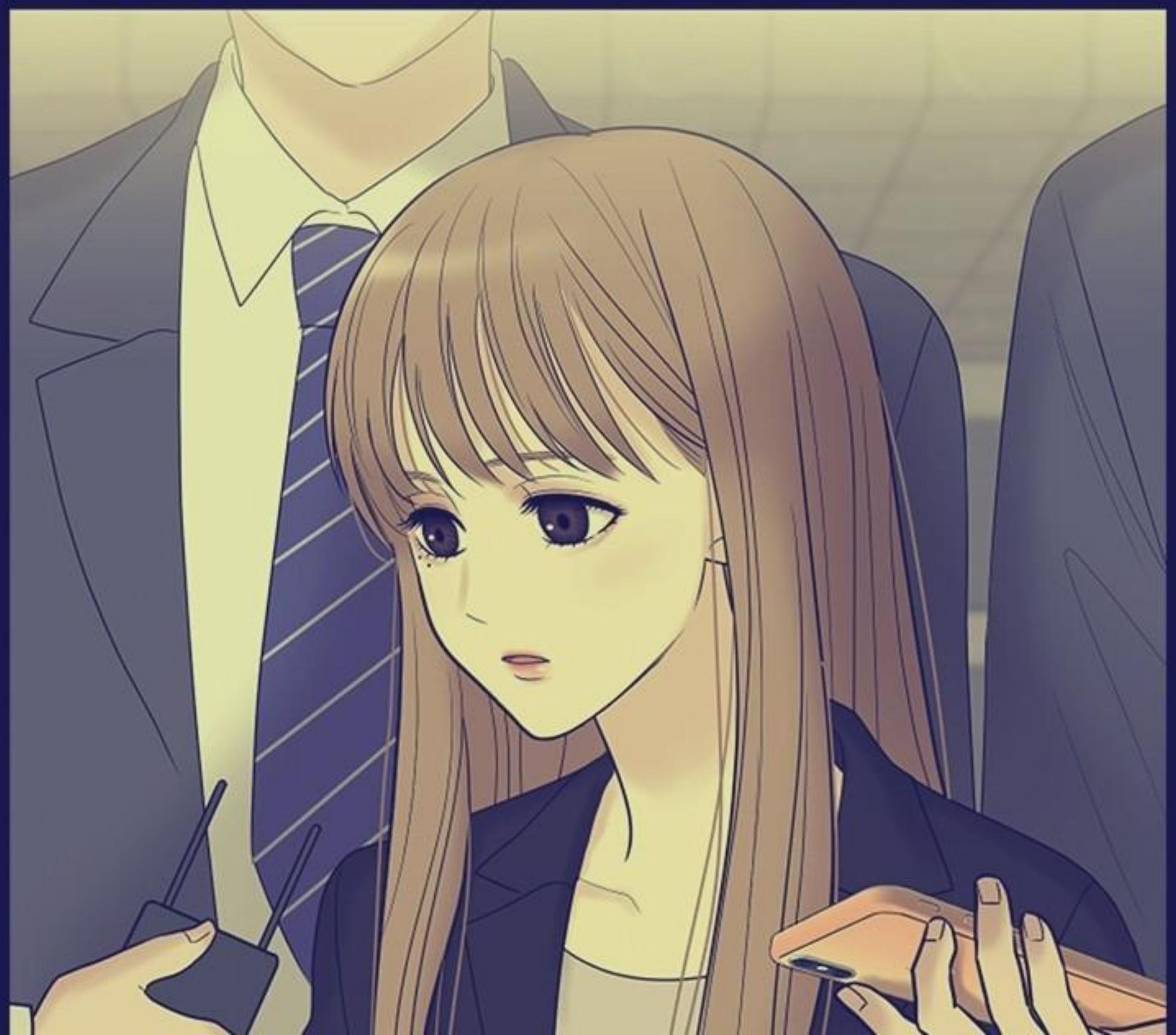
BA-BUMP





I DIDN'T LIKE
ACTING THEN

ACTING THEN...



...I WILL NEVER
APPEAR ON SCREEN
EVER AGAIN.



BEING
AN ACTRESS...

...WAS NEVER...

...WHAT I
WANTED IN THE
FIRST PLACE.

I EVEN
RETIRED ONCE.

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AND NOW,
I TRULY WISH TO
ACT AGAIN.

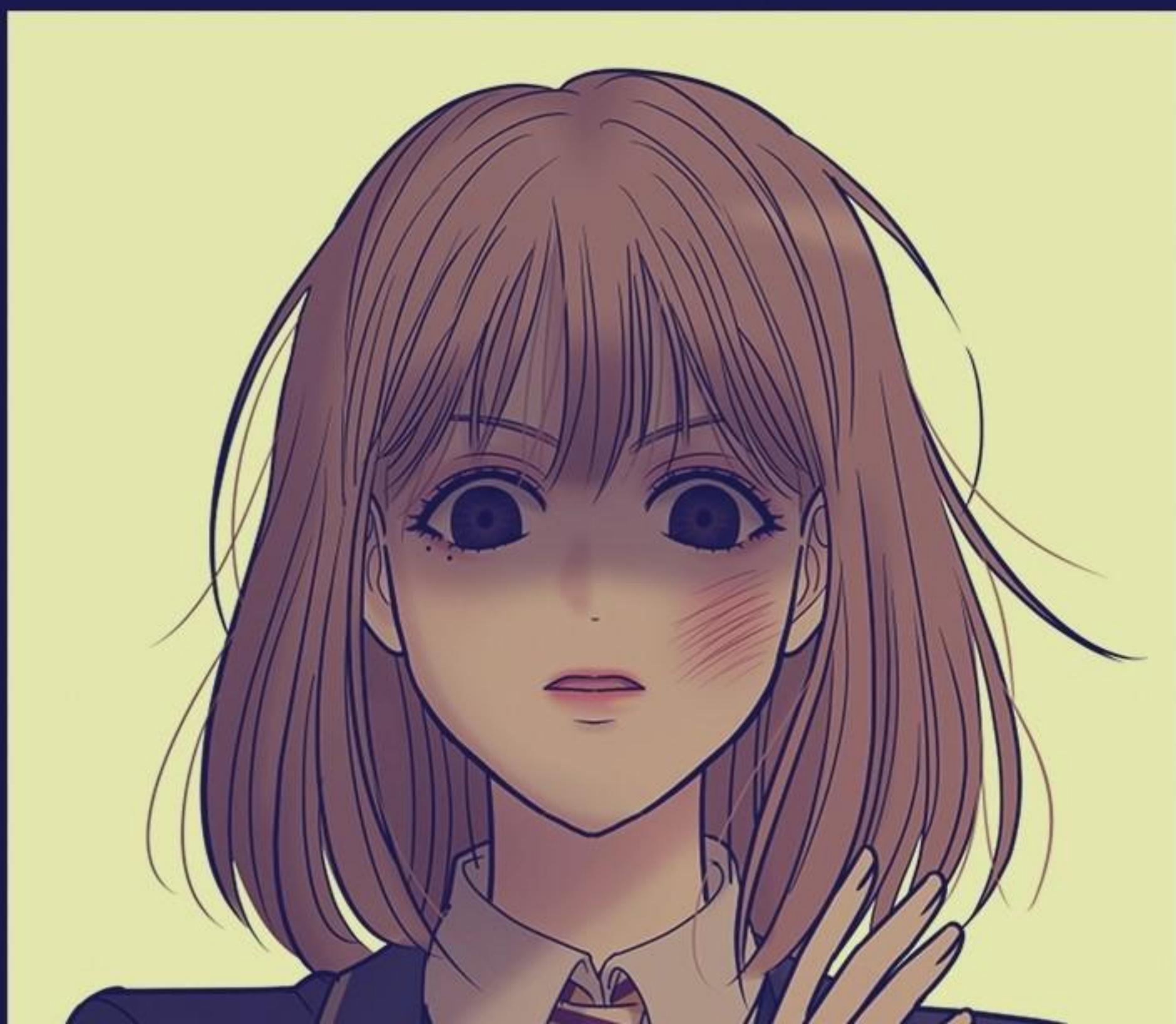




A TOTAL LIE.

I CAME OUT OF RETIREMENT
AND MADE A COMEBACK...





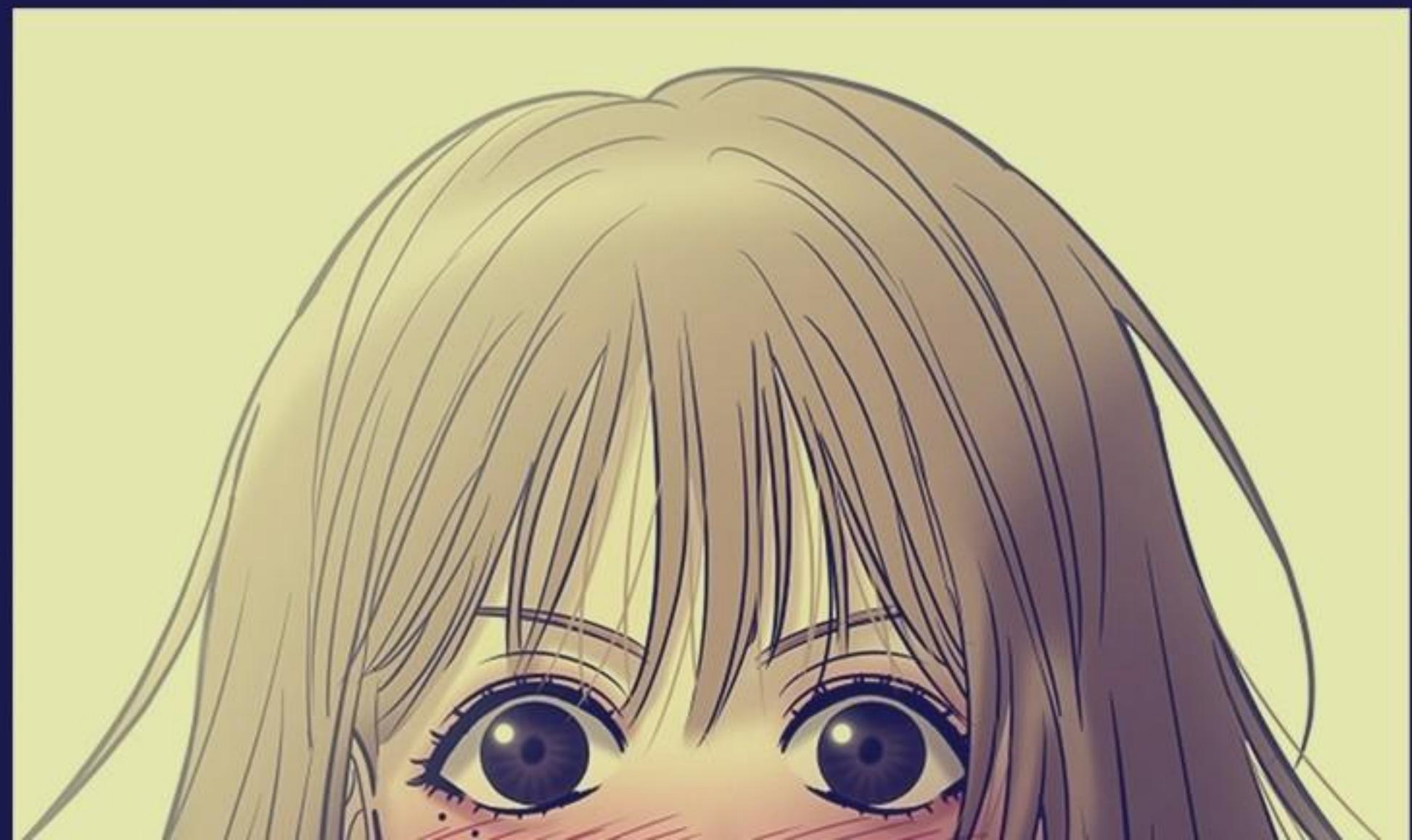


...AND THINGS WEREN'T EASY
WHEN I STARTED ACTING AGAIN.





...A SENSE OF
ACCOMPLISHMENT.





NOW,
I'M LISA CHEON!

BUT... I MADE IT
THROUGH SOMEHOW.



HEY.



DO YOU
WANNA BE A GOOD
ACTOR?



SEONBAENIM,
SEONBAENIM!

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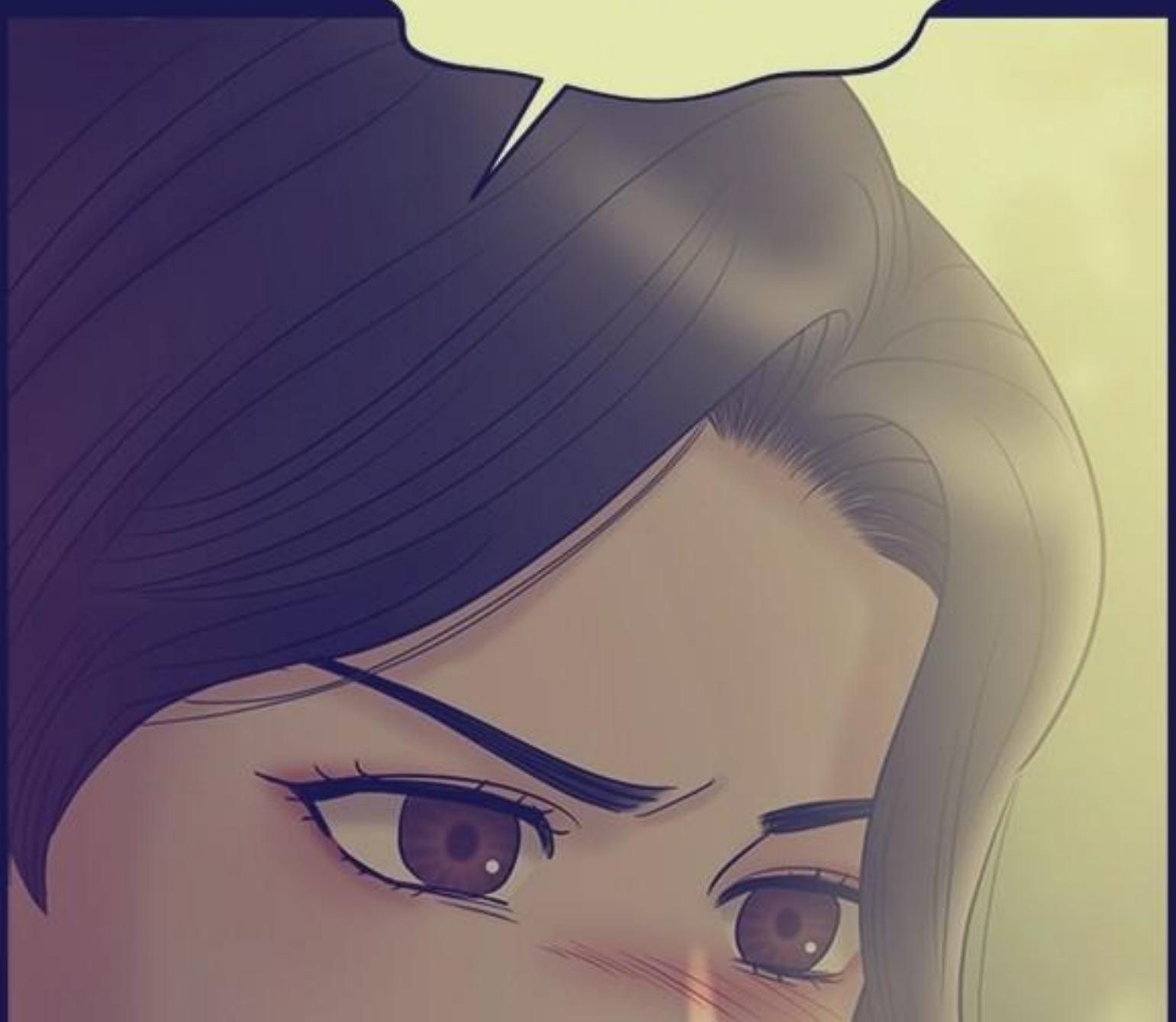
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I... I...
I FINISHED THE SCENE
IN ONE TAKE!

THINGS LIKE THIS...

...I JUST,

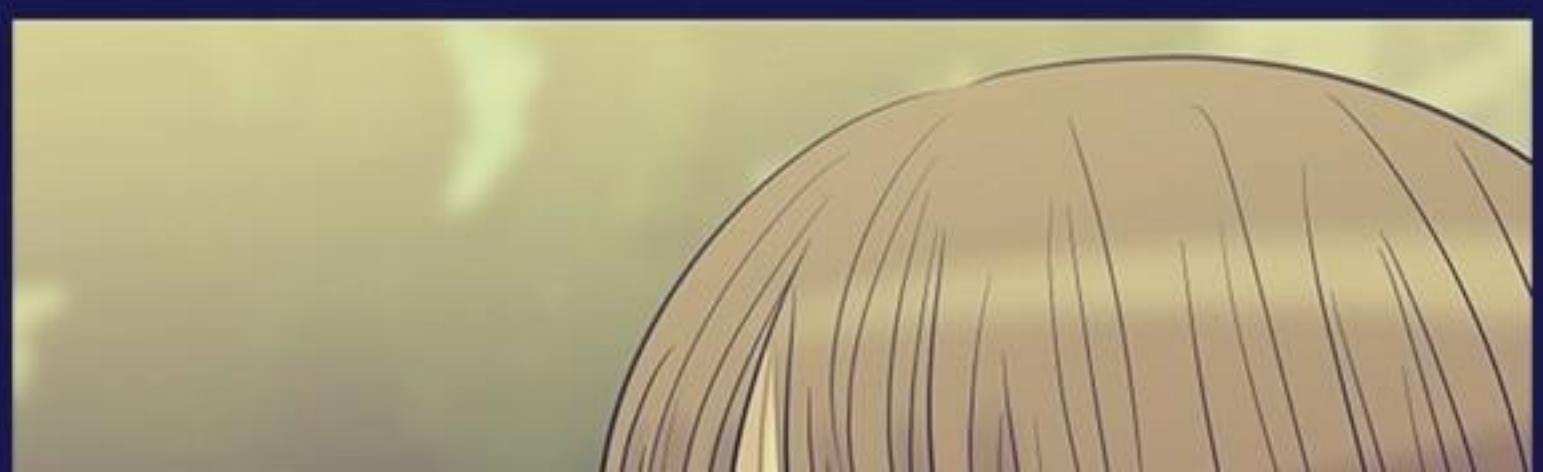
DON'T LIKE
YOU.

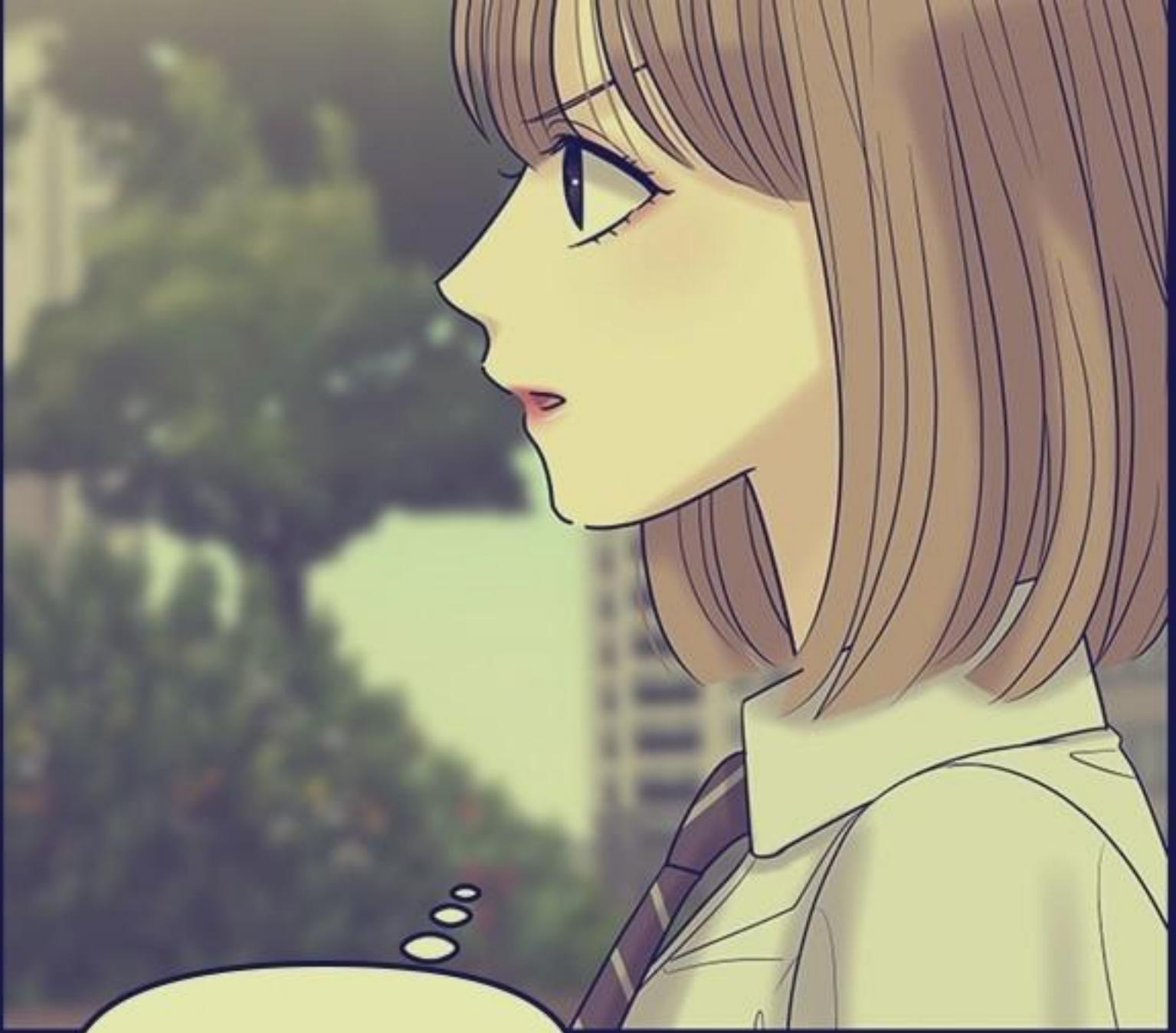




THAT'S IT.

THERE'S
NO OTHER
REASON.





HAGYEONG...

YOU'VE IMMERSED
YOURSELF IN YOUR
CHARACTER.

...MAKE
ME FEEL SO
WRETCHED...?

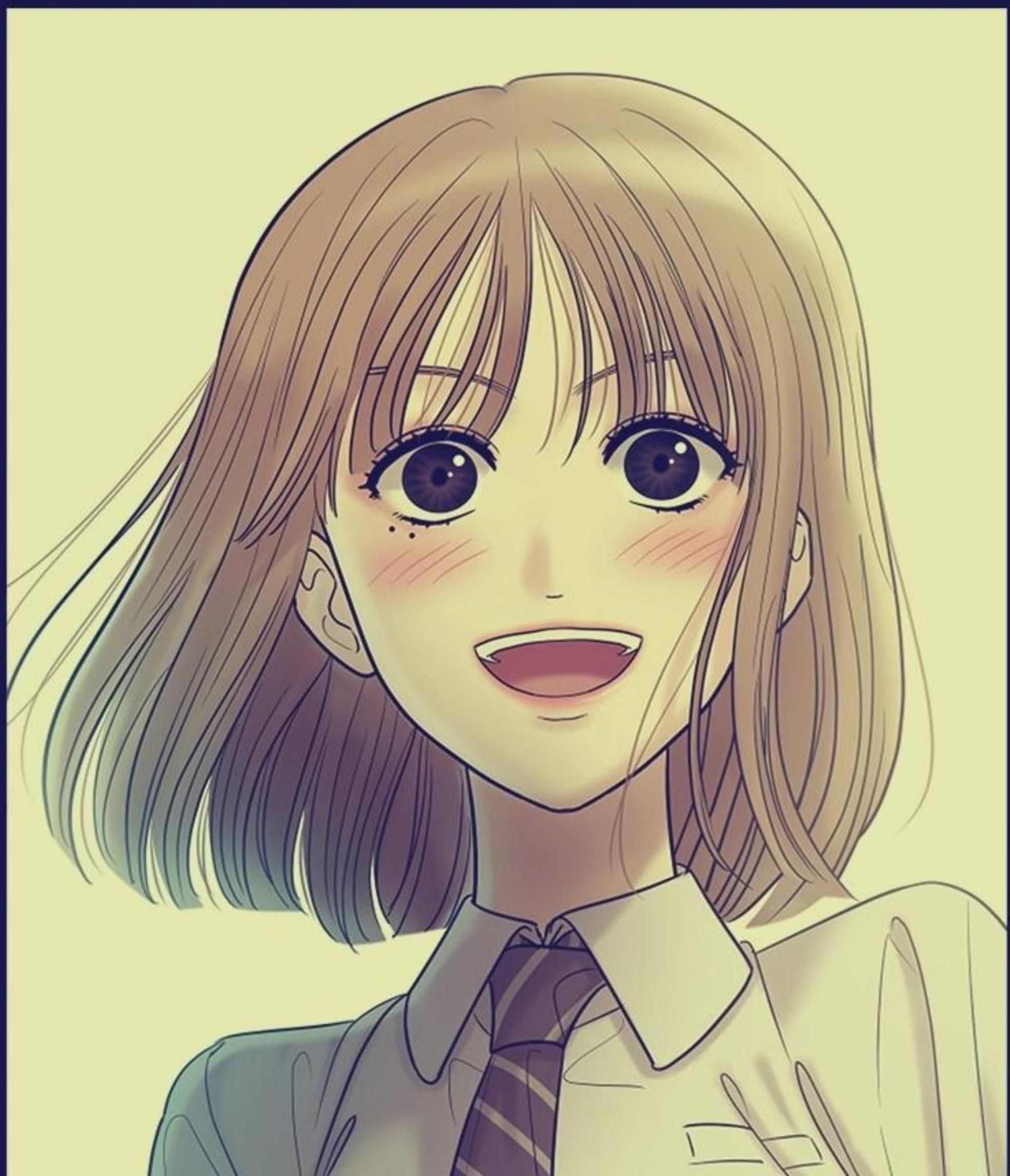


...AND THIS...



SINCE I WAS
YOUNG...

ACTING WAS
ALL I HAD.



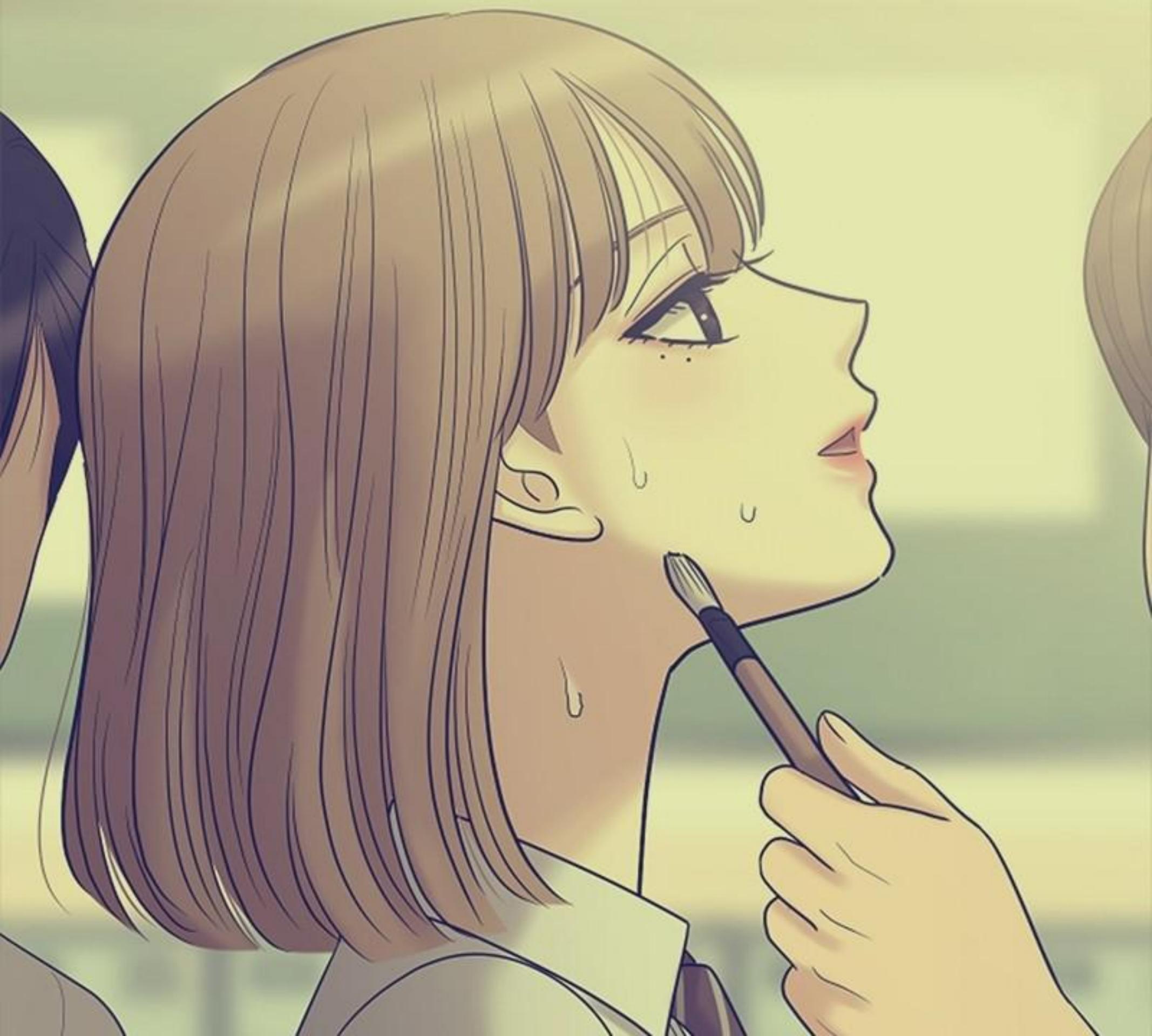


...MADE ME...

MOM.

I THINK... I'VE BECOME
BETTER AT IT NOW.

I CAN FEEL IT.





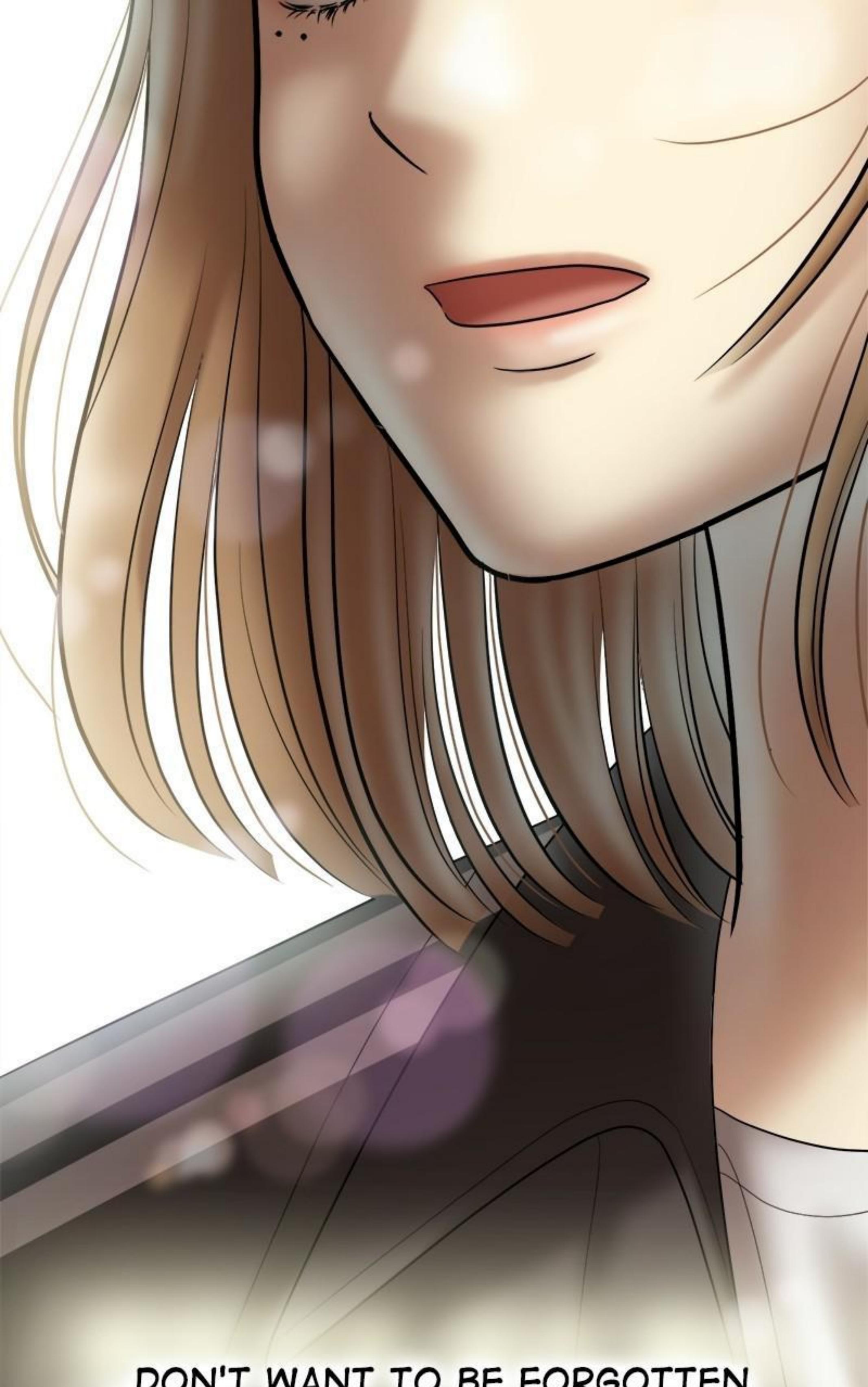
AND IT'S SO
MUCH FUN.

...ENJOY ACTING
FOR THE FIRST TIME.

SO...

....I...



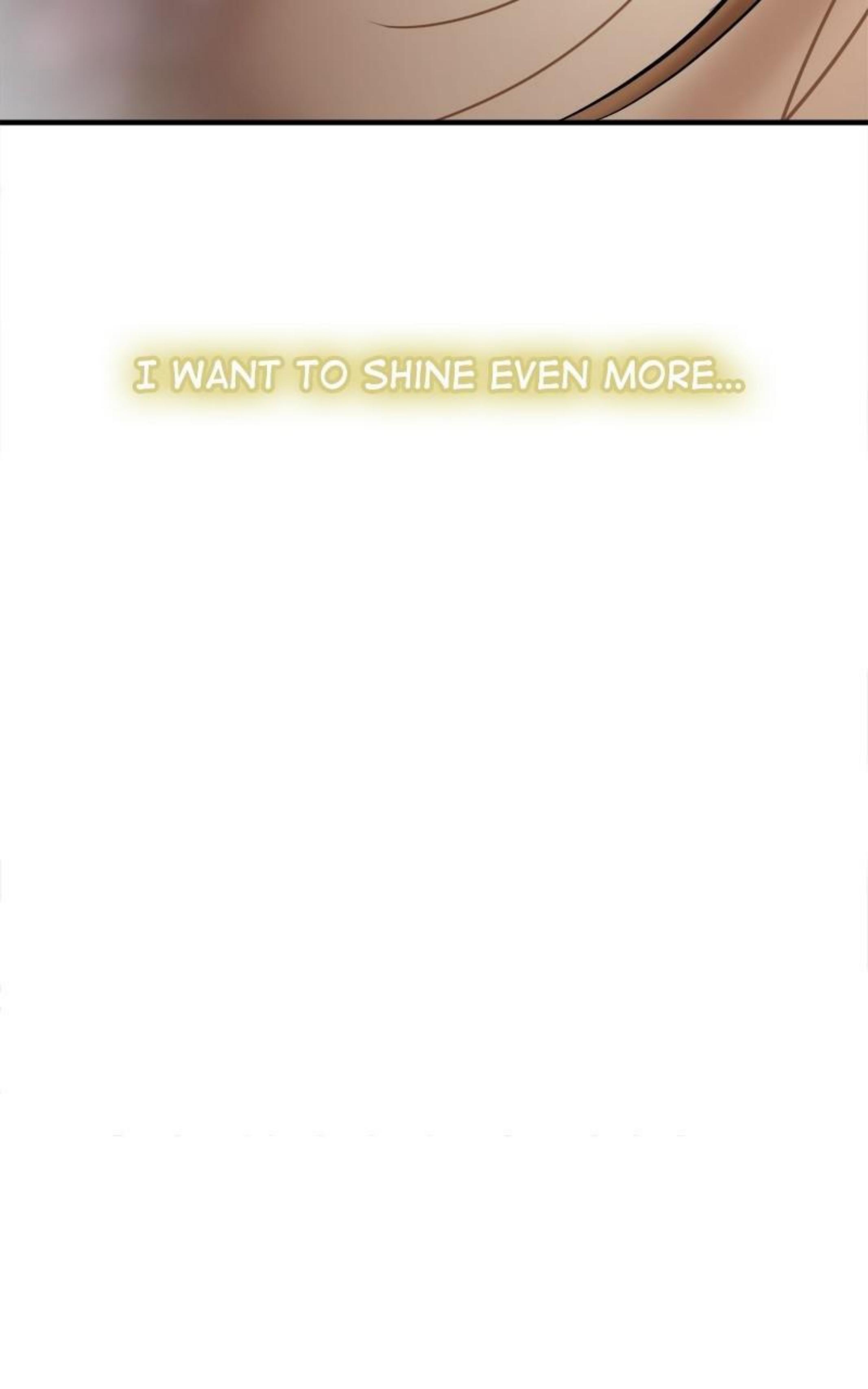


DON'T WANT TO BE FORGOTTEN

...DON'T WANT TO BE FORGOTTEN.

I DON'T WANT TO QUIT.





I WANT TO SHINE EVEN MORE...

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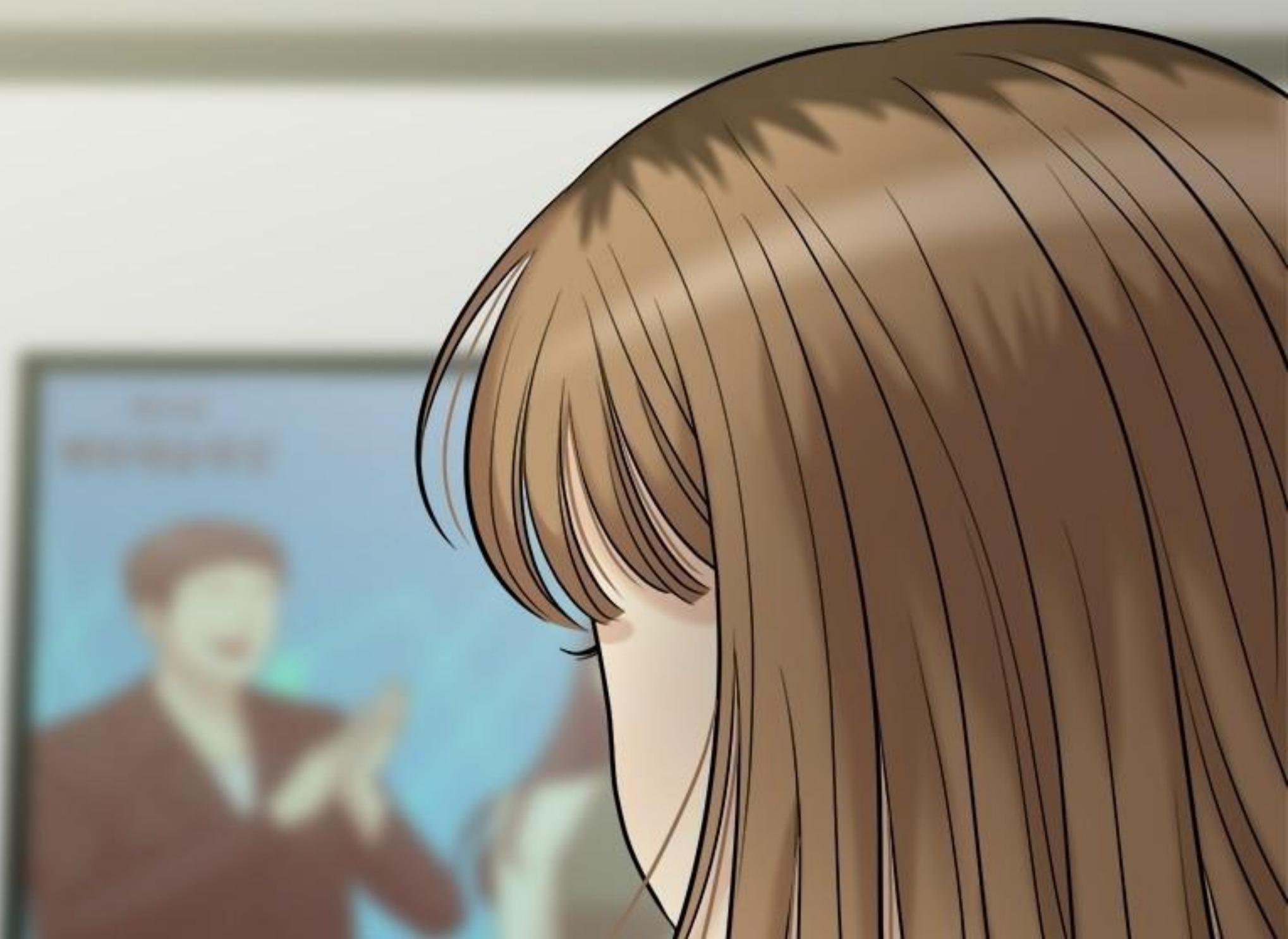
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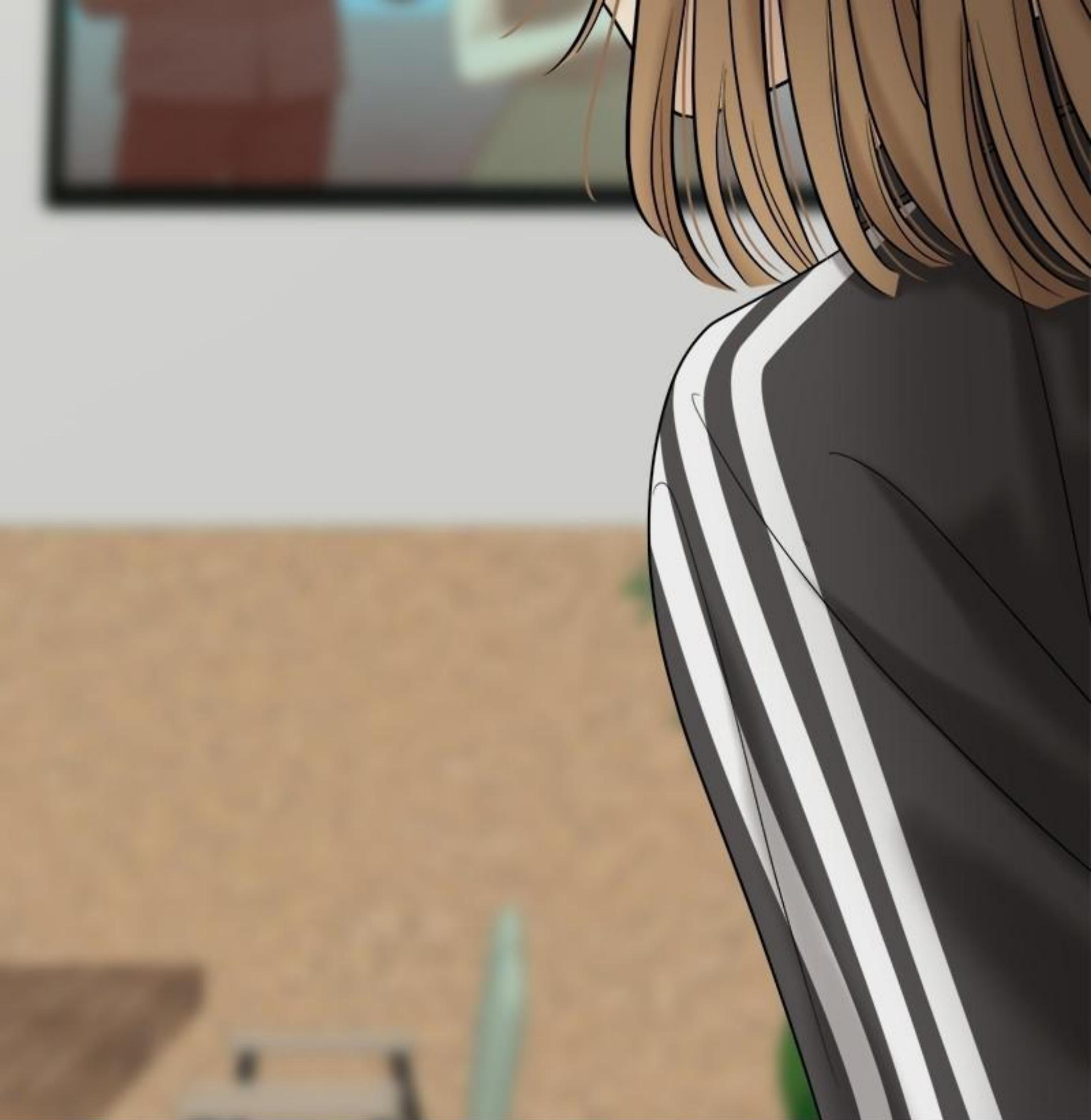


I WANT TO GO THERE.



I WANT TO BE THERE...

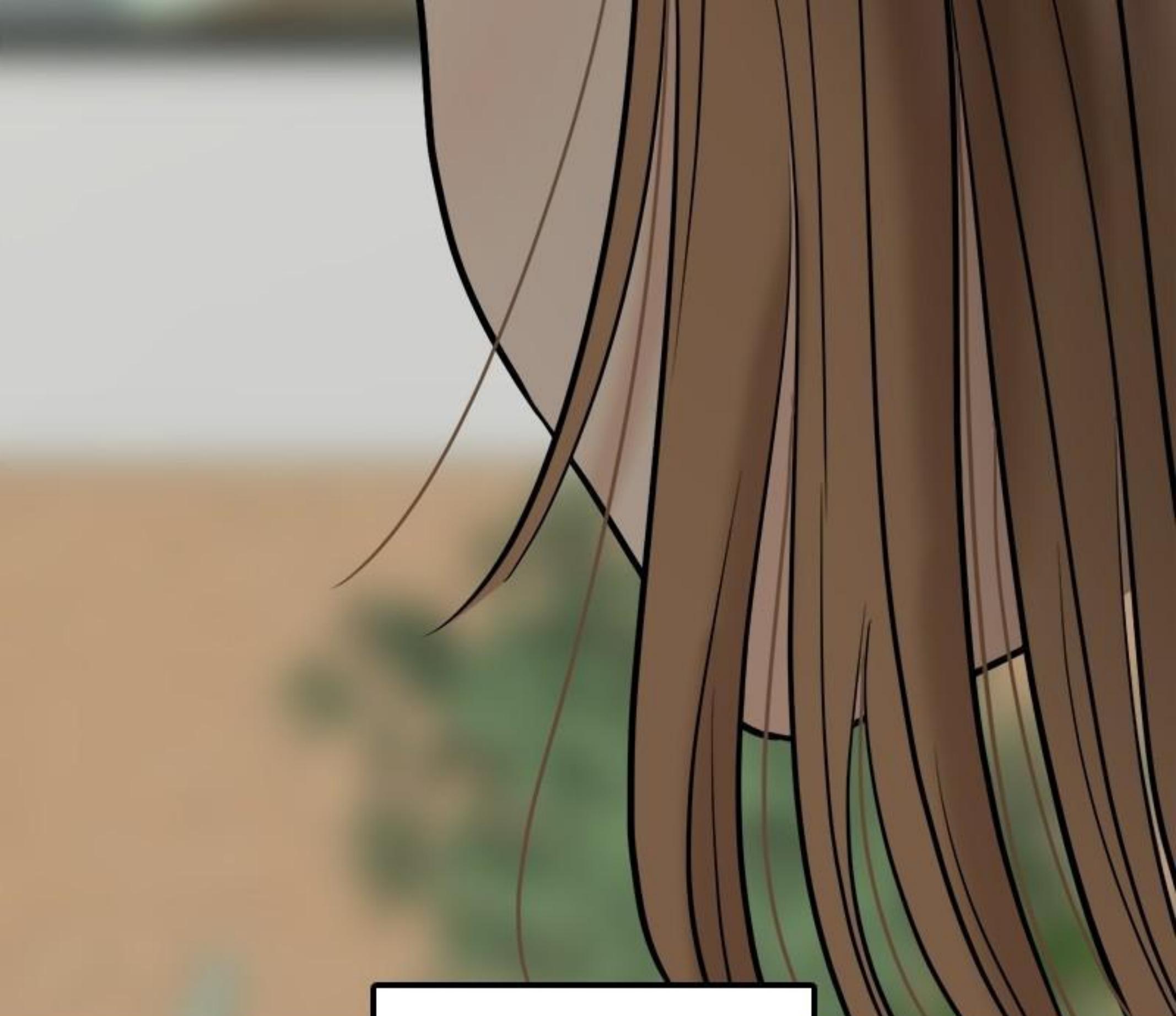




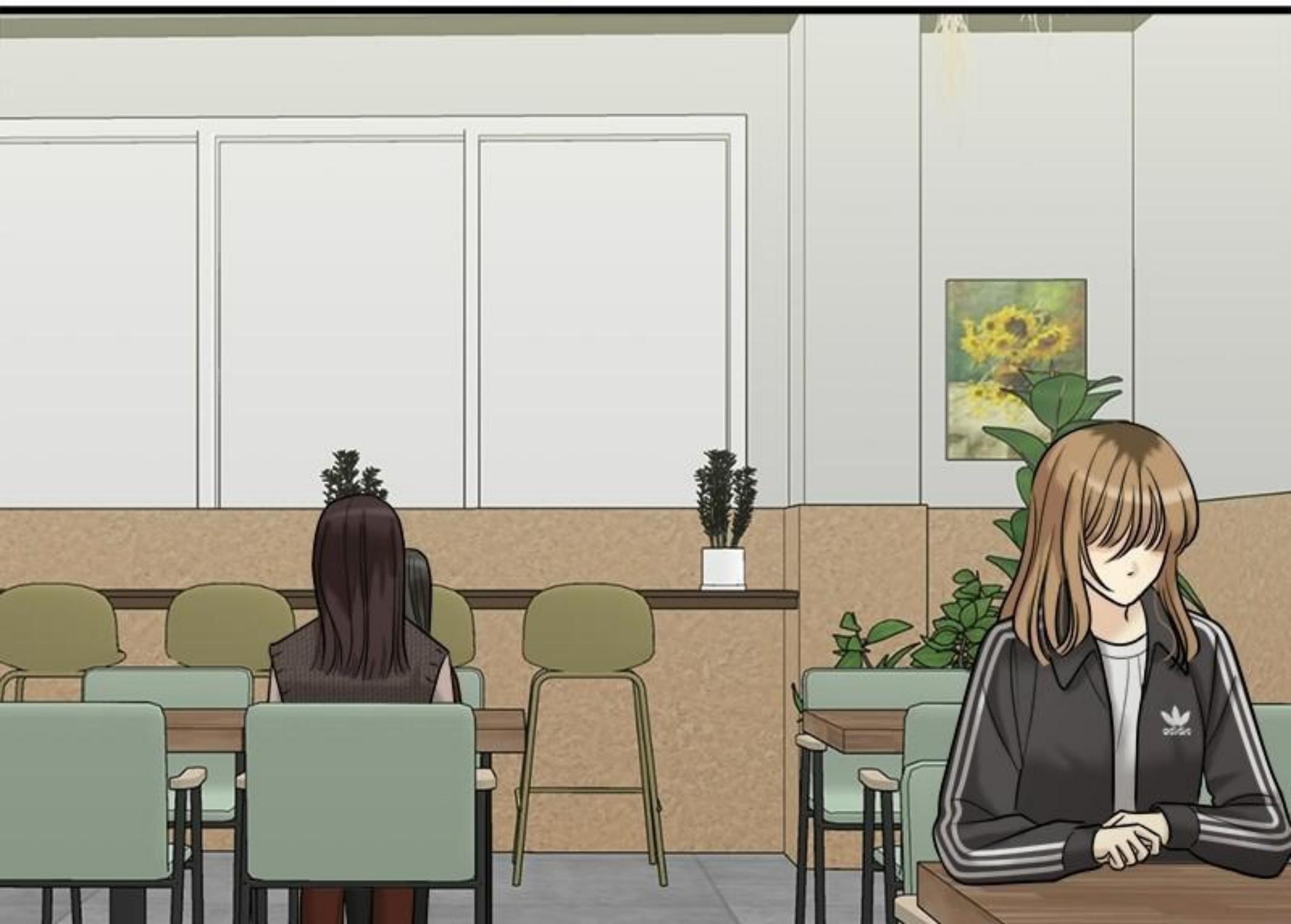
...AS LISA CHEON,
THE ACTRESS.

AS LISA CHEON...





...THE ACTRESS.









IT BECAME CLEAR
TO ME THEN.

THAT IF I DON'T RUN
OVER THERE NOW...





...I'D REGRET IT BIG TIME.



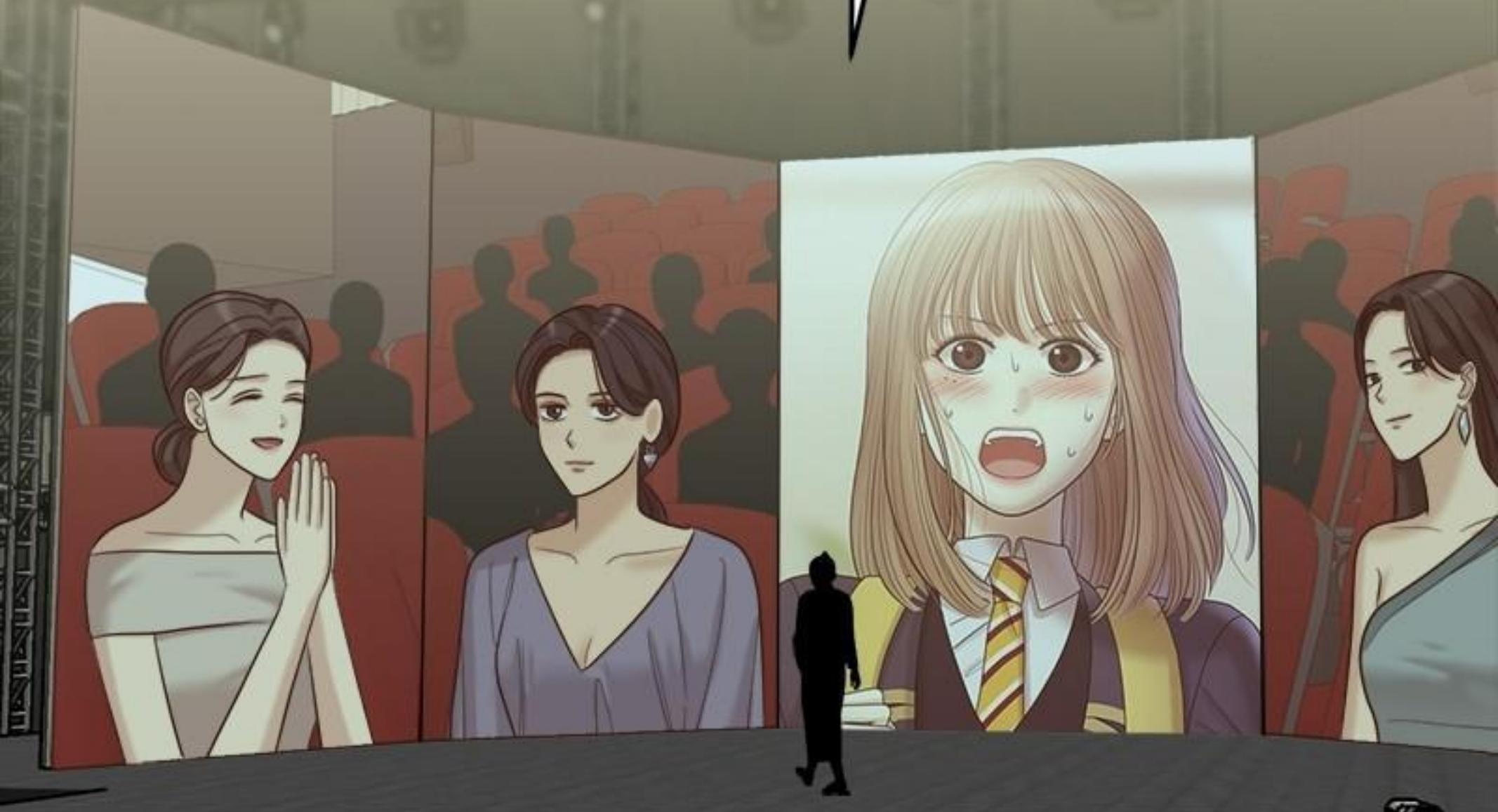
NOW THEN!





THE COMPETITION
AROUND THIS AWARD
WAS TRULY FIERCE.

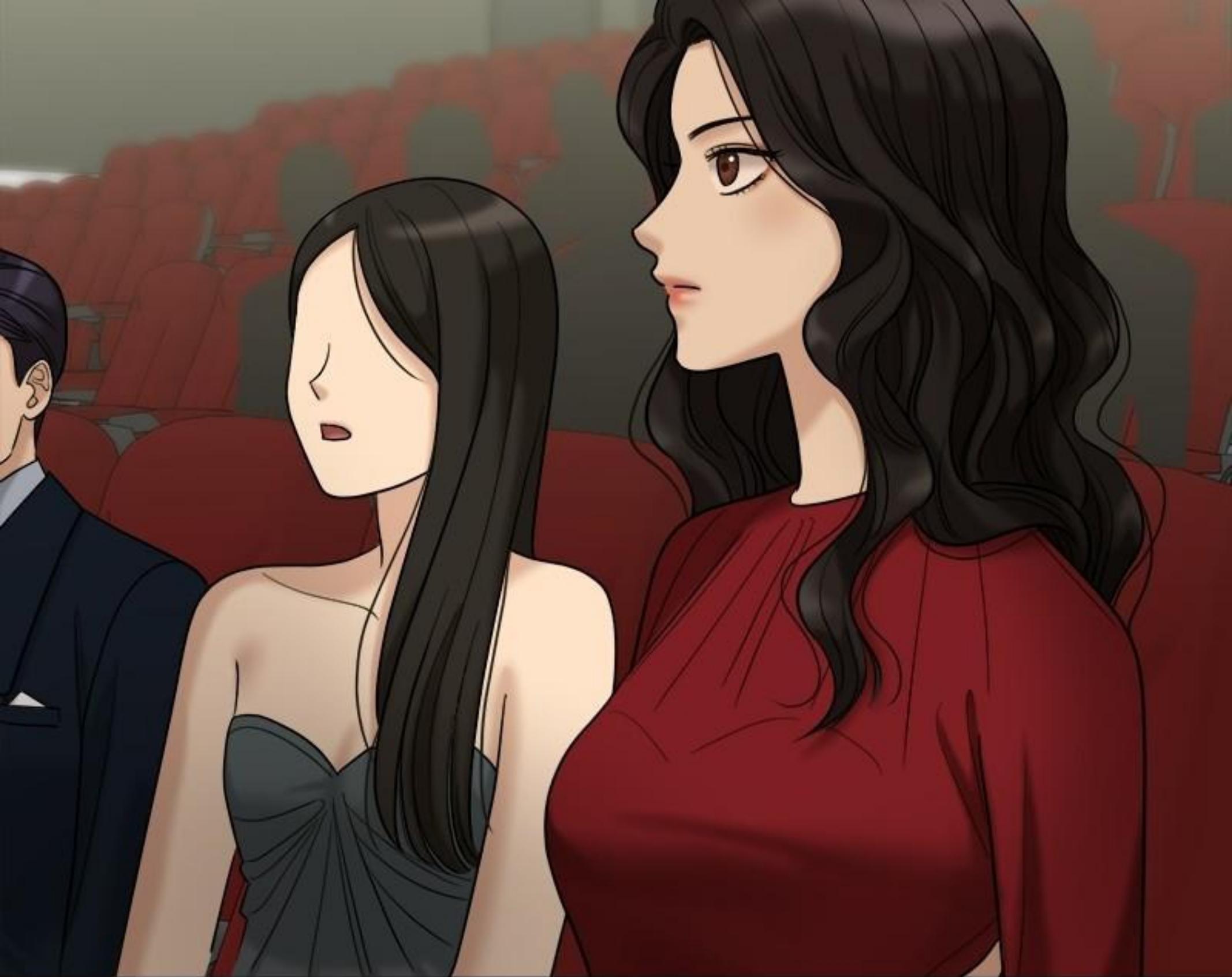
HERE ARE
THE NOMINEES FOR
BEST ACTRESS IN THE
TV CATEGORY!



W H O O O O ! !

...
Wooo!

WHO WILL BE
THE WINNER?



IT'S
EVEN MAKING
ME NERVOUS.

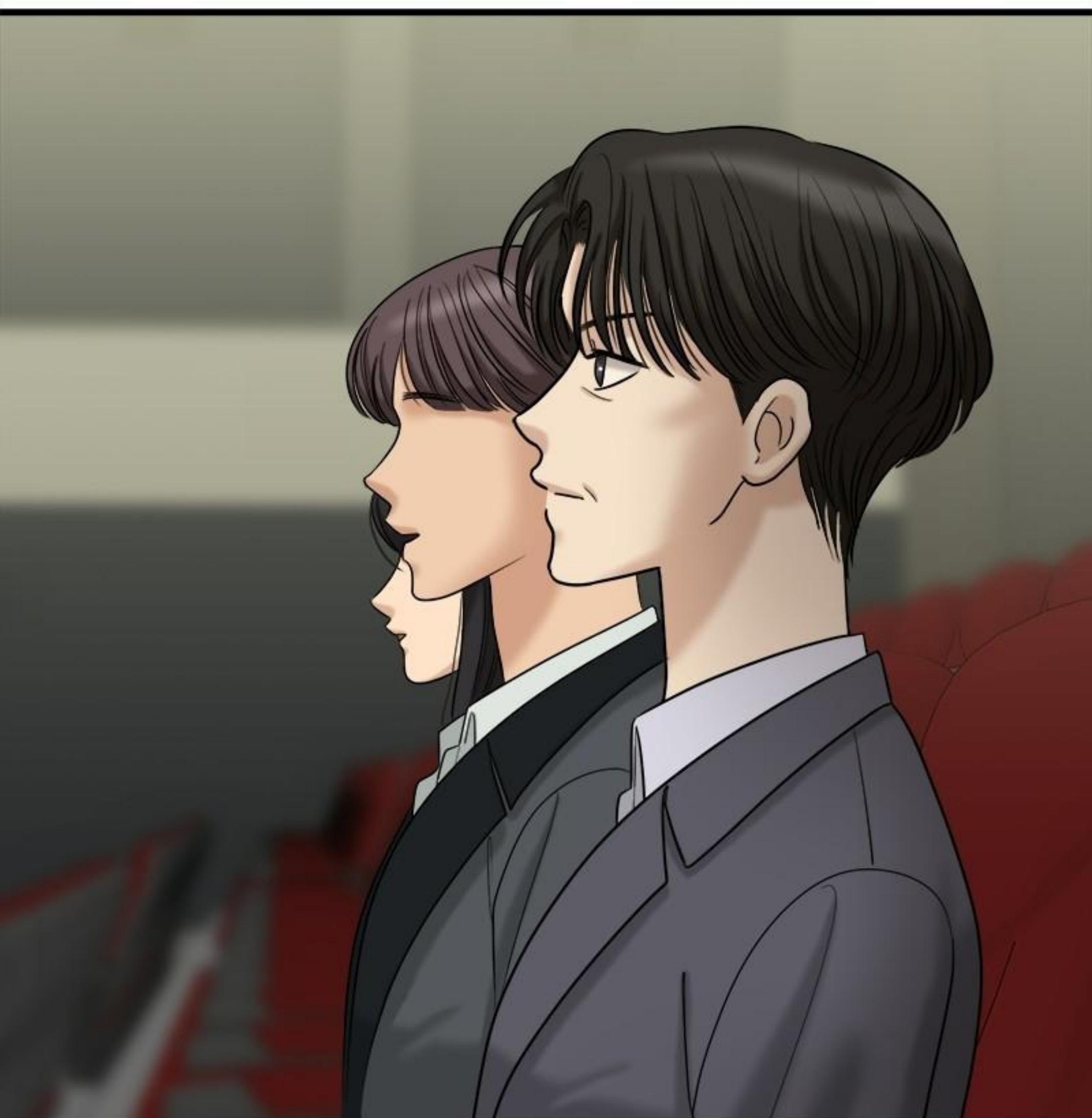


WHO WILL
TAKE THE AWARD
FOR BEST ACTRESS
THIS YEAR?

PLEASE...

AND NOW

AND NOW,
THE RESULTS.



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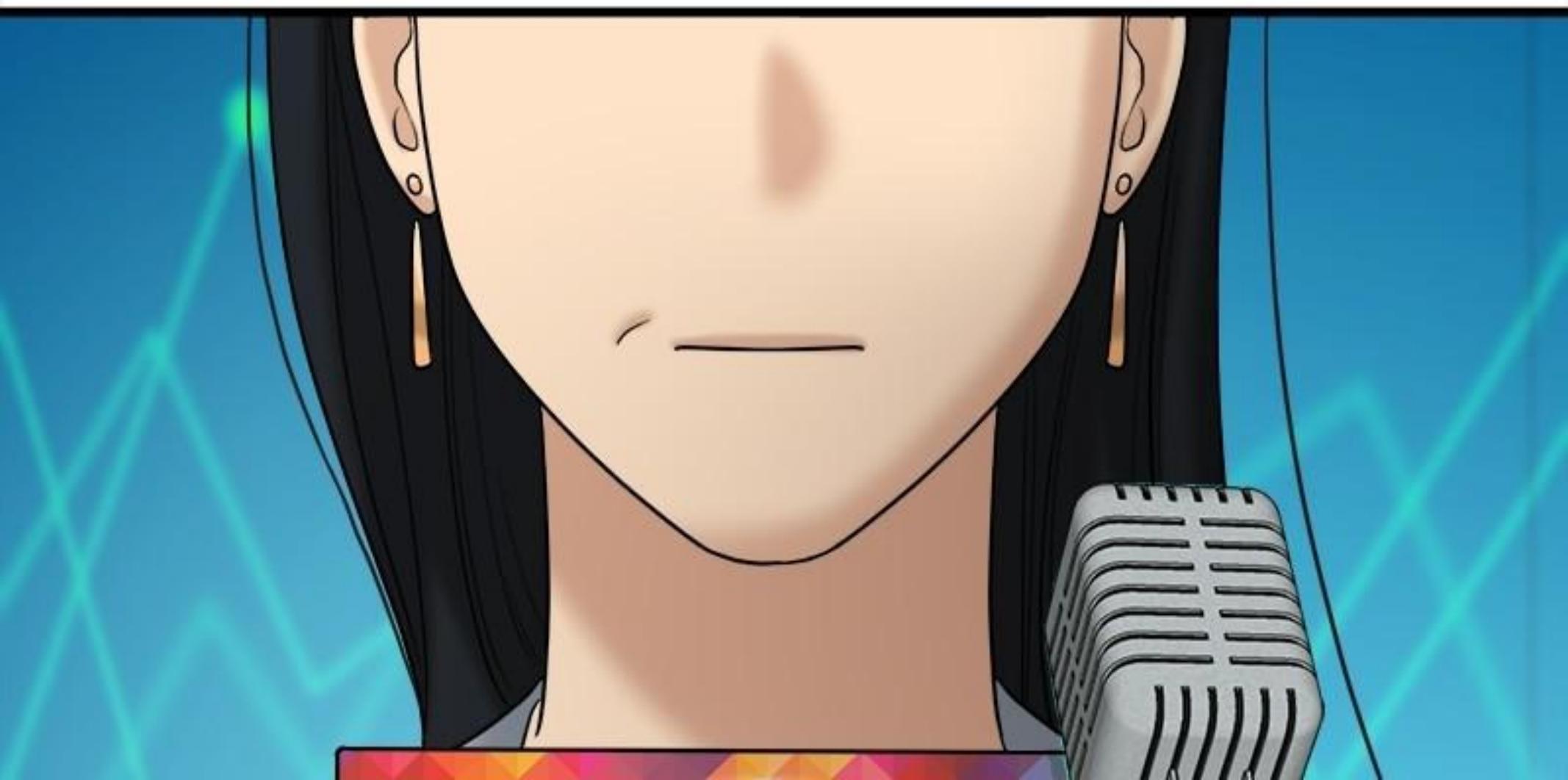
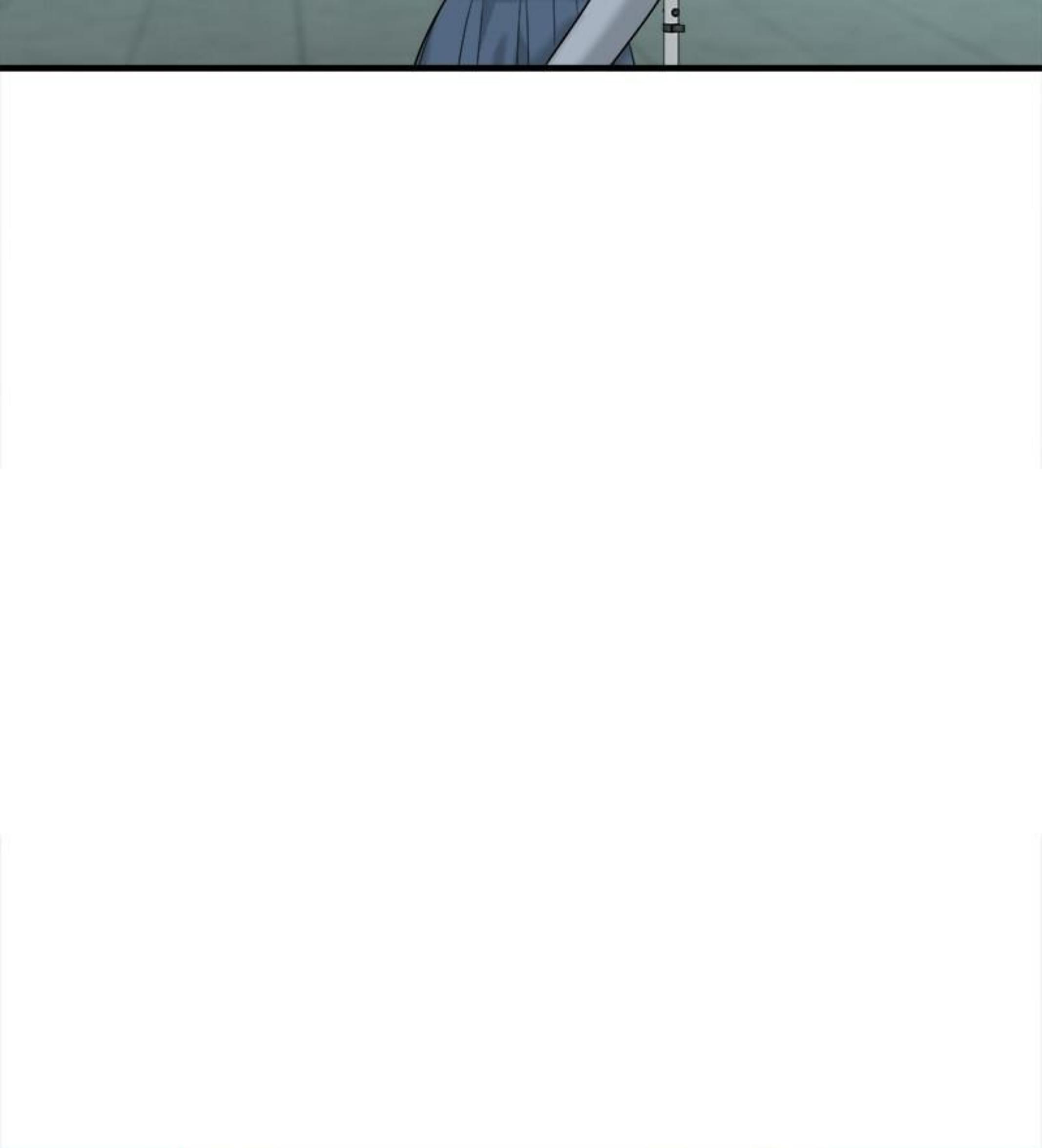
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...FOR BEST
ACTRESS IN THE
TV CATEGORY.

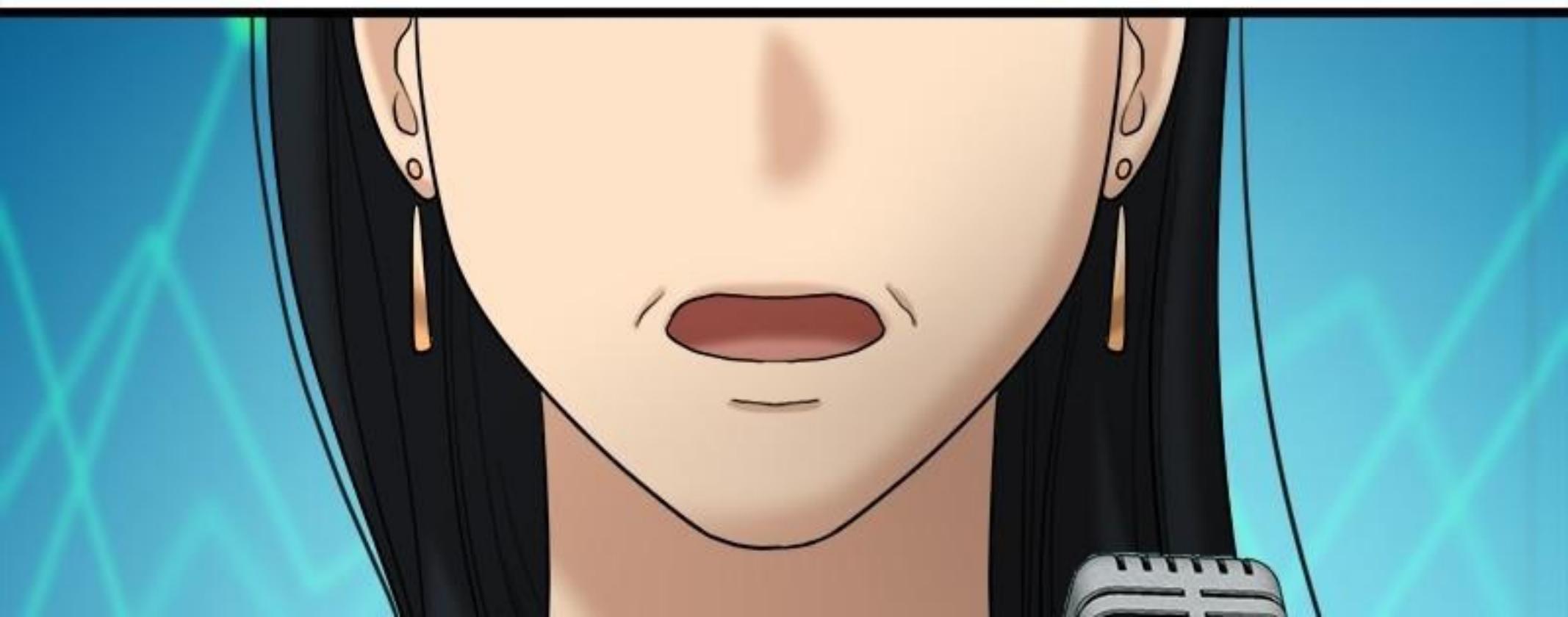






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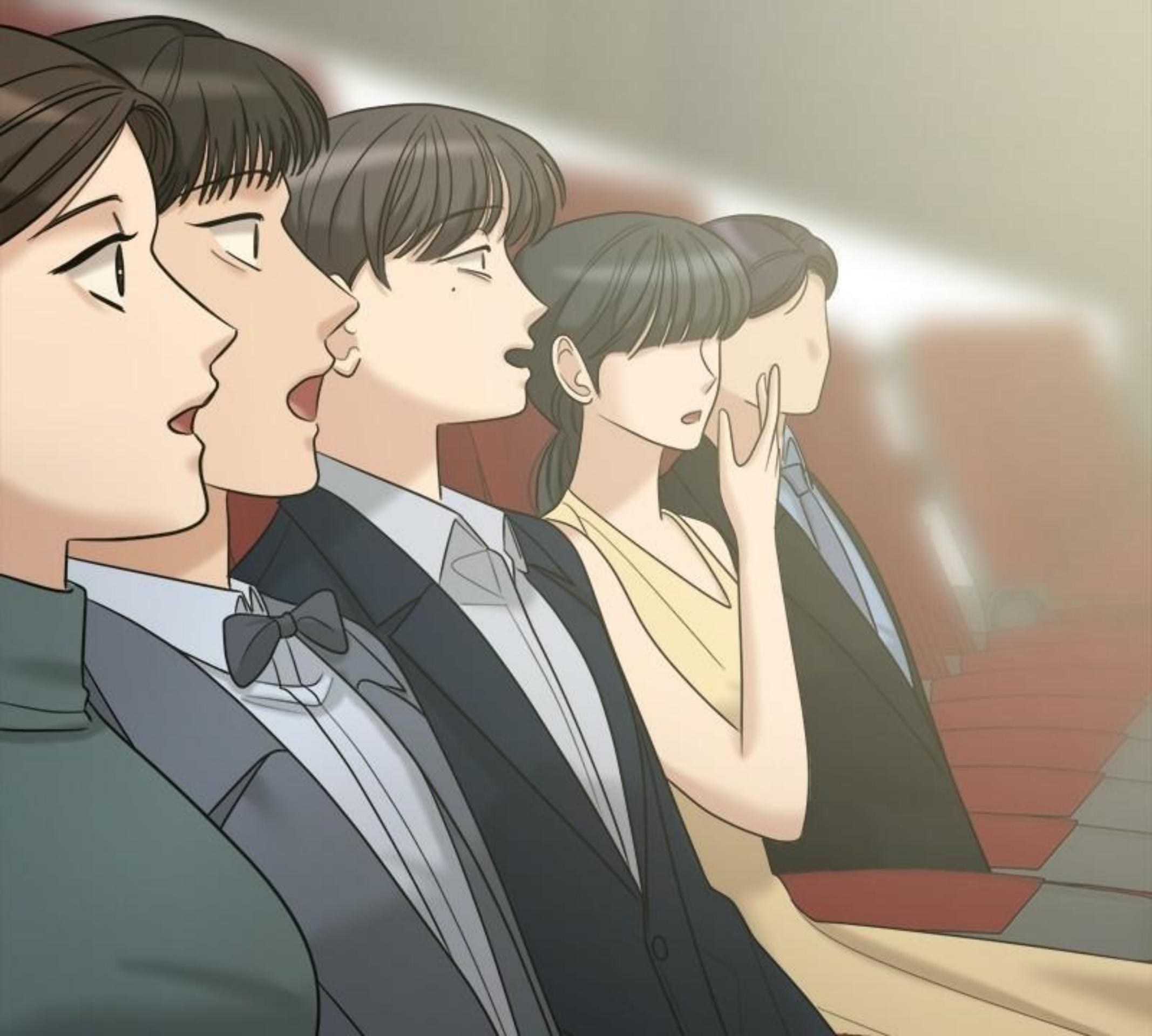
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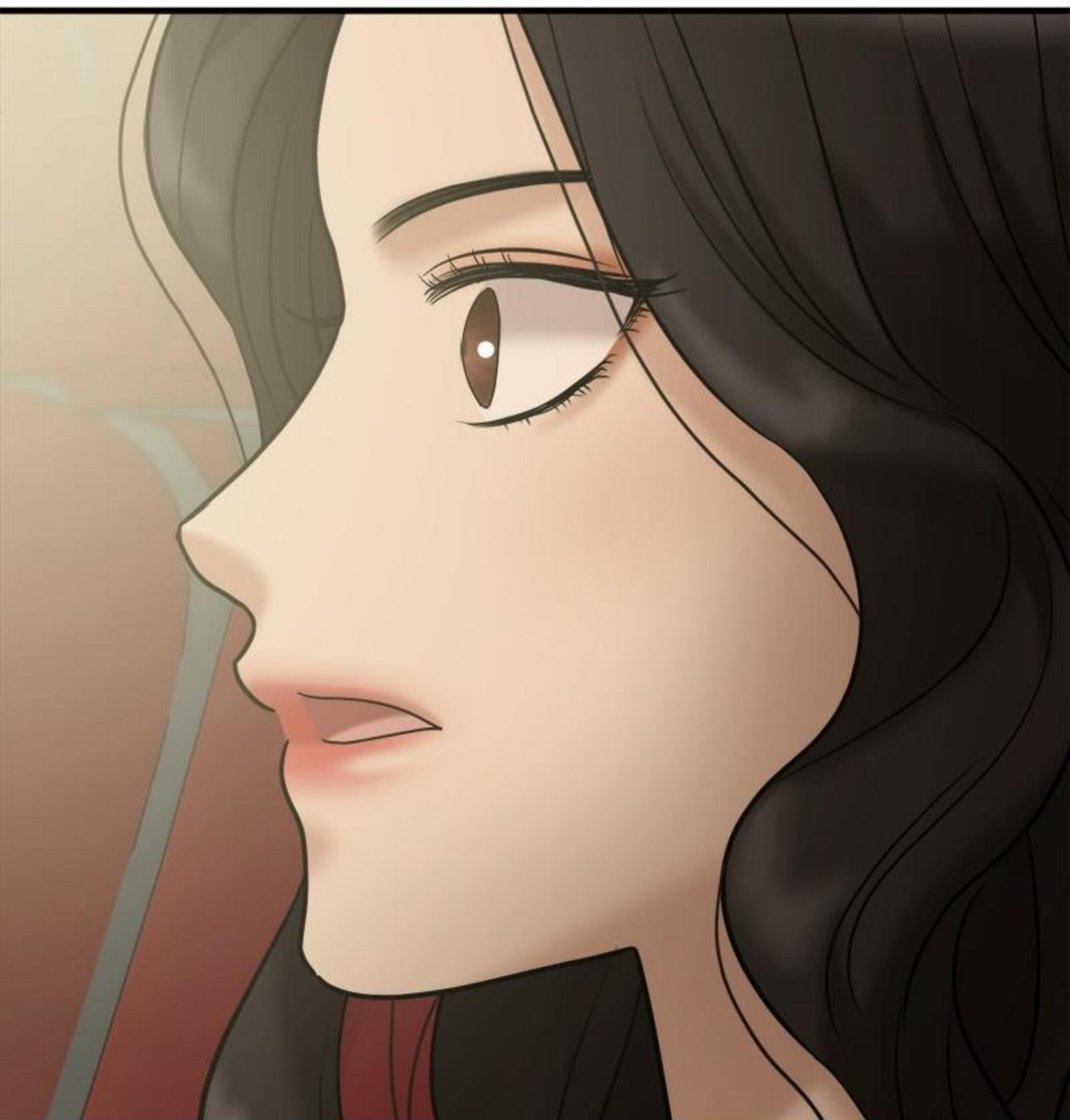
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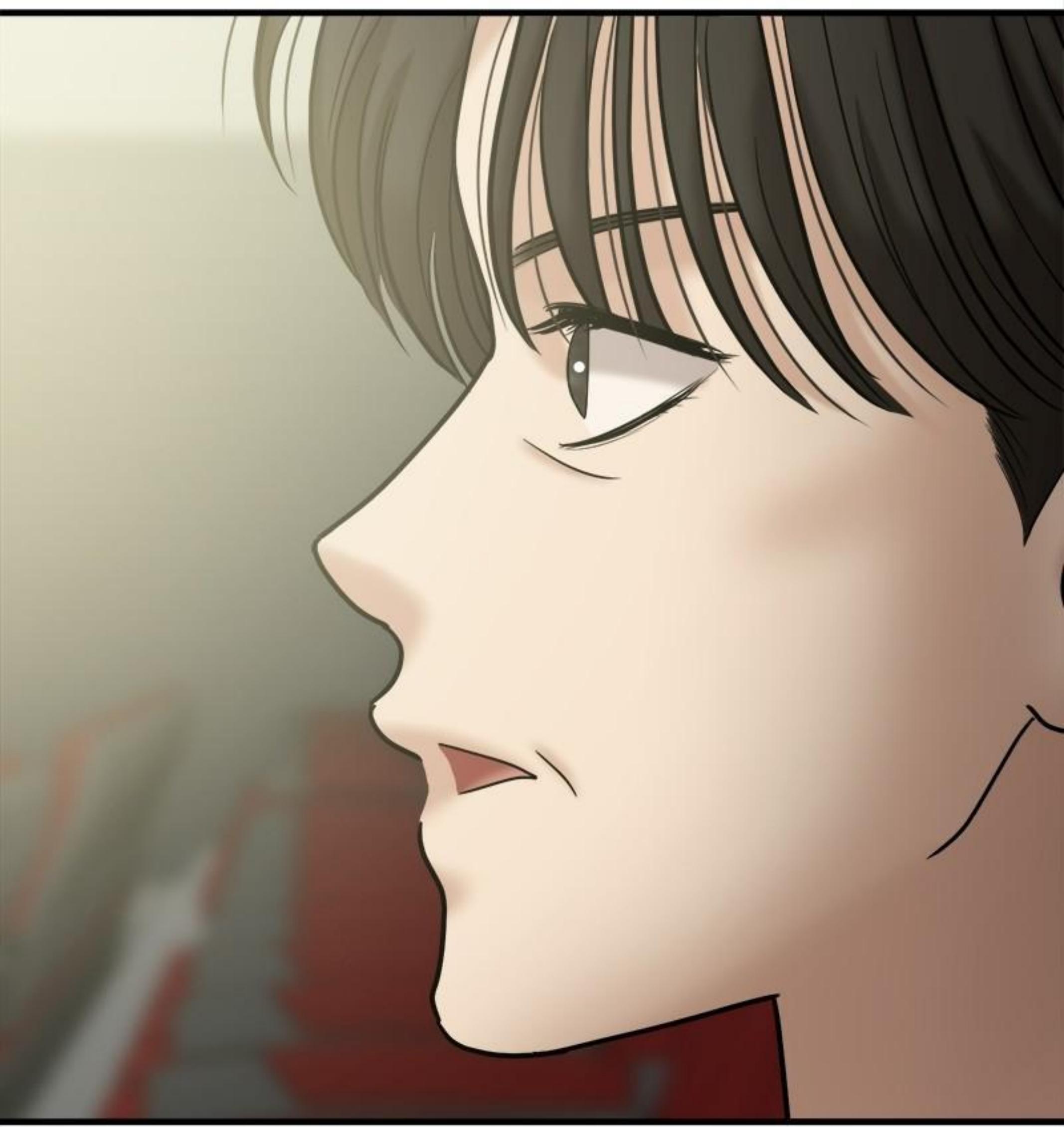
LISA CHEON...



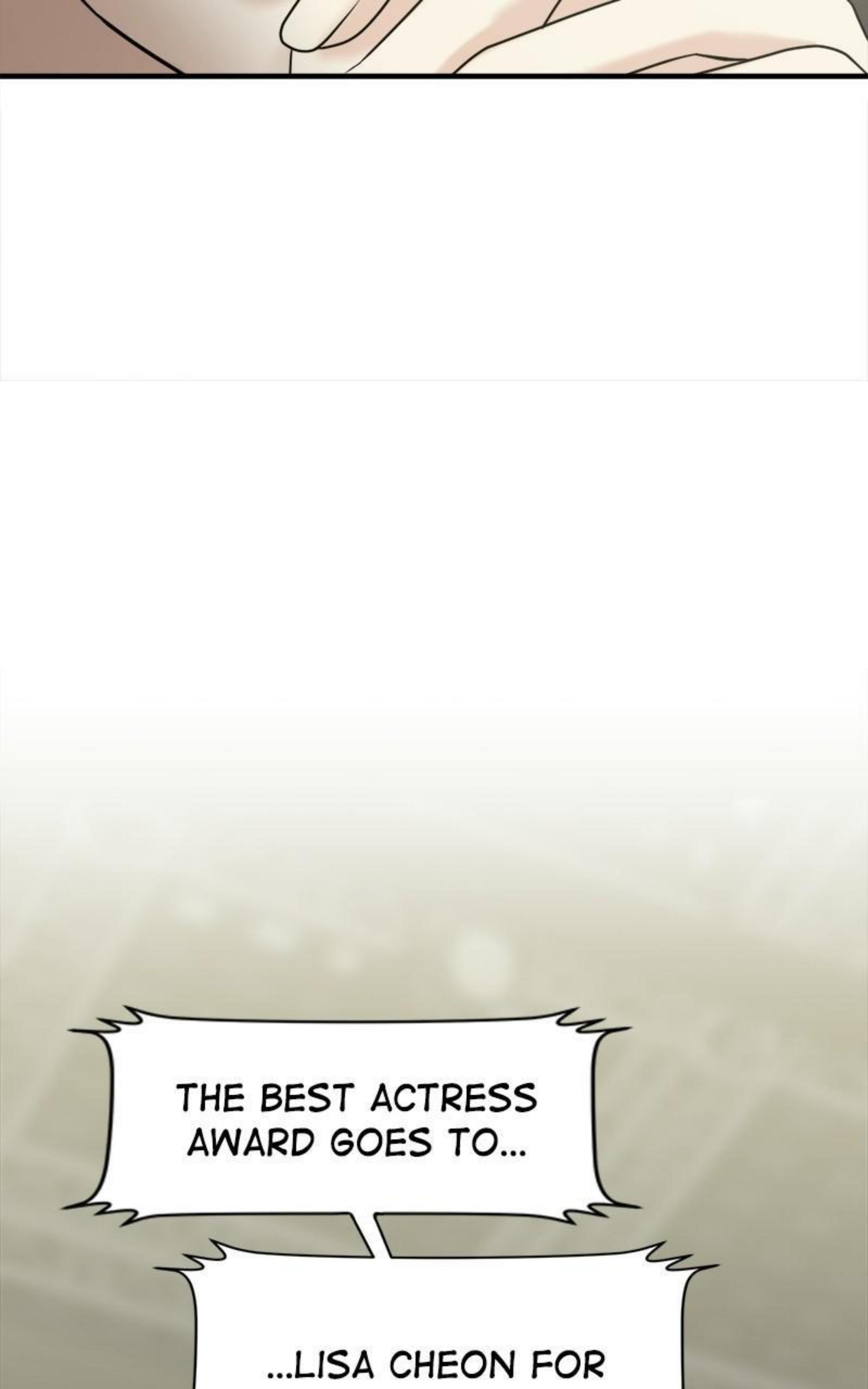


**...FOR
MARIGOLD HIGH!!!**





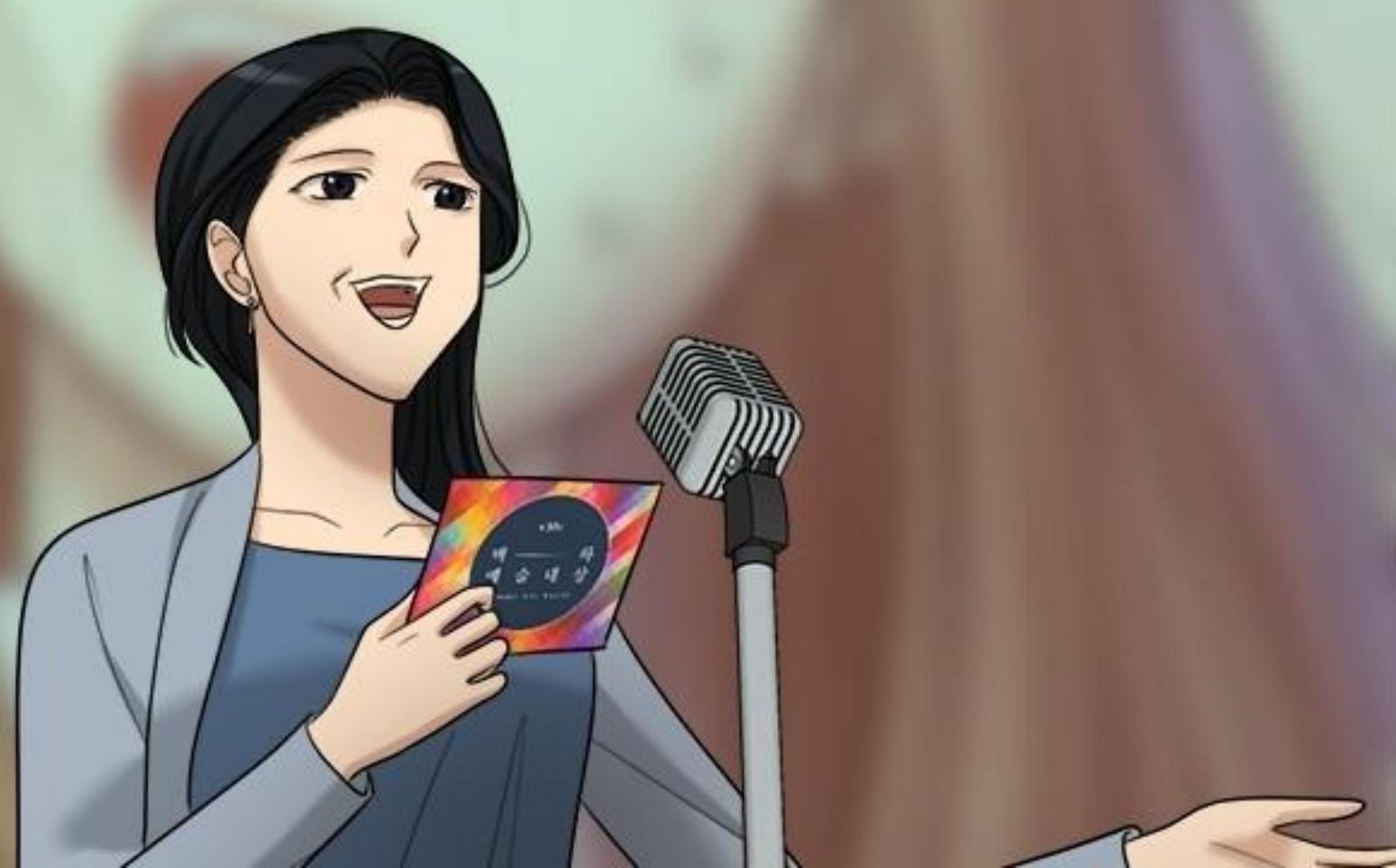


A hand with light-colored skin and dark hair is visible at the top of the frame, holding a black pen over a blank white page. The background is a warm, yellowish-brown color.

**THE BEST ACTRESS
AWARD GOES TO...**

...LISA CHEON FOR

MARIGOLD HIGH!!!





WOAH!!!!
WHOOP!

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP



WOAH!!!!

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

UNFORTUNATELY,
DUE TO PERSONAL
CIRCUMSTANCES,

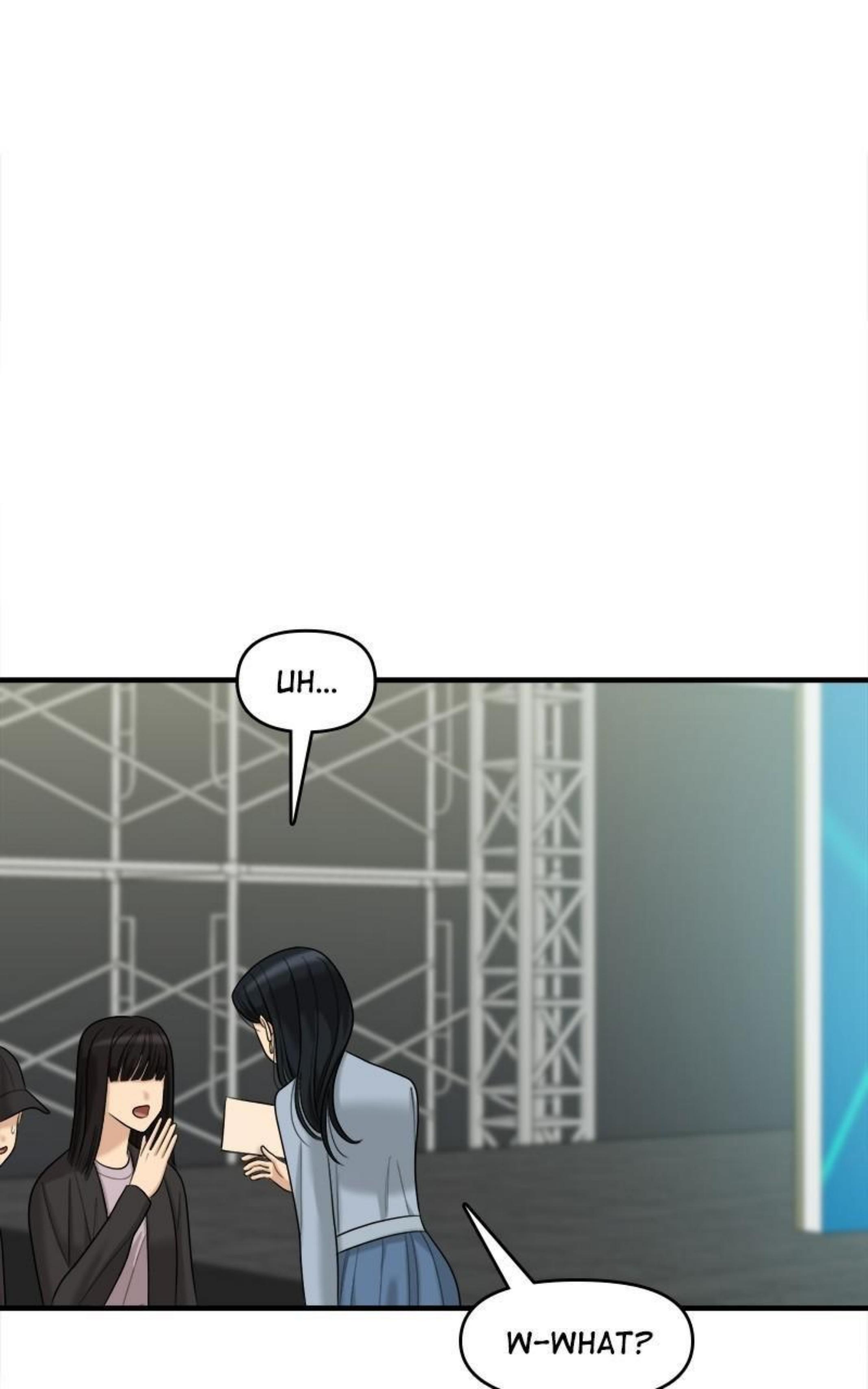
SHE WAS NOT
ABLE TO ATTEND
THE CEREMONY
TODAY...



CLAP CLAP CLAP CLAP

...

PARDON?



UH...

W-WHAT?

A-A MOMENT,
PLEASE!



S-SURPRISINGLY...

...LISA CHEON...

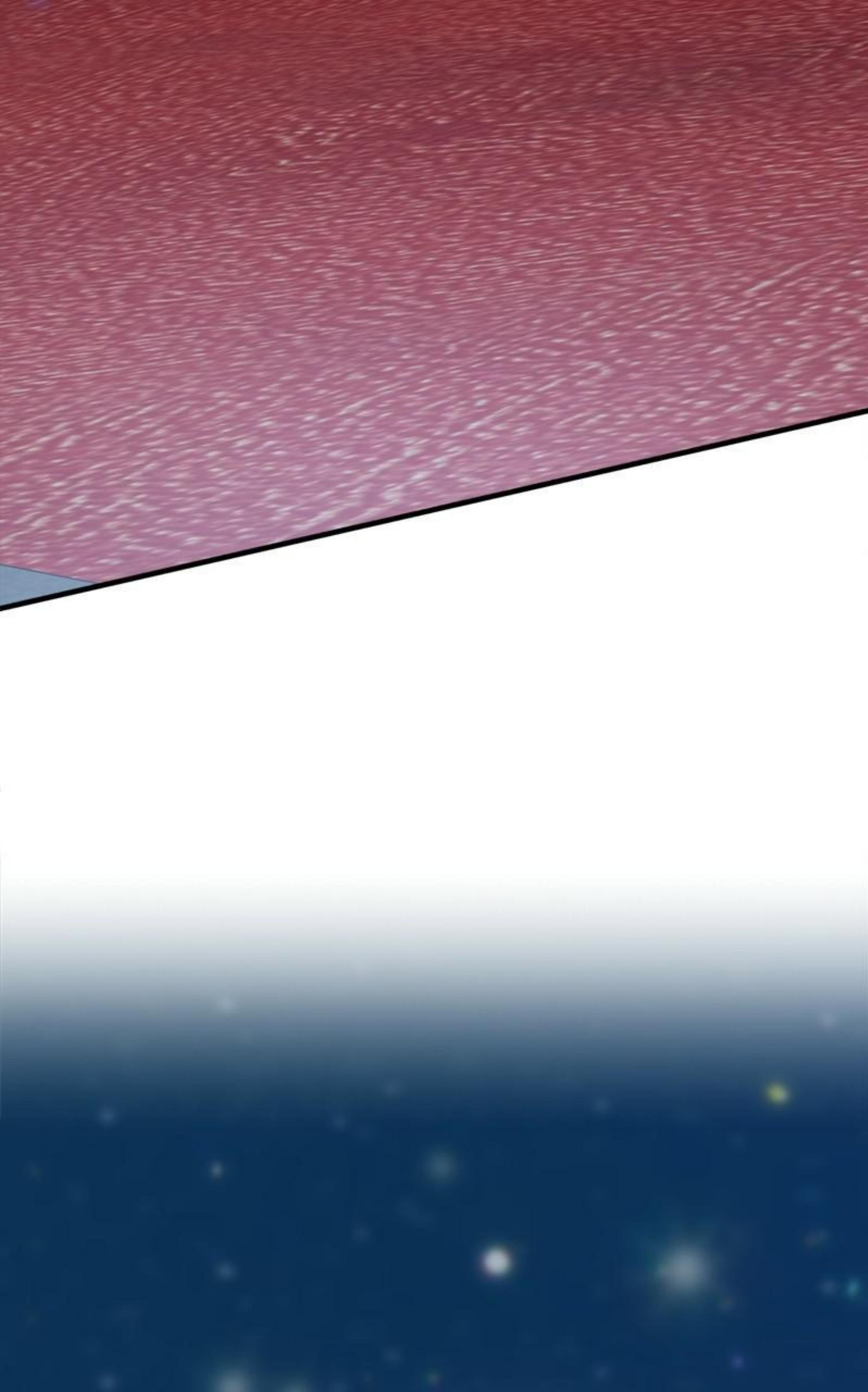


**...HAS JUST ARRIVED
ON THE RED CARPET!!!**













Assistance Park Yulmu, Kak



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