

GLOWING & HEARTS

Side one

Excavation

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To, for and because of
Miles Lehman
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BOOK ONE

NEW FOUNDATIONS

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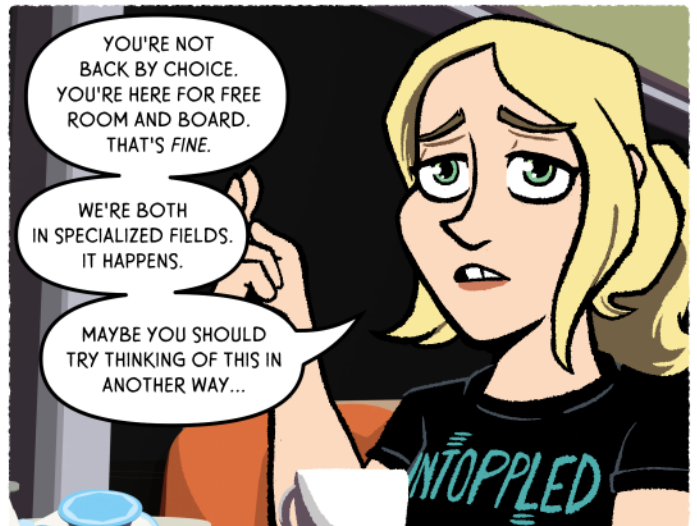
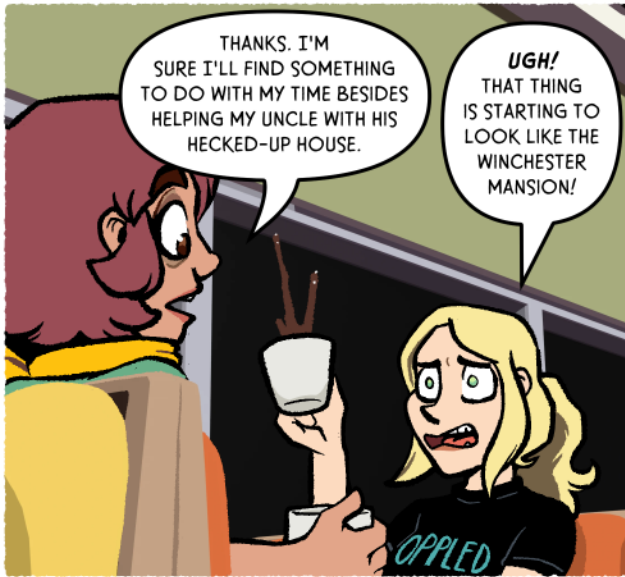
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THE DAY THE WORLD TURNED DAY-GLO

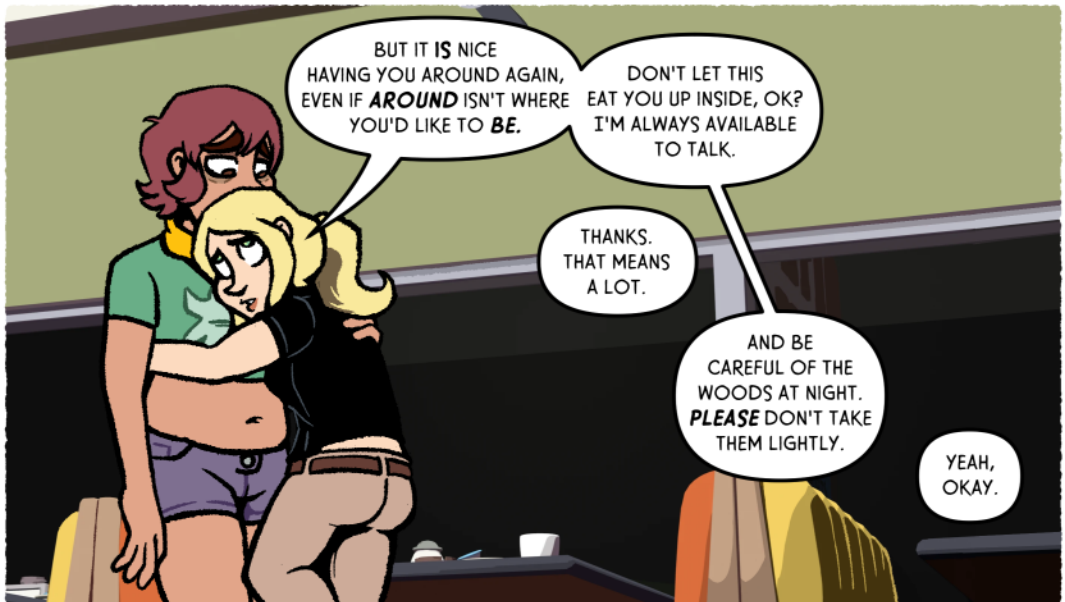
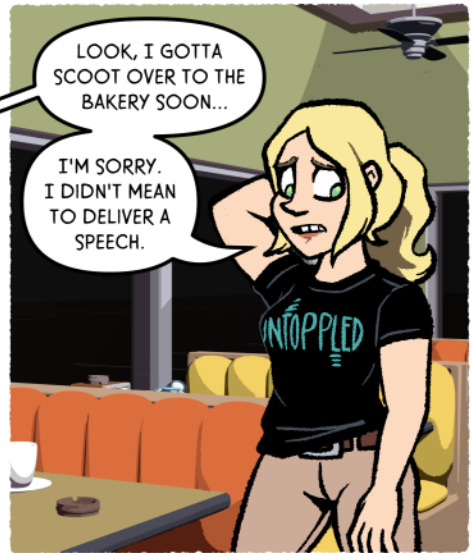




DAMN, GIRL. YOU ARE *NOT* DOING YOURSELF *ANY* FAVORS BY SAYING "AW SHUCKS" TO YOUR CRUSH OF TWO DECADES.



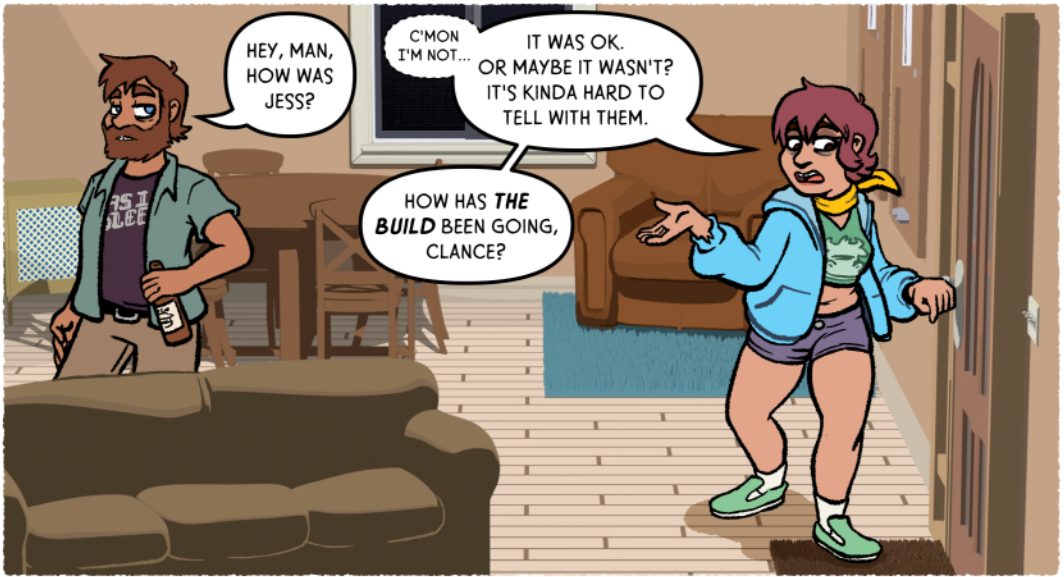
WE'RE INDIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR WAY LESS DEATHS THAN A RIFLE MANUFACTURER AT LEAST.



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THE DAY THE WORLD TURNED DAY-GLO



ON THE
WELL-WORN
TRAIL OF
MAPLE HILLS
FOREST

HUH. WEIRD.

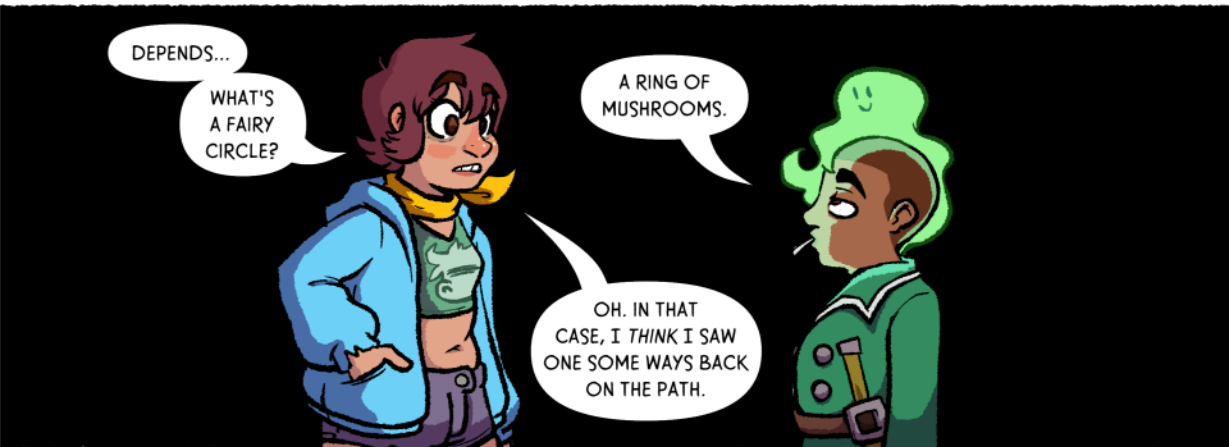
I DON'T
REMEMBER THIS BEING HERE
EARLIER TODAY...

...WAIT...



GUESS I'M
JUST IMAGINING
THINGS.

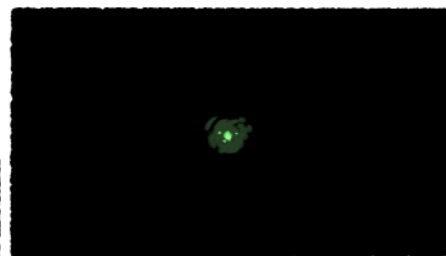
SHE WAS! THE END! THE REST OF THIS BOOK IS BLANK.



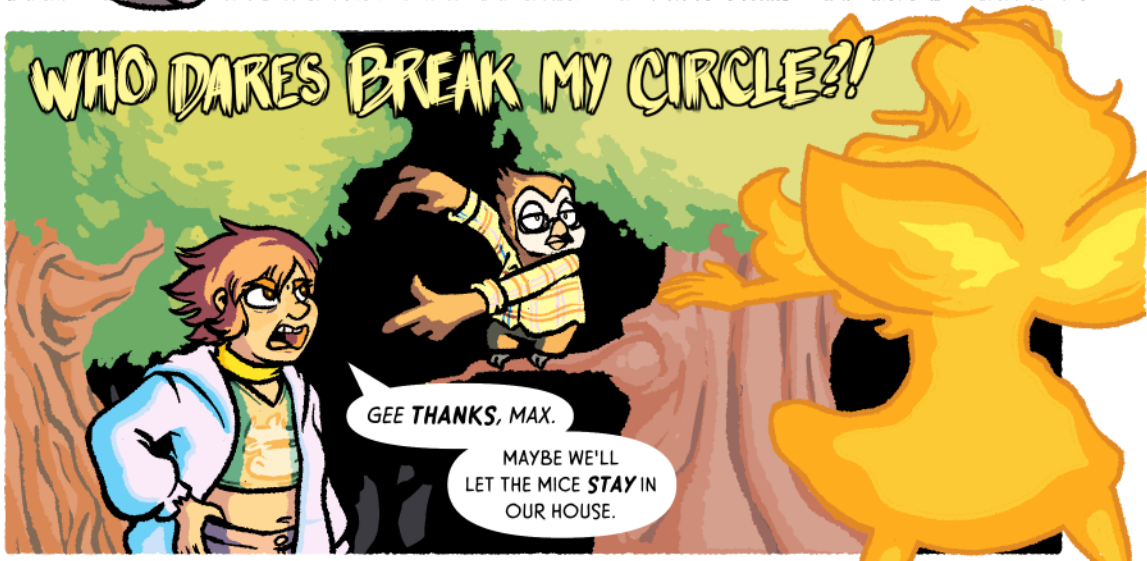
DEFINE DISTURBED. DID I MESS WITH IT? YES. WAS I DOWN WITH THE SICKNESS? MODERATELY.
OOH-AH-AH-AH-AH? ABSOLUTELY NOT.



SHELLEY'S PERSONAL FLAG IS A SNAKE WINCING WITH THE WORDS "DON'T YELL AT ME!" WRITTEN IN A NEARLY-DRY SHARPIE ON A PALE LAVENDER FIELD.



"I MIGHT BE LIVING, BUT THIS IS NO LAUGHING MATTER, AND I DON'T LOVE IT."



OH! GLOWING HEARTS!

**YOU
MISERABLE
PISSANT!**

**YOU GOT
ANY IDEA HOW LONG
IT TOOK ME TO MAKE A
CIRCLE THAT CLOSE TO A
WIRELESS FIDELITY
SIGNAL?**



I DON'T
THINK IT WAS HERE
EARLIER TODAY...

...SO...
FIVE? MAYBE SIX
HOURS?

"HEY! I'M A PRETTY *GOOD* PISSANT!"

SHIT.



MAYBE I CAN'T
ASK FOR A LOT BUT YOU
STILL OWE ME!



UH, SURE.
I GUESS?

ALL I GOT
ON ME RIGHT NOW
IS MY SCARF AND HOODIE,
AND THIS HOODIE ISN'T **REALLY**
MY SIZE ANY MORE AND YOU'RE
SMALLER THAN I AM, AND AS
FAR AS THE SCARF GOES, I'M
NOT REALLY SURE THAT YELLOW
IS YOUR COLOR, AND IT **IS**
PRETTY CHILLY OUT, SO IF
YOU WANT THE HOODIE
IT'D BE NICE IF I
COULD...

IF, UH...

UH...

WOW,
YOU ARE
WARM.



UH...

MMM...
COZY.



C'MON SHELLEY.
YOU **GOT** THIS.

YOU KNOW THE WHOLE
DEAL WITH SPIRITS. YOU'VE
BEEN TRAINING FOR THIS
SINCE YOU WERE 10.

THAT'S
NEARLY 25
YEARS!

STILL!
SHE'S **PRETTY**
CUTE!

NO!
SHUT
UP!

AND YET,
THERE'S A CUTE
SNUGGLY GIRL
RIGHT HERE...

NO JOB, SOCIAL, OR
ROMANTIC PROSPECTS.
THERE'S **KINDA** NOTHING
FOR YOU HERE AT ALL...

SURE, YOU
DON'T HAVE ANY
REAL PROSPECTS
RIGHT NOW.

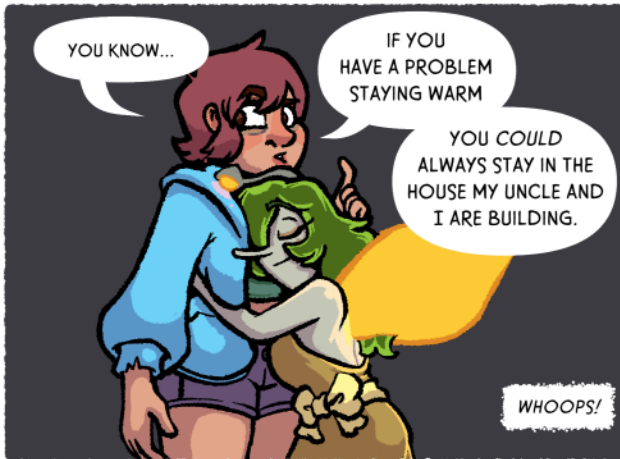
SNAP
OUT OF
IT!

SHE ALMOST
CERTAINLY MEANS
TROUBLE. NOT EVEN
NORMAL TROUBLE!
SUPERNATURAL
TROUBLE!

YOU **DON'T**
HAVE TO DO THE
ABSOLUTE **MOST**
FOOLHARDY THING
POSSIBLE IN
THIS PARTICULAR
SITUATION...



SHE'S GOT A LITTLE SWEAR MOUTH ON HER!



...AND SINCE MY JOB WAS LESS SPECIALIZED, THEY DECIDED I'D BE EASIER TO REPLACE.

BEFORE THAT IT WAS A STRING OF START-UPS THAT WENT BANKRUPT.

I'M STILL NOT TOTALLY CONVINCED THOSE WEREN'T MONEY LAUNDERING SCHEMES.

AT LEAST, NONE OF THEM SEEMED LIKE A GOOD IDEA IN HINDSIGHT.

FOLK CAN CONVINCE THEMSELVES THAT **ANY** SILLY FANCY IS A GOOD IDEA IF THE RIGHT PERSON TELLS 'EM.

YOU'RE DOING **THIS**, AFTER ALL.

WHAT THE HELL!?

THIS IS, MAYBE, THE **EXACT** OPPOSITE OF WHAT YOU SHOULD BE DOING!

MAKE HER CARRY ME? BUT SHE'S SO **TINY**!

NO. I'LL STILL SAVE YOUR LIFE.

"BUT I'M GONNA FROWN *THE WHOLE TIME*."

MY NAME IS
DEXTER PARKS!

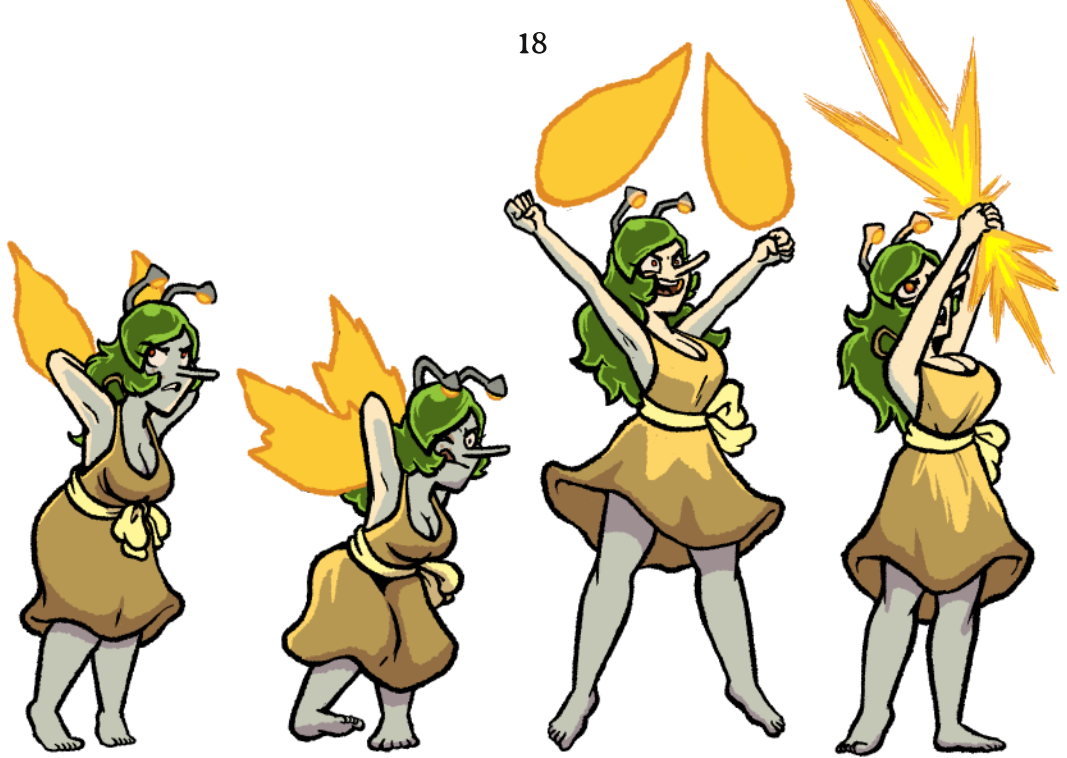
I TRACK
AND ELIMINATE
DANGEROUS SPIRITS AND
EXTRA-DIMENSIONAL
THREATS.

MOST SPIRITS
ARE BENIGN, BUT *SHE*
SEEMS TO HAVE YOU
UNDER SOME SORT OF
THRALL, AND IT IS MY
SWORN DUTY TO
SAVE YOU!

OR...
YOU'RE
SOMEONE WHO
MUST BE PROTECTED
FROM THEMSELVES, IN
WHICH CASE I MUST
TAKE ACTION AS A
CIVIC DUTY!



DON'T WORRY, YOU CAN ALWAYS WIPE YOUR FEET ON THE WELCOME MAT. THAT'S WHAT THEY'RE FOR!



HAVE YOU
CONSIDERED THAT PERHAPS
YOU COULD LEAVE THE NICE
YOUNG LADY ALONE?
MAYBE?

SHE'S A 600
YEAR OLD FOREST
DEMON.



**THAT AIN'T THE
PROPER TAXONOMY!
I'M A NYMPH!**



**SAVE IT
FOR YOUR
DATING PROFILE
IN HELL!**



IT'S CALLED SINDER, AND IT HAS SURPRISINGLY GOOD FILTERING AND TAGGING TOOLS.



DID I LOOK UP WHAT "A.M." STOOD FOR WHEN WRITING THIS COMIC?
YES! IT'S A LITTLE WRITER'S TRICK: ANSWERS TO MANY QUESTIONS ARE AVAILABLE ON-LINE!





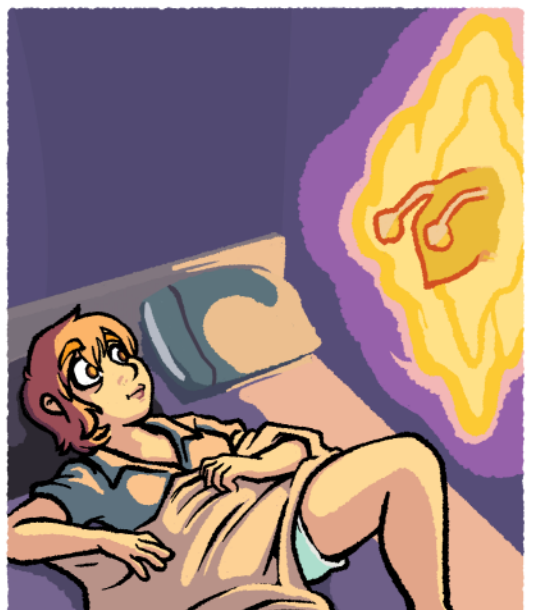




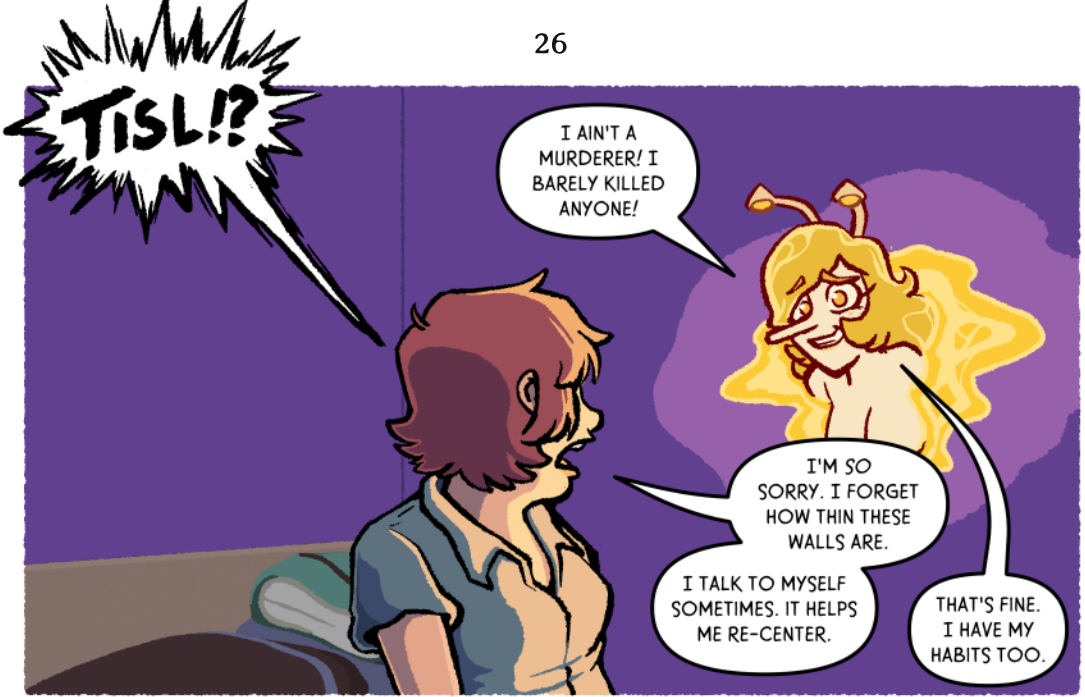
IF SHELLEY DECIDED TO NOT DO ANYTHING, THIS WOULD BE A COMIC ABOUT SITTING ON YOUR BED AND PLAYING ANIMAL CROSSING, THEN DREAMING ABOUT WHAT IT WOULD BE LIKE FOR ISABELLE TO BE YOUR GIRLFRIEND (SHE'S ALWAYS AT WORK! IT SUCKS!)



"YEAH! I'LL GIVE ANYTHING *BUT A DAMN!* BUT SERIOUSLY I DO CARE, DON'T HESITATE TO ASK".



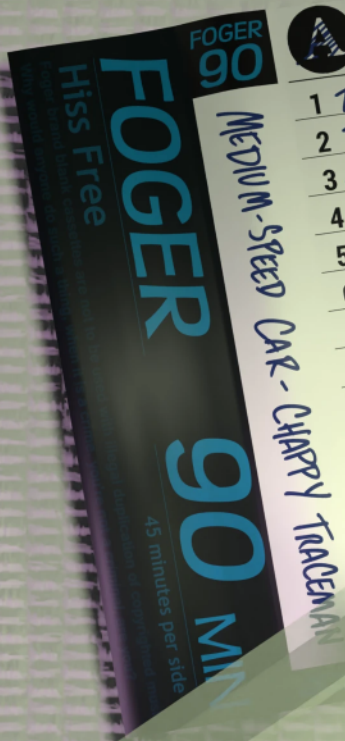
NOW HERE'S A GIRL WHO LIKES TO PROACTIVATE!



"SURE, I'VE MURDERED PEOPLE, BUT YOU CAN'T LET THAT KIND OF THING DEFINE YOU."



SHE'S TINY AND A FOREST NYMPH, SO I GUESS SHE'S LIKE ONE OF THOSE LITTLE WOODEN SPOONS YOU GET WITH THOSE TINY CUPS WITH THE SWIRLS.



IEC POSITION **Yes?** DATE **5/4/2X** TIME **4:20**
MONO ☐ STEREO ☒

- 1 TODAY ~~REPEAT~~ - TALK TALK
- 2 TRAIN OF THOUGHT - AHA!
- 3 HERO WORSHIP - B-52s
- 4 GATES OF STEEL - DEVO
- 5 JACKIE WILSON SAID ^{DEXY'S MID-NIGHT RUNNER}
- 6 SHE BOP - CYNDI LAUPER
- 7 MODEL WORKER - MAGAZINE
- 8 NUR GETRÄUMT - NENA
- 9 CONTRÖLER - OINGO BOINGO
- 10 THE GOOD THING - TALKING HEADS
- 11 DAY IN DAY OUT - XTC
- 12 EVERYBODY WANTS TO RULE
- ~~THE~~ THE WORLD - TEARS FOR FEARS
- ~~DEXY'S~~ DON'T LET'S START - THEY MIGHT BE GIANTS?!

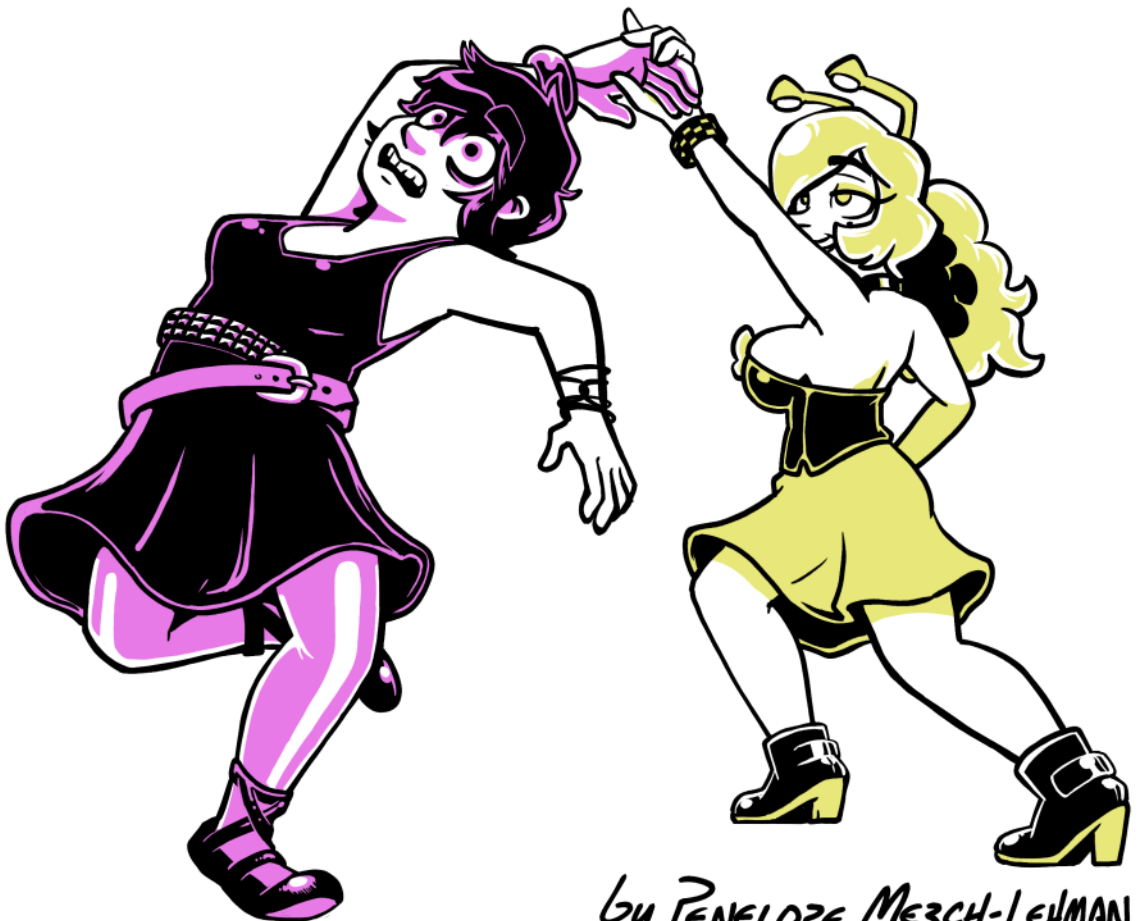
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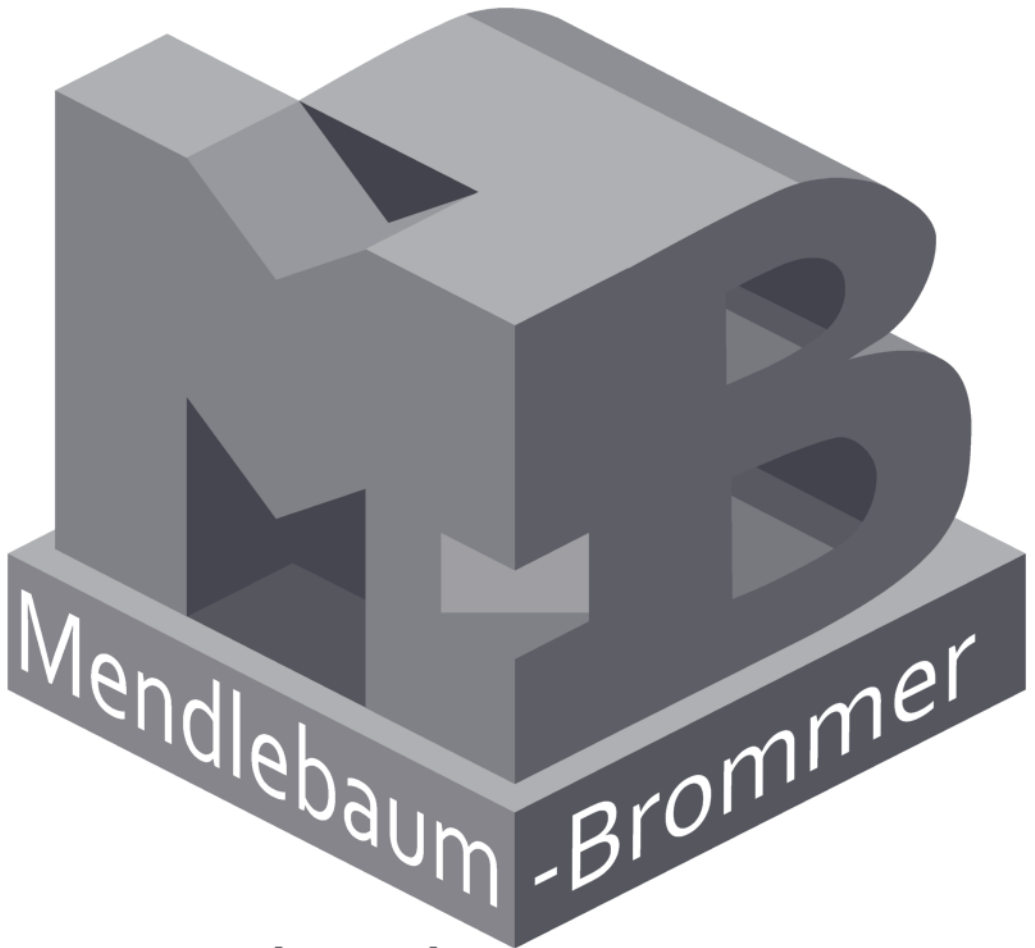
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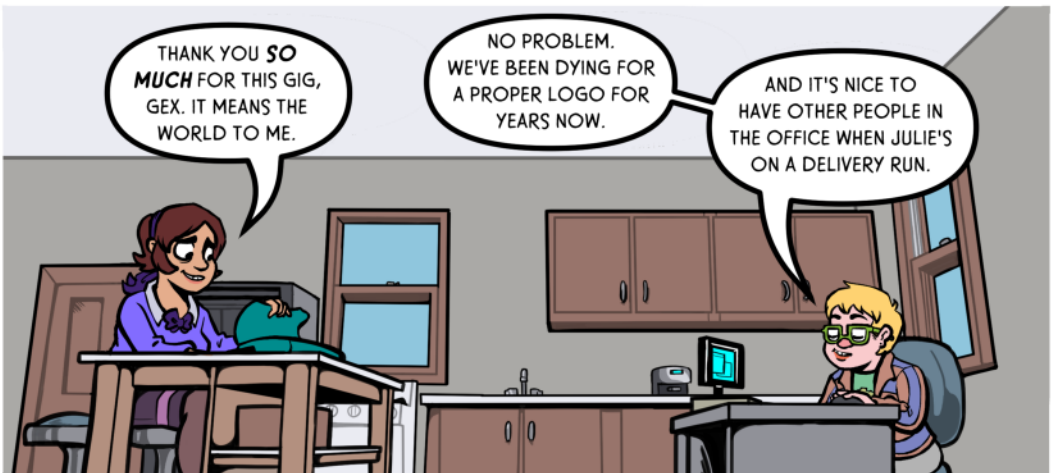
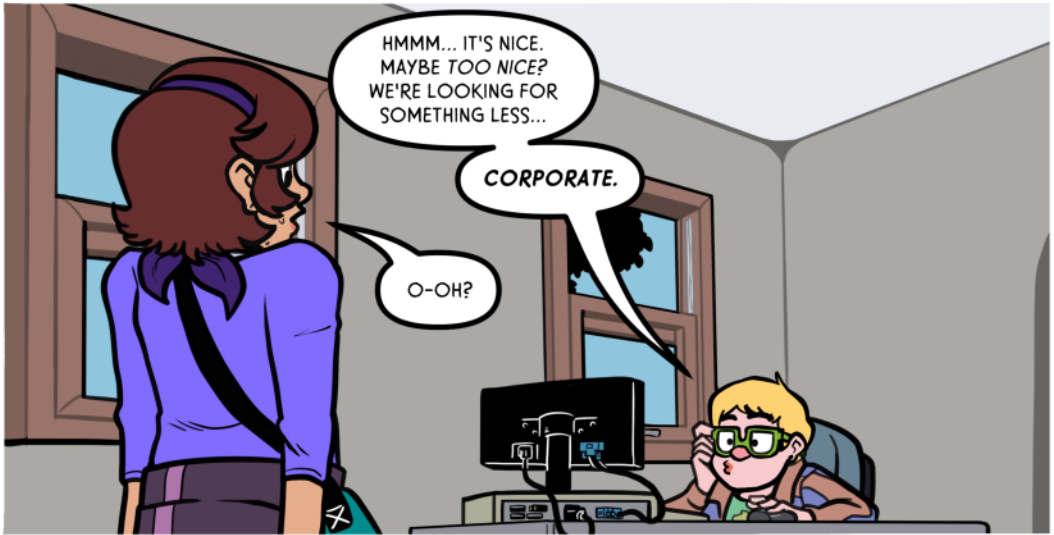
THE GIRL CAN'T HELP IT!



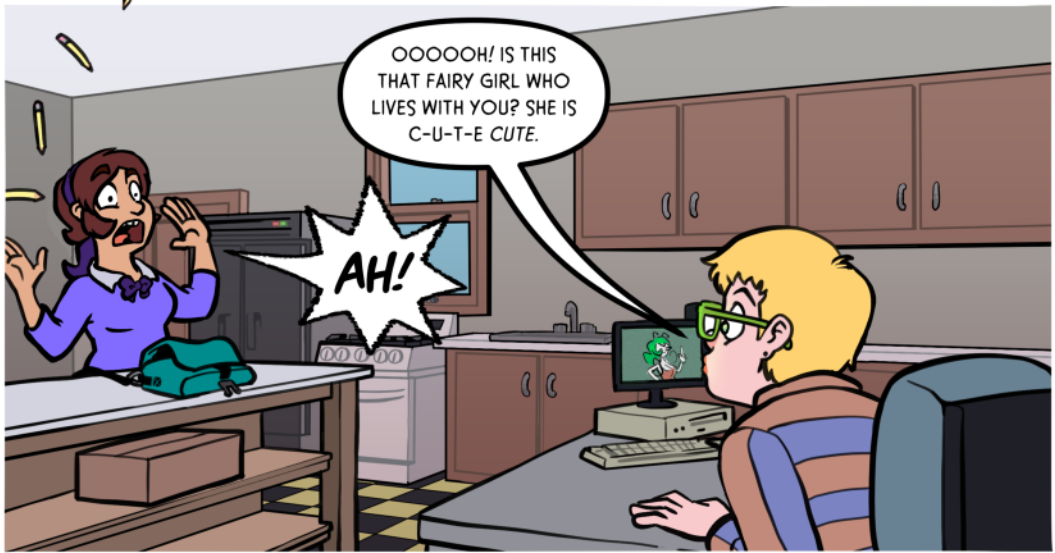
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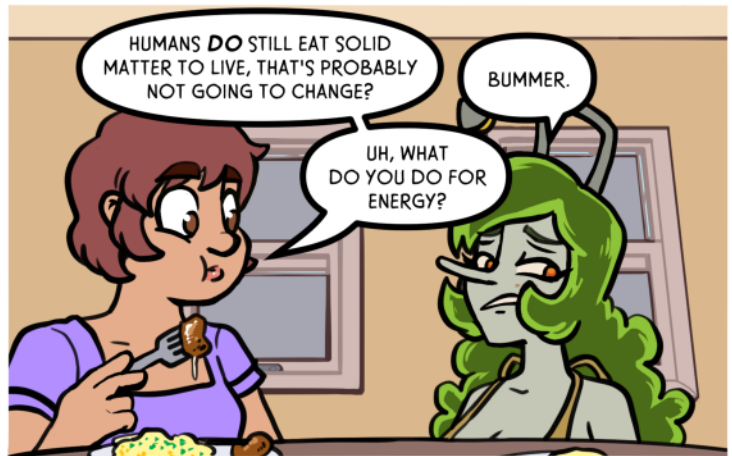
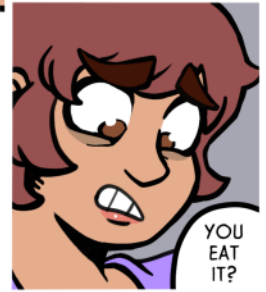
Local Delivery Service



WE NEED PEOPLE TO KNOW THAT WE MIGHT MESS UP THEIR PACKAGE OUT OF CARELESSNESS, NOT OUT OF MALICE.



GUESS WHO JUST SET UP A FRAMING DEVICE, NERDS?!



WHILE ADDING MOUNTAINS OF SUGAR TO FRUIT, ALWAYS REMIND YOURSELF THAT YOU'RE "AIDING" IT.







I
CAN GO
WITH!

CHECK
THIS
OUT!

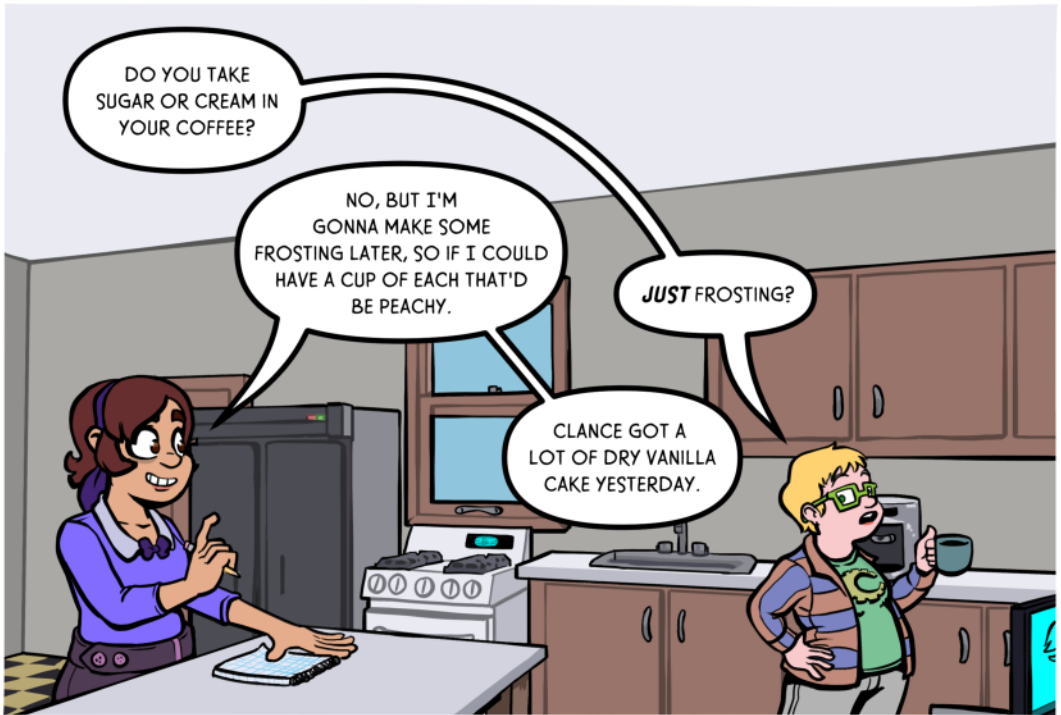
LOOK! I
CHANGED MYSELF
SLIGHTLY TO BE SEEN
AS HUMAN!



WOW, A HUMAN AND A MUSHROOM?! THAT'S BASICALLY EVERYTHING!



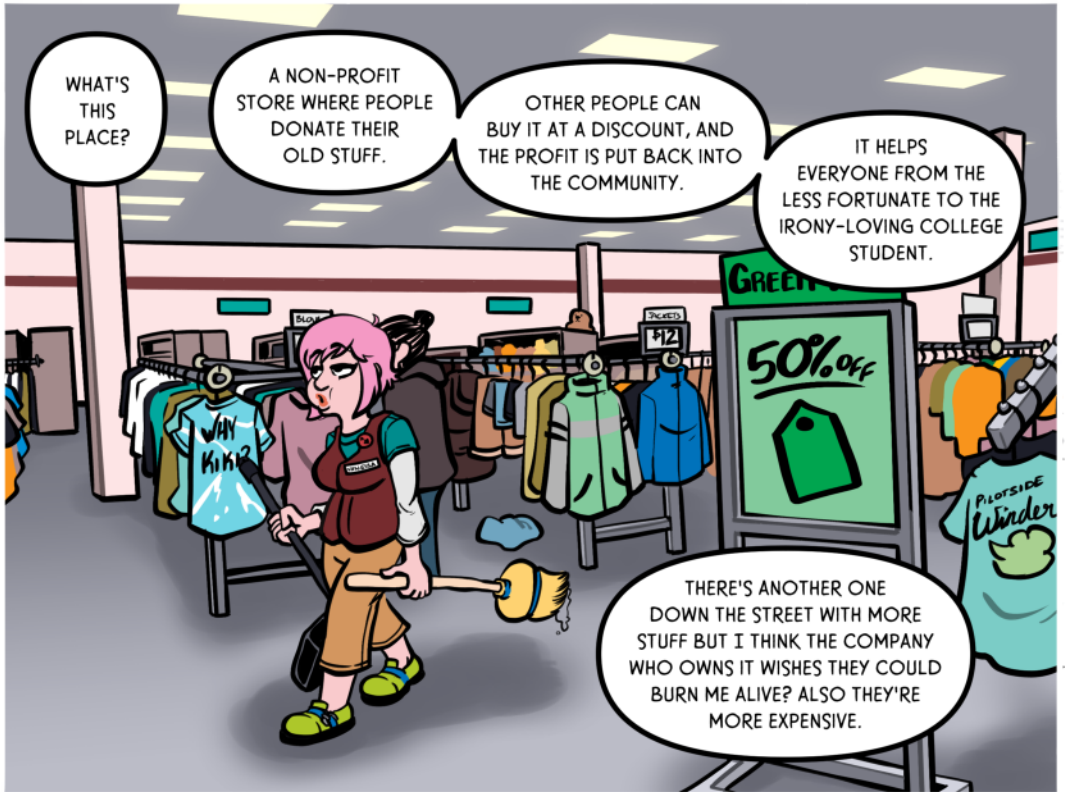
IT TOOK ME A LONG TIME TO REALIZE THAT "CAR" IS LIKELY SHORT FOR CARRIAGE.



"I GUESS THAT DIMENSION *IS* CALLED HELL BUT, LIKE, IT'S PRONOUNCED DIFFERENTLY THAN YOU THINK IT IS, AND IT DOESN'T SOUND THAT BAD!"



"I'LL GIVE YOU A LIST OF MY FETISHES IN ORDER LATER, FOR NOW WE NEED TO GET YOU SOME CLOTHES. ACTUALLY NOW *MIGHT* BE A GOOD TIME."

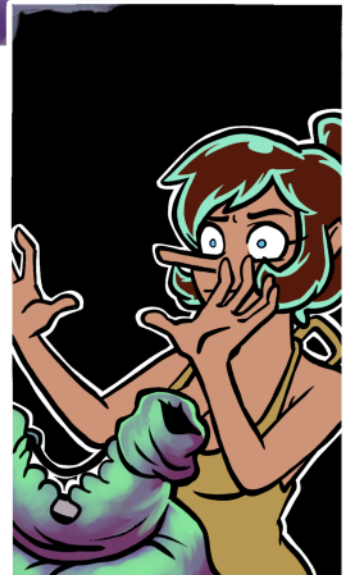


IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE SOMEONE SCREAMED IN MY COMIC AND I GOT ANTSY.



"I *COULD* WEAR THESE."





NOT ALL OF THEM, BUT ENOUGH OF THEM THAT IT'S NOT WORTH THE RISK.



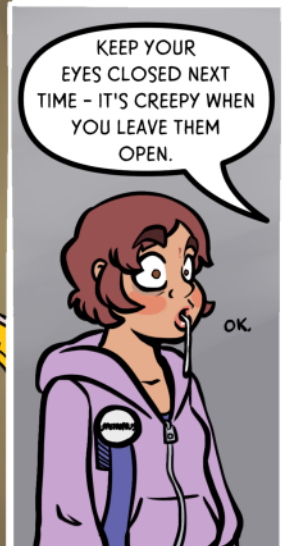




THEY TRY THEIR BEST TO MAKE SURE THIS NON-PROFIT STAYS NON-PROFITABLE



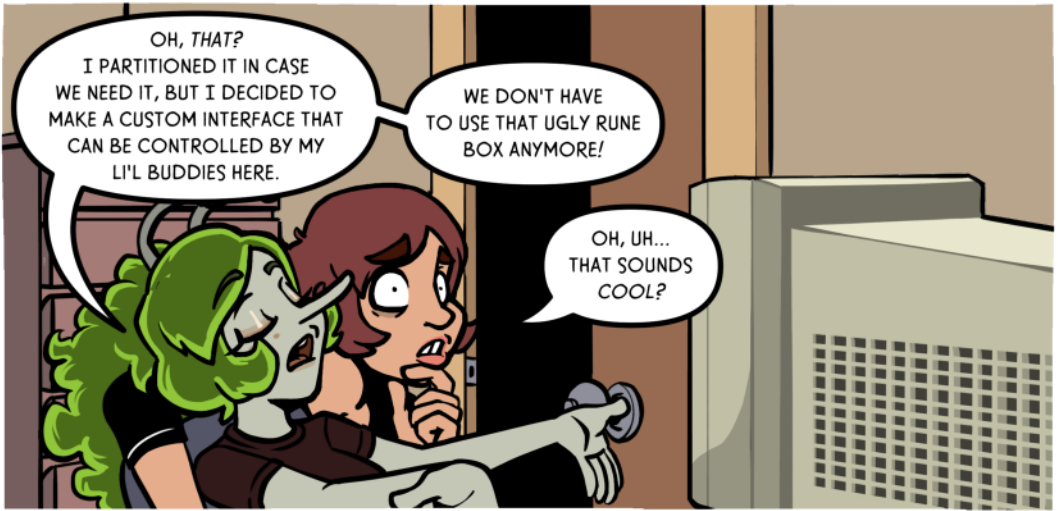
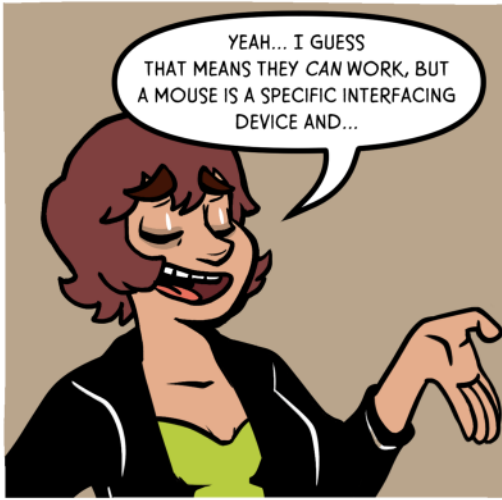
*YES, EVEN YOU, DEAR READER!



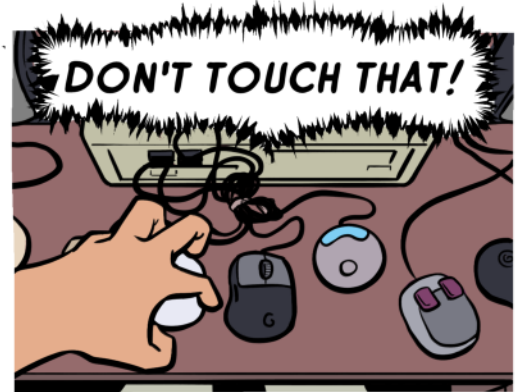
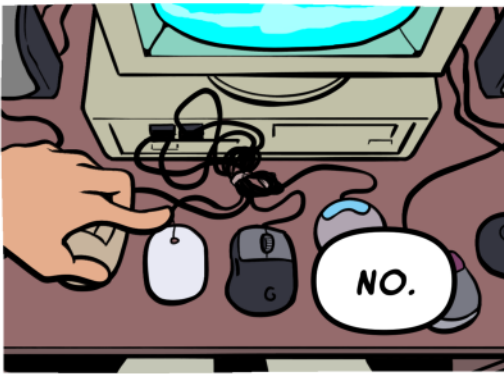
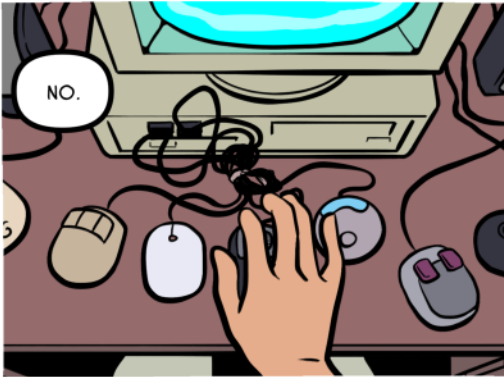


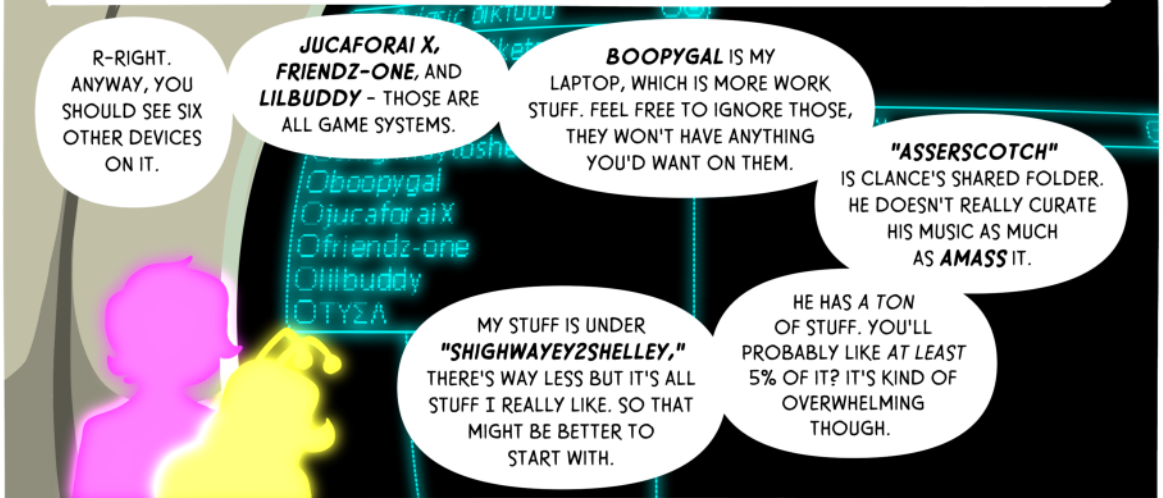
HAHA, SUCKER! THIS ISN'T AN EROTIC STORY! IT'S ONE ABOUT BEING NICE!





SHOULD HAVE TAKEN ONE OF THOSE PC REPAIR CLASSES THEY OFFERED IN THOSE COMMERCIALS THAT AIRED DURING MST3K ON SCI-FI.





*TECHNICALLY GREECE DIDN'T EXIST AS A COUNTRY UNTIL THE 1820S BUT, I ONLY KIND OF UNDERSTOOD WHAT I READ. THEY HAVE A COMPLEX HISTORY! I HAD TO LOOK UP THE SPECIFIC ISLAND SHE'S FROM BECAUSE THAT'S HOW GRANULAR IT IS! IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE PLEASE CONSULT YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY.

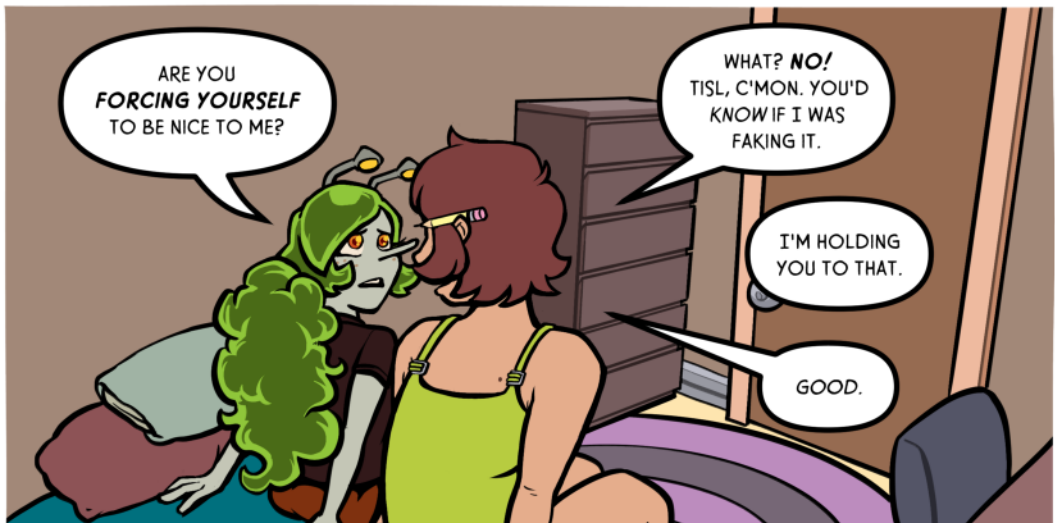




WELL *THIS* "GOODY TWO SHOES" IS GOING TO "STAND AND DELIVER" A READING LESSON, ON THIS, "THE DAY I MET GOD"



WELL, I GUESS IT DIDN'T REALLY GET ME MUCH EITHER... I LIKE MYSELF MORE. THAT'S NOT NOTHING.





IT HAPPENS ALL THE TIME.
ALL OF THIS. IT ALL HAPPENS.
CONSTANTLY.

SIRENS, SUCCUBI,
BANSHEE AND OTHER
MALEVOLENT SPIRITS
HAVE BEEN KNOWN TO
DISGUISE THEMSELVES AS
MORE BENIGN...

...KNOW WHAT?
DOESN'T MATTER. I'M
JUST RELIEVED THAT YOU
WEREN'T KILLED BY YOUR
OWN CARELESSNESS.
THIS TIME.

ARE THEY THIS
DRAMATIC ABOUT
YOUR TAXES?

YES!

YOU STILL
NEED A SEPARATE LINE OF
CREDIT FOR BUSINESS EXPENSES,
BECAUSE THEY KEEP BLEEDING
INTO YOUR PERSONAL
FINANCES.

AND **YOU**
GOT LUCKY
ONCE.

FOREST SPIRITS
DON'T ALL HAVE PURE
MOTIVATIONS.

I'M NOT
SURE TISL'S
MOTIVATIONS COULD
BE CALLED
PURE.

WOW/I AM AT
WORK AND DO NOT NEED
TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR
SEX LIFE!

I DO!

I-I'M NOT
TALKING ABOUT
SEX.

BOOOOO!

IT'S LIKE THIS.

DON'T WORRY YOU DON'T HAVE TO HEAR ABOUT THEIR SEX LIFE.
WELL, NOT YET.





"MAYBE THE QUESTIONS WEREN'T GOOD ENOUGH?
NO, WAIT, I MEAN.... NO? YOU'RE FINE?"



I'M TALL SO THIS SORT OF THING HAPPENS TO ME ALL THE TIME.



Little Glowing Hearts

About 600 years ago, I had a mentor and friend named Lyra

She was the meliae from the next tree over. We did everything together. Eat, play, rob humans, milk holy goats. Y'know friend stuff.

One day, a handsome logger caught her attention

He needs a sap of great potency to cure an ailment his village had suffered.

The bionic plaque? does this sound familiar?

Despite my tree's age and size, it was making a super potent sap.



Lyra knew that you can't totally drain a tree's sap without hurting the spirit within.

But! Somehow, she knew the secret of spirit transference, and rebound me to a common forest mushroom.

Which is rude.

HEY!

The upshot?

I can leave the forest. I can go anywhere the mushroom can grow. Which is anywhere that has shade and moisture. So I leave.

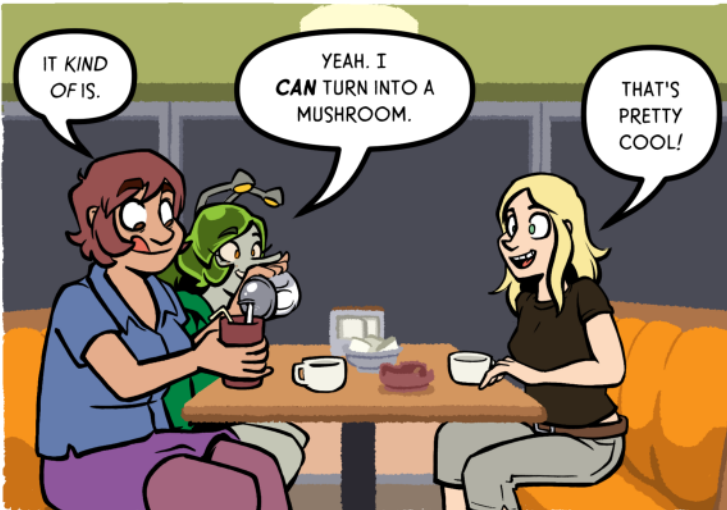
The downshot?

people in Europe ain't crazy about forest sprites. So I gotta keep leavin'.

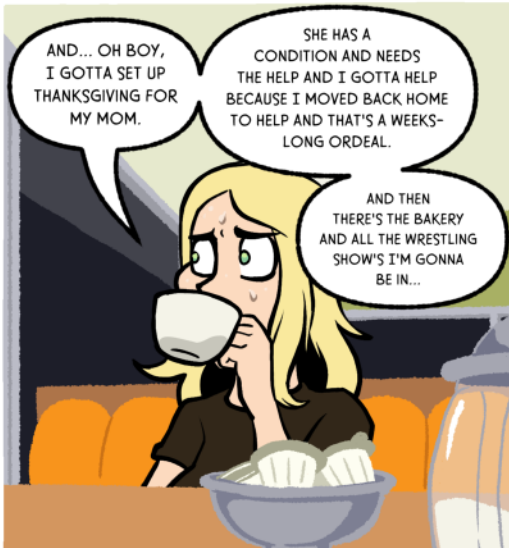
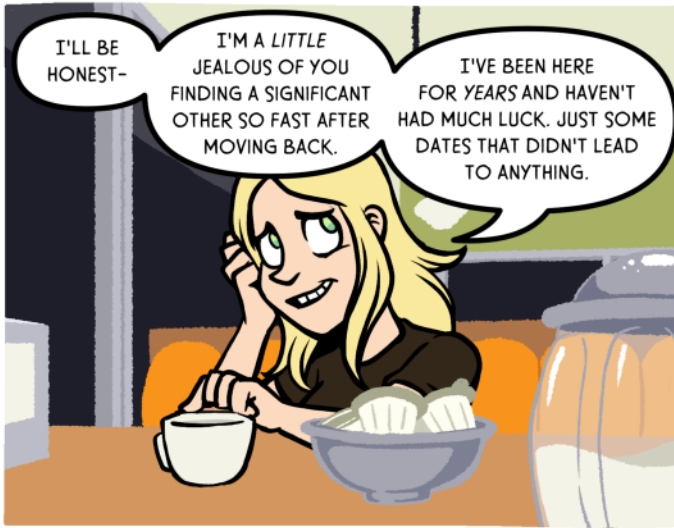
European imperialism provided an easy escape, so I took it.

It wound up being real easy to hide in the North America so I drifted westward til I wound up here!



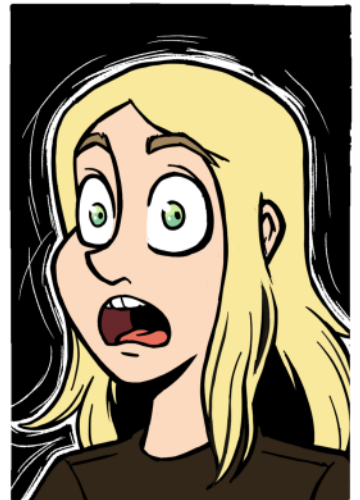


WOW JESSICA, I LIKE YOU, OTHER PEOPLE DON'T ACKNOWLEDGE HOW COOL I AM."





NOTHING STOPPING YOU, EXCEPT ALL THOSE THINGS YOU JUST LISTED AND IMMEDIATELY DECIDED TO IGNORE.

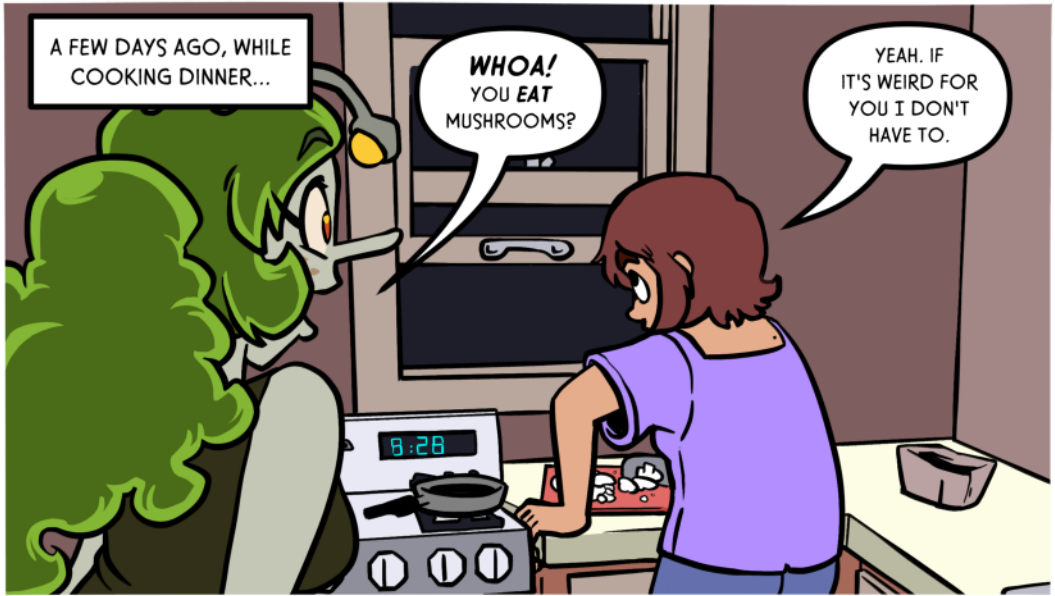


AH, FROM THE GARFIELD'S INSULTS, PUT-DOWNS AND SLAMS SCHOOL OF DATING.

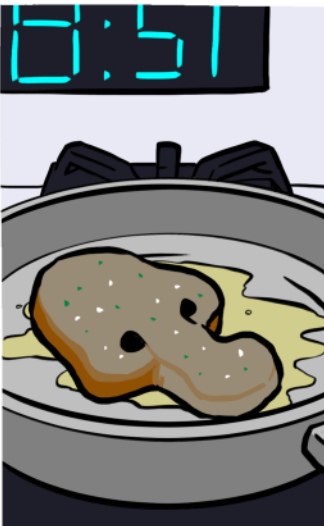
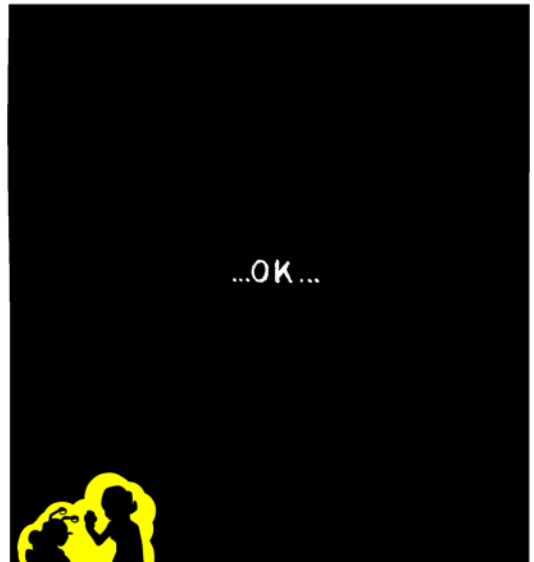








"CREMINI JISTMAS! YOU DON'T THINK ANYTHING IS 'SUCH A GREAT IDEA' AND YOU'RE ONLY RIGHT 80% OF THE TIME!"



AS LONG AS I CAN DRENCH IT IN BUTTER AND GARLIC I GUESS I DON'T CARE IF IT KILLS ME.



I CAN'T REMEMBER ALL THE DIFFERENT ASPECTS OF HUMAN BIOLOGICAL FUNCTIONS. MORE LIKE HUMAN BIO-NON-LOGICAL FUNCTIONS ANYWAY YOU SHOULD BE FINE. IF NOT THERE'S PLENTY OF TIME TO CALL POISON CONTROL.



YOU'RE JUST LIKE WHEN I USED TO BUY SUPPLIES IN *OREGON TRAIL*: NOT ENOUGH TONGUE.



ELECTRIC WORD LIFE.
(IT MEANS FOREVER)



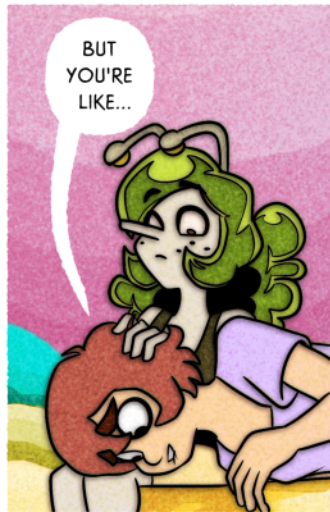
I'VE NEVER GIVEN MY MUSHROOM FREELY. THEY'VE ONLY EVER BEEN TAKEN FROM ME, AND I THOUGHT, Y'KNOW, SHE DESERVES IT, AND... I'D **LIKE** TO SHARE A PIECE OF MYSELF WITH HER. NOT **JUST** LITERAL, I... I DUNNO. I TRIED TO MAKE SOMETHING SPECIAL AND I MESSED UP LIKE I ALWAYS DO.



I MEAN! LOOK AT HER!



TRIPPING THE BALLS FANTASTIC.





"WELL YOU'RE TALL AND YOU FRIGHTEN EASILY. WHEN I TURNED THE LIGHT ON A LITTLE BIT AGO YOU JUST STOOD STILL LIKE YOU DIDN'T KNOW WHAT WAS GOING ON. LONG LEGS? I DUNNO, JUST SPIT-BALLIN"



IN MY LIFE, I'VE MADE MORE ENEMIES THAN FRIENDS. **A LOT MORE.** I SEEN THE FIRE END OF A STAKE BURNING MORE TIMES THAN I'D'VE CARED TO.

SHELLEY, NOT ONLY HAVE YOU NOT BURNED ME AT THE STAKE, YOU'VE GIVEN ME SHELTER **AND** AFFECTION. WHICH IS LIKE THE OPPOSITE OF THAT.



MAYBE YOU **ARE** A SAP, BUT IS IT SO BAD BEING TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF, BY SOMEONE YOU'RE ATTRACTED TO WHO LIKES YOU BACK? I WOULD SAY: "NO. NOT EVEN KIND OF."

"YOU'RE RIGHT, AND I'M **NOT** INSULTED, BECAUSE THE PERSON WHO SAID IT IS GOOD. AND CUTE. **VERY CUTE.**" THAT'S SOMETHING YOU CAN SAY TO ME, AND IT'D BE THE TRUTH.



"WHEN THEY MADE YOU AT THE SUCKER FACTORY, THEY PUT IN TOO MUCH SUGAR, BUT THEY STILL PUT YOU ON SHELVES, BECAUSE THE FACTORY YOU CAME FROM HAS NO QUALITY CONTROL. THIS IS A COMPLIMENT."

YOU DON'T GIVE YOURSELF ENOUGH CREDIT FOR BEING GOOD.

YOU ALSO DON'T GIVE **ME** ENOUGH CREDIT FOR BEING SEXY AND COOL.



OH, WELL, NOT EVERYONE LIKES THAT.

I **DO**. SO ADMIRE ME, CONSTANTLY.



SURE. YEAH. I MEAN, OK, YEAH I CAN DO THAT... I GUESS..

I THINK YOUR GIRLFRIEND IS NEAT.



WELL?

OH! UH... YOU'RE SUPER HOT. AND YOU'RE THE COOLEST PERSON I'VE EVER MET.



OH YEAH. THAT'S WHAT TISL LIKES.

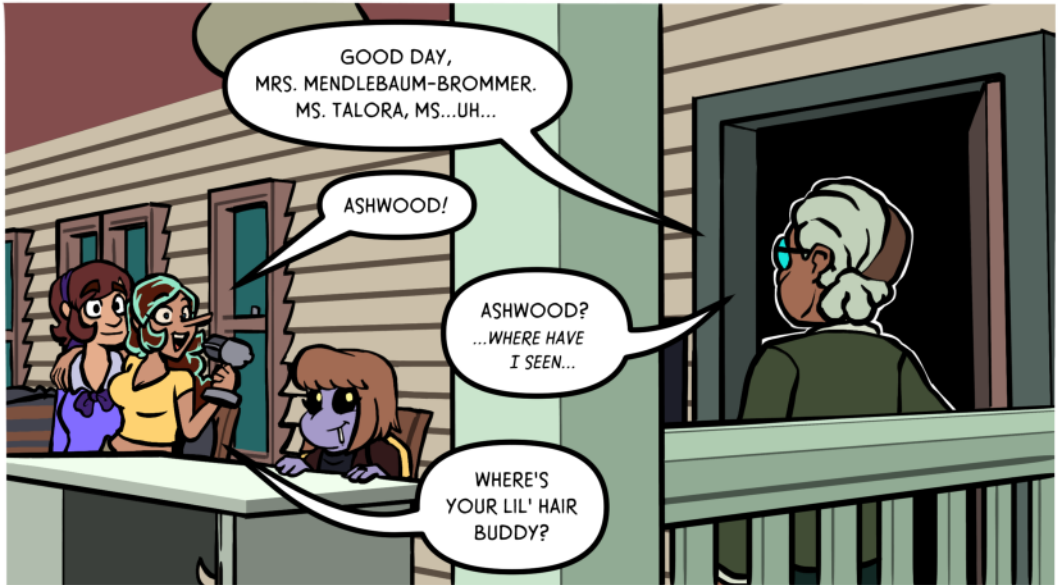


HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN LISTENING IN?

NOT LONG! THE BOOK BUNNY GOT TIRED OF READING TO ME LIKE TWENTY MINUTES AGO, EVEN THOUGH SHE WASN'T DOING DIFFERENT VOICES FOR THE DIFFERENT PARTS.



"EVEN THOUGH I AM CONSTANTLY TALKING ABOUT HOW GREAT I AM, AND WE ALL KNOW IT'S TRUE, I DO NEED YOU TO BACK ME UP ON IT PERIODICALLY."



I'VE THOUGHT IT OVER AND I STILL CONSIDER 8 AM "BAD"

**8 IN THE
GOD DAMN
MORNING!**

LIKE
THIS?

YES! GOOD.
I'M GOING TO COME AT
YOU NICE AND SLOW FROM
THE RIGHT, BUT I'M STILL
GOING TO COME AT YOU.
GET READY!

RIGHT,
RIGHT.



**SHELLEY!
I'M SO...**



Z

SIGH...



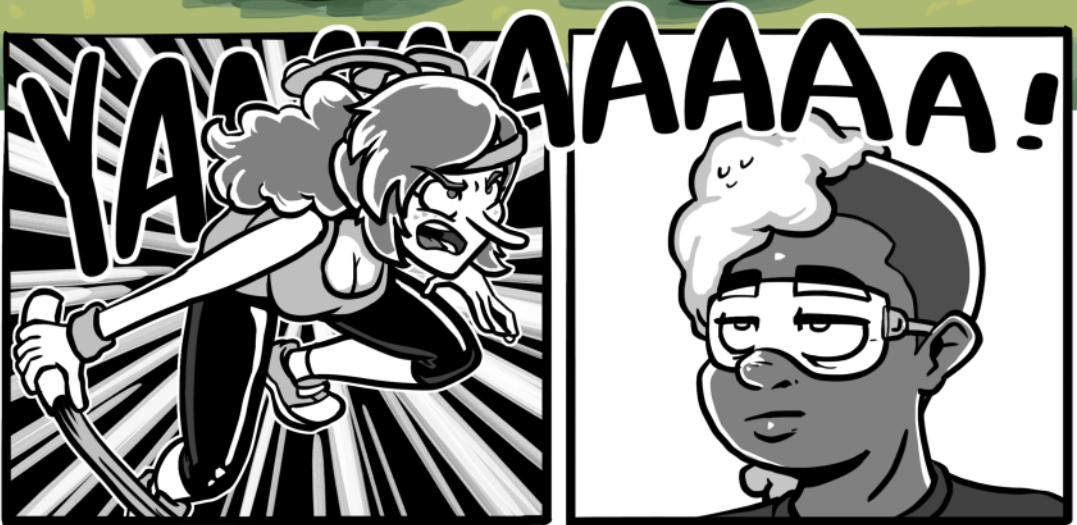
THE 'OL SLEEPY STICK.



"YOU KNOW THE GROUND IS MOSTLY *DIRT* RIGHT?"

NICE! I'M GLAD
YOU WERE PAYING ATTENTION.
SAME DEAL I GAVE SHELLEY.
GET READY.

NOPE!



SHIT!



THIS PART OF THE COMIC IS ABOUT TRIPPING TOO.

COULD YOU
STOP BEING A BRAT FOR
ONE SECOND?!

IT'S A **SWORD**.

STOP SWINGING
IT AROUND LIKE
A CLUB.

OR A
GIANT
HAMMER.

WHAT?

Y'KNOW?
SMALL GIRL WITH
A GIANT HAMMER?
SUPER GOOD.

YOU WATCH
A LOT OF CARTOONS,
MS. TALORA?

HOW'D
YOU KNOW?

LUCKY
GUESS.

YOU NEED TO
STOP THINKING
WITH YOUR HEART
WHILE FIGHTING,
MS. ASHWOOD.

WHILE PASSION IS
IMPORTANT, TRUE SWORDSMANSHIP
COMES FROM PRECISION, CALCULATING
YOUR OPPONENTS MOVEMENTS THROUGH
RAPID OBSERVATION.

IT'S ABOUT
STRATEGY AND
FORM.

IT'S ABOUT
TIMING AND REFLEXES.
NOT HOT-HEARTED
PASSION.

"DEFINE A LOT. BUT BEFORE YOU DO: YEAH, ALSO STUFF WITH PUPPETS IN IT!"



"AND FURTHERMORE: LANCE? MORE LIKE FLAT-U-LANCE."



**YOU HOT-HEADED
BABY! SWORD
FIGHTING IS
AN ART WORTHY
OF RESPECT!
FENCING,
KENDO AND...**

**I DON'T CARE,
MALĀKA! I AIN'T
GETTIN' NOTHIN' OUTTA
THIS BUT A BEATIN' BY
SOME DORK WHO
WANTS TO MARRY A
SWORD! WELL GUESS-**



CATCH THIS FEELING OR CATCH THESE HANDS.

WELL...



GUESS THIS IS
A HOLE 'NOTHER
PROBLEM.



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GLOWING THE HEARTS 2

Tisl
Ashwood

Shelley
Talora


Big Nasty Mast


An optional sub-chapter in social media format that you can skip if you want, but it's there for you if you'd like it.





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 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Hey! everyone should follow @TYEA.pilotside.us. That's Tisl. My girlfriend. I thought this would be a good way to help her learn to read. Don't make me regret this!


 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
THIS IS ME

 **Melora Pointilleux**
@loribrary.pilotside
I am so happy that you're taking an active interest in becoming literate. I am sure that you will find reading to be the adventure of a lifetime!


 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
YOU AR ALL WAYS LIKE THIS


 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
C'mon honey, be nice. Lori's been super nice to you.

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
I AM NOT BEENG MEEN IS SHE ALL WAYS LIKE THIS

 **B.Flip VanSusser**
@flippinout.pilotside.us
Yes


 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
yea

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Kind of?

 **Scum Craply**
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us
It depends what you consider "always." She's not like that when she sleeps, and that's like 25% of the day. And when she's awake, it's only like 60% of the time. Please don't think that she's being patronizing though. She really DOES mean it. Also some of us (me) think it's cute!

 **Amy School**
@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us
I find that more often than not she's ranting about how great socialism is, though that usually does end in her recommending a bunch of books.

Also anime, and same thing tbh.

 **Melora Pointilleux**
@loribrary.pilotside
Every day my belief that all people, no matter who they may be, have some kernal of good in them is tested.

Home

**Spectral Delivery!!!**

@mendlebrommerboxes.pilotside.us

If you were expecting a package today, bad news: A dog chased me up a tree again. If you feel like coming to the front yard of St. John Bosco's church and shooting them away, your next delivery is free! And I mean ANY delivery. Child from uterus? Sure! Human blood? Why not?! I'll get the blood myself.

**"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer**

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

Seriously, get me out of this goddamn tree.

**Amy School**

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

I'm working nearby. You willing to jump into the back of a moving garbage truck?

**"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer**

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

To get out of this tree or as payment for it?

**Amy School**

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

hmm...

**Gertrude Brommer-Mendlebaum**

@gex.pilotside.us

PLEASE do not jump into Amy's garbage truck again! I am on my way!

**Whitney Kissov**

@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us

At my wedding, please perform a version of "Wouldn't It Be Nice" but for people in their 30s. Thank you.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

It is nice that we are older/ we do not have to wait so long/
it is nice to live together/ in the kind of world where we belong

**Whitney Kissov**

@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us

A good first draft, but we may need to workshop some parts.

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Oh, we can do this, but we can't play ANY weird al at our wedding?

**Whitney Kissov**

@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us

My first dance as a married is not going to be to "Dare to be Stupid!"

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Whitney, marriage is daring to be stupid for the rest of your life.

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 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
People have been trying to replace buttons for centuries and it hasn't taken. And it never will.

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Is this in reference to something?

 **B.Flip VanSusser**
@flippinout.pilotside.us
I have been hearing about buttons all goddamn day. You don't want this. I don't want this. This is my personal husband tax.

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
Think about it.
THink about shirts.
Think about how they are held together!
Zippers? Unlikely!
Hook and llop fasteners? Never!
Buckles? Goths ONLY.
Buttons! Do not come for the king unless you can finish the job.

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Are you high or something?

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
High on the fastening power of buttons!

 **B.Flip VanSusser**
@flippinout.pilotside.us
Despite my better judgement and my entire soul wailing in pain because of things like this, I love you and always will.

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
Aw! tht's so sweet! I love you too!

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
I'm not sure that IS so sweet???

 **B.Flip VanSusser**
@flippinout.pilotside.us
Of course you aren't. It's well established that you don't understand romance.

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
Don't worry Jess, ur very sweet and I assume you are relatively attractive for a human. I amsure you will find someone eventually

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Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

"snowflake" isn't really an insult to the person you're saying it to. If anything it's a self-insult.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

The insult of "snowflake" is derived from calling someone "a special snowflake" - an insult implying that said person thinks that they're a unique person of worth. I feel that it says more about the insulter than the insulted. That the insulter considers themselves a random nobody. That they are not special or worth paying attention to in any way.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Some lady got shitty with me at the store and I'm still angry about it 6 hours later.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

It was definitely TERF shit.
I know that I'm a 6'3" trans woman. I couldn't hide it if it if I wanted to, and I really DON'T. I'm out and proud both for my own sanity AND to spite people like this. Snowflake is a dogwhistle and it always has been. But not a real dogwhistle, which are good because the end result of a real dog whistle is dog proximity.



Scum Craply
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

Have you considered: It's October and I don't want to hear about snow, and also some of us CAN hear dog whistles.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Do they sound good?



Scum Craply
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

No? I don't think that's the point of ANY whistle. If a whistle was good they'd call it a flute.



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

How many times am I going to have to explain to people: I am NOT baking a sword with a plastic hilt into a loaf of french bread!
Besides the ethical concerns, I make bread to be eaten.
Please allow me my pride as a baker.



Poindexter Parks, cpa
@ppcpa.pilotside.us

I do not want you to do this for me, but I have a sword with a cheery wood hilt. Would you be willing to bake that into bread?



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

If the wood's untreated? Yeah. That could lend a nice flavor to it. But you'd have to promise me that you wouldn't be attacking anyone with the sword. Defense? Sure. I

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 **Melora Pointilleux**
@loribrary.pilotside.us
So if I win the election, do I gain control of @mayor.pilotside.us?

 **Mayor Elizabeth Girt**
@mayor.pilotside.us
Not that it matters, but no, @mayor is my personal account.

 **Melora Pointilleux**
@ultramayor.pilotside.us
New @ will be very fitting very soon.

 **Mayor Elizabeth Girt**
@superultramayor.pilotside.us
This is why you'll always lose: you're so easy to defeat. I will ALWAYS outrank you.

 **Melora Pointilleux**
@mayor.pilotside.us
New handle! Guess November came early this year!

 **Gates Shortstuff-Gasongas**
@darkhugs.ghostridge.town
Embarrassing: Local woman renews crush on ex because of silliest reason possible.

 **Mayor Elizabeth Girt**
@superultramayor.pilotside.us
I am going to politely request people stop tooting "owned" at me.
It's not funny, it's not original, and identity theft is a real problem. I feel like none of you take identity theft seriously. I hope something mortifying like this never happens to

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 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Sometimes I think I've finally become a responsible adult, but sometimes I think about how I can't own a dog because dog treats look too tasty and I know I'd be tempted.

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Shelley!

 **Amy School**
@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us
I got two dogs who are very good boys and two sons who aren't. So I can tell you from second hand accounts: They do NOT taste like people food.
AND the texture is all wrong.

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
AMY!?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
all food ends the same way mite as well have some.

 **Jess Bottle**
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Tisl???

Home

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

me

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Very cute!

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

!!!

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

@bloodgruel picksh ore

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I'm at the bakery and I'm already a total mess. Maybe later.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

She's not asking you for a picture, she's asking you to comment on the picture she posted in this thread.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I'm sorry Tisl, but you post 5 pictures an hour and I actually have things to do. I can't comment on every single one of them like Shelley does.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

shame you are forgetting girlfriend race to SHELLEY

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

It figures that the first race I've ever been winning doesn't involve running.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

We're in a *relationship* not a competition.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

LUZER TAK

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

That's loser talk.

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

@bloodgruel If you were wondering, Tisl did run upstairs and high five Shelley for this.



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**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

If your girl's out here throwing ghost hatchets in the forest, feel free to come get her.

**Gertrude Brommer-Mendlebaum**

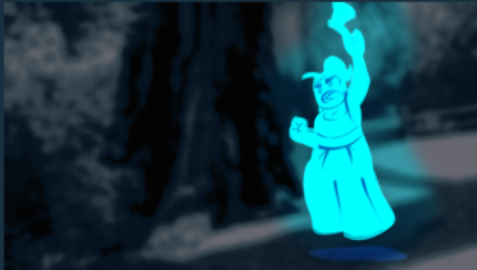
@gex.pilotside.us

Is this a euphamism for something?

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

No.

**Gertrude Brommer-Mendlebaum**

@gex.pilotside.us

Oh damn! Good luck!

**Jack Boulder**

@jackB.pilotside.us

Hey, mind doing me a solid and asking if she's single?

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

I told her you were a Libra and this was her reaction:

**Jack Boulder**

@jackB.pilotside.us

tough but fair

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

Hey! You never know unless you ask!

**"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer**

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

Some women don't even care how bright their glow is. It's totally unfair. I was killed and all I got was this extremely faint glow that forces me to sleep in a different room.

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Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

lurn to read and spell with vedeo gayme and SHELLEY



Scum Craply
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

Oooh! Which game?



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

spayz curyor



Scum Craply
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

Space Courier? Interesting choice, I guess? Congrats on being the 9th person to ever play that game.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I thought everyone played Space Courier, but I guess I lived in a different town that had a good video store when until I was in 5th grade. 5 games for 5 days for 5 dollars. THAT'S living.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

walter malaka bitch ass hole



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

WALTER
you smell bad
I will eject you into space



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

He's doing you a favor by taking the all of the red herrings out of your inventory.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

do not apologize for WALTER
those were my fish!



Melora Pointilleux
@mayor.pilotside.us

It really is easy to forget which words in the English language are phonetic and which aren't.
"Head?" Nope.
"What?" Nope.
"Antiestablishmentarian?" Yes.
"Patriotic public dildo sculpture?" Yes.
You know the one.
It's supposed to be Lincoln?



SPACE COURIER

TALK LISTEN
LOOK CHECK
GIVE TAKE
USE ITEM
STRIKE FIGHT
MONSTER

*Now Captain...don't get mad... but... something in the holding area smelled bad so I ejected all of our cargo.

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Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
SPACE SHELLEY


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
God! I wish!


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
GLASSES FOR SHELLEY


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
haha, It would take more than glasses for me to look like that


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
GLASSES FOR SHELLEY!!!


Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Glasses for Shelley!


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
SPACE SHELLEY FOR TISL


Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Look, I'm not trying to be a stereotype or anything here, but of course I have a choker and costume glasses and of course I knew exactly where they were. And yes, I knew how to fluff my hair up for this. It's fine. Let's not examine this.


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
you have pussy bow to compleat outfit?


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
No, I'm non-op.


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Oh, never mind I just looked that up. They're seriously called that, huh?

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**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I don't have a spiritual side, unless I see waitstaff pour coffee from really high up.

**B.Flip VanSusser**

@flippinout.pilotside.us

Can I get one (1) AMEN?!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Amen! How'd you get so good at that?!

**B.Flip VanSusser**

@flippinout.pilotside.us

Ever wondered how I got so good at mopping?
They're connected.**"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer**

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

No spiritual side?! You're dating a fairy! I'm a funky phantom! Your accountant has ghost hair!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

She's not a fairy. She's a meliae, which is a kind of tree spirit/dryad from Greek ashtrees, hence the surname.

**"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer**

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

Then why is her profile pic a mushroom?

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

It's complicated but it effectively boils down to: her mom sucks.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

lyra isnt my mom

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

She planted you from one of her own seeds, and then after you were born she nursed, raised and tended to you until you were fully grown. What else could her relationship to you be?

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

People throw the term F-bomb around. Not every utterance of that word is a bomb. I'm not sure I've ever heard a REAL, window shaking F-Bomb until two minutes ago.

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Wow. I definitely shouldn't be hearing this. I'm going into the bathroom and turning the fan on. Anyone need anything while I'm in there?

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 **Whitney Kissov**
@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us
[@clance](#) OK, who is Tisl? I assume she's dating Shelley because her timeline is just nonstop chatting with her. But WHO is Tisl, exactly.

 **Clance Packett**
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us
You got time for a phone call?

 **Whitney Kissov**
@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us
For you? Always, but you asking has me nervous.

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
[@spry](#) I was just thinking about your Epic Button Rant: Don't you wear zip-up coveralls for you job? I think you're even wearing them in your pfp.

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
Yea and we had to toss a buncha thm because the zipper broke or melted

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Sure, but buttons fall off all the time. Not only that, but they can fly off with enough pressure.

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
You can put a button back on tho

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
you can replace a zipper too.

 **Spryan VanSusser**
@spry.pilotside.us
I guess i never though of it that way

 **Whitney Kissov**
@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us
[@talora_ay](#) Shelley, I have something to say, and hope you don't take it the wrong way.

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
ok? go ahead?

 **Whitney Kissov**
@whitkissovandthepharmacists.pilotside.us
Can you not do ANYTHING normally?

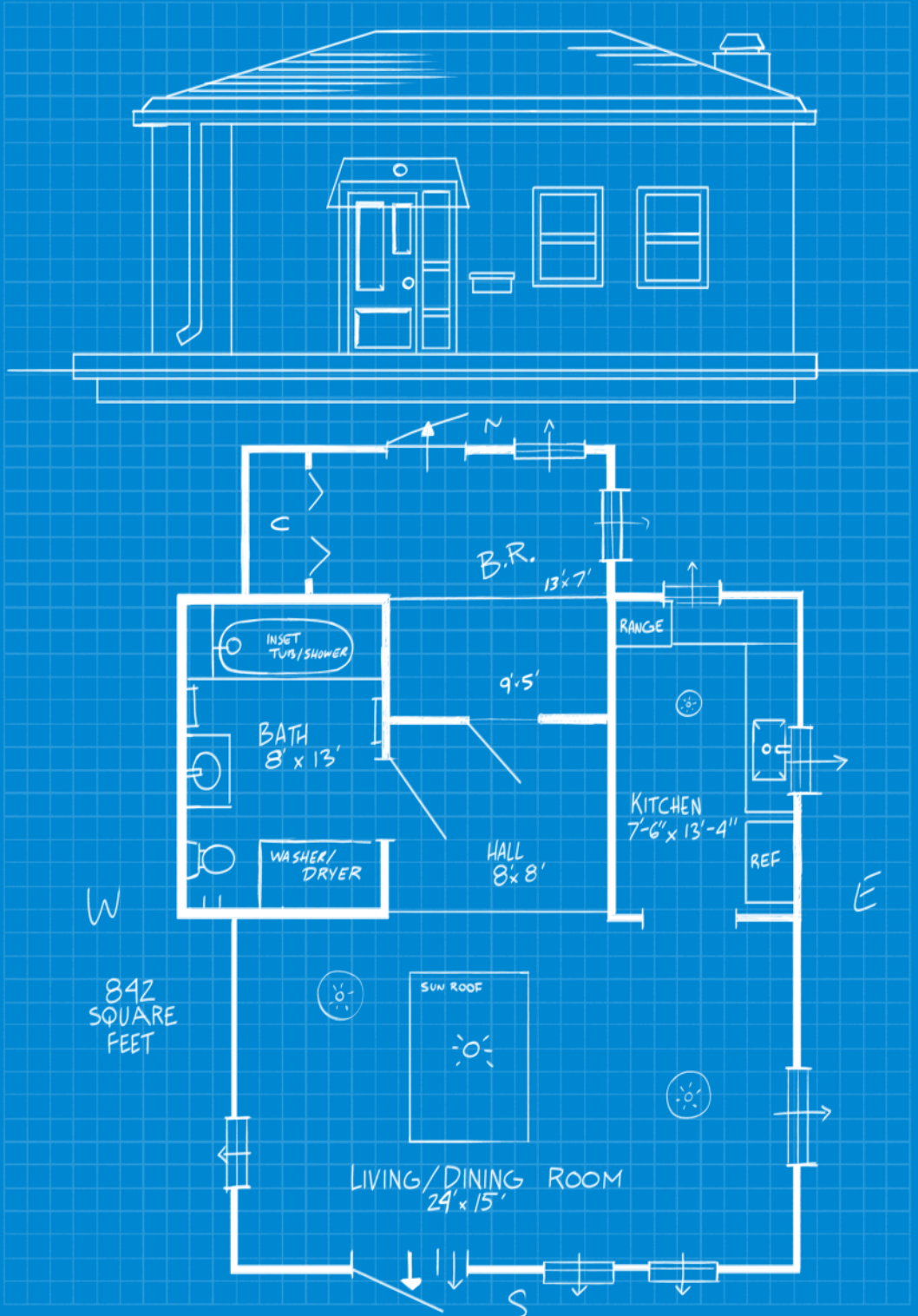
 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Well I don't see how anyone could take this the wrong way.
I assume this isn't about zippers, is it?

Glowing Hearts

CHAPTER III: CROWN ON THE GROUND



LOT 425 1282 FOREST VISAGE ROAD, MAPLE HILLS JEFF MENDEBAUM, 1-26-1957



HEY! DO YOU KNOW...

Shelley Talora

AGE: 34

PRONOUNS:

She/her if you don't mind.
I'm fine with they/them,
I guess. Well... not really.

ALIGNMENT:

I have ADD so chaotic
neutral? Probably?

JOB:

Still waiting for a
callback! But generally
I'm a motion graphics
designer.

HOODIES OWNED:

8. all different colors.



TISL ASHWOOD

AGE: "depends who's asking"

PRONOUNS:

"She/her or Tisl/Tisl's"

ALIGNMENT:

"heh heh heh"

JOB:

"I can tend to goats,
I can do carpentry, and I
been tinkering with this
old ass computer recently."

HOODIES OWNED:

"2 of my own but
I can take as many of
Shelley's as I want."



Landexter Larks, CPA DIETRUS, GB

AGE: 38

PRONOUNS:

They/them, both as an
individual and as a
collective.

ALIGNMENT:

Independent Contractor.

JOB:

Accountant

Defender

Teacher

HOODIES OWNED:

None, ever.



Jessica Bottle

AGE: 31

PRONOUNS:

They/them, I think.

ALIGNMENT:

Lawful Babyface

JOB:

Baker

Campaign Administrator

Mechanical Engineer

Professional Wrestler

Secretary

HOODIES OWNED:

16, in every color from black
to charcoal.



Melora Cantilleux

AGE: 33

PRONOUNS:

She/Her.

ALIGNMENT:

...Pansexual Socialist?

JOB:

Librarian

HOODIES OWNED:

4. Unless you include
pull over sweatshirts,
which I do NOT consider
a "hoodie." Zip up or
zip OUT.



CLARE CRACKET

AGE: 37

PRONOUNS:

He/him

ALIGNMENT:

Left?

JOB:

LOL

HOODIES OWNED:

Some.



DID THIS HELP?

THE STORY SO FAR?

M'SHELLEY TALORA
LOST HER BIG, FANCY CITY JOB
AND HAD TO MOVE IN WITH HER
LOVABLY SHIFTLESS UNCLE.

THEN A FOREST SPIRIT,
TISL... ASHTREE? ASHWOOD?
UH... SHE SPIT ON ME BUT LEFT
A BIG TIP SO WE'RE COOL. ANYWAY
THEY HAD WEIRDLY AGGRO MEET-
CUTE BUT I GUESS SHELLEY'S INTO
THAT KIND OF THING BECAUSE
THEY'RE DATING NOW.

AND THEN SHELLEY'S
LONGTIME PAL JESS WAS ROPED
INTO THEIR RELATIONSHIP. PRETTY
SURE THEY'RE HUMAN, BUT I'VE NEVER
ASKED, AND FRANKLY I DON'T REALLY
CARE. THEY'VE BEEN MY PAL SINCE MIDDLE
SCHOOL, AND THEY USED TO DELIVER
BOOKS TO THE ZOO WHEN I
WAS STILL HOLED UP THERE.

THREESOME'S NOT
RIGHT THOUGH. THAT A SEX
THING. AND THROUPLE SOUNDS
CLUMSY. I GUESS TRIO IS
THE NATURAL CHOICE...

LIKE A COUPLE IS TWO
AND A FEW IS THREE, RIGHT?
IS A POLYCULE MORE THAN THREE
PEOPLE? I **REALLY** DON'T KNOW
I'VE ONLY EVER DATED
ONE PERSON.

ANYWAY A POLYCULE?
I THINK THAT'S WHAT IT'S CALLED.
OR IS IT A FEW?

OH! THE "FOREST
SPIRIT" THING? YEAH, WELL,
I MEAN THAT SORT OF THING
HAPPENS. "THAT'S LIFE,"
RIGHT?

PLEASE,
DON'T INTERRUPT,
I LOSE MY PLACE
EASILY.

ANYWAY, A GIANT
HOLE OPENED IN THE EARTH
AND SWALLOWED SHELLEY, TISL
AND AN ACCOUNTANT WITH
CURSED HAIR THAT THEY
TREAT AS A PET...

WHAT'S
THAT LOOK
FOR?

YOU **CAN'T**
KEEP STOPPING ME
LIKE THIS.

I'M A
TALKING PENGUIN!
DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS
YOU NEED ANSWERED
ABOUT **THAT**?

THAT'S NOT
WHAT YOU MEANT? IS
IT ABOUT THE SCARF? I'M SELF-
CONSCIOUS ABOUT MY
CHUBBY NECK.

LET'S SEE, I'M A
SCORPIO, I'M HAPPILY
MARRIED... THESE GOGGLES
ARE PRESCRIPTION? UH, MY
FRIEND IS RUNNING FOR MAYOR?
I THINK THE US VERSION OF
THE OFFICE IS BETTER THAN
THE UK VERSION?

OH.
YOU
DO?

OK! KNOW WHAT?
THIS ISN'T ABOUT **ME**!
EXCEPT SOMETIMES IT IS?
NOT EXPLICITLY BUT KIND OF?
I MEAN, I'M **THERE**?
MY FRIENDS ARE THE MAIN
CHARACTERS OF
THE STORY?

I'M MORE OF A
SIDE-KICK, AND YOU KNOW
WHAT? I LIKE THINGS THIS WAY.
DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN MARRY
THE PERSON YOU'RE THE
SIDEKICK OF AND NO
ONE STOPS YOU?

ALSO, THERE'S A LOT
OF STORIES HAPPENING AROUND
GLOWING HEARTS THAT YOU'RE NOT
SEEING. THERE'S PEOPLE THAT
YOU HAVEN'T MET, AND PEOPLE
YOU MAY NOT **EVER** MEET!

THAT'S LIFE, RIGHT!
EXCEPT IT'S COOLER THAN
YOUR LIFE BECAUSE THERE'S
TALKING ANIMAL PEOPLE.

HEY! I HEAR THIS COMIC
HAS SOME LIGHT SWEARING IN IT,
SO THAT'S FUN!
ASSHOLE!
ALL RIGHT, ENJOY THE
COMIC.



YOU OK!?

YEAH, I'M-

NOT
YOU!

MICHELLE
OLESIA
TALORA: ARE
YOU OK?

I THINK I
SPILLED MY COFFEE,
BUT I THINK I'M GOOD
OTHERWISE.



GOOD! I'M
GONNA GO GET
SOME HELP.



...FROM CLANCE.

OH! GET
BAGELS! AND
MORE COFFEE.
PLEASE?




PERFECT.
NO RECEPTION.

BUT I'M ONLY
AT 20% SO I SHOULD
SAVE IT IN CASE IT RAINS OR,
I DUNNO, A BEAR FALLS
DOWN HERE?




REALLY?
THIS MIGHT BE THE FIRST
TIME I'VE EVER HAD
FIVE BARS!

AND MAYBE THAT BEAR KNOWS SOMEONE WHO OWNS A REALLY LONG LADDER.



HOW LONG
DO YOU THINK IT'LL
TAKE HER TO GET
SOME HELP?

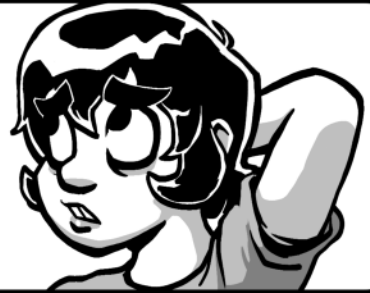



FIVE MINUTES TOPS,
BUT THAT'S **NOT** THE ISSUE.
THE ISSUE IS THE HELP
SHE'S GETTING.

WHAT I'M ABOUT TO TELL YOU,
I'M NOT TELLING YOU TO MAKE CLANCE LOOK BAD,
IT'S TO PROVE A POINT.


AT A MUTUAL FRIEND'S BACHELOR PARTY,
HE AND HIS ROOMMATE DID SPEED. RIGHT AFTER,
HE WENT TO BED FOR THE NIGHT WITHOUT TELLING US.
WE FREAKED OUT! THOUGHT HE OVERDOSED!

TOOK HIM TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM!
DOCTORS SAID THAT HE WAS JUST SLEEPING. **THAT'S**
THE LEVEL OF HEAVY SLEEPER WE'RE DEALING WITH.

I HAVE THE
OPPOSITE PROBLEM-
I HAVEN'T SLEPT
IN FOUR YEARS.

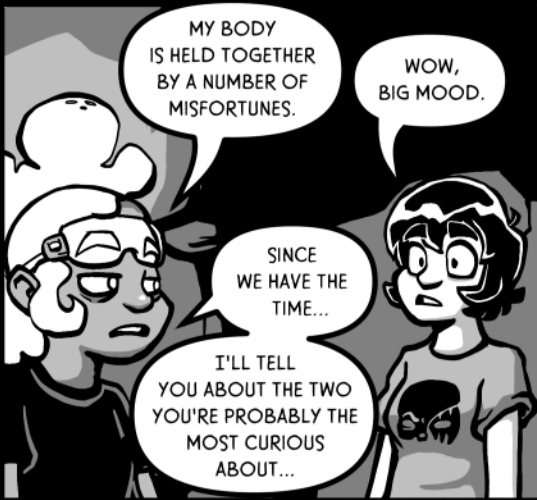
AND YOU'RE
ALIVE!?



I... DON'T KNOW?



HEY, THAT'S NOT A GOOD ANSWER TO THAT QUESTION!



MY EYES WERE STRICKEN RED WHEN A WITCH NOTICED THAT I HAD 23 ITEMS IN MY BASKET WHILE BEING IN THE 15-ITEMS-OR-LESS LINE.



DIETRIUS POSSESSED ME WHEN I WAS TRYING TO REMOVE A HAUNTED HORNET'S NEST FROM MY MOM'S GARAGE. NOW I CAN SEE IN THE DARK, AND POSSESS OTHER-WORLDBLY STRENGTH, BUT MY HAIR HAS GROWN BRITTLE AND GRAY, AND I CAN NEVER CUT IT AGAIN. I'M STUCK WITH THIS HAIRCUT.





SOMETIMES IT'S NOT WHO YOU KNOW, IT'S WHON'T YOU KNOWN'T.



THE SOUND OF A SLOWLY DEFLATING BALLOON BUT HAPPY



ANOTHER SPECIES OF ANIMAL BEING EXCITED TO SEE HUMANS?
PROBABLY NOT A GOOD SIGN!

YOU GUYS
STILL LIKE
GOLD?



SPECIES-WIDE?
YEAH. PERSONALLY I
THINK THAT BRONZE IS
MUCH PRET-



HWOAH!



THAT
WORTH A
LOT?



YEAH?
PROBABLY?
THE BAG IS CUTE,
AT LEAST.

GREAT!
SHE'S YOUR
PROBLEM NOW!



DON'T WORRY!
WE'LL KEEP HER
SAFE.



HEY, SUIT
YOURSELF.



"YEAH, YOU CAN KEEP HER IN A SAFE, YOU CAN KEEP HER IN A CAGE.
WHATEVER YOU WANT!"

**THE NERVE!
THE ABSOLUTE
NERVE!**

**EJECTED!
EXPELLED! FROM MY VERY
OWN KINGDOM!**

AND WHY? TREASON?
A FLAGRANT MISUSE OF POWER?
DESTROYING THE LIVLIHOOD OF CITIZENRY?
OVERUSE OF MILITARY FORCE?
A SINGLE UNPOPULAR POLICY?

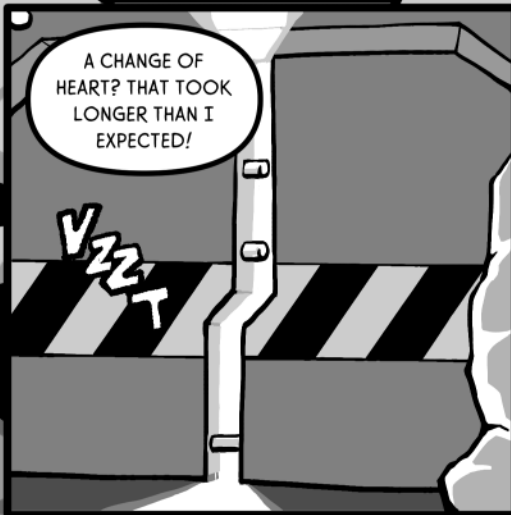
**NO! OF COURSE NOT!
IT IS BECAUSE I AM "A NUISANCE."
BECAUSE I AM "DIFFICULT."**

AS A MEMBER OF THE
ROYAL FAMILY I EXPECT TO BE
TREATED LIKE A PRINCESS! BECAUSE
I AM LITERALLY A PRINCESS! BUT MY
OWN LOUSY BROTHER, THE SHIFTLESS
KING, BANISHED ME TO THE SURFACE
AS HE FEELS I AM ANNOYING?!

I AM IN EXILE BECAUSE
I HAVE A "HARSH ATTITUDE?!"
ME? THEIR PRINCESS?!

**CAN YOU
BELIEVE
IT!?**





"OR THEY WANTED ME TO BEAT YOU TO DEATH WITH IT, BUT I THINK THAT'S UNLIKELY TO HAPPEN!"





"HEY DON'T BE SO QUICK TO JUDGE. THERE'S PLENTY OF TIME FOR REAL, GENUINE CONFIRMATION THAT WE'RE CLOWNS."



SORRY!
I HADN'T EATEN
TODAY

ONCE I GOT
HIT WITH BAGEL LUST
MY MIND BLANKED OUT
EVERYTHING ELSE.

I AM NOT INTERESTED
IN YOUR EXCUSES FOR BEING A
BAD HOSTESS. WOULD YOU *MIND*
INTRODUCING YOURSELVES?

OH! RIGHT! THIS IS
TISL ASHWOOD, ONE OF
MY *GAY ROMANTIC*
GIRLFRIENDS.

SHE'S SOME
KINDA MAGICAL
MUSHROOM-
TREE-BUG?

YO!



I'M SHELLEY
TALORA! A TRANS
WOMAN!



AND THIS IS
DEXTER PARKS, CPA, AND
THEIR CURSED HAIR PET
DIETRIUS, CGB.*



I SEE. AND
DO YOU ALWAYS TALK
WITH YOUR MOUTH FULL,
SHELLEY TALORA?



ONLY WHEN
I'M EATING?



I AM *PRINCESS WISTARE CORONATUS*, OF THE ROYAL UNDERGROUND KINGDOM OF SOREX'S LINE OF SUCCESSION, CHIEF ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITAL CITY PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ORGANIZATION, ELDEST CHILD OF KING BIFF CORONATUS, DAUGHTER OF THE HEAD LIBRARIAN OF SCHOLARLY PURSUITS AT CRELLESTE UNIVERSITY, SOME REFER TO ME AS THE "THE TRUE QUEEN OF DIGGING," "THE BRAIN BEHIND THE TRAIN," AND "THE PEOPLE'S PRINCESS!"



HEY,
I DIDN'T BRING
THREE BAGELS. IS
THAT GONNA BE A
PROBLEM?

BY THE WAY, THIS IS WHO WE ARE.

*CERTIFIED GOOD BOY

NO, THAT SHALL NOT BE
AN ISSUE. HOWEVER, IF ANYONE CAN
EXPLAIN THIS ABOMINABLE, EVER-PRESENT
LIGHT THAT WOULD BE LOVELY.



OH MY GOD!
YOU'VE NEVER SEEN
THE SUN BEFORE!

GOOD
CATCH!

PHEW!
WORRIED
THAT I MISSED
SOMETHING
IMPORTANT.



OK, SO... LET'S SEE...
THE SUN, UH, IS A MASS OF
INCANDESCENT GAS. A GIGANTIC
NUCLEAR FURNACE, ONE
COULD SAY.

OF COURSE.



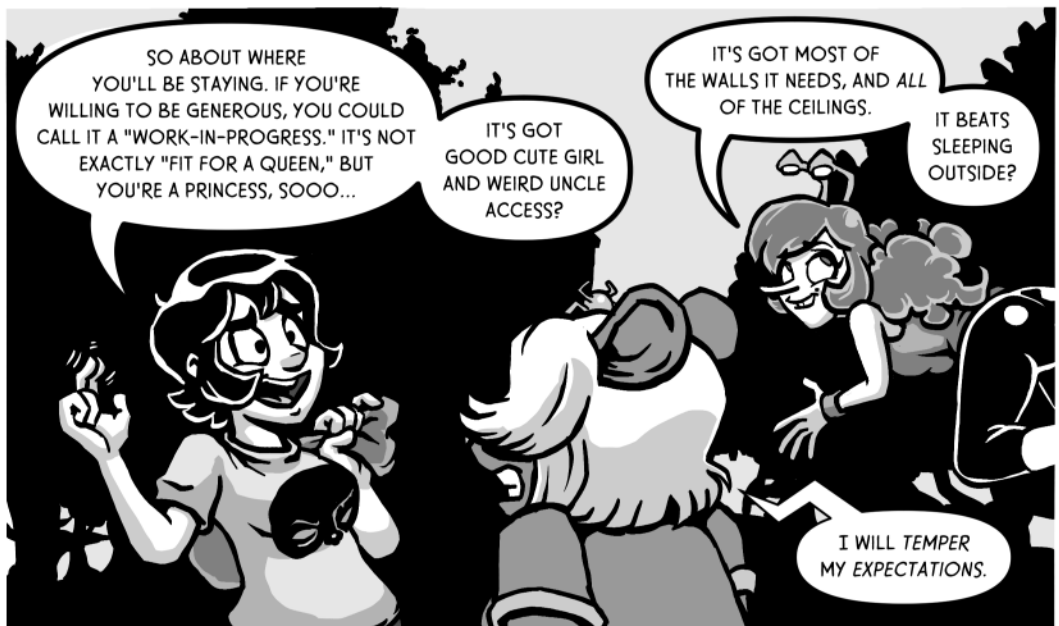
I AM
AWARE OF THE
SUN'S EXISTENCE!
I JUST DID NOT
EXPECT IT TO BE
QUITE SO
AWFUL.

LADY, YOU
GOTTA PUT UP WITH
IT OR DIE.

THAT'S THE
RULE HERE, ON
HELL EARTH.



THE SUN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.





SURELY YOU JEST!
YOU LIVE ON A FAULT LINE, AND YOU HAVE WHAT YOUR RADIO STATIONS REFER TO AS "TORNADOES," WHICH NECESSITATE SHELTER UNDERGROUND! YOUR HOUSE **MUST** HAVE SOME SORT OF FIXED BELOW-SURFACE FOUNDATION!



"YES. MOST OF THEM, FROM WHAT I HEAR."

**I HAVE BEEN
ASSIGNED
LODGING
IN A
DEATH
TRAP!?**



THIS HOUSE IS
OVER SIXTY YEARS OLD. IT
HASN'T NEEDED ONE YET,
MAYBE IT DOESN'T
NEED ONE EVER?

GRANDPA
HAD POLIO AND
GRANDMA LOST HER
LEG TO DIABETES. MAYBE
THEY THOUGHT IT'D HAVE
BEEN TOO MUCH OF A
HASSLE TO BOTHER
WITH?

OK, BUT
DO **WE** NEED
ONE?

MAN, I DON'T
WANNA HAVE TO
GO TO A GARAGE
TO DO LAUNDRY
IN THE WINTER,
DO YOU?



**SOREX ROYAL
MOBILE BOUDOIR
UNIT 004!**

**RETRIEVE MY
DIGGING EQUIPMENT AND
STONE MASONRY KIT!**



STONE MASON? I
TOLD YOU TO
STOP INVITING MEMBERS
OF THE ILLUMIATI TO
LIVE HERE.

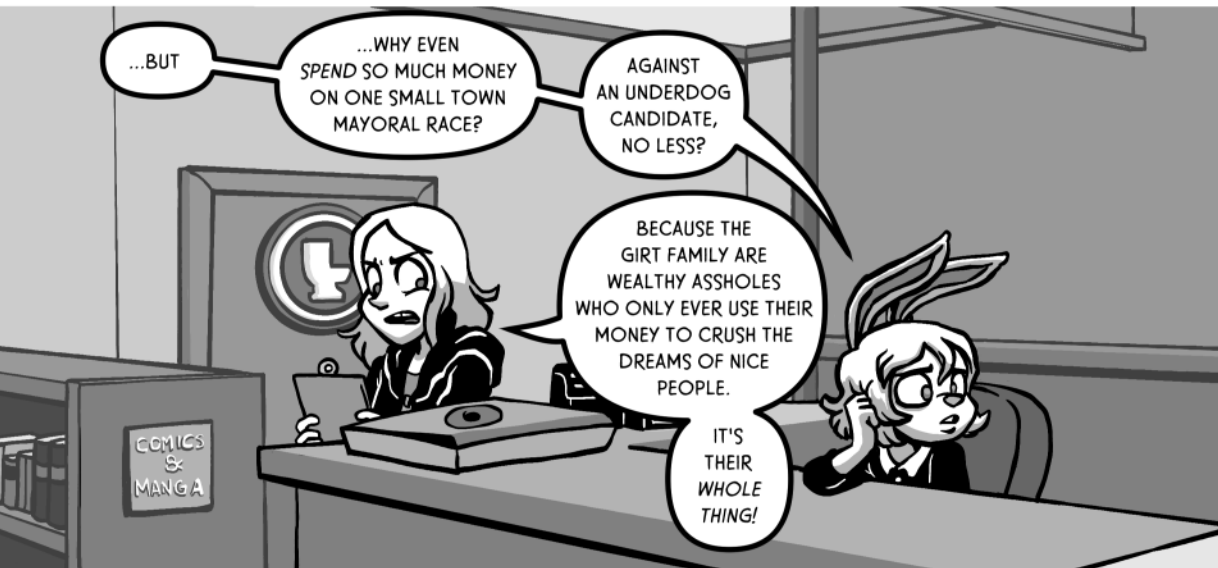
NEVER!



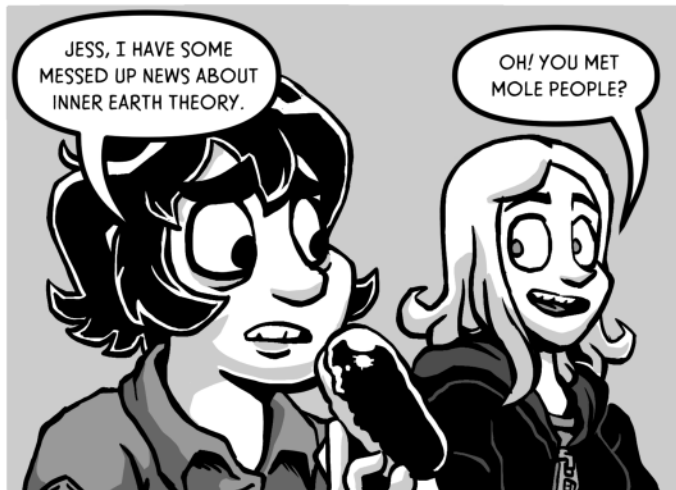
WOW, YOU GAVE THIS CHARACTER WHO ISN'T SUPPOSED TO BE YOU WHO LOOKS PRETTY MUCH EXACTLY
LIKE YOU THE SAME GRANDPARENTS. THAT'S REALLY IRONIC.



HOW GENEROUS, TO GET A MOVIE FOR YOUR SAD GIRLFRIEND WITHOUT PAYING FOR IT.



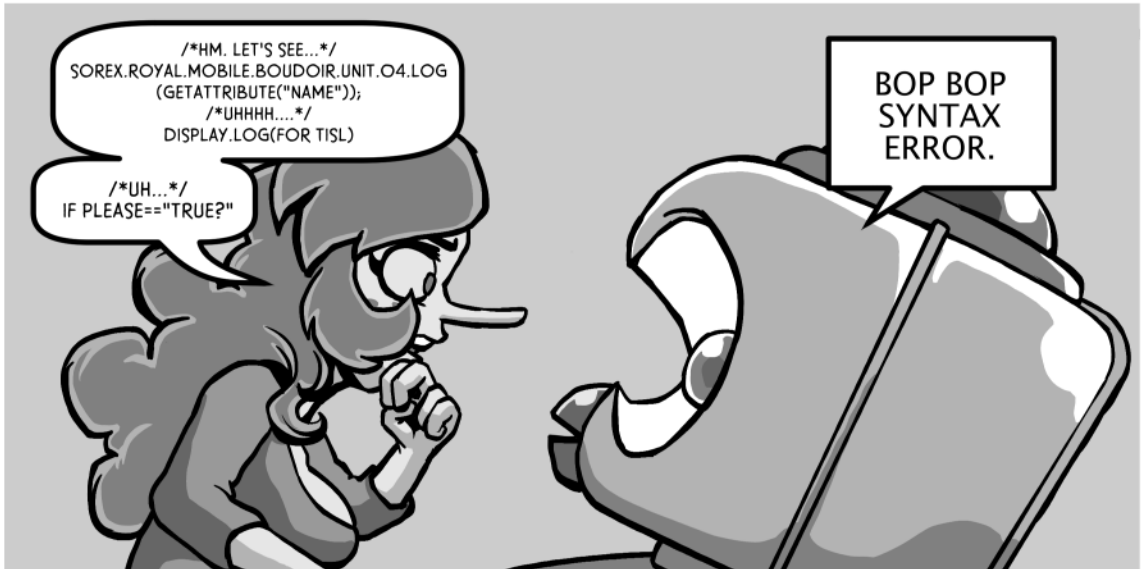
ACTUALLY IT'S AN OFF-YEAR ELECTION SO JUST SHELLEY'S VOTE MIGHT BE ENOUGH.







WHATEVER, HUDSON HAWK
IS WORTH SEEING.



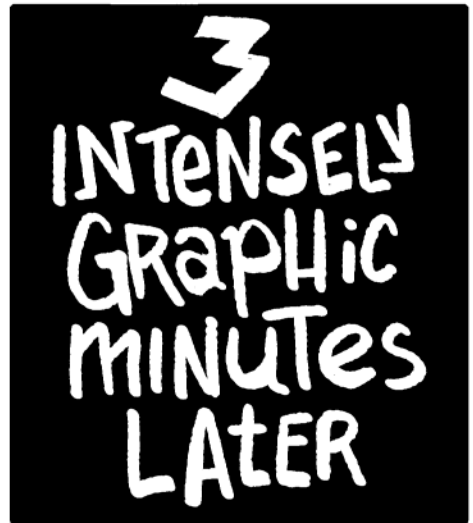
I'VE HEARD OF CODING IN RUST, BUT I DON'T ACTUALLY KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT, SO I CAN'T MAKE A JOKE ABOUT IT FOR THIS ROBOT.





"IN THAT PEOPLE I MEET FOR THE FIRST TIME YELL AT ME MUCH MORE OFTEN THAN THIS."







I AM GOING TO DIG.

I MUST DIG.

DIGGING CALMS MY NERVES.

I CANNOT MESS THINGS UP WHILST DIGGING.



NEXT TIME!



CAN YOU DIG IT?



Big Nasty Masty II

*Bigger, Nastier, Mastier**



**size, nastiness and mastodonationality not guaranteed*



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

For those curious I give fraternal political subterfuge a 0/10.



Clance Packett

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

0 is the lowest level of enjoyment on this scale?



Wistare Coronatus

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YES! Of course it is! When is 0 ever the highest level of enjoyment?



Clance Packett

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Medical discomfort index.



Wistare Coronatus

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I AM NOT RATING THE TRAITOROUS ACTIONS OF MY OWN BROTHER ON THE MEDICAL DISCOMFORT INDEX.



Wistare Coronatus

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BUT IT WOULD BE A 31.



Clance Packett

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What's its OSHA Humidex rating?



Wistare Coronatus

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I suppose it was probably a 25? I was not in any particular danger of any sort of hydration-related emergency.



Tisl Ashwood

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job is bad



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Well! it certainly has moments like this but I wouldn't say this job is "bad" by any means!



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Freelancing has its ups and downs and really this sort of thing isn't unusual for any job.



Tisl Ashwood

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suspishus clyint proolly follos you i will deeleet.





Melora Pointilleux

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@TYEA How'd you enjoy "Hudson Hawk?" Did you enjoy your time getting Hawked?



Tisl Ashwood

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i like the yelling lady i like the bald asshole man wierd story



Melora Pointilleux

@mayor.pilotside.us

It's a giant mess! While I understand Shelley's position that it's "worth seeing" as an odd curio and deep dive into Bruce Willis' psyche, I'm not sure it's GOOD as a film, in the traditional sense. Or ANY sense?



Tisl Ashwood

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your smart why sexy nun i had to go to catholick church bee four and nuns were not sexy



Shelley Talora

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OK, so I was raised Catholic in a post-traditional-nun church, but from what I can tell by my mom's relationship to them, I think people kind of see them a direct authority figure. So it's sort of an extention of the whole sexy teacher or sexy librarian thing.



Tisl Ashwood

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sexy librarian is book bunny sexy librarian



Melora Pointilleux

@mayor.pilotside.us

Ladies, ladies, please.
Show some repect.
I'm a sexy mayor.



Mayor Elizabeth Girt

@superultramayor.pilotside.us

YOU ARE NOT MAYOR AT ALL!
GIVE ME BACK MY HANDLE



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Like, don't tell anyone or anything but YEAH. Lori is an EXTREMELY sexy librarian.



Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

why not tell your hot and she seems like she puts out



Shelley Talora

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Aw, thanks! And not from what I've heard, but also who knows if she's even into trans women. She's an ALLY, but from what I've pieced together she broke up with Gates right around the time she came out as trans? Plus

Home

**Tisl Ashwood**

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after hudson hawk we finished ahneemay book bunny sugested psyonic waves do not make titties bounce that way.

**Jess Bottle**

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You've missed ALL of film and television history and Lori suggested "Full Moon Valentine?!" That show was made to sell horny statuettes to deeply pathetic weirdos like future @mayor Lori Pointilleux.

**Melora Pointilleux**

@mayor.pilotside.us

"Full Moon Valentine" is a classic.

While there's certainly SOME cheesecake, the plot is a quick, breezy and interesting introduction to anime.

Despite, or perhaps because of, it's tawdry trappings, the protagonist has an exciting growth arc. That's why I have a couple of *tasteful* statuettes of her.

It also seemed like the kind of thing Tisl would like.

**Scum Craply**

@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

Is that the statue of the lady washing the car?

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

No. That's Mio from "Zero Absolution." The girl eating two drippy white ice pops while reading magazines is from "Full Moon Valentine."

**Scum Craply**

@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

OK, then which one is the space cop bending over her flying motorcycle from?

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

She's from Night Force Aquarius. You watched that one with us. You kept saying that you thought she was using excessive force.

**Scum Craply**

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She kicked multiple guys in half over circumstancial evidence!

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I have a LOT of notes for The Gemini City PD, if we're being honest.

**Scum Craply**

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**Melora Pointilleux**

@mayor.pilotside.us

I recognize that not everyone in this town appreciates art, and I accept that, and do not feel it's worth addressing beyond this statement.

Home

**Shelley Talora**

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I've finally found someone more hardcore about "if we watch some of something, we're watching all of it than I am. Mixed feelings.

**Tisl Ashwood**

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i dont like hanging threds but why did nozumi not have sex she was so horny

**Shelley Talora**

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I *think* it's a demographics thing. Chasteness was found to sell merchandise in some markets. Sex sells in the US so characters here are more likely to engage in intercourse.

**Melora Pointilleux**

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There's no lack of weird horny virgin bullshit in American media. Don't pin this all on the Japanese animation industry.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

wishing nozumi a very deep dicking this lovely evning

**Melora Pointilleux**

@mayor.pilotside.us

Amen.

**Scum Craply**

@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

"How many horny statuettes does your fiancée have, Ms. Pointilleux?"

"uh, none, actually, haha."

-a conversation I've heard no less than 20 times.

**Melora Pointilleux**

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This statuette isn't that horny.

**Scum Craply**

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Lori, I love you with my entire heart, you saved my life and you have made every single day of my life better in so many ways that it would take all day to explain how.

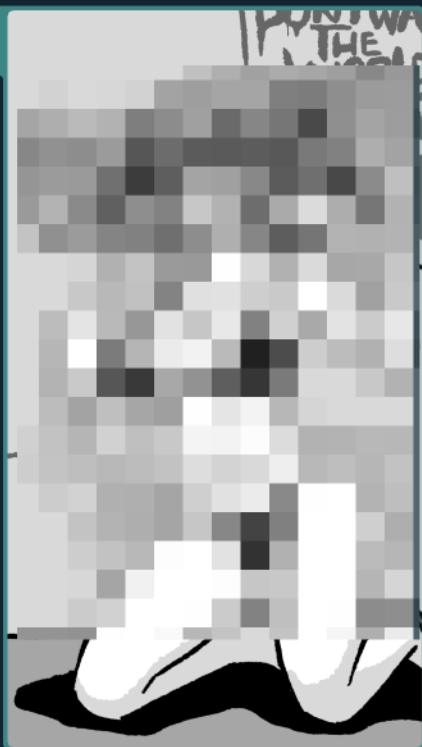
But.

Come on.

**Melora Pointilleux**

@mayor.pilotside.us

It's not *actual* cum! It's icecream!



Home

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

Hey! Martina lost your phone number, and I was avoiding DMing you here for this, but... The job is yours if you want it. We can't offer what you were making at your last job, but would 45k be acceptable?

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

That's fine. 45K in Pilotside is pretty close to 75K in Chicago. You got yourself a video editor/motion graphics designer!

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

LMAO that isn't your title, Ms. Director.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I'm not sure I should accept this job then? I've only directed one episode of CLCL and it was kind of a disaster.

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

Oh, that's fine, we have the best teacher around. It's called "experience."

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I guess that's true. I'll figure it out, and I do have ideas.
Unless it's actually a person named experience that goes by it/it's pronouns.

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

lol, no they had to move back to Canada.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

It's probably better if I get permission about my idea now.
I kind of want to replicate the look of an concert film for the show.
Have you ever seen "Stop Making Sense?"

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

Have you ever seen MY FUCKING PUSSY!?
If you can seriously pull that off I will SHIT EVERYWHERE.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I've had it described to me in exhaustive detail. Speaking of Gates, why didn't you ask her for my number? Or Jess? Or DM me for my number and then call me.

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

If you're expecting every interaction we have to make sense, we're going to have a very acrimonious relationship.

nahaha, I'll keep that in mind!

 **NESSA KRYZYNSKI** 
 @causegraves.ghostridge.town
 Well, since I'm in your DMs already anyway. Reveal if you dare it's my pussy.

 **Shelley Talora** 
 @talora_ay.pilotside.us
 Wow, that's pretty good!

 **NESSA KRYZYNSKI** 
 @causegraves.ghostri...
 lol thanks

 **Shelley Talora**
 @talora_ay.pilotside.us
 Hey I just got a JOB-job, with a very interesting signing bonus.

 **Jess Bottle**
 @bloodgruel.pilotside.us
 OMG! I'm so happy to hear that. I'm so excited for you to be a part of our crew! I'm sure you'll do a great job!

 **Shelley Talora**
 @talora_ay.pilotside.us
 I'll do the best I can. THank you so much for suggesting me for this!

 **Jess Bottle** 
 @bloodgruel.pilotside.us
 Look, we haven't discussed things too much yet, but if you don't think you cab avoid sleeping with people from Babbage Heights, I'm not sure this relationship is going to work out. I have my reasons, and I can explain them to you, but I'd rather do it in person than over the internet.

 **Shelley Talora** 
 @talora_ay.pilotside.us
 I didn't! You've actually already mentioned this. You brushed past it but I DID listen. She just sent me a picture of her pussy

 **Jess Bottle** 
 @bloodgruel.pilotside.us
 Oh, well that's fine. she sends pictures of her pussy to people all the time. I know what her pussy looks like more than my own. It's mostly a gag, I think.

 **Shelley Talora** 
 @talora_ay.pilotside.us
 I don't think I agree with that, really? She was hitting on me pretty hard during my interview, and full disclosure: I didn't mind.

 **Jess Bottle** 
 @bloodgruel.pilotside.us
 Nessa's just like that. Everything they say sounds flirty. You get used to it.

Home

**Spryan VanSusser**

@spry.pilotside.us

read the room and try not to talk about bacon near me.
if you cant help yourself you owe me 30 pounds of gorilla meat

**Spryan VanSusser**

@spry.pilotside.us

chimp also accepted

**Spryan VanSusser**

@spry.pilotside.us

if ur not a human something close on your evolutionary chain
less than 3 links away only
no weird asses if you can avoid it

**Gates Shortstuff-Gasongas**

@darkhugs.ghostridge.town

I don't feel the same way you do about eating pork but bacon is extremely mid.

**Spryan VanSusser**

@spry.pilotside.us

how is it not super weird to you? they look just like us!

**Gates Shortstuff-Gasongas**

@darkhugs.ghostridge.town

You have no idea how mad I am that I have to send this picture to my own
goddamn twin brother.

**Scum Craply**

@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

A haiku:
Con a person
out of gorilla bacon
equality exists.

**Spryan VanSusser**

@spry.pilotside.us

thats really pretty! @flippinout we should get this done in brush or something.

**B.Flip VanSusser**

@flippinout.pilotside.us

I would like to own one piece of art that is not themed around eating primates.

Mastodon x hstf/pilotside.us/social/landing

Home

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
imbearassed to say but i am lucky to have someone i can cher feelings with

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
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 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
i dont understand icecreemcon

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
it's supposed to be a heart! Because I like you so much!

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
oh i see it on yourfoan that looks like heart on mine it looks like ice creem con

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Oh! Yeah, it really does! weird! But I DO heart you!

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
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V <-- this is me rite nou

 **Wistare Coronatus**
@sorex.pilotside.us
@talora_ay @TYEA @clanceMP I am in dire need of some assistance.
I have collapsed at the dining room table.
Please send whoever is the least squeamish about blood.
There is no huge hurry, but I AM running out of napkins.

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
wow thats alot of blood haha

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
oh theres moar now its notas funny

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
big hole???

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us
OH SHIT BIG HOLE

 **Shelley Talora**
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
@sorex I'm so sorry about the wait, I'm on my way I just had to find our first aid kit!

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Glowing Hearts

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Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA@pilotside.us

powerful cute smart
mushroom sometimes girl sometimes that's how it is
computer smart make computer smart
good at SHELLEY
learning to read be patient
greek monster born from uranus castration
love goats honey and lemonads

JOINED

September 25th, 202X

PRONOUNS

she/her

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Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

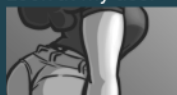
playing game to learn reading
learn about dragons more than spelling
like all good coledge



Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

Look at my ass!



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel@pilotside.us

Manager and assisntant for Melora Pointilliux's
mayoral campaign. Co-chair of Pilotside DSA.
Sometimes professional wrestler, baker, engineer
The Big Brain Baker of Bashedredly Breads!

JOINED

December 12th, 202V

PRONOUNS

they/them



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay@pilotside.us

Motion graphics designer, videographer and designer.
Voice and Puppeteer of Gooble in "Colonel Lossal's
Collossal Lasso." Expecting my car to explode but it
never does.

Not going down without a fight!



These colors do not run!

JOINED

May 11th, 202X

FOR HIRE?

For now

REEL

video.worg/t/shelleytalora.mp4

PRONOUNS

she/her

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Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

We regret to inform you:
It's Shelley Talora



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Friends from Chicago: The Hex Cities
sound much more relaxing than HERE!
Me: LOL. LMAO.

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Posts

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Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

We are GOING to make things better.
I refuse to let this town, this world rot. It can
be a better place, and we can do it together.
It doesn't have to be big, it doesn't have to be
grand, but it has to happen, and we can do
it if we all work together!



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I always hated when my ex-husband would
call me a big dyke. I'm more of a big tomboy.



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Thinking about bus lines for the city



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex@pilotside.us

Temporarily deposed princess of the underground kingdom of Sorex. Civil engineer and eldest child of king Biff Coronatus. Daughter of Civil Engineering Professor Throne Watertight at Crelleste University.

JOINED October 8th, 202X

PRONOUNS she/her

4 Posts 6 Following 7 Followers

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Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

I hope it is not uncouth of me to ask for clarification, but is "Fanny Friday" compulsory or is it on a purely volunteer basis?



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

@talora_ay I do not know what is and is not considered a holiday up here, I just wanted to be sure.



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

@talora_ay So I am not required to respond to the posts of others? That is quite freeing! I am not used to such privilege



Clance Packett

@ClearanceMP@pilotside.us

Carpenter who loves to rant, has funny ideas about society and is hated by an unruly mob of Italians. A late blooming Jesus Christ

JOINED September 12th, 202V

PRONOUNS he/him



Poindexter Parks, cpa

@ppcpa@pilotside.us

I have been serving the Pilotside area as a freelance financial consultant, personal accountant, spirit defender and dimensional vortex guardian since 2005. I am certified in all four, but only deputized in one, but not the one you think.

JOINED December 12th, 202V

NEXT QUARTERLY TAXES DUE January 15th

PRONOUNS they/them

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Poindexter Parks, cpa

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

@talora_ay please please PLEASE tell me that you've legally claimed the bag of gold you were given to care for Wistare. I can help you if you need it!



Poindexter Parks, cpa

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

Does anyone know how to get ectoplasm out of denim? I'm using baking soda and it seems to be agitating it. In the sense that it's angry

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Clance Packett

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Love when someone comes up to me and tells me that smoking is bad for me. Buddy, that's why I'm doing it.



Clance Packett

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Almost injured my niece building a garage. Don't worry, I'll try harder next time.



Clance Packett

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Homophobic bits and then telling me to "suck it!" feels like a bit of mixed messaging.



EVERY LESBIAN WIELDS A BLADE OF SOME SORT, OR SO I'M TOLD.



OOF! LET'S SEE... UH, GROUND CORNMEAL BOILED IN TAP WATER, WITH GARLIC, CULTURED MILK PRODUCT, KOSHER SALT, WHITE PEPPER, GROUND BOVINE SPICED WITH PAPRIKA, BLACK PEPPER, CHILI POWDER, TABLE SALT AND UH... CHICKEN OVUM? WITH SPINACH, A DIFFERENT CULUTRED MILK PRODUCT, AND CARAWAY SEED. I THINK THAT'S ALL OF IT?



YOU ARE FEEDING ME A BIRD'S MENSTRUATION? AS A PUNISHMENT?



NO! THEY'RE GOOD! AND THE CHICKENS DON'T SEEM TO MIND!

IF ANYTHING SOME OF THE CHICKENS SEEM TO LIKE IT MORE THAN I'D CARE FOR.



WHAT DO YOU EAT? IT'S NOT HUMAN, IS IT?

DEAR ME! NOTHING QUITE SO DISTRESSING!



I EAT INSECTS, NATURALLY.



"I'M TRYING TO BREAK YOUR FAST, DON'T GO BREAKING MY ASS."



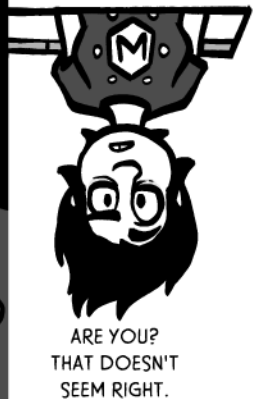
I AM NOT DISREGARDING THE EFFORT, I RESPECT THE HOSPITALITY, IT IS JUST... NOT INSECT MEAT.





C'MON CLANCE. THE ONLY FDA
INSPECTED INSECT MEAT WE CAN BUY IS
LOBSTER AND SHRIMP, AND WE DON'T EVEN
KNOW IF SHE CAN EAT AQUATIC INSECTS! **PLUS**
I DON'T THINK THE MONEY THEY GAVE ME
WOULD EVEN COVER IT IF SHE COULD!





"WOW! YOUR HOLE IS SUPER NICE WISTARE. DAMP, WARM AND SURPRISINGLY ROOMY. WE'RE BOTH ADULTS HAVING A NORMAL CONVERSATION AND NOTHING ABOUT IT IS WEIRD!"



AH! YES, YES, I SEE. WELL! SO YOU ARE AWARE, SORIC CEMENT IS STRONG ENOUGH THAT SUPPORT BEAMS AND OTHER SUCH WALK WAY OBSTRUCTORS ARE **NOT** NECESSARY.

AND-AND-AND THERE IS SIMPLY TOO... **TOO MANY DETAILS.** THIS IS NOT THE, UH, **AESTHETIC** I AM ATTEMPTING TO ACHIEVE FOR THIS SPACE, YOU SEE.





THERE!
YOU SEEM LIKE A
DORIC GIRL IF I EVER
MET ONE!

WHY IS IT
CYLINDRICAL? WHY
NOT SIMPLY HAVE
IT BE A PRISM?



IT'S... A
COLUMN?

THIS SHIT HAS BEEN
FANCY FOR 6000 YEARS. I DON'T
KNOW HOW TO ANSWER THIS.

"I SUPPOSE YOU WON'T BE WANTING THE IRON MAIDENS EITHER, *YOUR MAJESTY???*"



A LITTLE
LATER ON.

...SO WE
SHOULD BE FINE, BUT
DON'T HAVE A PARTY
OR ANYTHING.

OH! RIGHT!
I GOTTA GET THE
STUFF FOR THE
CEMENT!

YOU
COMIN'
WITH?

I CAN'T REALLY DO THE
WOOD THING AND THE SHAPE SHIFTING
THING THIS CLOSE TOGETHER. SO I'D
HAFTA GO AS I AM NOW.

AND I DON'T
FEEL LIKE TAKING
A 45 MINUTE CAR
TRIP, EITHER.

UNDERSTANDABLE!
YOU WANT ANYTHING
WHILE I'M GONE?

PERMISSION
TO SEAL WISTARE IN THE
BASEMENT!

TISL!

IT DOESN'T HAVE TO
BE BEHIND A WALL OR ANYTHING!
WE COULD LOCK THE DOOR AND
NEVER LET HER OUT!

QUITE THE
HUMANITARIAN.



WOW! GREAT POINT CLANCE!



SHARING IS HARD, CARING IS HARD, SHARING IS CARING,
ERGO EVERYTHING THAT'S HARD IS ALSO SHARING. THIS IS CALLED IRON-CLAD LOGIC.

I'M STRESSED OUT,
BUT CAN'T TURN INTO A
MUSHROOM - THE ULTIMATE STRESS
RELIEVER!* WHAT ELSE IS THERE
TO DO?



*TRY IT SOMETIME!



DON'T THROW SALT IN YOUR EYES!



SHE DEMANDS THAT
EVERYONE FOLLOWS
HER SCHEDULE!

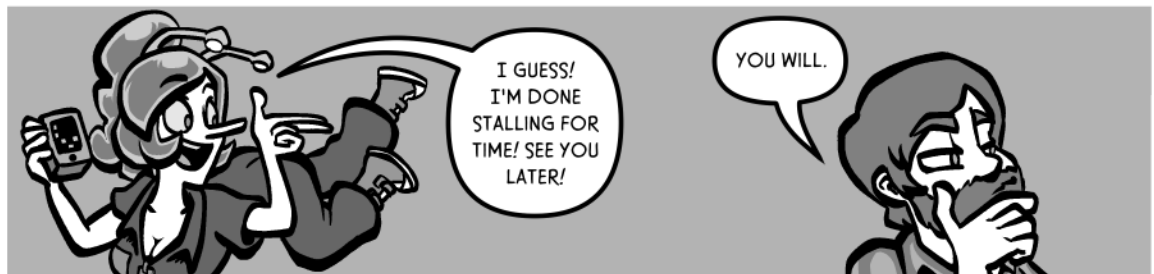


HA!
HAHA-
HAHA



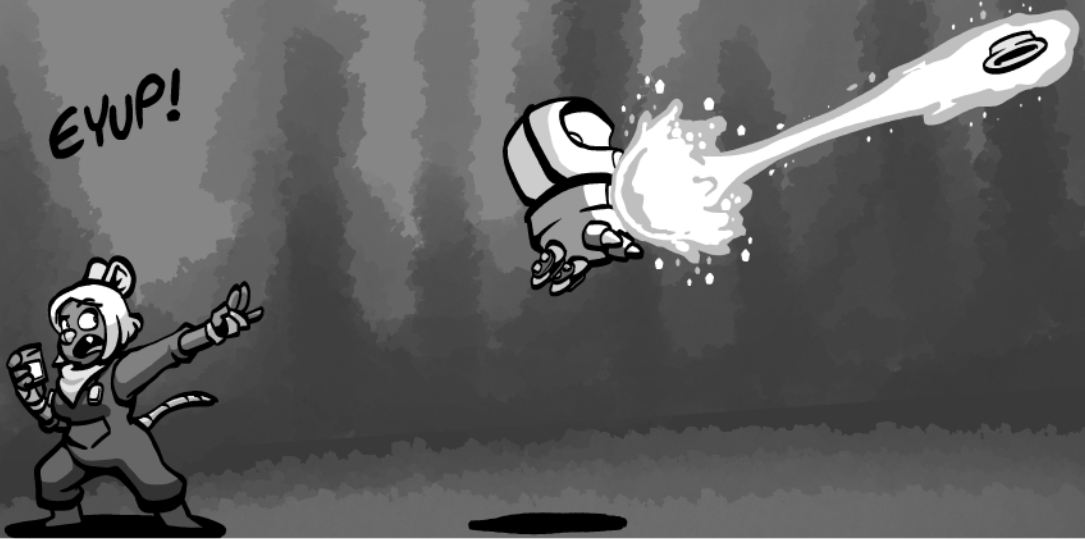
EEH HEEHEE
HEE HEE HEE!

OH! SHE LOOKS LIKE
SHE'S HAVING FUN!





YOUR WATER TASTING RECEPTORS ARE PROBABLY ON THE FRITZ ANYWAY.



≡TP≡

≡JAUNT!≡



BUDDY, YOU'RE FETCHING FOR A KVETCHING.



UGH! THE ENTRANCE TO
THIS AREA IS IN ALMOST THE
EXACT WORST PLACE POSSIBLE.

JUST OFF-CENTER.
PERHAPS THIS PROPERTY
WAS **DESIGNED** TO INFURIATE MY
PERSONAL SENSIBILITIES.



A STAIRWELL OR ELEVATOR
IS IN ORDER. I WONDER IF I COULD
PERSUADE TISL TO CONSTRUCT ONE OUT
OF WOOD, SO I WOULD NOT HAVE
TO WASTE ANY PRECIOUS CE-

-MENT



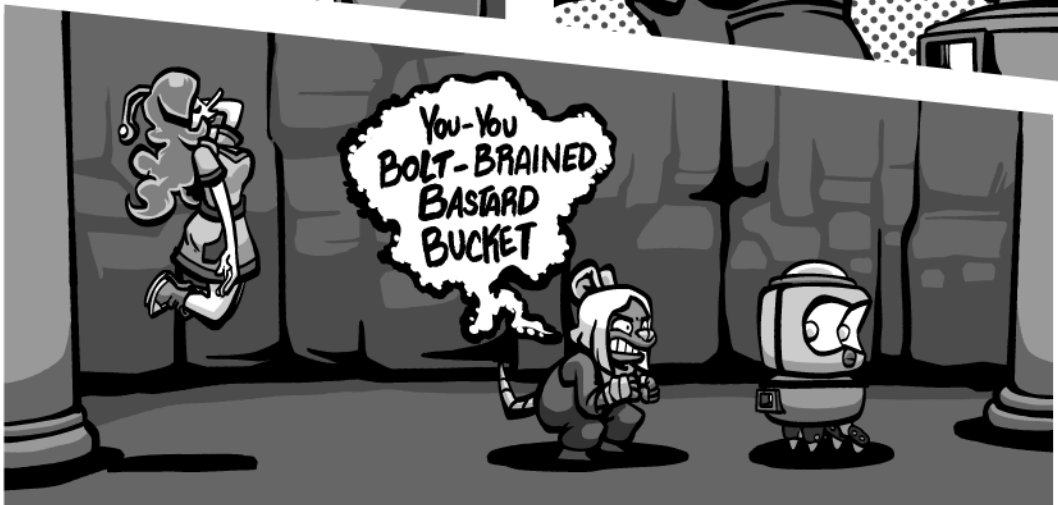
BOMP!



"WHY ARE YOU PUTTING THE BOMP IN MY RAMA-LAMA-DING-DONG?!"



NOT SEEN: SHELLEY RAN HALFWAY HOME, REALIZED SHE HAD DRIVEN TO JESS'S HOUSE, AND HAD TO WALK ALL THE WAY BACK AND DRIVE 2 MINUTES.







OK HEAR ME OUT!
IT **IS** TRUE THAT WISTARE HAS TO
STAY HERE AND YOU DON'T!

BUT!

BUT!



I DON'T WANT
YOU TO FEEL LIKE YOU **HAVE**
TO LIVE HERE. I MEAN, I WANT
YOU TO LIVE HERE, BUT I ALSO
WANT YOU TO **WANT TO**
LIVE HERE.

BEFORE YOU
LIVED HERE, THIS WASN'T HOME
FOR ME. IT WAS JUST **SOME PLACE**
I LIVED. **YOU** MADE IT FEEL LIKE
SOMEWHERE WORTH
BELONGING.

THIS IS YOUR
HOME IF YOU'D
LIKE IT TO BE, AND
IT'S ONLY MY HOME
AS LONG AS
YOU DO.



HOME IS WHERE THE TISL IS.





YOUR HOUSE? IN THE MIDDLE OF THIS STREET?!



ER... SO WE FIGURED THE BEST WAY TO LEARN HOW TO BUILD ROOMS WAS TO MAKE SOME GARAGES, IN CASE THEY FELL DOWN OR WE MESSED UP! AND WE DID AND THEY DID. BUT THIS ONE SHOULD BE FINE!



MICHEE!

THIS CAR HOLE IS YAR HOLE.



THAT *IDIOT*
HAS DONE SOMETHING
UNCONSCIONABLE!



NOW IT
WISHES TO BE
COMPLIMENTED
AFTERWARDS!

INSTEAD OF ENTERING
STANDBY TO WAIT FOR MY
NEXT COMMAND, IT WISHES TO
MAKE *ME* ENTERTAIN *IT* WITH
GAMES FOR TODDLERS!



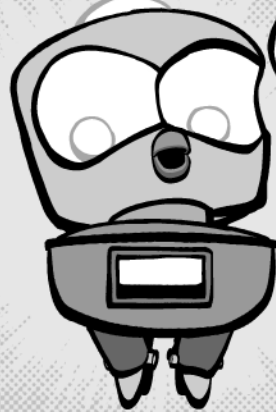
IF YOU'RE
SO MUCH SMARTER
THAN TISL, WHY NOT
CHANGE IT BACK?



HOW!? HOW DARE?
YOU?? IT-IT-IT IS
THE PRINCIPLE!!

Woop!

I GUESS IT IS
KINDA CUTE IN A SORT
OF CREEPY WAY.



I CAN SEE WHY TISL
WOULD WANNA MAKE IT
FRIENDLIER.

AH, YES.
RIGHT ON
TIME.



IT IS
SUPPOSED TO
BE A CLOSET,
NOT A PET!

YOU HAVE ALL
THAT SPACE. WHY NOT JUST
HAVE IT BE A PET AND MAKE A
REGULAR CLOSET?



OH MY! **WOW!**
TRULY SPOKEN LIKE ONE
WHO HAS NEVER HAD A
ROBOTIC CLOSET!



YOU'LL WANT TO GO BACK *INTO* THE CLOSET WITH THESE NEW MODELS!



HAVING A PET INSTEAD OF A SERVANT WILL BE GOOD FOR HELPING YOU ADJUST TO LIFE ON THE SURFACE!

TISL IS PROBABLY TRYING TO TEACH YOU THIS IMPORTANT LESSON!



STEP ONE IN THE GUIDE TO MAKING FRIENDS: DON'T INSULT THEIR PET, *EVER!*



SHE WAS, WITHOUT QUESTION, BRIBED TO LET ME DIE ON THE SURFACE.

INSTEAD I HAVE BEEN GIVEN AN ENTIRE FLOOR OF HER HOME TO DO WHATEVER I PLEASE WITH.

SHE HAS GIVEN YOU, QUALITY ASIDE, RENT-FREE PROPERTY FOR A TWENTY MINUTE TASK.

I UNDERSTAND THE CONCEPT OF CHARITY, BUT WHERE IS THE LOGIC? WHAT IS THE INTENTION?!



I'LL BE HONEST: I DIDN'T REALLY INTEND FOR GLOWING HEARTS TO MEAN ANYTHING OR EVEN COME UP IN DIALOG. I JUST THOUGHT IT EVOKED THE FEELING I WAS GOING FOR WITH MY COMIC.



"FAMILIARITY, HM. REMIND ME, DOES IT BREED CONTEMPT OR AFFECTION? BOTH? MAYBE? IT IS TOO EARLY TO TELL."



"I AM LOOKING FOR HUMANE POLITENESS AND ALL YOU ARE GIVING ME IS HUMAN POLITENESS"

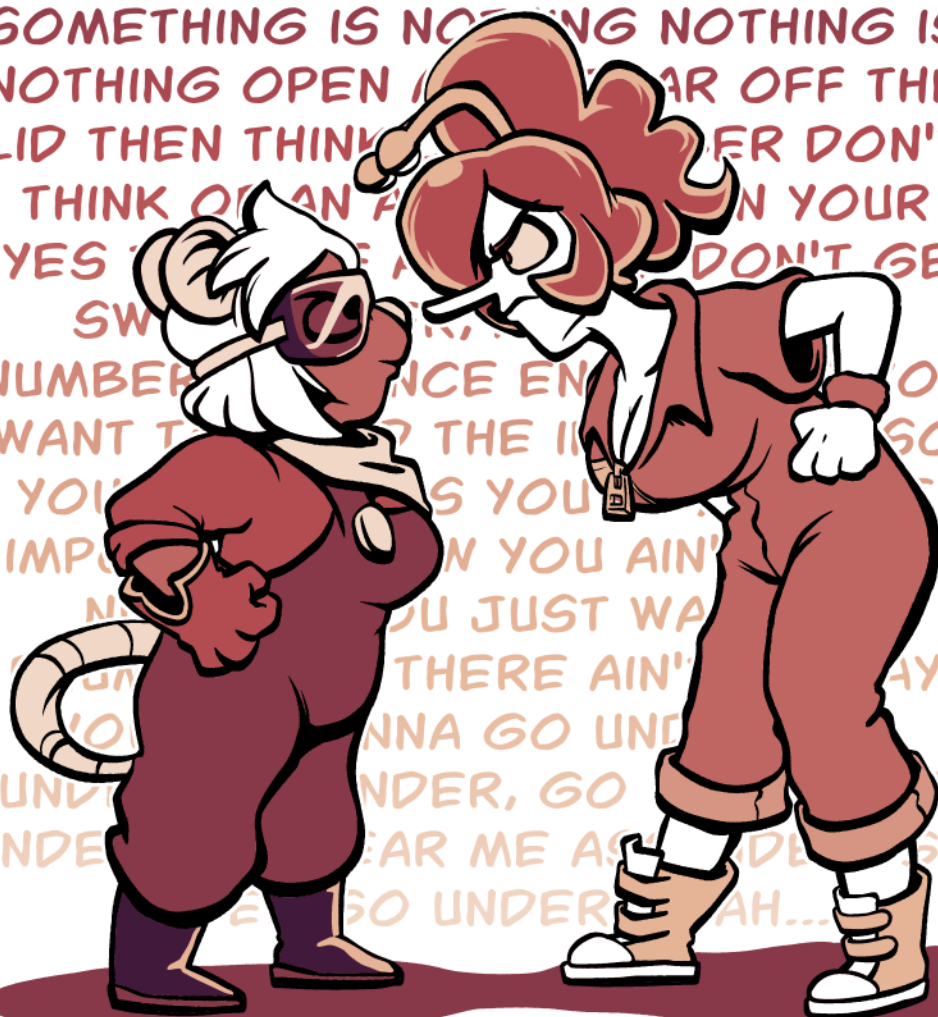


"IF YOU WANT TO TAKE MY GRANDPA'S HARMONICA YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO BOIL IT. HE DIED WHILE PLAYING IT AND WE DIDN'T BOTHER TO CLEAN IT WHEN WE BURIED HIM."

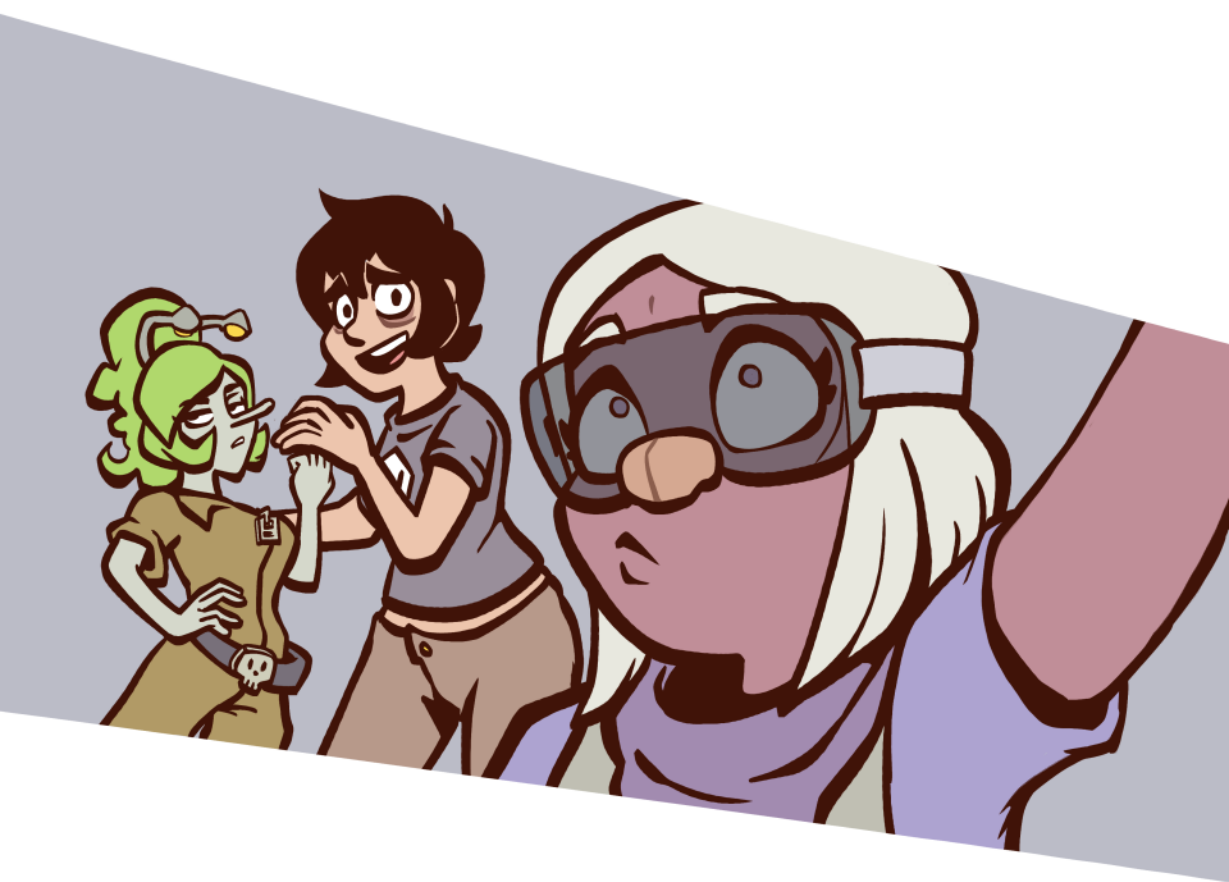


GLOWING HEARTS 4

THINK OF A NUMBER DIVIDE IT BY TWO
SOMETHING IS NOTHING NOTHING IS
NOTHING OPEN A LID OFF THE
LID THEN THINK OF A NUMBER DON'T
THINK OF AN ANIMAL IN YOUR
EYES DON'T GET
SW
NUMBER
WANT TO
YOU
IMP
M
YOU
UNDE
UNDE
GO UNDER



THREE GIRL RHUMBA





Big Nasty Masty III

The biggest, nastiest masty yet.

This one is long.

It takes place over an entire week and tells the story of how Wistare began warming up to Shelley and Tisl, as well as filling in a few gaps that are helpful, but not necessary, to understand things going forward.

Again, this is not necessary to enjoy or understand the comic. If you want to skip it that's totally fine.

That said there are some pictures so maybe you want to flip through it.

Mastodon
https://pilotside.il.us/social/landing
October 10th, 202x
Home



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

The house maiden that is overlooking me currently has been showing her girlfriend a series of animated feature films about princesses to help explain my situation. I am not sure it is helping very much, but it has come to my attention that I could destroy these frail women in the field of battle quite easily. Physically AND emotionally.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

We aren't watching these films to study their battle prowesses!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I should certainly hope not!



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

moana



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Moana is a village chieftain, not a princess.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

elsa



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Elsa? She is a princess only as a child. There is no nine year old in the world who can stand toe-to-toe with the battle experience I posses.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

how old are you any way



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

This information is not important.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Mulan



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Are you not aware of what a princess is? Every good soldier, no matter how remarkable, is not instantly promoted to princess. This is not chess.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Baloo



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Baloo?! He is only a princess by the very loosest of definitions!

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I do not know if anyone needed me to keep a running tally of the number of times @talora_ay has said the phrase "compulsory heterosexuality" while viewing a film for little tiny babies, but I have kept track, in case you do.

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
A hint - it is a far greater number than you are imagining.

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Which movie for little tiny babies is it?

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
The Walter Disney Corporation's The Princess and the Frog

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Oh, that's gonna be a high one for her. Probably around 30 overall. Mostly around the middle of the film when the frogs mysteriously fall in love?

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I see that you are more familiar with both Shelley and this film than I was assuming anyone would be.

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Yeah! I've known Shelley for two decades, and also she's not WRONG.

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
No, she is not, it is just a very odd phrase to hear at this frequency.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Skalligator

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
If your lover is turnt to a frog that is a good thing
you can keep them in your pocket and sneak them in to places for free

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
You ask me if I want a shiftless fixer-upper as a husband or if I want a cute gal with John Goodman for a father, you KNOW what my ass is pickin'.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
#compulsoryheterosexuality
#thewalterdisneycorporationpresentsheprincessandthefrog(2009CE)

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Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

I made a modypool for Boudroit to express themself better
This is a good thing
everyone be proud of me



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

I will not pretend that I am not at least a little curious about how you programmed
their brain to function. I am tentatively excited.



Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

cool to windy to go outside so i did this instead



Boudroit Automated Alert System

@boudyAAS.pilotside.us

@sorex ***PROXIMITY CHECK FAILURE***



Boudroit Automated Alert System

@boudyAAS.pilotside.us

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Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

I AM IN THE BATHROOM YOU COGNITIVELY CORODED CONTRAPTION!



Boudroit Automated Alert System

@boudyAAS.pilotside.us

ENTERING BATHROOM ADJACENT AREA



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

@TYEA You are ruining my notifications!



Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

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Boudroit Automated Alert System
@boudyAAS.pilotside.us
@sorex *PHYSICAL ACTIVITY DESIRED*


Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
How does one obtain a higher level of interaction without seeming like they are begging for attention on this world wide website?


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
sexy picture


Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I am not confident the denizens of this town, a majority of which are human, would like to see erotic pictures of a creature such as myself.


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
Im fixing Boudroit's posting algorithim but will remember to laff in your face later


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Take pictures of you playing with Boudroit! People love pet pics!


Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
The only camera I own are the eyes of said pet, and the self-photograph seems like the exclusive realm of the teenager.


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
No! Selfies are good! You have more control over how you look in them. It's one thing when human error is your own, but when it's another's and you just have to ACCEPT the picture? No thanks, me and my weird chin will NOT be partaking. And I have some spare cameras from the set-up for 3CP that I'm doing. They run a little yellow, but they're pretty nice! You're welcome to use my full length mirror.


Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I will "give it a shot" as they say.


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
you said realm of the teenager your defintily in your 30s at least


Boudroit Automated Alert System
@boudyAAS.pilotside.us
@sorex *PHYSICAL ACTIVITY DESIRED*


Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
WE WERE ENGAGING IN PHYSICAL ACTIVITY NOT FIVE MINUTES AGO!



October 10th, 202x

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

This is my robotic closet Boudroit. He was recently modified with a rudimentary sentence by my housemate Tisl. While this feat is incredibly impressive, it is still a very strange thing to do, and I am adjusting accordingly.

He is seeing his reflection for the first time in this photograph. As you can see, he is VERY surprised! The noise he made had much more bass in it than the usual noise he makes.

I believe this means that he is pleased to see himself!

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

So Boudroit is a "he" now? That was fast.

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

Tisl has been asking Boudroit if he is a good boy today. Logic dictates that his response to such a query means that he considers himself both "a boy" and "good."

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

I'm glad you aren't struggling with this as much as some people in my life have.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

genius Tisl's new Boudroit functionality check this out @boudyAA whos a good boy?

**Boudroit Automated Alert System**

@boudyAAS.pilotside.us

PROCESSING REQUEST

**Boudroit Automated Alert System**

@boudyAAS.pilotside.us

BOUDROIT IS A GOOD BOY

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I'm curious - why did that take as long as it did?

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

he checks his memory sense the last time he was asked and compares it to the good boy database I compiled.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Isn't that unnecessarily complicated?

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

when you ask a dog if they're a good boy you don't care if they really are???

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
An interesting development has occurred. Despite it being midday, it has suddenly become extremely dark, with seemingly no warning. It feels like it may even be darker than it is at night, but without a light meter it is impossible to tell.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Dear God; It's me, Shelley. I know we have an acrimonious relationship, but please do not make me explain to a grown ass adult how clouds work today. Amen.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Mostly because I don't really know! "Big water fart in the sky" seems reductive.

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I am no fool. I have seen American televisual entertainment and it's depiction of various weather patterns. I have seen your weather programs, and even heard the hellish sound of a tornado six months ago from the Soric ceiling. This has been wildly misrepresented. It is generally depicted as "slightly dim." One can barely see their hand in front of their face!

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
its dark cuz your glasses
take them off and give them to me
glasses for TISL

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
Besides my light sensitivity, I still need these to see comfortably. I'm far-sighted.

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
I dont care gimme your glasses cow tools bitch

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
@talora_ay I demand an explanation for why you are laughing so hard.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Er, OK, I'll be down in a second.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Turns out that explaining "The Farside" to someone who has lived underground their entire life is MUCH harder than explaining what clouds are.

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I cannot believe how much reading a one panel comic strip has explained about the person who had been housing me these past few days. "Beware of Doug" indeed.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

This is her first rain on the surface. It's making me realize everything I take for granted.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

BOOM! Perfect shot!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

She did NOT appreciate Tisl yelling "BEHOLD! The mighty power of nature!" in a wizard voice at her.

**Boudroit Automated Alert System**

@boudyAAS.pilotside.us

!!! UNABLE TO ACHIEVE EQUILIBRIUM !!!
!!! IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE REQUESTED !!!**Boudroit Automated Alert System**

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* EQUILIBRIUM ACHIEVED *

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Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Seeing the misery of someone melt away in seconds? That's something only a potato can do. A little oil and salt on the skin is all you really need but, buddy, you can do a whole lot with one of these babies

The job I got hired for? Skill for the potato council. The pay? nothing. I'm in it for the love of the game.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

Dizzy movies lie, a princess can cuss a lot all of the cusses in a row new powerful cusses some to look up for later



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

BOUDROIT START TOOT PEOPLE OF THE SURFACE ARE YOU AWARE OF POTATOES
LINE BREAK THEY ARE VERY GOOD I AM LOSING MY GODDAMN MIND OVER A
MUSHY ROCK COVERED IN SALT SEND TOOT
message sent via Boudictation



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Potatoes are PRETTY good, but perhaps you could try some of the bread I made? I give some to Shelley and Clance regularly. The rosemary focaccia is my speciality!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

BOUDROIT START TOOT DEAR AT BLOOD GRUEL TRY TO TAKE THIS POTATO FROM ME AND SEE HOW MANY FINGERS YOU WALK AWAY WITH SEND TOOT
message sent via Boudictation



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Wistare, earlier today: "Ms. Ashwood, is there a way I could have Boudroit read my social media feed to me while my hands are occupied?"
Tisl: *long pause* "I can get that working by tonight."
10 hours later
Boudroit: *using the most god-awful singing text-to-speech voice I've ever heard*



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

Tisl is a very fun genius



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

BOUDROIT START TOOT MY HOUSE MATE THINKS IT WOULD BE DEEPLY INSULTING TO SEND ME A SERIES OF LIMERICKS LISTING MY FAULTS BUT THE JOKE IS ON HER AS I APPRECIATE ANY AND ALL POETRY WRITTEN IN MY SERVICE SEND TOOT
message sent via Boudictation



**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

I had read that the human sense of smell was much weaker than that of my own, and many other mammals, yet there has been NO END of complaints in regards of how I smell after having had a rain mishap. Yet, the main bathroom's raised bathing hole is currently house to my bedding during the basement's construction. People on the surface speak in riddles.

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

I have been informed that the average surface dweller bathes every 1-3 days. When water falls from the skies, such luxury is possible! This may be a surprise but the royal family does not own a private bath. We had to reserve our time at the public baths like everyone else. We were always granted private stalls, as opposed to the open air bath that most others used, but still. Three times a month would be considered extravagant.

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

Perhaps I am guilty of overstating the extravagance of what you possess. First, the bathing situation available to me is a standing shower. The trickle of water provided feels inadequate and the water cannot get to the temperature I prefer.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

OK, "not being around water much" is a HUGE hurdle to overcome if you've been raised in a damp cave where you have to collect condensation, it turns out.

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

"Not entering the bathing area while someone else is using it" is apparently a huge hurdle for YOU to overcome, so I would not be quite so judgemental.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I'm sorry! It sounded like an emergency and I was worried!

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

My phone had stopped working, and I recieved a small electrical jolt as a result. You could have done one of your precious "door knocks" to see how I was!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Ms. Coronatus! Do not bring ANY phones into the shower. They will ALL break! The first one was not a fluke, and neither was the second! Do not bring ANY electric devices into the shower unless they were expressly built for submersion! All of them will at the very least be in need of repair, and many of them will kill you if you bring them there! Our electronics are not designed for such things!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

...I wanted to eat some of this rice...

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

took pic of self cleaning
Boudroit showed it to
SHELLEY
she sez keep it to after
dark
good news its 9

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

"After dark" is the code
name that some people
use for their accounts
with sexy pictures and
thoughts on. I didn't
know if that's the kind of
thing you're worried
about and in retrospect I
kind of wonder why I
thought you would be
concerned with this sort
of thing.

You already heard the
whistle I made when you
showed it to me the first
time, and I don't really
know musical notation so
just imagine me doing it
again.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Enough people have asked about this
so I'll explain it here: My mom was
having a chat with my realtor cousin.
My mom asked if there's any one
place my cousin always looks to tell
how clean residents are. Cousin said
the visible area under the couch,
mom suggested the inside of the
shower. So Clance made this tile.

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

For context, my sister Suzy does not mind her own damn business.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

The number of times she's visited and mentioned this tile is "all of them."

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us


And yet what does she not do? Interesting.

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Humans seem to have an innate desire to smell like fruit, if these soaps, hair products and tinctures are any indication. I suppose such things are fine, but I feel like I would prefer to don a more savory aroma. The rice these phones are in have a delightful, earthy smell that I enjoy. Many of these spices and liquids in the kitchen also smell very nice. Soy sauce, paprika, white pepper, and garlic salt all smell lovely.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

you'd become soup girl
people would look at you like a hungry man seeing a friend as a turkey in an old cartoon



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Please tell me you aren't showering with ANOTHER phone???



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

No, no, your hysterical shrieking was quite convincing. I am in the kitchen. I was hoping to see if you were making more potatoes and began poking around.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I am! They'll be done in about 30 minutes. If you need anything in there explained to you I can help!




Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I am learning a quite a lot today. I do not know if I have learned so much in such a short time since I was a child.




Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I am finally dry. My hair looks fantastic, but my fur is drying oddly. Shelley suggested getting a specialized conditioner, but all she has been able to find online matching my fur profile has been dog shampoo. Is there anyone who can save me from this indignity?



Scum Craply
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

There ARE designer conditioners out there but they are EXPENSIVE and I'm not sure they're any different than the dog conditioner I have have Jess buy at the pet store on my behalf because it's the most humiliating shit in the world



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

This is not the response I was hoping for, but I appreciate the candor. Anything else I should be aware of? I do not shed, for what it is worth.



Scum Craply
@coolandsmart.pilotside.us

Besides "being a minority in America sucks?"
Get a fur brush buy summer clothes now while they're cheap get a flea collar as a precaution get used to tailoring your clothes and get a bidet.

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I have been told by my housemates that this is "a good look," for me, but am suspicious that they are attempting to get me to work harder in an effort to make sure the house we currently share does not sink into the ground.




Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
It's a real compliment! I don't care if you work hard! *I'm* certainly not going to!



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
tell someone they look better then they smell and it goes right to there head.


Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
Oh, I did not think that qualified as a sensual image but I am receiving more "follows" here than I have previously, despite all of the interesting insight I believed that I have espoused regarding infrastructure and architecture.


Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
ya people like a big ass



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
More than infrastructure???

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Still trying to figure out exactly how one of my housemate's magical powers work.




Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

I dont no exactly how all of it works but i can try




Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Thank you so much for indulging my curiosity! Would you mind starting with how you shift your form? That is the one that is the most vexing to me.




Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

yeah sure i no exactly how that one works some of it is hard to put into words but ill try.




Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

first you have to enter phase shift mode
you have to enter phase shift mode while the sun is out even if you do not plan to shift during the day
this is very draining normaly but with the ehmount of nectar SHELLEY gives it is not quite so bad i do it most days now.




Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

its called phase shift mode because its based off of the phase of the moon and sun
the sun has phases like the moon dos but its hard to see if you cnt look at the sun directly a trick is that its usaly the oposit of the moons
the moon phases are just a refleckshun of the sun and earth if you did not no but i can only enter one phase per day so if I do it mistake style then i have to hold it until i yous it or i lous it.




Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I hope you do not mind me interjecting, but could you explain how you enter phase shift mode exactly?



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

thats fine
so you enter phase shift mode by pulling energy from the earth itself
its easier for creechurs who can pull energy from water sinc your grabbing reflected sun energy but i have to use earth energy for my powers
water spirits are more maleable anyway
i like to grab it from earth with a hier shuger content sins its easier to get the power to stick for longer
i lose a lot of water in this phase not sugar i dont no were it goes
its posible that my temp rises a lot
so i try not to touch anyone



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

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does that make any sense to you at all
im not shur this is a good explanaton

 **Wistare Coronatus**
@sorex.pilotside.us

No, do not worry. That all seems to make a lot of sense, even if I know I could not do it myself. I enjoy hearing the internal logic of this. How maleable is your form? could you become mist or even pure gas?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us

yeah i can but gas and mist arent sexy and i have fixed mass
that means no matter what size i make myself im always the same wait
so its a lot of gas or mist you get all over everything its bad

 **Wistare Coronatus**
@sorex.pilotside.us

Oh yes that sounds disgusting. Now, when you turn into a human you look incredibly similar to how you look as a meliae, but when you transform into a mushroom or something else, not only do you not look like that, but you seem to be able to change bits of your form on the fly. Is there a reason for this?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us

oh yeah this is protecshun for sentient creechers
you cant really trick a mushroom or frog so i can do whatever for those but its a failsafe to proteck humans i guess
if you ever notice i always transform to the same human or meliae form its cuz those are semistatic
but my face in thos forms is entirely static i cant change that its from the shape of the tree i was born from
its why i never transform into animal peeples cuz the face doesnt look right on those kind of bodys

 **Wistare Coronatus**
@sorex.pilotside.us

I have heard you fret that your face is not right for a human as well?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us

oh you heard that
well no my face is too long all parts of it nose cheek forehead chin
i look in the mirror and feel bad sumtimes but sumtimes i look in the mirror and feel like hot shit and sumtimes SHELLEY says I am very cute and i know she means it cuz i know when shes full of shit

 **Wistare Coronatus**
@sorex.pilotside.us

The rest of your physical form is up to you?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
@TYEA.pilotside.us

yeah i was a face on a tree for two decades
this girl used to pick berries in our forest and i thot she had the most beautiful body i ever saw so i coped it
weird?
too bad

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 @TYEA.pilotside.us
 yeah i suppose thats theoretically possible flying around the world faster than it spins to retain photosynthstasis would work but it would take so much effort that you would drain more power than youd gain breaking the earths gravitational pull and floating as a satelite to absorb energy would be much more efficient and would be a much shorter trip.

 **Wistare Coronatus**
 @sorex.pilotside.us
 Oh! I do not really know the specific speeds those things would require, so I have no real idea about the energy consumption needed for those, but you had that answer ready immediately so I take it you've thought about this before?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
 @TYEA.pilotside.us
 i do i think about it a lot
 i think a lot of sentient photosynthetic spirits consider how to get a full charge cuz most of us never get it one our entire lives
 what would happen i wonder
 its radiation i guess so prolly nothing good but i still wonder what itd be like to be on the moon forever charging

 **Wistare Coronatus**
 @sorex.pilotside.us
 You couldn't get fat off of sunlight, the way I might gain weight from drinking alcohol or eating a lot of starch?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
 @TYEA.pilotside.us
 no sun is energy not food its not different but it is
 ive gained kind of a lot of weight since staying here but i think that was weight i just didnt have the opportunity to gain until now but needed

 **Wistare Coronatus**
 @sorex.pilotside.us
 Do you gain anything from this weight gain besides the weight itself?

 **Tisl Ashwood**
 @TYEA.pilotside.us
 I have a more human weight distribushun now and could theoretically make myself taller or wider if i wanted to
 but im saving it in case i need to expend it at some point

 **Wistare Coronatus**
 @sorex.pilotside.us
 I see! I believe those are all the questions I have for you for the time being. Thank you for induging me so much, it was extremely fascinating.

 **Shelley Talora**
 @talora_ay.pilotside.us
 It's amazing how much thought you put into all of this! I'm sorry if I seemed incurious, I thought it was just some cool shit you could do!

 **Tisl Ashwood**
 @TYEA.pilotside.us
 thats usually how i explain it yeah

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I am unused to my curiosity being slaked at this rate. I had a reputation of being nosy in my homeland, yet it does not seem to be much of an issue here!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I have found the contract of civility on the surface vexxing, but if my curiosity is to be fulfilled at this rate, I will happily suffer the many the setbacks I may incur!



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

You ARE being nosy, but I have a tendency to over-share. So it's working out!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Interesting! I am curious as to how invasive I can be. There is an easy way to discover this - Please detail the experience of losing your virginity for me.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

OH MY GOD! I'm not telling you that on here!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

"Oh here." Are you saying that if I went to your office you would tell me?



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Sure!



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

what kind of story did she expect to here



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I am no wilting spring flower. Aspects of this story are more confounding than anticipated.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I am told it is not uncommon for a woman to bleed her first time.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

It is actually quite uncommon for a woman to bleed her first time in that specific way! What would posses you to attempt such an act on the stairs? Why would you position yourself in such a way? There are so many questions to be answered!



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

1. Our roommates were home, and no one used the stairwell at our dorm
2. I didn't know there was a broken coffee mug on the landing
3. It takes two to tango, baby!



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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

"Our other girlfriend." I keep hearing this phrase from two of my housemates, but who is this? Where are they? Are they lying to impress me? It is barely working.



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

That would be me. I *do* exist.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Thank you for the quick response. I have lived here for the better part of a week now and have not seen you. I take it this is some form of long-distance relationship?



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

No, I live next door. You probably passed it walking to Shelley's house, in fact.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Ah yes. I remember that house. I was quietly hoping that was the one we were headed to and then we did not stop. Forgive me if I am being ignorant to your ways, but romantic connection seems to be of paramount importance to most mammals, myself included. If you are so close, why are you never here?



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I think of love as a single component of personal fulfilment, and while I would like to spend more time with Shelley and Tisl, I currently have other, time-sensitive things that require tending that contribute to my self-worth.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

That feels rehearsed. Are you sure that you did not simply take on two relationships when you did not have the time for one?



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

No, it's fine, really. She doesn't have the time right now to dedicate to our relationship, but I think that's why she agreed to go out with us instead of a single person. Jess and I almost dated before I met Tisl, but kept circling around one another because we wanted different levels of commitment. Tisl provides that level of commitment, and I have less anxiety about the idea of dating someone who's rarely around, and Jess doesn't have to make themselves as present for someone who's desperate for attention.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

That does not sound like something Tisl would enjoy at all.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

SHELLEY keeps saying our other girlfriend cuz i keep forgetting we have one
only time i saw her was when i asked her out lol



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**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

Despite @talora_ay claiming to be "doing a job" she is now telling us we have time to watch an entire feature film!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I don't expect you to really GET what I'm about to say, and the full explanation will likely bore you, but rendering motion graphics can take a while.

In addition to that, it's incredibly intensive on my computer, so I have to put the AC on to prevent it from overheating. It's already 45 in that room, I'm not going to stare idly at a computer chugging along for 3 hours to pretend that I'm working hard in a room that's literally freezing.

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

When you were describing the gory fashion in which you first experienced the physical act of love yesterday, I could not help but notice what was on your monitor. Tisl was showing me how to do something similar on a cellular telephone photography altering application. It was instantaneous, and I do not understand how a much more powerful machine would require two hours to do the same task.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Those are overlays, they've already BEEN rendered, it's putting an image sequence over a video, but it's not CREATING the sequence. That will be the result of what I'm doing currently - I'm rendering it now, so what Tisl is doing with that app can be done with what I'm making. And it's not going to take two hours. It's going to take four. I have suspicions about how often I'm going to have to stop the movie or rewind stuff.

This is the short version - imagine how boring the full run-down is.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

No job Tisl can not do



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Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Sometimes I can see why my family thinks I'm weird, but sometimes it seems like they simply lack imagination.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Why make grilled meatballs instead of making hamburgers - the grill's meatball!



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I've told you already, and it's NOT complicated!
Balls and patties have different applications.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

A ball doesn't lend itself to being grilled. It'd roll off or fall through the slats.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

The grill top isn't a steep frictionless surface like YOUR BRAIN IS. The balls would be big enough to sit comfortably between the grate tines.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

stop trying to be fancy to impress Wistare. She's going to complain about it like she has everything else.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

recent Spinch "starving family legal? +over 35"



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

@talora_ay Is there any way I could convince you to stop carrying the money bag you were given by my captors around the house?



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

This one? Yeah. No problem. I'd just been using it for laundry. I guess it's a little callous to cart this around in front of you.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

No, it is not that. It has a picture of my brother, the king, on it and fills me with rage.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Jesus christ, I hope this isn't a one-to-one likeness.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Shelley! I am currently rolling upon the floor whilst laughing!



**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Considering everything that's happened in the last couple of weeks, I was terrified coming home after a couple days out and discovering that my niece had brought home a manticore or something.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

This is unfair. One - it could be argued that there's a very distinctive pattern to the kind of person I've been offering a place to stay. Two - only one of them is a monster, and that's only if you consider demi-humans monsters and that's on a case-by-case basis AT BEST.

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

Have you ever seen a manticub?

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

No. I have not.

**Poindexter Parks, cpa**

@ppcpa.pilotside.us

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

A LITTLE BABY!

**Clance Packett**

@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

-Those things are poisonous FROM BIRTH. And they ALWAYS produce the same level of toxicity. Adults weight three TONS and have that the same amount as cubs do. The most common cause of death for manticores is accidental sting during child rearing.

-You are DEATHLY allergic to cats. You complain about it ALL THE TIME. You told me that no less than four relationships you had in CHicago fell apart because everyone you knew owned a cat.

-We don't have this kind of beef jerky budget.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Fine!

Sure!

Whatever!

But one MUST admit: A little baby.

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Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

Tip for sneeking in to theetur FROG



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

This is extraordinarily cute, but I really don't mind paying for your ticket at all.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

Theetur is SHELLEYS best frend?
SHELLEY wants theetur to have money that bad???



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

No! I feel natural at best about theaters from a commerce standpoint? I just want to show my sweetie a night on the town, and I don't care WHAT the cost! Within reason.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

Very sweet of SHELLEY
but woodint it be nicer to let me sneak in and then buy me something cool later?
Something cool for TISL would make me more happy than paying money to see
Dizzys Princess Handjob Dies of Disentary



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I can't really think of a way to poke any holes in this argument. And besides that, they do kind of owe you the senior discount considering you're 9x the age of someone who usually qualifies. So if anything they deserve it! Plus they're not even showing the movie you listed, which sounds amazing tbh.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

Holly Wood is a city of cowards lacking the vision of TISL.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

We can try it, I guess.
I just had to do my due diligence in letting you know that it's frowned upon.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

They are making my FACE frowned upon



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

My housemates are going to the local cinematic theater house to watch a feature length film, and the entire time they have been preparing themselves I have been thinking of what kind of movie each of them would like to see.
Shelley would like something funny and romantic, but not a romantic comedy. Tisl would want to see a movie where someone is sliced in half by a sword.





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**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I should have paid closer attention to the public conversation Wistare and Tisl had regarding how Tisl's powers work (don't worry, I've copy and pasted it into a file to keep handy going forward).

Tisl's weight doesn't change after a shapeshift, and unless I want to pretend that gravity effects me differently than everyone else, stuffing a 120 pound frog in my jacket isn't going to fly.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

good TISL idea hindered by impracticality again

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

Ms. Talora, where I come from it is impolite to discuss someone else's weight.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

whogives a shit???

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Personally I went through a lot of work to get in shape a few years ago, so I have no problem telling you that I'm currently 192 pounds. That's 87 kg for all you metric-freakazoids out there.

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

IMPOSSIBLE! How can you be twice my size and half my weight???

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

humans are lite for ther size built for swimming and running

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

!!!Caut someone picking up my girlfriend!!!

**Wistare Coronatus**

@sorex.pilotside.us

BOUDROIT START TOOT HUMANS ARE INCREDIBLY POROUS PUT ME DOWN YOU CRAZY BITCH YOU ARE CLOSER TO THE FLOOR NOW THAN WHEN YOU ARE STANDING I DON'T CARE LET ME DOWN LET ME DOWN LET ME DOWN

message sent via Boudictation

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Y'all ever feel like your heart nearly jumped out of your asshole?





Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

People telling me to "hide my shame" after a certain photograph of me was just published: I was raised catholic, and if I were to try to hide my shame, I would vanish in a puff of smoke, never to be seen again.



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

Extraordinary! Humans are so light, relative to most other creatures I have encountered. I am told they are not the lightest in this regard, but gaining the knowledge that I could lift nearly any human with little effort is very exciting.



Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

how far could you throw one



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

Quite far, I imagine! Perhaps the next time we are adjacent to a large body of water we could find out exactly.



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

ABSOLUTELY DO NOT DO THIS TO ME



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

I have already apologized for lifting you without permission a number of times and I do not see any reason it would have to be you that I would lob into a lake, river, ocean or pool. I simply thought you would enjoy being picked up.



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I'm not going to pretend that I don't have the urge to pick other people up all the time, and I can see how you would think that I would like to be picked up, but not that way. It has to be secure.



Wistare Coronatus

@sorex.pilotside.us

I did not pick you up in a cradle or bridal grip because I was trying to see if I could lift you, not to see if I could make you sexually aroused.



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

@TYEA not to support you committing crimes or anything, but why not transform into something easier to get away with, like a service animal? Y'know, a dog or cat.



Tisl Ashwood

@TYEA.pilotside.us

cant do fur or fethers my leafs are natural and semi-fixed on my head but fur is a lot of detail to manage only mammal besides human i can do right is hedgehog



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Aw, that's a shame. I thought you'd be a cute cat.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Tisl and I made a friend in the forest today! I told him he could have some bread if he came to our house. He gave me a very solemn nod and flew away.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

crows are weary of humans
dont worry the word is out someone will be around
crows are good to ther word

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I know you like to go for a morning stroll, so if you see him again tell him he has an entire loaf with his name on it if he wants it. We have an ABSURD amount of bread.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

The only absurd amount of bread is none!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

You give us bread proportional to the number of people who live in our house, which makes sense, but Wistare and Tisl both have issues digesting bread and Whit has celiac and hasn't been here in MONTHS. You cook us six loaves of bread a week!

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Shelley, I adore you, you know that, but we both know you exaggerate pretty much everything.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Never mind my baking journal backs up your claim.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

It's the best bread I've ever had, but it's too much for two people to handle! If you don't let us feed it to the crows then we're going to have to freeze it.

**Jess Bottle**

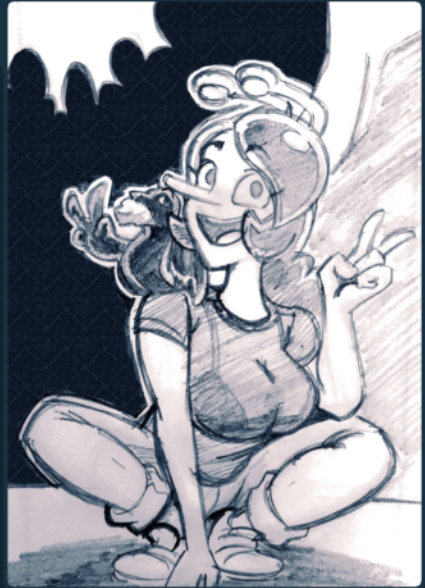
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

NO! You are NOT freezing my bread! It messes up the moisture. I would rather you feed my bread to my WORST ENEMY than freeze it.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

You live with your mom so your worst enemy probably already has some.



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Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
We got new photos taken for next year's season/ the big holiday show. Everyone did such a great job I can't believe it!
It's barely noticable that I've been awake for 46 straight hours!

Melora Pointilleux
@mayor.pilotside.us
You look like you're sleeping with your eyes open, but your hair looks great!

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
I am and thank you!
A lot of product is in it though, so don't expect to see it that often.

Melora Pointilleux
@mayor.pilotside.us
If I win this election, first thing I'm doing is hiring you full-time as my assistant, so you maybe you can regulate your hours finally? I'm not going to ask you to give up on wrestling, but at least consider working less hours at the bakery.

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
I like working at Bashedredly Bakery!
You wouldn't understand, you can't have bread.

Spryan VanSusser
@spry.pilotside.us
you look like your dying.

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
you say that about every photograph of me!


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
"Tired" is a good look, at least! You look hot as hell tbh

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Wait, is that why you always look tired? to be hot?


Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
No? I just look like this?

NESSA KRYZYNSKI
@causegraves.ghostridge.town
We got our photos take at a studio that mostly does school pictures and somehow I'm the only one who asked for the laser background? Messed up.


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Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Welp! I forgot that due to all the work on the basement in the last week, our entire house was shifted left by like six inches and walked right into our mailbox instead of through the front door.




Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Ha! This is kind of like when you forgot your own birthday and had convinced yourself that it was February 5th.




Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Yes, exactly! Something that seems silly but has a completely valid explanation!




Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
You didn't have the right month OR day, what possible explanation could you have for forgetting your birthday that hard.




Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
its obvious its simplified fraction of her birthday




Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Yup! $12/30$ simplifies to $2/5$




Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Nonsense.




Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
LOL your just mad cause i got it right away



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Cute, but I know Shelley just told you the answer. No one could figure out that on their own.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
Shelley is in her office and Tisl is in the basement with me. She ran the answer by me to see if it sounded silly, and I said that it did but that it was probably correct. You are not strange for having a difficult time understanding either of your girlfriends, if it helps.



Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
I don't understand how Shelley walked into a mailbox and somehow that's making ME look stupid!
I refuse to acknowledge this happened.



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Is there anything anyone else wants to bring up to make me feel like a fool?



"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

Remember right after you got divorced and you started dating Mikasa Braxton and you kept getting confused as to why everyone called her Sue?



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Considering how evasive everyone was about it, I assume it's something that was too personal to share for the short time we were together?



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Mi kasa es Sue kasa



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

That's cute, Shelley, but you never met Mikasa. That's not the kind of thing she likes to do.



"Ghoulie" Julie Andrews Mendlebaum-Brommer

@ghostlite.pilotside.us

Gertie has informed me that you qualify for a free delivery.

Unfortunately, it's some bad news.



Jess Bottle

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

NO. ABSOLUTELY NOT. I REFUSE.



Amy School

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

These kids are driving me up a goddamn wall. Anyone want to babysit my horrible kids tomorrow night? Warning: They're the worst.



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

You guys said you wanted me to watch them sometime right? Well I'm not doing anything tomorrow night and would be happy to take them off your hands for a bit!



Amy School

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

If I drop them off you're stuck with them until 10. I need you to understand that. You can't put them into a box and ship them to Abu Dhabi.



Shelley Talora

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I'm not going to Nermal your kids, Amy!

My garfielding days are over.

And they're teens right? The postage would be hundreds of dollars, and you're not supposed to ship blood. There's lots of reasons I'm not doing this.

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

The housemaster requested that I inspect his personal quaters and it is akin to witnessing a stress nightmare happen in real time before your eyes.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

I didn't ask you for insults I asked you how I can get in.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

In good conscience I cannot allow you into that room before adding proper support, insulation and grounding.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

I'm not asking you what is necessary to make the room safe, I'm asking you if I can get into the room.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

As a convenience perhaps I could sign your death certificate now to save your family some paperwork later.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

Whatever blows your back out.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

@talora_ay do you remember how to get into my room?



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

If I'm remembering right there was supposed to be two enterances - a door on the second floor and an escape hatch undre the bed. I know that we fixed it to the wrong wall so there isn't a functioning door, but the escape hatch should just be on the bottom in the center.



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

I know the ladder is in the basement right now, but I'm not seeing the hatch at all.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I don't know what to tell you! I've never had a reason to go in it after we lifted it. It's a miracle no one died when we did that!



Clance Packett
@ClearanceMP.pilotside.us

I thought it would be easy.




Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

We lifted a room piecemeal with a car jack how was that going to be easy???



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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
I understand that a concrete wall is not very exciting for most people.

However, this the first space I have ever constructed with such a small team.


Thank you to Tisl for structural and technological help, Shelley for providing catering, and the absolute biggest thank you to @boudyAAS for everything he has done!

There is too much to list here, but know this: he is not simply A good boy, he is THE good boy.







Boudroit Automated Alert System
@boudyAAS.pilotside.us
FEELING ACKNOWLEDGED AND PROUD




Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
This looks really nice, but frankly the most shocking thing is how quickly you were able to put it up, especially considering how tall it is. While I'm complimenting you: I like those glasses a lot.




Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
Thank you! Boudroit did much of the shaping and smoothing as it started to get out of the reach of my tools, and he did a great job. I still need to measure much of the individual rooms for crown moulding, and it will still be another 16 hours until it has fully set, but knowing it is here brings me great comfort.
These glasses do not provide UV protection, so it's unlikely they will see much use out of the basement, but thank you. Parliament HATED them, so I wear them a lot.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
As I said previously, I was not expecting much from posting a picture of a concrete wall I constructed, but I am saddened by the lack of response. Construction work is dangerous, difficult and time consuming. While getting used to the physical structures we occupy takes very little time, I believe it is beneficial to take some time to periodically appreciate the structures in your life.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
you want peple to pay attention to boring thing you love clevedge pic always works



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
Always?

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I implore you to look at how nice this cement wall is.



Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Goddamn!



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

wow nice nice nice these are very good



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Oh. That is a lot of new followers.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

So this is how fast other people's mentions are going all the time? I am going to have to learn how to type faster.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I appreciate all the activity I've gotten for this picture but I am deleting it, it is starting to become embarrassing for me, and it is not indicative of the kind of material I generally offer on this or any other world wide website!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

This was not a good idea at all! Let us all forget any of this transpired. I am sorry if you are expecting more of that, and I do not begrudge you for "unfollowing" me.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

you asked for attenson not good attenson



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I am sorry! I was under the impression you were some sort of supernatural goat farmer, not a cartoon genie trying to teach me a life lesson about lasciviousness



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

what did you think would happen?



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I was not thinking, apparently! It is extremely obvious what was going to happen and I have no idea why I went through with it. I was not even tricked!



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us

I know i thot itd take a lot more to get you to do that



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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
post has been deleted by user

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
@talora_ay you saved that pic, right?

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
That would have been very rude to have done.

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
did you?

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Tisl, please.

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
I forgot to save it give my your phone so i can have it

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
My phone is kind of like an extension of myself and I really don't feel very comfortable having another person claiming free access over it. Don't worry, it has nothing to do with you specifically - I wouldn't let ANYONE see it. If you'd like, I could show you what's on my phone, but I don't like the idea of completely relinquishing it to someone else. I hope you understand.

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
@TYEA @talora_ay you have both seen me in much more compromising situations than that. I do not understand why you want a permanent copy of such an image.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
There's a big difference between seeing you naked in the shower because I thought you were hurt and a sexy, posed selfie.

Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
YOU DID SAVE IT! DELETE IT THIS INSTANT!

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
I'm aware that I am the only transwoman many of you know, so I'd like to list a few things I consider transphobic: Tackling me. Taking my phone. Holding me down while trying to figure out my phone's password. Asking my girlfriend to unlock my phone. My girlfriend unlocking my phone. Making fun of the noises I am making while being held down. Pointing out that I'm physically aroused. Laughing about me being physically aroused. Taking a picture of my physical arousal and setting it as my phone ba





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**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Christmas songs in mid-October? I think I'm finally drawing the line. I was using this as a distraction to cook without them hassling me, but now it's making ME angry.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Well well well! Guess some kids like to talk a BIG GAME with regards to eating bug guts, and when you call their bluff they get upset. Too bad! This is what we're having!

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I just took a big bite no problem and they felt challenged and ate. It's good! I still put GARLIC in it. It's not PLAIN. Jesus christ.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

INTERESTING: Despite being extremely confident in the cement setting earlier today, Wistare and Tisl have decided to go over the basement with a fine toothed comb

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

Surely, this has nothing to do with Charlie yanking Wistare's tail or Donovan telling Tisl that her consantly asking me how things were pronounced meant she was stupid.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

FWIW I don't think this reflects poorly on Amy or Mark. Kids are just LIKE this. Awful.
Kids are just like this: Awful.

**Wistare Coronatus**

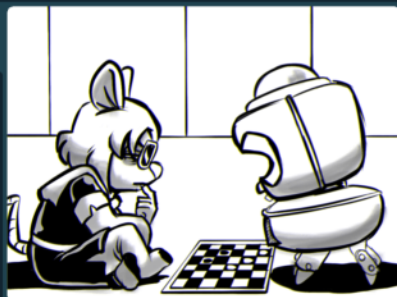
@sorex.pilotside.us

It is of paramount importance that Ms. Ashwood and I have insured that the structure of the house is set for tomorrow. Here is Ms. Ashwood, presumably, conducting polymer analysis.

**Tisl Ashwood**

@TYEA.pilotside.us

wow hard at work
wistare is helping callibrate Boudroit for faster object projection.
not sure ether of them knos how to play checkers tbh

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

@TYEA @sorex you are both, collectively and individually, a bastard.

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
It suddenly became extremely quiet upstairs. Perhaps I have lost my bet with Tisl and Shelley really has poisoned the children.



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
imo SHELLEY would like to see the reaction and the life fade out of someone she murdered I think ya



Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
lol SHELLEY is telling the little dorks about her transition you can just be a girl no one is stoping you lol now theyre asking about her dick lol SHELLEY - i still have it it doesnt fall off the second you say your a girl good to kno lol



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
The little one, who yanked on my tail like a true bastard, is sitting in utter and complete rapt attention, while the large one who is a bastard in more of a vague, emotional way, looks for any means of escape.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
"Your father was my best friend in high school, I didn't start doing this until I was 30. He knows and is cool with it. They wouldn't have let me babysit you if they had a problem with this!"
The younger one is asking MANY questions, the elder child looks like he would prefer to be anywhere else, which is a coincidence as that is where I would also prefer him.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
Well the older one finally called the younger one a word that Shelley did NOT like hearing. He is sitting on the couch pouting now, being told he would have to wait outside until his parents got home if he said such a word again.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
"Hey man, being nice doesn't cost anything." This boy does not seem to understand how illiciting this reaction from Tisl is perhaps the biggest insult imaginable.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
"I want you to apologize to Charlie."
"No! Sit down, I'm not telling you to apologize to him, I told you that I WANT you to apologize to Charlie. Don't bother until you actually mean it."

Pardon my language but: holy shit!



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us
"You're almost an adult. She wants you to think about how what you're doing affects other people. It's important. Really think about it." - TISL???

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Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

I am sorry, new followers, if you do not know who Shelley and Tisl are - they are my housemates. Seeing them deftly care for children is not something I imagined either of them were capable of, even if they are doing it in their own strange way.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

"I'm sorry I called you that word. I did it to hurt your feelings because I knew it would and you were annoying me earlier."
"Is that it? Anything else?"
"I dunno, I guess I don't want you to get picked on at school any more."
"Well, insulting someone until they're 'normal' never works, Donovan. It just means that they're getting bullied at home too. I don't want you to use that word as an insult again. Even if you know it'd piss someone off that sucks. That word is off limits to you."



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

"Now apologize to me."
"Do I have to think about it again?"
"No. I don't care if you want to apologize to me or not - I'm the authority here and you have to. So get crackin'.
"I'm sorry for making you hear that word?"
"And?"
"Making fun of your girlfriend?"
"And don't be mean to Wistare either. I think she's transcribing this."
WHOOOPS.



Wistare Coronatus
@sorex.pilotside.us

Everyone has calmed down. They are now settling in to watch a movie called "Highlander." While this sounds like it could be a piece of classic cinema, Shelley telling Tisl "you're going to love the shit out of this" makes me think that it is not.



Wistare Coronatus
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OK, we are less than 5 minutes in and I can see why Shelley said that.



Poindexter Parks, cpa
@ppcpa.pilotside.us

Suddenly real quiet on my timeline, after non-stop, nearly unfollowable chaos for four hours. What could have happened?
sees that they're all watching "Highlander"
Yeah, that sounds about right.



Tisl Ashwood
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ive got ideas now



Poindexter Parks, cpa
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Yeah. I know.



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**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

OK, that wasn't too bad, overall. I don't know if I just threw them off guard by treating them like adults or if they were just hungry, but after dinner it went smoothly.

**Shelley Talora**

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EXCEPT that once tempers had cooled, for some reason, Charlie taught Tisl the song "Waltzing Matilda," and has since been singing my name to it's tune. I always thought it would be cool if Weird AI wrote a song for me but I guess I'm having second thoughts about it now.

**Mark Camel**

@sparklecamarkel.pilotside.us

It's no reason to get your billy boiled.

**Shelley Talora**

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I'm dying, Mark.

**Amy School**

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

We don't ask people to babysit our kids to discourage them from reproducing.

**Shelley Talora**

@talora_ay.pilotside.us

I never said that you did!

**Amy School**

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

People ask us that a lot, so, for the record, we *aren't*

**Amy School**

@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us

@talora_ay @sparklecamarkel So what do you think?

**Shelley Talora**

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I can't give you more than "probably" but Charlie seemed EXTREMELY interested in my story, and asked a LOT of specific questions. They seem kind of scared about it so just be as supportive as you can regardless of what they decide for themselves.

**Mark Camel**

@sparklecamarkel.pilotside.us

Should we use they/them as a precaution? It feels weird to do without Charlie asking for it, but the way they react to being called Chuck or Charles makes me think we should?

**Shelley Talora**

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Charlie's old enough that you should just ask them. Treat them like an adult and know that these things are fluid. I tried presenting as nonbinary for years before I felt comfortable enough to present as a woman, but it's not like being nonbinary is easy or a stepping stone or anything. I'm sorry to say that it won't be easy but with loving parents it'll be a lot easiER.

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Wistare Coronatus
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Something interesting occurred to me: Despite her love of self-photography, @talora_ay has not posted a picture of her making what I consider "The Shelley Face"

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
I should really know better than to ask this, but what face am I always making?

Wistare Coronatus
@sores.pilotside.us
Are you truly unaware? This MAY be a touch specific, but you make a face that is akin to a child who has just heard another say that if you swallow gum, it resides in your stomach for years, when they know that stomach acid is corrosive enough to cut through the hood of an automobile, and is waiting for the other child to stop talking so that they might reveal this information.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
THAT'S the face you associate with me?

Jack Boulder
@jackB.pilotside.us
Yeah.

Gertrude Brommer-Mendlebaum
@gex.pilotside.us
You were in your 20s before I saw you make a different face than that.

Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us
Does it make it better if I think that it's cute?

Amy School
@XxGarbageMomxX.pilotside.us
I heard this exact exchange an hour ago between you and Charlie.

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Kids need to know how powerful stomach acid is.

Tisl Ashwood
@TYEA.pilotside.us
took 2 minutes ago
Shelley Face

Wistare Coronatus
@sores.pilotside.us
Yes! This is it exactly! This is the essence of Shelley!

Shelley Talora
@talora_ay.pilotside.us
Maaaaan....

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**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I ran into Nessa, my buddy from wrestling while jogging this morning! They're REALLY funny. They kept telling me that they're going to turn my skeleton into a lawn decoration!

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

I like this character soooo much more than they one you keep presenting at shows! It's so fun. Just, oblivious goody-goody who doesn't understand how wrestling works outside of the ring is so good. It has legs! It's so much better than you forcing yourself to try to be a know-it-all badass.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

It seems to resonate with audiences though, and I seem to be pretty decent at it. I know they like a cocky jerk but this seems divisive. And besides - I've been working a lot of places recently, wouldn't such a big change be weird and jarring?

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

Remember the big rule of wrestling: No one cares, as long as it's fun. Wrestling is supposed to be a PARTY or a CONCERT. That's why they're called "shows" and not "performances." There's a million cocky shitheads at every show we go to. It'd take a lot less to stand out as this than as the 1,000,001st. THIS is something you could WORK with.

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

I trust your judgement, but I'm still nervous. We're still ten weeks out from our big holiday show and you already told me I'm going to be in the main event. Is a character change now really that good of an idea?

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

YES! It's the PERFECT TIME for this! I mean, technically I'm your boss in 3CP so I can just make you do this. But I want YOU to be EXCITED about it! We'll have the Halloween run to hash things out and figure out mannerisms and motion signature and stuff. You'll see! People will MARK the hell OUT for you!

**Jess Bottle**

@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Well, if you're excited I'm excited. I'll start thinking about stuff today. I have kind of an easy day? Ish? I'm hanging out with my gfs for the first time since they asked me out? I dunno.

**NESSA KRYZYNSKI**

@causegraves.ghostridge.town

GOD! Your girlfriends are so adorable. I'm jealous, even though I have like 8 girlfriends technically. I mean, maybe more? I forget.

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Jess Bottle
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Do you have any advice for this? I've kind of not gone out with anyone in a long time.


NESSA KRYZYNSKI
@causegraves.ghostridge.town

Are you SURE you want my advice? I'm literally going to be annulling my marriage during our trip lol


Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Yes of course! You can ask me for advice about being divorced! I think I've been divorced as long as you've been married lol


NESSA KRYZYNSKI
@causegraves.ghostridge.town

Yeah, I have some books you can read. Remind me to grab them when you pick me up. But yeah! It's different! It's nice! I kind of get to enjoy my various partners ala carte. Some are purely physical, some aren't sexual at all. I got a partner who shares in my love of farming simulators and nothing else. No sex, no physicality, but I still consider them like a friend plus.


Jess Bottle
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You've been doing this for a while. I'm not at the point of recontextualizing all of my relationships through a poly lens.


NESSA KRYZYNSKI
@causegraves.ghostridge.town

You might never do that. I just went all in when I realized Lu couldn't give me the emotional support I need. I won't get too into it now because it's a long drive to Toledo but I have plenty to say.


Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

haha! that's fine! I'm always available to chat even if we're not on a road trip! haha I think it's the most DMs we've ever had before you posted your pussy.


NESSA KRYZYNSKI
@causegraves.ghostridge.town

you mean this?

Sensitive content


Jess Bottle
@bloodgruel.pilotside.us

Don't know what else I expected it to be!


NESSA KRYZYNSKI
@causegraves.ghostridge.town

It's an important lesson: Always commit to the bit!

I HAVE A
QUESTION THAT
MAY SOUND A TOUCH
ABSURD.



YOU'RE A
STRANGER IN A
STRANGE LAND. NEVER
THINK ANY QUESTION YOU
HAVE IS TOO TRITE
OR SILLY.



WHAT IS
A "BUSSY?"



