

THEN WE'LL STORM THE DARK TRIAD AND TAKE THEM OUT SEPARATELY.

WITH MY MAGIC, WE'LL BE ABLE TO INFILTRATE THE CASTLE UNNOTICED.

Black * Clover

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VANICA HAS CURSE-WARDING AND BLOOD MAGIC.

DANTE HAS GRAVITY AND BODY MAGIC.

...IS ZENON.

THE ONE WITH SPATIAL AND BONE MAGIC...

BY YŪKI TABATA



I'LL
NEED TO
CHOOSE THE
INDIVIDUALS
WHO HAVE
THE
GREATEST
CHANCE OF
WINNING!

HOWEVER,
MY MAGIC
WON'T LET
ME TAKE
A CROWD
ALONG.



ZENON
ooo!

Translation: Taylor Engel Lettering: Annaliese "Ace" Christman



OBVIOUSLY,
YOU'RE GONNA
CHOOSE FROM
AMONG US
CAPTAINS!!

HAW!

NO
DUH!!



LET
ME GO,
PLEASE.





THE
OTHER DAY,
ONE OF THEIR
MEMBERS
CAME TO THE
CLOVER
KINGDOM IN
SECRET.

THERE ARE
RESISTANCE
FORCES IN
THE SPADE
KINGDOM THAT
OPPOSE THE
DARK TRIAD.

I
BELIEVE
HE'S AT
YOUR
PLACE
NOW,
ISN'T
HE?



WHO
EXACTLY
ARE
YOU?



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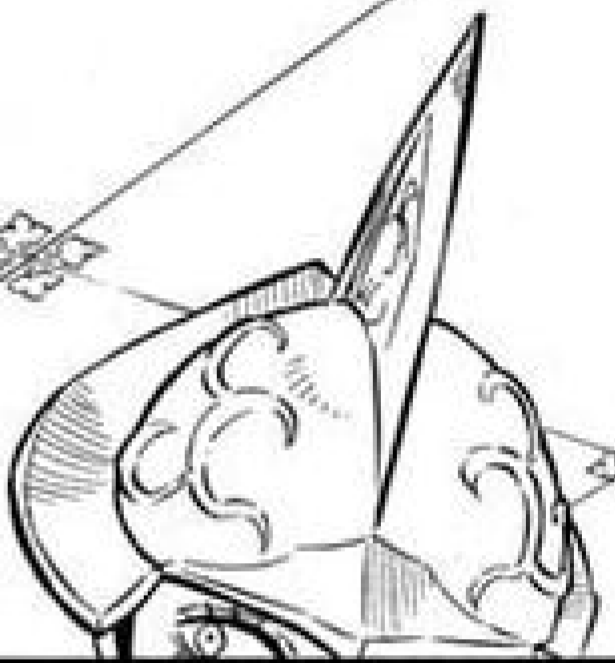


SAY
WHAT?!



...THAT I'M A SPADE KINGDOM PRINCE.

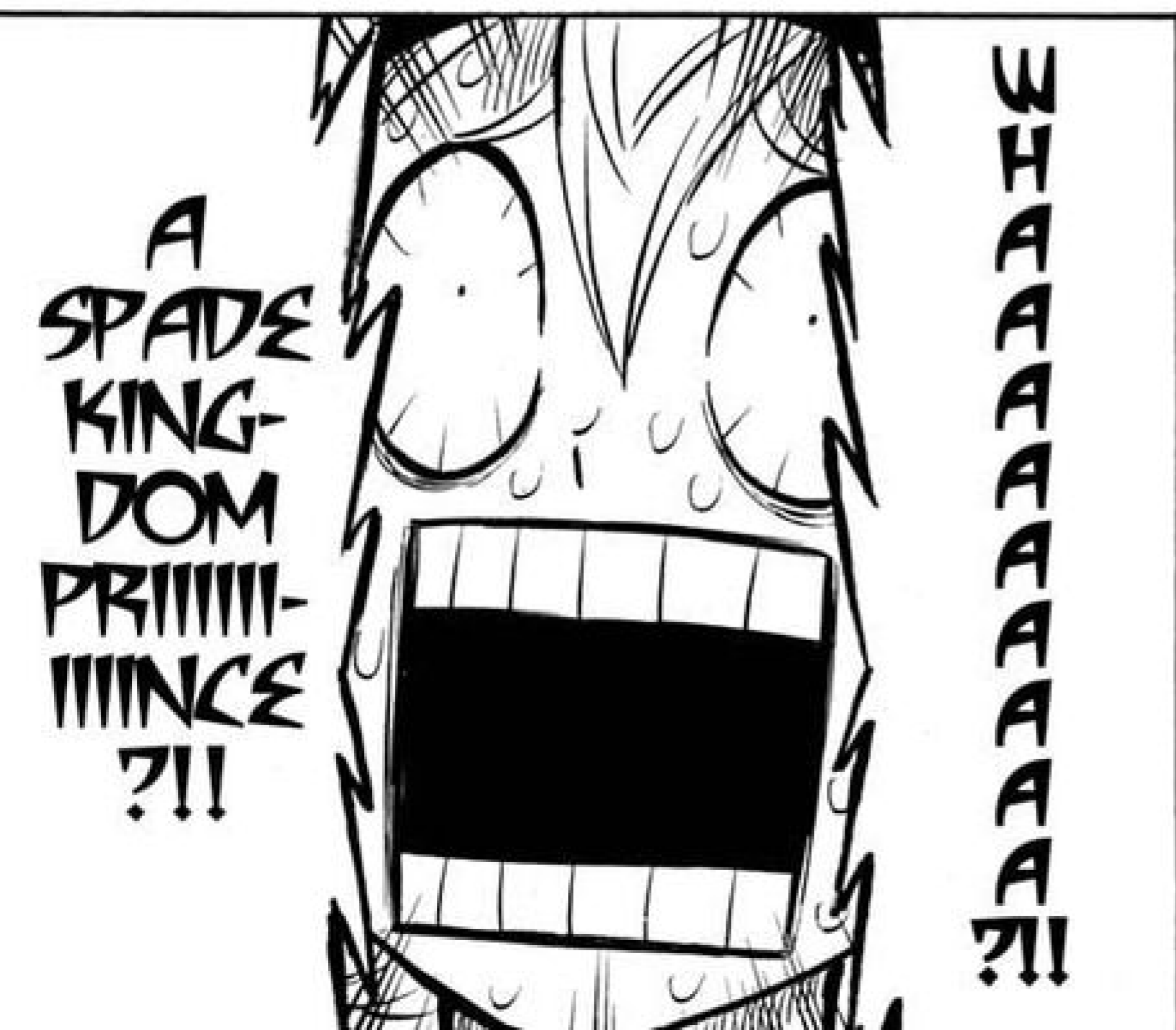
I'M TOLD...



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A SPADE KINGDOM PRINCE ?!!

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IF HE'S
A ROYAL,
THAT
WOULD
EXPLAIN
HIS
MAGIC...

I
SEE...

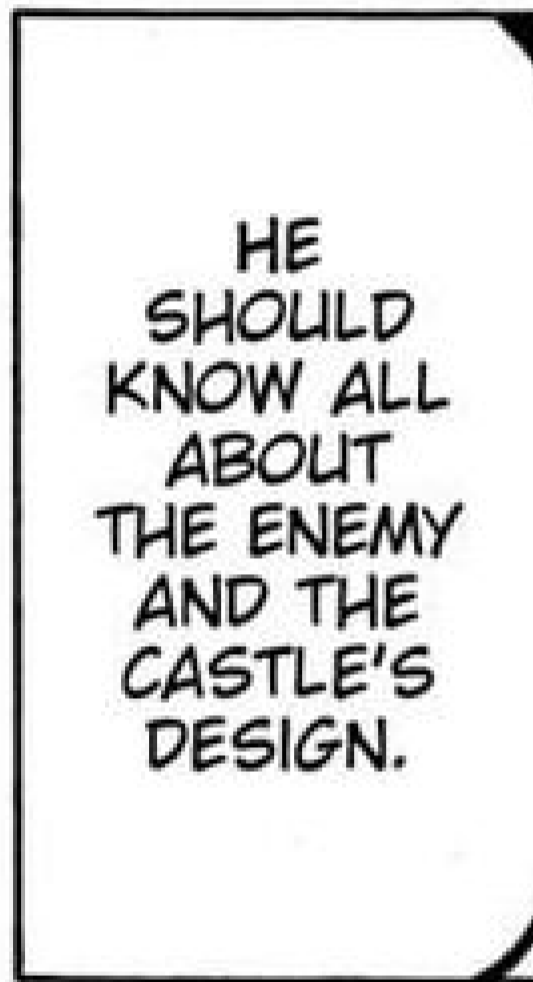


APPARENTLY,
THEY
EVACUATED
ME TO THE
CLOVER KINGDOM
WHEN THE
REBELLION
AGAINST THE
ROYAL FAMILY
BROKE OUT.

YEAH...

YUNO...
Wha...
For
real?!!

You're
not even
fazed?



THE GUY
AT MY
PLACE
WAS A
SERVANT
OF THE
OLD SPADE
ROYAL
FAMILY.



HECK,
YOU
MIGHT
EVEN BE
ONE!!



THAT
SERVANT
COULD BE
A HOSTILE
SPY!!

KEH! THAT
DON'T MAKE
LETTING YOU
HANDLE IT A
GOOD IDEA!!





...YOU'VE ALL BEEN SUSPICIOUS OF CAPTAIN VANCEANCE TOO!!

IT'S NOT JUST ME! EVER SINCE THE ELF INCIDENT...



...HE'S CONSTANTLY FIGHTING, MORE EARNESTLY THAN ANYONE ELSE, AS A MAGIC KNIGHT!

BUT THAT'S EXACTLY WHY, EVEN THOUGH HE'S HURTING NOW...



AFTER ALL, HE WASN'T ABLE TO CHOOSE BETWEEN THE HUMANS AND THE ELVES.

I CAN'T BLAME YOU FOR THAT.



...AS I WAS BLACKING OUT, I REMEMBER SEEING SOMETHING.

BACK THEN, AFTER THAT GUY GOT ME...



AS HE FOUGHT, CAPTAIN VANCEANCE WAS PROTECTING THE GOLDEN DAWN MEMBERS!!



HOW COULD I ABANDON THEM?



BECAUSE OF THAT CHOICE...

...YOU WILL LOSE!



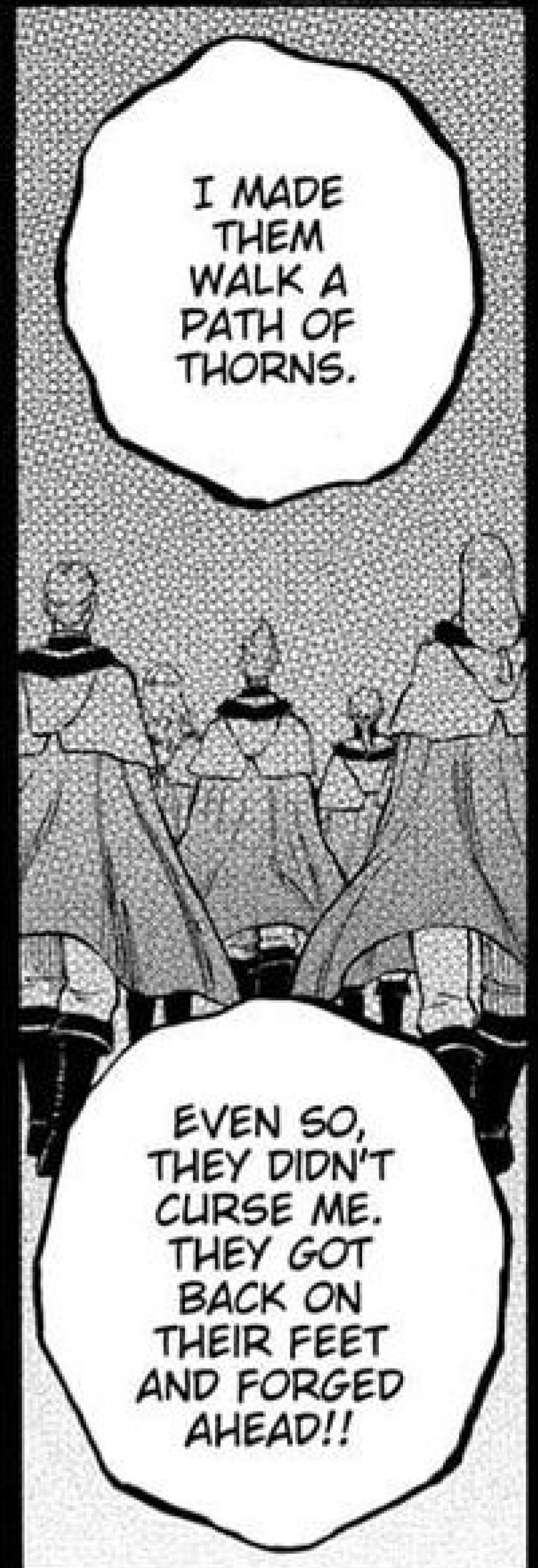
BUT YOU WON'T.

YOU SHOULD GET RID OF YOUR BAGGAGE, SO YOU CAN CONCENTRATE ON THE FIGHT THAT MUCH MORE.



THE MEMBERS OF THE GOLDEN DAWN ARE MY PRIDE...

...AND MY DREAM!!!



I MADE THEM WALK A PATH OF THORNS.

EVEN SO, THEY DIDN'T CURSE ME. THEY GOT BACK ON THEIR FEET AND FORGED AHEAD!!



...BUT TO US, HE'S THE KINDEST, MOST RELIABLE CAPTAIN ANYWHERE!!

TO YOU, HE MAY BE A TRAITOR WHO ONCE TURNED HIS BACK ON THE KINGDOM...




...BECAUSE HE PROTECTED US WHILE HE FOUGHT!!

CAPTAIN VANCEANCE WAS CAPTURED...



WE, THE
GOLDEN
DAWN...

...ARE THE
CLOVER
KINGDOM'S
STRONGEST
BRIGADE.



THAT ZENON
GUY THINKS
HE KILLED
THE ENTIRE
GOLDEN
DAWN.



HE
DIDN'T
WIPE
US OUT
THOUGH.

AAAAA
AAAAA

WE'RE
ALIVE!!
CAPTAIN
VANCEANCE'S
SPELL
SAVED
US!!!

WE'RE
NOT
DONE
YET!!!



WE'RE GOING IN ORDER TO PROVE THAT!!!

AND CAPTAIN VANCEANCE CHOSE RIGHT WHEN HE PROTECTED US.

KHO0000



...TO SAVE CAPTAIN VAN-GEANCE!!

I WILL BE THE ONE...



WOULD YOU BE QUIET ALREADY?



JDDR =VO =

JDDR =VO =

WHAT THE-?! WHAT'S THIS MAGIC?!

YOU LITTLE... QUIT BARKING WHEN NOBODY ASKED-

...



...SO WE
CAN TAKE
DOWN
THAT BONY
JERK!!!



I'M
STORING
UP MANA
OVER
HERE...



...IS
THROUGH
LOSING!!!

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YUNO...




ALL
RIGHT.

I
DON'T
HATE
PEOPLE
LIKE
YOU.




IT DOES
LOOK LIKE
HE HAS A
CHANCE,
AT LEAST.



...YOU'RE STILL YOU, HUH, YUNO.

EVEN IF YOU'RE A SPADE KINGDOM PRINCE OR THE GOLDEN DAWN VICE CAPTAIN...



I'LL SEND WORD ON THE DETAILS OF OUR STRATEGY LATER.

WE'LL DEPART FOR THE SPADE KINGDOM TWO DAYS FROM NOW IN THE MORNING.

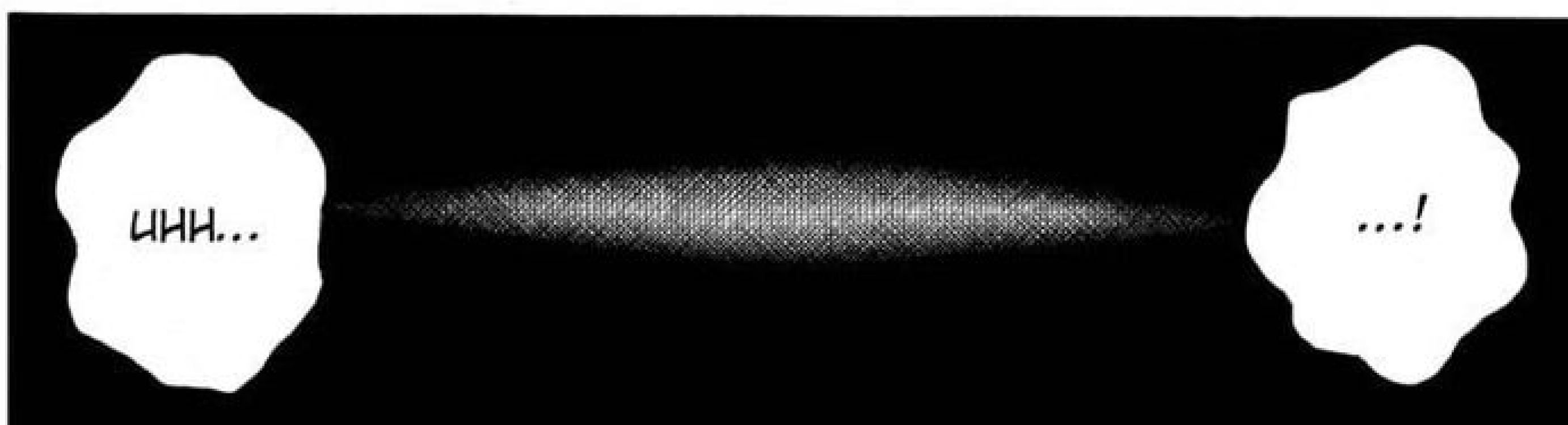


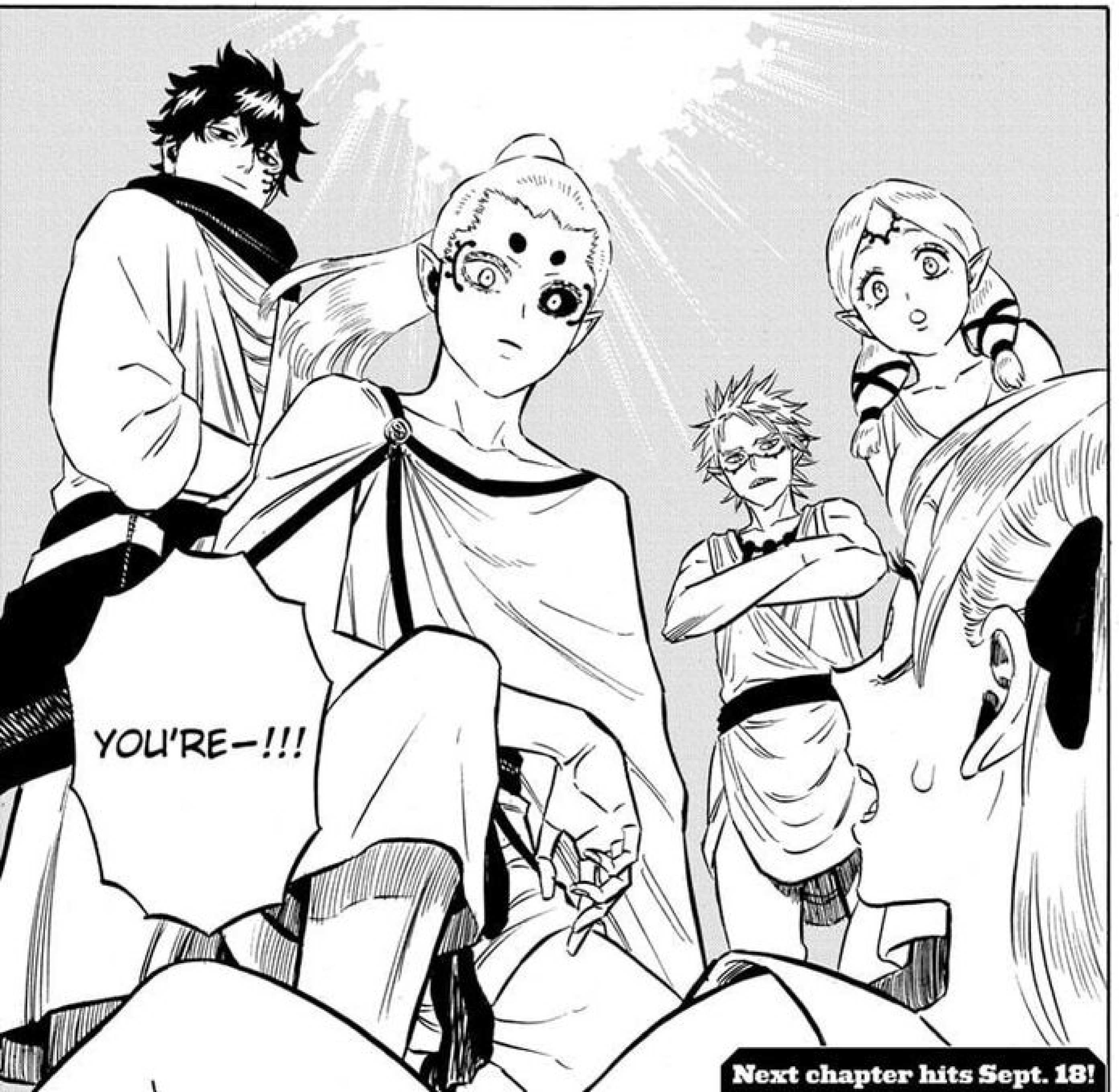
IN THAT CASE, I'D LIKE TO ASK THE HEART KINGDOM FOR THEIR HELP AS WELL.



LET'S GO BEAT THE DARK TRIAD AND RESCUE OUR CAPTAINS!!!







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